

Nazareth qualifies for national play

PITTSFORD — The Nazareth College lacrosse team begins its quest this weekend for a second national title in three years.

Nazareth will host local rival Rochester Institute of Technology at 1 p.m. on Sunday, May 15, in an NCAA Division III first-round playoff game.

The Golden Flyers closed out their regular season with an 11-1 record by defeating host Ohio Wesleyan, 16-13, on May 7. Nazareth is one of eight teams to qualify for the national tournament.

Nazareth has faced RIT once already this season, scoring a 16-7 home victory over the Tigers back on March 26. Should the Golden Flyers win the rematch as well, they will advance to a semifinal contest on May 22. The national championship game is set for May 29.

Entering the tournament, Coach Scott Nelson's team is ranked fourth in the USILA national rankings. Nelson coached the Golden Flyers to their only national championship in 1992. Nazareth reached the Division III semifinals last season.

Ticket orders begin for 1995 Ryder Cup

PITTSFORD — Ticket orders will soon begin for the 1995 Ryder Cup, to be held at Oak Hill Country Club.

Ticket order forms can be obtained by writing to Ryder Cup Tickets, Oak Hill CC, P.O. Box 10397, Rochester, N.Y. 14618-0397. The orders must be postmarked no earlier than May 16, 1994. Tickets will be allotted on a first-come, first-served basis.

Basilio to be honored at Hall of Fame event

ROCHESTER — Former world welterweight and middleweight champion Carmen Basilio will be the honored guest at the fourth annual Rochester Boxing Hall of Fame Awards Banquet. The event will take place Friday, May 13, beginning at 6:30 p.m. at the Mapledale Party House, 1020 Maple St.

Basilio, an Irondequoit resident and parishioner at Church of Christ the King, will be recognized along with several other members of the boxing community.

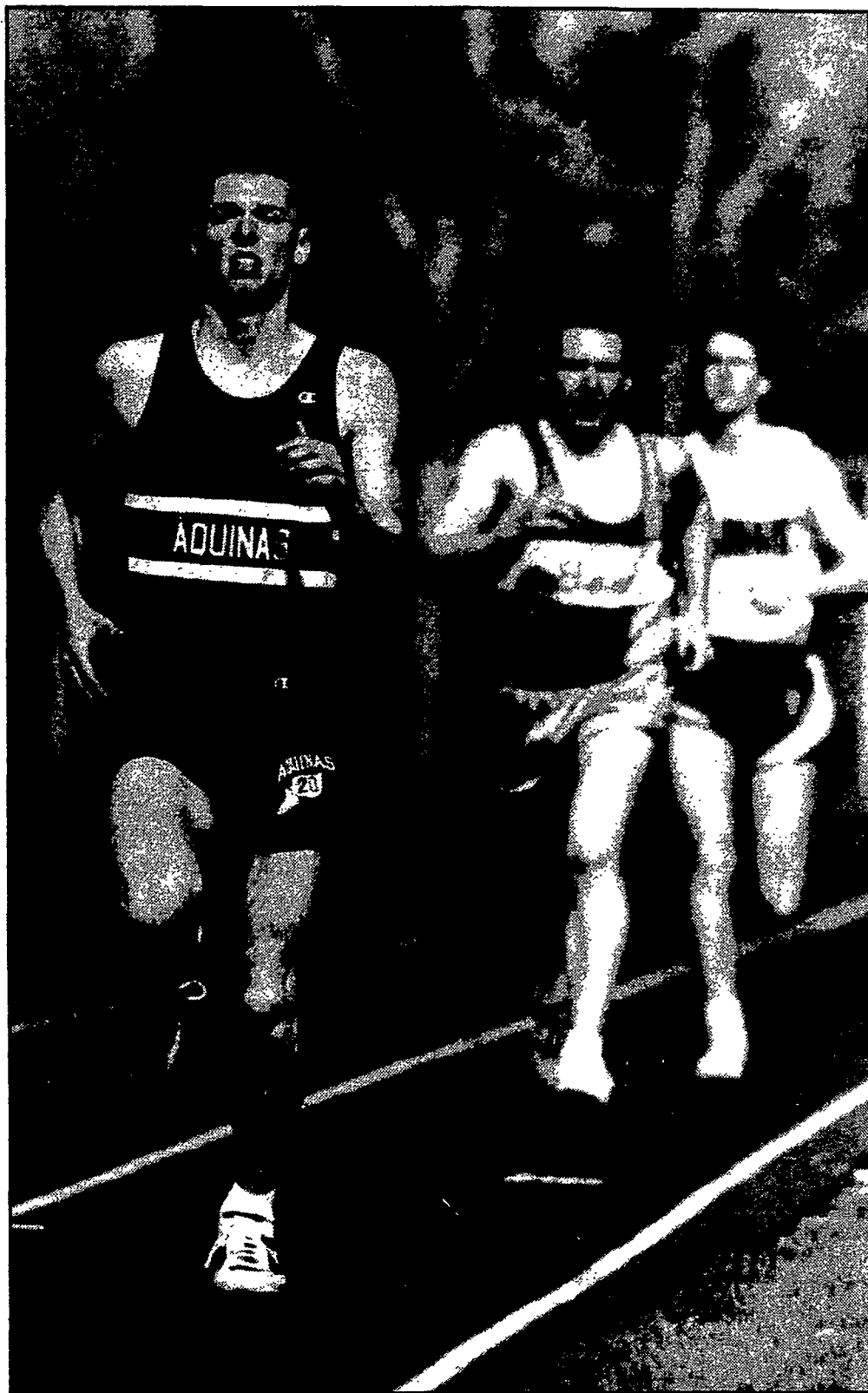
For ticket information, call Tony Liccione at 716/964-3077.

