

Sports Beat

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pieces to a state championship puzzle as early as March.

"We were third in the county and conference meets," he said. "Some people kinda forgot about us. But the county meet doesn't mean a whole lot if they're at home eating at Hardee's while we're winning the state championship."

"I really feel good for the school. We're only 2 years old and we're striving for our identity against the Pages and Grimsleys of the world. Track is a good place to showcase athletes and we feel we've really got some good coaches."

Like senior middle-distance man Jimmy Scott, who won his second individual state title in three years by capturing the 800. Scott, running with a bone chip, pulled away from the field, winning by seven-tenths of a second over Grimsley's Pat Godwin, who had beaten Scott in the Winston-Salem State Invitational. Scott's 1:52.20 was submitted as an all-America time.

In the 4x200 relay, Whicker put together his best athletes in Mario Patterson, Brian Johnson, Phillip Smith and Jones. It was Smith who put the Bobcats in

position to win after a couple of shaky handoffs. He took the lead in the curve and the Bobcats had their first win of the evening at the expense of runner-up West Forsyth, which earned its first points in the state meet since 1976.

Smith, a senior headed for Appalachian State, managed a third in the 400 behind Grimsley's Keith Malone and Hillside's Doremus Brewer.

The rest of meet went according to Whicker's plan.

Hillside Coach Russell Blount felt the outcome might have been

different if the Hornets' 4x400 relay team had been in the meet. It had been disqualified in the East Regionals the week before.

Yet, Glenn's 4x400 team also wasn't involved in the state meet because Smith had suffered a cramp in the anchor leg at the West Regionals.

So perhaps Hillside would have won by a single point. Or Glenn would have won by three points.

But the point was that Glenn, the new kid on the block, had even been in the contest with one

of the old dogs. And the the Bobcats had come away winners.

Somehow, Whicker and Butler held their emotions until Jones nipped Fike's Rogers for the 200 win.

"I've never worked with a more disciplined and deserving group of athletes," said Butler, a former two-sport star at Anderson. "This is the most pleasurable thing I've ever been associated with. In 15 years of

coaching, this is the highlight of my career."

Butler knew this night would somehow bring sweet music. Based on his football and basketball exploits at Anderson, he was a nominee for the Winston-Salem/Forsyth County High School of Fame, which was convening back at the Hyatt Hotel in Winston-Salem. Butler was not chosen this year, but he'll never forget this night anyway.

Local Sports

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regular season with a 4-1 win over the Racketeers in Volvo 3.5 League play last Saturday.

The team was awaiting a bid to the state tournament, which will be held in Asheville June 21-22. A decision was forthcoming Wednesday, according to League Chairman Adam Warner.

Other scores from last Saturday: Top Spinners d. Light Mode 3-2; Racquettes d. Mocksville 4-1; and Our Ad d. Lobbers 4-1.

Carver Loses

Reidsville built a big lead and held on to eliminate Carver from the NCHSAA 3-A/4-A softball playoffs last Wednesday.

The Lady Rams built an 8-1

lead before Carver rallied for a five-run fifth inning. Latissa Peebles, Betsy Whicker, Jonny Hilton, Tanya Cavanaugh and Donna Grubbs had key hits in the inning for the Lady Yellow Jackets.

Carver, which finished the season with a 16-5 record, loaded the bases in the seventh inning, but could not score.

AAU Trip

The Twice As Nice All-Stars, state 19-and-under champions, will play in the AAU Zone Tournament June 13-15 in Ocala, Fla.

In preparation for the tourney, the team has been practicing at

Atkins Middle School gym against former Wake Forest standouts Alvis Rogers and Delaney Radd.

Forward Jeff Denny, the North Carolina recruit, has been out of action with strained ligaments in his leg and is expected to have a cast removed this week.

Rodney Scott, a rising senior at North Forsyth, may have to miss the Zone Tournament because he has a prior commitment to the UNC basketball camp.

Erving To Appear

Julius "Dr. J" Erving will appear at the sixth annual

Harambee Festival in Kinston June 20-21.

