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Columbia's Bridgette Ingram, West Orange's Danielle Hobson and Columbia's Natalie Deffenbaugh are neck and neck in the Essex County Relays' team intermediate hurdles event at Robeson Stadium yesterday. Columbia

ESSEX COUNTY RELAYS

BOYS

TEAMS: 1-Columbia 73. 2-St. Benedict's Prep 54. 3-Montclair 47. 4-Seton Hall Prep 36. 5-Montclair Immaculate 35. 6-Arts 33. 7-Livingston 23. 8-Irvington 22. 9-Verona 21. 10-East Side 19. 11-Bloomfield 18. 12-Newark Central 16. 13-Millburn 14. 14-Caldwell 12. 15-East Orange 11. 16-Shabazz 8. 17-Essex Catholic 7. 18-West Orange 5. 19-Science and Orange 4. 21-Nutley 3.

400-METER RELAY: 1-Montclair (O'Neil Brown, Ryan Cook, Gary Booker and David Tyree) 42.7. 2-Central 44.1. 3-Essex Catholic 44.1. 4-Orange 44.2. 5-Seton Hall Prep 44.5. 6-Arts 44.9.

800-METER RELAY: 1-Montclair (O'Neil Brown, Ryan Cook, Gary Booker and David Tyree) 1:30.9. 2-St. Benedict's Prep 1:32.0. 3-Arts 1:32.0. 4-Central 1:32.1. 5-Orange 1:35.8. 6-Barringer 1:37.2.

1,600-METER RELAY: 1-St. Benedict's Prep (Brian Innis, Greg Richardson, Craig Wingate and Andy Desormes) 3:20.6. 2-Montclair 3:21.5. 3-Arts 3:23.2. 4-Science 3:23.8. 5-Central 3:28.6. 6-Columbia 3:29.4.

3,200-METER RELAY: 1-Columbia (Kyle Jasey, Leiraun Baldwin, Eddie LaPierre and Colin Brown) 8:21.1. 2-Montclair Immaculate 8:22.3. 3-Arts 8:29.6. 4-St. Benedict's Prep 8:29.8. 5-Irvington 8:30.1. 6-East Side 8:31.3.

6,400-METER RELAY: 1-Columbia (Kyle Jasey, Peter Joseph, Eddie LaPierre and Colin Brown) 19:05.2. 2-East Side 19:09.7. 3-Seton Hall Prep 19:51.7. 4-Caldwell 20:09.1. 5-Nutley 20:10.7. 6-Montclair 20:16.9.

SPRINT MEDLEY RELAY: 1-Montclair Immaculate (Karif Hyder, Obdulin Salakza, Connor and Jamal Nisbett) 3:36.4. 2-St. Benedict's Prep 3:37.1. 3-Columbia 3:39.1. 4-Seton Hall Prep 3:40.3. 5-Montclair 3:44.7. 6-Essex Catholic 3:46.5.

DISTANCE MEDLEY RELAY: 1-East Side (Nelson Dos-Santos, Jose Gutierrez, Aarao Santos and Joao Oliveira) 11:17.5. 2-Columbia 11:30.7. 3-Seton Hall Prep 11:36. 4-Verona 11:41.9. 5-Bloomfield 11:42.0. 6-Nutley 11:43.0.

SHUTTLE HURDLES: 1-Columbia (Gavin Smith, Carlos Fraser, Wole Ogunkoya and Jeff Fleurimond) 1:06.8. 2-Livingston 1:07.5. 3-Verona 1:09.5. 4-Irvington 1:09.7. 5-Seton Hall Prep 1:14.6. 6-Montclair Immaculate 1:14.8.

TEAM INTERMEDIATE HURDLES: 1-Columbia (Gavin Smith, Wole Ogunkoya and Jeff Fleurimond) 2:56.0. 2-St. Benedict's Prep 2:59.8. 3-Livingston 3:05.2. 4-Irvington 3:06.9. 5-Shabazz 3:09.3. 6-Verona 3:11.7.

TEAM HIGH JUMP: 1-Arts (Omar Wheeler and William Johnson) 12-2. 2-St. Benedict's Prep 12-0. 3-Caldwell 11-10. 4-Irvington 11-9. 5-Columbia 11-9. 6-West Orange 11-8.

TEAM LONG JUMP: 1-East Orange (Atiba Yusef and Nygel Blandon) 41-11. 2-Irvington 40-7 1/4. 3-Shabazz 40-5 1/2. 4-Arts 39-9. 5-Montclair 39-8. 6-Verona 39-7 1/4.

TEAM SHOT PUT: 1-Seton Hall Prep (Chris Lambert and Dorian Scott) 94-8. 2-Montclair 92-9 1/4. 3-Bloomfield 90-11 1/2. 4-Montclair Immaculate 87-11. 5-Central 83-11. 6-Columbia 82-11.

TEAM DISCUS: 1-Bloomfield (Mike Curtis and M. Gregorowicz) 276-2. 2-St. Benedict's Prep 254-7. 3-Montclair 243-11. 4-Seton Hall Prep 240-7. 5-Montclair Immaculate 234-4. 6-Columbia 228-8.

TEAM JAVELIN: 1-Montclair Immaculate (Steve Wolf and Tamba Martin) 287-9. 2-Verona 284-8. 3-Columbia 280-6. 4-Millburn 269-5. 5-Seton Hall Prep 266-8. 6-Livingston 253-11.

