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Albion opens with N-O track sweep

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ALBION — Beginning their title defense in impressive fashion, the Albion boys and girls track teams romped to victories over visiting Newfane Thursday in Niagara-Orleans League competition.

Albion won the boys meet 113-28 and the girls competition 92-49.

In the day's only other N-O meet, Akron swept visiting Roy-Hart winning the boys meet 105-36 and the girls 101-39.

Shyhiem Rhodes was a double winner in the high jump and triple jump, while Scott Knaak took both the 110 hurdles and long jump and Dylan Hall the shot-put and discus to lead the way for the Albion boys squad which took first place in 16 of 17 events.

The Purple Eagles also got individual event wins from Trey Greene (400 hurdles), Pete Nesbitt (100), Troy Greene (200), Mike Capurso (800), Colby Baney (1600), Mike Patterson (3200) and Henry Haines (pole vault).

The Albion girls were led by a pair of double winners as Eboni Taylor took the 100 hurdles and long jump and Abby Squicciarini the 100 and 200.

The Purple Eagles also had Laisha Harrison win the 400, Abby Edwards the shot-out, Brittany Bennett-Allis the discus and Chelsea Beecher the triple jump.

Kiki Dy was a double winner for Newfane in the 1500 and 3000.

The Akron boys were sparked by double win efforts by Josh Cory (100, shot-put), Jeremy Rushok (800, 1600) and Jason Donovan (400 hurdles, long jump).

Molly Gorski doubled in the 100 and 200, Kaylee Zbytek in the 800 and 1500 and Kristi Augustino in the 400 hurdles and pole vault to lead the Akron girls.

Bridget Shanahan was a quadruple winner for the Roy-Hart girls in the 100 hurdles, long jump, high jump and triple jump.