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Varsity Boys Track & Field

Palo Alto 66, Los Altos 61

Date of competition: Thursday, April 24, 2014

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With sophomore Eli Givens winning three individual events and running a leg on the winning 400 relay, the Palo Alto boys won their first SCVAL De Anza Division dual meet of the track and field season with a 66-61 triumph over host Los Altos on Thursday. Givens took the 100 (11.19), edged teammate Nick Sullivan in the 200 (both clocked 22.40) and won the long jump (20-1) as the Vikings (1-4) held off the Eagles. Freshman Kent Slaney swept the 1,600 and 3,200, getting under 10 minutes in the metric two-miler with a solid 9:58.87. The meet came down to the final 1,600 relay, with Palo Alto running away with the victory in 3:26.54, just off their season best (3:26.40) that ranks No. 3 in the Central Coast Section this season.

SCVAL De Anza Division Palo Alto 66, at Los Altos 61

All races in meters

400 relay - Palo Alto 43.47

1,600 - Slaney (Paly) 4:40.79

110 HH - Yeager (Los Altos) 16.78

400 - N. Sullivan (Paly) 49.20

100 - Givens (Paly) 11.19

800 - Niemiec (Los Altos) 2:03.18; 2, Hansen (Paly) 2:03.30

300 IH - McConnell (Los Altos) 41.22

200 - Givens (Paly) 22.40; 2, N. Sullivan (Paly) 22.40

3,200 - Slaney (Paly) 9:58.87

1,600 relay - Palo Alto 3:26.54

High jump - Yeager (Los Altos) 6-1

Shot put - McConnell (Los Altos) 38-8

Discus - Fakalolo (Los Altos) 125-7

Long jump - Givens (Paly) 20-1

Triple jump - Yeager (Los Altos) 43-9

Records: Palo Alto 1-4

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