Fundraiser scheduled at Williamson track

WILLIAMSON — Camp Good Days and Special Times, Inc., is seeking participants for its first-ever Walk, Run, Skate, Jog-a-Thon. The event is scheduled for Sunday, May 22, at Apple Valley Speedway.

Participants will collect pledges and walk, run, jog or rollerblade around the half-mile track. All participants will receive a free T-shirt. Those raising \$100 or more in pledges will be eligible for a grand-prize drawing. Proceeds will benefit Camp Good Days and Special Times.

For details, call 716/624-5555.



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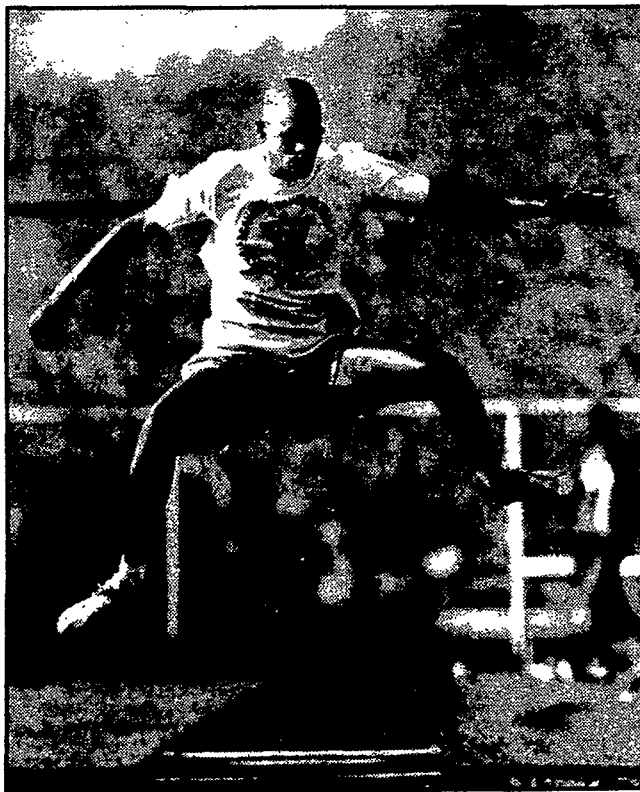
Aquinas Institute senior Shane Eisenman leads the pack in the 1,600-meter run during the City-Catholic meet. Eisenman won the event with a time of 5:00.

