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2007 OUTDOOR TRACK & FIELD

OLIVER NIKOLOFF INVITATIONAL

MEET FACTS

Meet 5

Date: Sat., April 7, 2007

Time: 11 a.m.

Host: University of Cincinnati

Site: Gettler Stadium
Cincinnati, Ohio

Teams: Ashland, Bowling Green, Central State,
Cincinnati, Dayton, Defiance, Eastern
Kentucky, Flndlay, Indianapolis, IPFW,
Kent State, Kentucky State, Morehead
State, Northern Kentucky, Union College,
Wright State, Xavier

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IN THE STARTING BLOCKS:

The University of Cincinnati track and field teams will welcome 16 teams to Gettler Stadium on Saturday, April 7, as they host the third annual Oliver Nikoloff Invitational. UC is coming off its fourth straight Southern Ohio Cup title last week and plays host to its second meet of the season.

BEARCAT BITES:

- UC is in its second season of competition in the BIG EAST Conference in 2007. The Bearcat men finished fifth at the 2007 BIG EAST Championships, while the women placed 13th. The conference features 16 men's and women's track & field teams, constituting the largest league in the nation. The 2006 BIG EAST Championships will be held on May 4-6 at the University of Connecticut's George J. Sherman Family Sports Complex.
- The UC indoor track and field team finished 10th at the 2007 BIG EAST Indoor Championships.
- The Bearcats appear three times in the national rankings. Ashley Wilhelm is currently fourth in the nation in the heptathlon (5515), while ranking 12th in the country in the long jump (20' 2"). Renee Hein is the 17th-ranked high jumper in the nation with a 5' 10-1/2" clearance.
- Seniors Ashley Wilhelm (long jump, heptathlon, javelin) and Shintara Carpenter (triple jump) and juniors Brittany Klima (pole vault) and Monica Hundley (100 hurdles) are current school record holders.
- Head men's coach Bill Schnier is in his 27th season at Cincinnati in such a capacity. Head women's coach Jim Schnur is in his 23rd year at Cincinnati and his seventh as head coach.

2007 SCHEDULE/RESULTS

March

Sat. 17	EARLY BIRD RELAYS	M: 1st
	GETTLER STADIUM	W: 1st
Thu. 22-	at Alabama Relays	No Team
Fri. 23	Tuscaloosa, Ala.	Scores
Sat. 24	at Springtime Invitational	No Team
	Auburn, Ala.	Scores
Sat. 31	at Southern Ohio Cup	1st
	Athens, Ohio	

APRIL

Sat. 7	OLIVER NIKOLOFF INVITE	11 a.m.
	GETTLER STADIUM	
Sat. 14	at Miami Invitational	All Day
	Oxford, Ohio	
Fri. 20-	ALL-OHIO CHAMPIONSHIPS	All Day
Sat. 21	GETTLER STADIUM	
Fri. 27-	at Drake Relays	All Day
Sat. 28	Des Moines, Iowa	

May

Fri. 4-	at BIG EAST Championships	All Day
Sun. 6	Storrs, Conn.	
Sat. 12	at Ohio River Challenge	All Day
	Louisville, Ky.	
Fri. 25-	at NCAA Mid-East Regional	All Day
Sat. 26	Columbia, Mo.	

June

Wed. 6-	at NCAA Championships	All Day
Sat. 9	Sacramento, Calif.	

Home meets in **BOLD CAPS**

LAST TIME OUT:

The UC track teams both finished second, but the combined scores were enough to capture the school's fourth straight Southern Ohio Cup on March 31 at Goldsberry Track. The Bearcats combined for 281.50 points (Men - 142.50, Women - 139) to win the 12th annual tri-meet between UC, Miami and Ohio. Monica Hundley and Brittany Klima set school records on the victorious afternoon. Hundley won the 100 hurdles, crossing the finish line in 14.09, while Klima cleared 12' 6", tying for first. The men captured three event titles, including the 4x400 relay (3:19.54). Brandon Wright won the 400 hurdles in 56.56, while Ryan Flynn captured the shot put title with a season-best 52' 9-1/4" heave. Isaac Hendricks won the 110 hurdles in 15.05. The women were led by Hundley and Klima, but also received winning performances from Betsy Jacobs in the 800 meters (2:18.71), Renee Hein in the high jump (5' 8-3/4"), and Ashley Wilhelm in the long jump (19' 7-1/2"). The Bearcats have won the last four Southern Ohio Cups and five of the last six.