TEAM POLE VAULT: 1-Millburn (Ed Sangiacomo and Darin Early) 22-0. 2-Livingston 21-6. 3-Columbia 21-6. 4-West Orange 21-6. 5-Caldwell 20-0. 6-Verona 19-6.

GIRLS

TEAMS: 1-Columbia 120. 2-Montclair 44. 3-Irvington 38. 4-Arts 35. 5-Caldwell 27. 6-West Orange 26. 7-Livingston 22. 8-Millburn 15. 9-Orange 14. 10-Belleville 13. 11-Science 12. 12-Bloomfield 10. 13-Nutley 9. 14-Glen Ridge, Montclair Immaculate, Verona, Clifford Scott and West Side 8. 19-West Essex and Barringer 1.

400-METER RELAY: 1-Montclair (Melisa Barber, Chantel Coppedge, Mikele Barber and Jefferson Jean-Louis) 48.1 record; former record, 48.3, Clifford Scott, 1988. 2-Orange 50.9. 3-Arts 51.0. 4-West Side 51.2. 5-Columbia 51.9. 6-Science 52.6.

800-METER RELAY: 1-Montclair (Melisa Barber, Chantel Coppedge, Mikele Barber and Jefferson Jean-Louis) 1:40.4 record; former record, 1:41.2, Central, 1982. 2-Arts 1:48.5. 3-Orange 1:48.8. 4-Science 1:51.6. 5-Livingston 1:54.4. 6-Barringer 1:57.5.

1,600-METER RELAY: 1-Science (Shakirah Harper, Tiffany Holmes, Sherry White and Mikki Fuller) 4:09.5. 2-Columbia 4:13.1. 3-Arts 4:16.6. 4-West Side 4:18.6.

3,200-METER RELAY: 1-Columbia (Fatima Zohny, Rebecca Shore, Amina Zohny and Dara Crocker) 10:26.9. 2-Irvington 10:40.1. 3-Caldwell 10:46.1. 4-Bloomfield 11:34.1. 5-Glen Ridge 12:17.5.

6,400-METER RELAY: 1-Columbia (Abby Sims, Rebecca Shore, Catherine Casey and Amina Zohny) 22:44.2 record; former record 22:47.6, East Side, 1995. 2-Caldwell 23:52.1. 3-Nutley 24:27.0. 4-Irvington 27:06.9.

SPRINT MEDLEY RELAY: 1-Columbia (Nicole Santiago, Clonne Pickens, Natalie Deffenbaugh and Dara Crocker) 4:13.0. 2-Clifford Scott 4:23.2. 3-Arts 4:34.2. 4-Livingston 4:38.2. 5-Millburn 4:40.5. 6-Belleville 4:43.8.

DISTANCE MEDLEY RELAY: 1-Columbia (Andria Matthews, Gail Barnett, Amina Zohny and Catherine Casey) 13:12.0. 2-West Orange 13:37.7. 3-Caldwell 13:43.7. 4-Irvington 13:49.1. 5-Montclair 14:12.1. 6-Glen Ridge 14:16.1.

SHUTTLE HURDLES: 1-West Orange (Rachelle Albano, Zim Achebe, Carol Guthrie and Danielle Hobson) 1:09.5. 2-Columbia 1:12.1. 3-Arts 1:12.5. 4-Irvington 1:12.7. 5-Livingston 1:15.4. 6-Glen Ridge 1:17.7.

TEAM INTERMEDIATE HURDLES: 1-Columbia (Natalie Deffenbaugh, Bridgette Ingram and Michele Nelson) 3:18.7. 2-West Orange 3:29.6. 3-Irvington 3:40.8. 4-Livingston 3:53.4. 5-Nutley 4:00.2.

TEAM HIGH JUMP: 1-Columbia (Bridgette Ingram and Lauryn Wills) 10-0 record; former record 10-0, Columbia, 1994. 2-Livingston 9-8. 3-Irvington 9-6. 4-Caldwell 9-3. 5-Arts 9-3. 6-West Essex 9-3.

TEAM LONG JUMP: 1-Columbia (Bridgette Ingram and Nneka Ofor) 32-7 1/2. 2-Millburn 31-0. 3-Irvington 30-7 1/4. 4-Montclair 30-4 1/2. 5-Livingston 29-10 1/4. 6-Caldwell 29-9 3/4.

TEAM SHOT PUT: 1-Columbia (Jazmine Wright and Yakini Johnson) 73-0. 2-Montclair 65-5. 3-Bloomfield 59-0. 4-Belleville 58-6. 5-Montclair Immaculate 58-0 3/4. 6-Arts 53-8 1/2.

TEAM DISCUS: 1-Montclair (Helen Dock and Ellen Dock) 210-0 record; former record, 205-4, Montclair, 1987. 2-Columbia 206-8. 3-Montclair Immaculate 179-8. 4-Glen Ridge 169-0. 5-Belleville 158-2. 6-Millburn 153-4.

TEAM JAVELIN: 1-Columbia (Bridgette Ingram and Stacey Townsend) 178-9. 2-Verona 175-9. 3-Belleville 169-2. 4-Millburn 165-2. 5-Seton Hall Prep 165-2.

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