The opening reception honoring Erving will begin at 6 p.m. on Friday June 20 at the Black Artists' Guild Gallery. It is located at 100 S. Adkin St. in Kinston. An awards banquet follows at 8 p.m. at King's Restaurant on U.S. 70-East. Erving will be guest speaker and present awards.

The Saturday program opens at noon at Hi-Dollar Warehouse on U.S. 258-South. Erving will present trophies to winners of a One-on-One basketball competition and sign autographs.

Harambee is eastern North Carolina's leading Afro-American cultural arts festival. Artists and patrons from Alabama to Massachusetts will take part in the festivities.

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College Notebook

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that perspective, Rey Quinonez had 50 errors two years ago when he played for the Winston-Salem Red Sox. Quinonez is the best infield prospect in the Bosox system. Is Ernie Shore Field's infield the Carolina League equivalent to Candlestick Park's unpredictable infield?

Young Champion

Alabama A&M's Dannette Young approached a record held by Jesse Owens as she won her fifth and sixth NCAA track and field titles last week in Los Angeles.

Owens won eight individual championships at Ohio State in 1935 and '36.

Young, a senior, won the 100- and 200-meter dashes at the Division II meet at Cal State-Los



Dannette Young

Angeles. She has won the events each of the last three years.

The Jacksonville, Fla., product also ran the anchor leg of A&M's

winning 4x100 relay. Hampton was third in that race.

Young, who has a total of 13 all-America honors to her name, helped A&M to a third-place finish behind first-place Abilene Christian and second-place Cal Poly-San Luis Obispo. Hampton finished fourth.

St. Augustine's hurdler Pat Davis won the 100-meter hurdles in 13.20 seconds.

Abilene Christian also took the men's championship.

Young decided not to run in the Division I meet, but will compete in the Goodwill Games in July.

Funerals

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Graves and Alma Holden, both of Winston-Salem; nine grandchildren; three great-grandchildren and other relatives.

Funeral services were held at 1:30 p.m. on Sunday, May 25, at Emmanuel Baptist Church, with the Rev. John Mendez officiating. Burial followed in the Evergreen Cemetery. Hooper Funeral Directors was in charge of the funeral arrangements.

WILLIE MAE COOPER

Willie Mae Cooper, 72, of 602 E. 16th St. died Saturday, May 10, at Pell Care Nursing Home. She was a native of Newberry County, S.C., and had lived in Winston-Salem for 45 years.

Mrs. Cooper was a member of St. James AME Church, where she was a member of the Missionary Society. She is survived by 15 grandchildren; 35 great-grandchildren; three sisters, Annie G. Cooper, Irene Terry and Virginia Robinson, all of Winston-Salem; one sister-in-law, Ida Cooper of Winston-Salem; several nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.

Funeral services were held on Friday, May 16, at St. James AME Church, with the Rev. Philip R. Cousin Jr. officiating. Burial followed in the Evergreen Cemetery. Russell Funeral Directors was in charge of the funeral arrangements.

WILLIE LEON DAVIS

Willie Leon Davis, 73, of Meadowbrook Manor in Clemmons (formerly of 3390 Big Woods Road) died Monday, May 5, at Forsyth Memorial Hospital. He was a native of Forsyth County.

Davis was a Baptist. He had lived in Detroit for 40 years and was a retired employee of Ford Motor Co. Davis returned to Winston-Salem in 1980 and had lived in Meadowbrook Manor in Clemmons for the past four years. He is survived by his three daughters, Pearlina Howard-Griffin, Katherine D. Joyner and Barbara Hicks, all of Winston-Salem; two sisters, Margaret Chisholm and Mattie Chisholm Wilson, both of Winston-Salem; four grandchildren, Carolyn Howard of Winston-Salem, Thomas Howard Jr. of Philadelphia, Joy Joyner and Leonard B. Davis, both of Winston-Salem; a great-granddaughter, Katree Howard of Winston-Salem; three sons-in-law, Thomas Griffin, Harrison Joyner and Rickey Hicks; many other relatives and friends.

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