

Lamorinda Schools Give Stellar Performance at Championship Track Meet

By Jennifer Wake

Stanley Middle School hosted the seventh and eighth grade "A" Championship track meet at Campolindo on Tuesday, June 3. "With 14 middle schools entered, it was a tough competition," Stanley Track Coach Stephanie Coffee said.

Joaquin Moraga's seventh grade girls were well represented among top finishers. JM's Hadley Swanson won both the 200M and 400M races along with a win as a member of the 4x100 relay team. Also on the winning 4x100 team was Mia Monopoli, who took second place in both the 100M and 200M races. Rounding out the winning relay team were Mette Huberts and Abigail Healey, who also took second place in the 400M and 800M, respectively.

"Stanley finished second overall in the team competition with some fantastic finishes," Coffee said. "Justin Capener finished first in the 400M; Nicolette Sorensen finished first in the 800M; Paul Nork finished second in the High Jump; and Adler Faulkner finished third in the 200M and the 400M."

In addition, Stanley athletes set three new league records: Nicolette Sorensen in the mile 5.27.17 time; Tyler Sorensen in the mile 4.48.77 time; seventh grade girls 4x400 relay of Zoe Bauer, Alia Shafi, Caroline Wilcox and Nicolette Sorensen 4.39.32.

Orinda Intermediate School also had a stellar day with six first place finishes starting with a new meet record by Kevin Booze in the boy's 200M with 25.21. Micah Solit placed first in the boy's 100M, Carlyn Wright in the girl's 100M and Hosanna Fuller in the girl's 800M. The eighth grade boy's 4x400 relay (Sheldon, Barber, Blove, and Solit) also took first, setting a new meet record of 04.10.07, while the OIS eighth grade girl's 4x400 relay team of Yan, Blove, Wright and Fuller took first place with 04.49.88.

"Congratulations to everyone who competed on Tuesday!" said Coffee.



Bottom left to right: (laying) Nicolette Sorensen, Nicole Shimotake, Kendall Coffee, Caroline Wilcox. Top left to right: Alia Shafi, Amy Thomas, Addison Mullins
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Outstanding Lamorinda Times from Class "A" Championship Track Meet

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7th grade girls 200 finals – first place Hadley Swanson (28.58); second place Mia Monopoli (28.98)
7th grade boys mile – third place Josh Binder (05.41.65)
7th grade girls mile – second place Sarah Orders (05.46.88); third place Meera Madua (05.59.79)
7th grade girls 100 finals – second place Mia Monopoli (14.13)
7th grade girls 800 – second place Abigail Healey (02.42.45)
7th grade girls 400 finals – first place Hadley Swanson (01.03.93); second place Mette Huberts (01.08.61)
7th grade girls 4x100 – first place Hadley Swanson, Mette Huberts, Abigail Healey and Mia Monopoli (00.57.05)

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7th grade girls mile – first place Nicolette Sorensen 05.27.17
8th grade boys mile – first place Tyler Sorensen 04.48.77
8th grade girls 200 – third place Siena Del Ponte 29.5
7th grade boys 200 – third place Adler Faulkner 28.56
8th grade boys 200 – third place Justin Capener 25.84
7th grade girls 4x400 – first place (Bauer, Wilcox, Shafi, Sorensen) 04.39.32
7th grade girls 800 – first place Nicolette Sorensen 02.40.99
8th grade boys 800 – third place Tyler Sorensen 02.23.63
7th grade boys 400 finals – third place Adler Faulkner 01.02.10
8th grade boys 400 finals – first place Justin Capener 00.57.27; second place Paul Nork 00.58.21
7th grade girls 4x100 – third place (Coffee, Wilcox, Shimotake, and Mullins) 00.58.44
7th grade boys 4x100 – second place (Faulkner, Nathan, Lundgren, and Anderson) 00.55.70
8th grade boys 4x100 – second place (Capener, Nork, Quinn, and Diede) 00.51.56

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8th grade boys 200 finals – first place by Kevin Booze
8th grade girls mile – third place Savanna Ryder (06.10.00)
8th grade boys 100 – first place Micah Solit (12.23); second place Kevin Booze (12.25)
8th grade girls 100 – first place Carlyn Wright (13.46)
8th grade girls 800 – first place Hosanna Fuller (02.38.28)
8th grade boys 4x400 – first place Sheldon, Barber, Glove, Solit 04.10.07



Hadley Swanson (JM) finished the 7th grade 400 meter in 01.03.93

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