2006 OLIVER NIKOLOFF INVITATIONAL:

The UC men's team defended its title at the second annual Oliver Nikoloff Invitational on April 1, 2006, at Gettler Stadium. The Bearcats outscored second-place Louisville, 183-156, to secure the team victory. The UC women scored 155.50 points, placing second behind Eastern Michigan. For the men, freshman Antione Drakeford won his second 400 meter dash title of the season in 47.80. UC also swept the 4x100 and 4x400 relays. Justin Conway, Cedric Powell, Bob Kandell and John Bowie ran a 40.91 in winning the 4x100, while Drakeford, Powell, Kandell and

Lonnie Irving combined to win the 4x400 in 3:14.21. Senior Dan Albrinck cleared 15' 7" in the pole vault to win the title.

On the women's side, sophomore Brittany Klima won the pole vault, clearing 11' 11-3/4". Junior Renee Hein, the UC record holder in the javelin, won the event with a 104' 3" heave. The 4x100 relay squad, featuring Jasmine Smith, Monica Hundley, Dennale Speakman and Erin Leeper, finished first in 47.61.

WILHELM QUALIFIES FOR NCAA:

Senior Ashley Wilhelm met the NCAA automatic qualifying mark in the heptathlon, scoring 5515 points at the Alabama Relays and shattering her own school record by nearly 300 points. Within the heptathlon, she broke another pair of school records, topping her own mark in the long jump with a 20' 2" leap and bettering Renee Hein's javelin record with a 133' 11-3/4" heave. She qualified for NCAA Mid-East Regional competition in the long jump and has qualified for the BIG EAST Championships in five events.

HUNDLEY HOLDS A PAIR:

Junior Monica Hundley has made a habit of putting her name in the UC record books. During the 2007 indoor season, she set the school mark in the 60 meter hurdles (8.72). Last week at the Southern Ohio Cup, she added the 100 meter hurdles to her list, speeding to a 14.09 finish and a second school record.

DEPTH LEADS MEN'S SQUAD:

As has been the case for much of the Bill Schnier tenure at UC, the men's team relies on a deep pool of talent in each event to secure team victories. With just one NCAA regional qualifier and no current school record holders (save parts of last year's 4x100 relay team), the Bearcats use a bevy of finishers to outscore opponents. The results are hard to argue: two wins in two scored meets this season.

BEARCATS TO HOST THREE MEETS IN 2007:

UC will play host to three track meets at Gettler Stadium during the 2007 season. On March 17, Cincinnati's men and women both captured Early Bird Relays titles. The third annual Oliver Nikoloff Invitational will be held on April 7. The All-Ohio Championships, which attracts the finest competition in the state, will take place at Gettler Stadium on April 20-21, the first time UC has hosted the meet.

UP NEXT:

The Bearcats will head to Oxford, Ohio for the Miami Invitational on April 14 before returning to Gettler Stadium to host the All-Ohio Championships on April 20-21.

2007 BIG EAST QUALIFYING MARKS

Event	Men	Women
100 Meters	11.10	12.30
200 Meters	22.18	
400 Meters	49.04	25.04
800 Meters	1:53.64	2:13.14
1500 Meters	3:55.24	4:38.44
3000 Steeplechase	9:34.24	11:30.24
5000 Meters	14:50.14	17:53.34
10000 Meters	31:06.24	37:37.64
110/100 Hurdles	15.35	14.84
400 Hurdles	55.64	1:04.14
High Jump	6' 3-1/4"	5' 4-1/4"
Pole Vault	14' 9"	11' 1-3/4"
Long Jump	22' 3-3/4"	18' 1/2"
Triple Jump	43' 10"	37' 0"
Shot Put	48' 0"	41' 0"
Discus	139' 1-1/4"	131' 2-3/4"
Javelin	177' 2"	114' 0"
Hammer Throw	142' 4-1/2"	148' 1/4"

