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Raiders Compete At Varsity Select Meet

The girls and boys track teams from Jamestown High School took a skeleton crew to compete in the final Varsity Select Meet at the Lancaster Field House on Saturday.

This meet is often used as a last chance for fine tuning as teams head into the championship portion of the season and Jamestown proved its readiness.

Olivia Zabrodsky got things rolling for the team with her first-place finish in the 1,500 meter run. After trading off the lead with runners from Sweet Home and Williamsville South, Zabrodsky found a finishing kick and her time of 5:19.4 beat second place by more than two seconds.

Zabrodsky later went on to lead the 3,200 relay team of Haley Kulakowski, Rebecca Bogdan and Megan Oelbracht to a second-place finish of 11:04.3.

Brielle Edborg rounded out the scoring for the Red Raiders with a second place high jump of 4 feet, 8 inches.

Justin Capuano and David Morse led the boys. Capuano was second in the tough 600 field with a personal best of 1:36.6.

Capuano added to that by taking fifth place in the 300 with a time of 42 seconds.

Meanwhile, Morse had a solid performance in the pole vault with a second place vault of 12-0. He was among four Section 6 indoor vaulters favored to battle it out for the two seats on the bus to the New York State Public High School Athletic Association championships in March.

Jamestown is set to compete on Saturday in the Section 6 Team Championships at Fredonia State's Steele Hall.

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