

On Monday, the Chieftain track and field teams traveled to Boscobel to compete in the Bulldog Relays. The girls' team finished 4<sup>th</sup> out of the 9 team field and had a number of strong performances. The 4x100 relay of Emily Kuester, Kennedy Fitzgerald, Wylie Luck, and Ann Hardy finished first with a season best time of 56.38. Also bringing home gold was the long jump relay of Morgan Watson, Fitzgerald, and Hardy. Other medalists included second place finishes by the triple jump relay of Watson, Kuester, and Amanda Pedek and the shot put relay of Cassie Bradley, Sam Pedek, and Kayla Frazier while that same trio combined for a third place finish in the discus relay. Other bronze medalists included the 4xmile relay of Alyssa Cupp, Tabitha Stanek, Miranda McKinney, and Justice Corpora, and the distance medley of Amanda Pedek, Becca Pedek, Sarah Pasold, and Janay Wiedenfeld,

On the boys' side, the Chieftains finished 5<sup>th</sup> and were led by the 4x100 relay which finished first with a season best time of 46.37. That team of Alex Fiebranz, Ron Giddings, Zach Pospichal, and Brett Felton is currently ranked 4<sup>th</sup> in the state. Felton, Giddings, and Nick Wiederholt teamed up to win the long jump relay as well. The 4x200 relay of Anthony Bart, Keegan Franklin, Nolan Garoutte, and Wiederholt brought in a silver medal. Earning bronze medals were the 4xmile relay of Montana Lins, Garoutte, Mitchell Shallwani, and Colten Savage, the distance medley of Lins, Shallwani, Garoutte, and Franklin, and the sprint medley of Fiebranz, Pospichal, Giddings, and Wiederholt.

On Tuesday, the Chieftains made a familiar trip, traveling back to Boscobel for a conference triangular. Highlights on the girls' side included 1<sup>st</sup> place finishes by Cassie Bradley in the shot put with a new personal best throw, the 4x100 relay of Kuester, Haylee Rognholt, Luck, and Fitzgerald, the 4x400 relay of Maria Garcia Guererro, Abby Ciecieski, Becca Pedek, and Emily Kuester.

For the boys, first place finishers were the 4x100 relay of Zach Pospichal, Nick Wiederholt, Andrew Poskitt, and Mitchell Shallwani, Pospichal in the long jump, and Kyle Peterson in the triple jump. The other highlight of the meet included a new personal best for Wiederholt in the high jump, bringing back the western roll to clear 5'6".

The Chieftains headed to Reedsburg on Friday to compete in the nine team Betsy DeMerit Invite. The field included primarily division one and two competition. The boys' team finished fifth while the girls were 6<sup>th</sup>. The meet featured several highlights for the Chieftains, including a large number of personal and season best performances.

For the girls, the meet was highlighted by first place finishes by Cassie Bradley and Morgan Watson. Both girls set personal bests in the shot put and triple jump respectively. Also, the girls' 4x800 relay of Amanda Pedek, Becca Pedek, Janay Wiedenfeld, and Sarah Pasold took 3<sup>rd</sup> and the girls' 4x100 relay of Emily Kuester, Kennedy Fitzgerald, Becca Pedek, and Ann Hardy

took 4<sup>th</sup>, both with season best times. Hardy added a personal best jump of 14'11" in the long jump to finish 4<sup>th</sup> in the event.

In the boys' competition, the top finisher for the Chieftains was Montana Lins. Montana ran a very strong race to set a big personal best and take 2<sup>nd</sup> in the mile with a time of 4:56. The boys' 4x100 relay of Zach Pospichal, Alex Fiebranz, Ron Giddings, and Brett Felton also brought home a second place finish with a season best time of 45.68. Pospichal also finished 3<sup>rd</sup> in the long jump with a season best of 20'1". Mitchell Shallwani ran a very tough race in the 3200 to finish 4<sup>th</sup> while Pospichal and Nolan Garoutte added 5<sup>th</sup> place finishes in the 100 and 800 respectively.