2007 NCAA REGIONAL QUALIFYING MARKS

Event	Men (Auto./Prov.)	Women (A/P)
100 Meters	10.50	11.75
200 Meters	21.19	23.96
400 Meters	47.20	54.61
800 Meters	1:50.40	2:09.80
1500 Meters	3:47.80	4:27.80
3000 Steeplechase	9:07.00	10:50.25
5000 Meters	14:12.00	16:52.00
10000 Meters	28:45.00/29:30.00	33:30.00/35:00.00
110/100 Hurdles	14.30	13.92
400 Hurdles	52.51	1:00.82
4x100 Relay	40.66	45.70
4x400 Relay	3:10.00	3:42.00
High Jump	6' 10-3/4"	5' 8-3/4"
Pole Vault	16' 6-3/4"	12' 5-1/2"
Long Jump	24' 1"	19' 8-1/4"
Triple Jump	49' 2-1/2"	40' 5"
Shot Put	55' 1-1/4"	46' 11"
Discus	169' 7-1/2"	155' 2-1/4"
Javelin	202' 1-1/4"	142' 6-1/2"
Hammer Throw	182' 5"	177' 7-3/4"
Decathlon/Heptathlon	7500/6900	5500/5050

UC EVENT CHAMPS

MEN

John Dixon	5000 meters	EBR
Ryan Flynn	Shot Put	EBR
Ryan Flynn	Shot Put	SOC
Bryan Hardesty	Discus	EBR
Isaac Hendricks	110 hurdles	SOC
Dayo Igeleke	100 meters	EBR
Dayo Igeleke	200 meters	EBR
Ian Jarman	Hammer	EBR
Bob Kandell	400 meters	EBR
Bob Kandell	Long Jump	EBR
Solomon Kessio	1500 meters	EBR
Jared Martin	400 hurdles	EBR
Kevin Schwarz	3000 steeple	SI
Andrew Smith	High Jump	EBR
Zach Webb	800 meters	EBR
Brandon Wright	400 hurdles	SOC
4x100 Relay		EBR
4x400 Relay		EBR
4x400 Relay		SOC

WOMEN

Shintara Carpenter	Triple Jump	EBR
Renee Hein	High Jump	EBR
Renee Hein	Javelin	EBR
Renee Hein	High Jump	SOC
Monica Hundley	100 meters	EBR
Monica Hundley	100 hurdles	EBR
Monica Hundley	100 hurdles	SOC
Jammie Jackson	400 meters	EBR
Betsy Jacobs	800 meters	EBR
Betsy Jacobs	800 meters	SOC
Brittany Klima	Pole Vault	EBR
Brittany Klima	Pole Vault	SOC
Lisa Klotz	Shot Put	EBR
Jenni Schmitmeyer	Discus	EBR
Ashley Wilhelm	Heptathlon	AR
Ashley Wilhelm	Long Jump	EBR
Ashley Wilhelm	Long Jump	SOC
4x100 Relay		EBR
4x400 Relay		EBR

Key: EBR - Early Bird Relays (3/17); AR - Alabama Relays (3/22-23); SI - Springtime Invitational (3/24); SOC - Southern Ohio Cup (3/31)

BIG EAST QUALIFIERS

MEN

David Adams	3000 steeple	
Caleb Arthur	100, LJ	
Ryan Beltz		HJ
Sam Benjamin	100	
Anthony Busellato		HJ
Brandon Fitch		HJ
Ryan Flynn	HT, SP	
Caleb Gaus		LJ
Chad Hanson	Disc, HT	
Bryan Hardesty		Disc
Isaac Hendricks	100, 110h	
Dayo Igeleke	100, 200	
Ian Jarman		HT
Bob Kandell	400, LJ	
Rick King	3000 steeple	
Troy Lammers	110h, 400h	
Jared Martin	400h	
Scott Maze	110h	
Kevin Schwarz	3000 steeple	
Andrew Smith		HJ
Kasey Waaland	110h	
Brandon Wright	110h	