Knights

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Completing the DeSales roster are senior Dave Cox (100, 200); junior Steve Mahoney (400, 3,200); sophomore Matt Woodhams (shot put); freshman Mike Hezel (100, 200); sophomore Jeff Morrow (400, 800); junior Dan Anderson (1,600); and senior Scott Bailey (shot put).

Bishop Kearney's Richard Cannon soars through the air while competing in the triple jump during the May 4 meet at McQuaid. Cannon also performs the high jump for BK.



Mercy

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the fourth to flatten Dundee and up their record to 5-3.

Consecutive victories also pushed the Elmira Notre Dame baseball team above the .500 mark. The Crusaders won 9-3 over visiting Elmira Southside on May 4 and 17-3 over host Addison on May 7, improving to 6-5. Matt Fogarty led ND against Addison with five runs batted in.

Kearney's baseball squad eked out a 3-2 decision over host Aquinas on May 4 as Colin Ribble tossed a four-hitter with 11 strikeouts.

AQ, meanwhile, settled for a double-header split with host Fairport on May 7. The Little Irish picked up an 8-6 win in the nightcap after falling 7-2 in the first game. Coach Richard Pillitter was coming off a milestone victory the previous week, having achieved career win No. 300 with a 13-4 decision over Marshall on April 29.

Stephanie Renica's two-run triple was the big blow in AQ's 9-5 softball win over Mercy on May 7. The Irish also won 10-5 over visiting Marshall on May 2 and 17-8 over host H-A-C on May 3.

Nazareth cruised to a 10-1 softball triumph over host East on May 5 behind a three-hitter from Jennifer Massare. Elizabeth Bess added a solo home run and three RBIs.

The McQuaid golf team upped its record to 10-0 by winning 26-10 over Marshall, 26-10 over Wilson and 23 1/2-12 1/2 over East on May 4 at Genesee Valley Golf Course.

In lacrosse, McQuaid scored a 17-6 win over host Aquinas on May 2 behind four-goal performances from Mike Kehoe and Chris Schiller.

Kearney earned two home lacrosse wins in as many days, both by 6-4 scores. The Kings defeated Bloomfield on May 2 and Newark on May 3, with goalie Sean McNamara making 18 saves in each game.

The AQ lacrosse team received a one-goal, five-assist effort from Doug Crowley in a 10-4 win over host Elmira Notre Dame on May 7.

In girls' track, Mercy's Melanie Heeder was her team's top finisher at the His and Her Invitational held May 7 at Canandaigua. Heeder placed third in the triple jump.

Nazareth recorded a 78-49 girls' track win over Aquinas on May 4 at Mercy. Damara Brown, Rajeene Rainey and Carolyn Courtright were all double winners for the Lasers that day.

In boys' tennis, Kearney won 3-2 over visiting East on May 3 and 5-0 over host Midlakes on May 4. McQuaid blanked Wilson by a 7-0 count on May 5 at Genesee Valley Park, and Aquinas was a 3-0 winner over visiting Franklin on May 3.

Although they did not come up victorious, some noteworthy efforts were turned in last week by the DeSales baseball and Elmira Notre Dame softball squads. DeSales' Jayson Lamson pitched seven shutout innings before his Saints suffered a 3-0 loss in eight innings to visiting Dundee on May 5, and Notre Dame pulled off a triple play in the sixth inning of a 4-1 loss to host Edison on May 7.

Wandtke ends solid year in Division II basketball

BURLINGTON, VT. — Jay Wandtke, a 1993 McQuaid Jesuit High School graduate, recently completed a successful freshman season with the St. Michael's College basketball team.

Wandtke earned a starting role at center by season's end. In his eight games as starter, he averaged 13.0 points and 7.4 rebounds. Wandtke's efforts helped St. Michael's, an NCAA Division II school, to an overall record of 15-13.



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