WOMEN

Krystal Barnhill	SP	
Melissa Brankamp		HJ
Shintara Carpenter		TJ
Jasmine Cotten	HJ, LJ	
Dominique Davis	400	
Renee Hein	HJ, Jav	
Monica Hundley	100, 100h	
Brittany Klima	PV, HJ	
Lisa Klotz	SP, Jav	
Tara Meier	PV	
Jenni Schmitmeyer		Disc
Sharika Thompson	400h	
Ashley Wilhelm	100h, HJ, Jav, LJ, PV	

NCAA REGIONAL QUALIFIERS

MEN

Ian Jarman	Hammer Throw
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WOMEN

Renee Hein	High Jump
Brittany Klima	Pole Vault
Ashley Wilhelm	Heptathlon*
Ashley Wilhelm	Long Jump

* NCAA Automatic Qualifier

MEN'S OUTDOOR RECORDS

100 Meters	Garry Cutright	10.36	2002
200 Meters	Kenny Wade	20.07	2004
400 Meters	Jeff Walker	46.42	1979
800 Meters	Lewis Johnson	1:47.00	1987
1,500 Meters	Jeff Johnson	3:44.93	1983
3,000 Meter Steeplechase....	Chad Disbennett	8:50.26	1996
5,000 Meters	Ron Stapleton	14:23.28	1972
10,000 Meters	Chris Reis	30:28.67	2001
110 Meter High Hurdles	David Payne	13.42	2004
400 Meter Hurdles	David Payne	51.16	2004
4x100 Meter Relay	Conway, Powell, Kandell, Bowie	40.08	2006
4x400 Meter Relay	Hill, L. Johnson, R. Johnson, Pittman	3:09.93	1985
4x800 Meter Relay	Mock, Udovic, Roberts, Calloway	7:28.54	1969
Sprint Medley Relay	Swann, Trimble, Elliot, L. Johnson	3:16.44	1987
Distance Medley Relay	Wiesman, Tolliver, Valentine, J. Johnson	9:44.84	1984
High Jump	Rodney Johnson	7' 3"	1983
Pole Vault	Mike Albrinck	17' 9-3/4"	1994
Long Jump	Al Lanier	26' 4-1/2"	1973
Triple Jump	Al Lanier	53' 6-1/2"	1973
Shot Put	Greg Weber	57' 5"	1983
Discus	Greg Weber	180' 10"	1983
Hammer	Richard Hurst	200' 8"	1991
Javelin	Bob Brickweg	200' 1"	1967
Decathlon	Chris Wineberg	7,584	2004

WOMEN'S OUTDOOR RECORDS

100 Meters	Charlyn Ray	11.68	2000
200 Meters	Charlyn Ray	23.37	2002
400 Meters	Mary Danner	53.30	2002
800 Meters	Mandy McCumber	2:11.24	2000
1,500 Meters	Angie Kist	4:31.18	2002
3,000 Meter Steeplechase....	Mary Loebker	10:03.94	1989
5,000 Meters	P.J. Ball	17:05.54	2001
10,000 Meters	Ruth Limo	35:59.36	2003
100 Meter High Hurdles	Monica Hundley	14.09	2007
400 Meter Hurdles	Amanda Klug	1:00.43	2003
4x100 Meter Relay	Valldeperas, Kellon, Dunbar, Ray	45.92	2002
4x400 Meter Relay	Brent, Shipman, Leeper, Jackson	3:44.53	2004
4x800 Meter Relay	Lackey, Bosse, Nelson, DiSalvo	9:10.72	1998
Sprint Medley Relay	Ray, Dunbar, Danner, McCumber	3:57.48	2000
Distance Medley Relay	Toulissova, Danner, Bosse, Kist	11:59.12	1999
High Jump	Celeste Cofield	5' 11"	2000
Pole Vault	Brittany Klima	12' 6"	2007
Long Jump	Ashley Wilhelm	20' 2"	2007
Triple Jump	Shintara Carpenter	40' 3"	2003
Shot Put	Jo Young	51' 6-1/2"	2005
Discus	Kelly Krupa	159' 4"	1999
Hammer	Jo Young	183' 0"	2005
Javelin	Ashley Wilhelm	133' 11-3/4"	2007
Heptathlon	Ashley Wilhelm	5,515	2007