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**IOWA TRACK & FIELD**

**HAWKEYES GET 12 QUALIFIERS AT MUSCO TWILIGHT VIII**

**IOWA CITY, IA** – The University of Iowa hosted competitors from Drake, Iowa State, Marquette, Minnesota and the University of Wisconsin-La Crosse today in the Musco Twilight VIII track meet under sunny skies at the Francis X. Cretzmeier Track. The Hawkeyes were successful in qualifying 12 athletes for the NCAA Regional Meet to be held May 26-27 in Austin, TX.

Junior **Tiffany Johnson** set a new school record in the triple jump with a distance of 41-3.25. That mark is also a new Musco Twilight meet record and qualifies her for the NCAA regional meet. Sophomore **Kineke Alexander** qualified in the 200 meters when she finished first in 23.58, which is just .08 seconds off the school record time. Junior **Peaches Roach** won the 100 meters and also qualified with a season-best time of 11.71.

“I’m very pleased with the turnout and performances today,” said Iowa women’s Head Coach **James Grant**. “I feel good going into the Drake Relays next week, the squad is pretty healthy right now and both relays are at full strength.”

On the men’s side, senior **Tim Brodersen** improved his NCAA regional qualifying mark in the discus with a season-best toss of 187-9. Freshman **A.J. Curtis** and sophomore **Shane Maier** also regionally qualified in the discus with personal best tosses of 173-11 and 171-2, respectively. Maier and Curtis are also going to the NCAA regional meet in the shot put; Maier won the event with a throw of 59-0.75. Hawkeye freshman **John Hickey** also qualified in the shot put with a personal best mark of 58-1.

Sophomore **Matty Gorman** won the long jump with a regional qualifying distance of 24-3 and junior **Adam Hamilton** is going to the NCAA meet in the hammer throw (218-1). Senior **Tony Rakaric** qualified in 3,000-meter steeplechase with a season best time of 9:06.46. Senior **Dan Haut** set a new Musco meet record in the 3,000 meters when he crossed the finish line in 8:17.52.

“Today was a good meet for us with many regional qualifying marks qualifying and personal bests. The meet was a good tune-up for the Big Tens and the Drake Relays,” said Hawkeye men’s skipper **Larry Wiecek**. “I’ve been telling our team that we’re heading into one of the best meets in the world next weekend. It will be a very exciting meet in a newly renovated stadium and it’s almost like a home meet for us.”

Iowa will send several Hawkeyes to compete in next week’s Drake Relays, April 27-29. The men’s and women’s teams will then head to East Lansing, MI, for the 2006 Big Ten Outdoor Championships May 12-14.

**WOMEN’S MEET RESULTS**

**100 Meters**

**1. Peaches Roach (Iowa) 11.71**

**100-Meter Hurdles**

**1. Kasey McDaniel (Drake) 13.64**

**200 Meters**

**1. Kineke Alexander (Iowa) 23.58**

**400 Meters**

**1. Heather Dorniden (Minnesota) 54.53**

**3. Lindsey McCalla (Iowa) 56.84**

**400-Meter Hurdles**

**1. Gina Dare (Minnesota) 1:01.96**

**3. Aditya Jones (Iowa) 1:03.81**

**800 Meters**

**1. Jamie Cheever (Minnesota) 2:08.89**

**7. Monica Mims (Iowa) 2:18.04**

**1,500 Meters (‘A’ Section)**

**1. Ladia Albertson-Junka (Minn.) 4:32.68**

**3. Shannon Stanley (Iowa) 4:35.38**

**5. Nikki Chapple (Iowa) 4:38.04**

**10. Jennie Docherty (Iowa) 4:48.01**

**12. Jessica Schmidt (Iowa) 4:51.70**

**16. Allison Billhardt (Iowa) 4:54.99**

**20. Brittany Graham (Iowa) 5:16.70**

**3,000-Meter Steeplechase**

**1. Emily Brown (Minnesota) 10:16.71**





**3,000 Meters**

1. Michaela Courtney (Marquette) 9:27.33
2. **Meghan Armstrong (Iowa) 9:28.03**
3. **Krista Anderson (Iowa) 9:45.65**
5. **Racheal Marchand (Iowa) 10:01.49**
11. **Rachel Hawks (Iowa) 11:10.44**

**400-Meter Relay**

1. **Iowa 'A' 46.96**  
(Johnson, Alexander, Kerr, Roach)

**1,600-Meter Relay**

1. Minnesota 3:45.01
2. **Iowa 'A' 3:49.06**  
(Jones, McCalla, Mims, Johnson)

**Discus**

1. Liz Podominick (Minnesota) 170-9
7. **Holly Joens (Iowa) 120-1**

**Hammer Throw**

1. Nina Cotelupenco (Minnesota) 185-9
4. **Becca Franklin (Iowa) 173-1**
7. **Erin O'Hern (Iowa) 166-0**

**MEN'S MEET RESULTS**

**100 Meters**

1. Lamont Johnson (Unattached) 10.60
2. **David Chaplin (Iowa) 10.69**
3. **Max Milder (Iowa) 10.81**

**110-Meter Hurdles**

1. Derek Johnson (Drake) 14.21

**200 Meters**

1. Aaron Buzard (Minnesota) 21.19
3. **David Chaplin (Iowa) 21.28**
6. **Max Milder (Iowa) 21.97**

**400 Meters**

1. Jared Graham (Unattached) 47.20
2. **Prince Riley (Iowa) 47.71**
3. **David Pierre (Iowa) 48.14**
12. **Jason Nolting (Iowa) 50.20**
13. **Cannon Dolan (Iowa) 50.50**

**400-Meter Hurdles**

1. Joe Woody (Unattached) 51.83

**Long Jump**

1. Sarah Nelson (Minnesota) 19-2.5
8. **Tammilee Kerr (Iowa) 16-8.5**

**Pole Vault**

1. Ashley Nord (Minnesota) 12-1.75
3. **Sarah Burgett (Iowa) 12-1.75**

**High Jump**

1. Caitlin Roemhildt (Minnesota) 5-8.75

**Triple Jump**

1. **Tiffany Johnson (Iowa) 41-3.25**

**Shot Put**

1. Liz Podominick (Minnesota) 51-5.5
6. **Mandy Chandler (Iowa) 42-3.25**

**Javelin**

1. Ruby Radocaj (Minnesota) 155-1
5. **Tammilee Kerr (Iowa) 118-8**

**800 Meters**

1. David Rotich (Iowa State) 1:50.78
5. **Matt O'Hollearn (Iowa) 1:53.56**
9. **Davis Linden (Iowa) 1:55.48**
15. **Jason Wakenight (Iowa) 1:59.08**
16. **Daniel Peoples (Iowa) 1:59.14**
17. **Mike Stout (Iowa) 2:00.23**

**1,500 Meters**

1. Dan Taylor (ISU) 3:53.39
2. **Micah VanDenend (Iowa) 3:54.36**
3. **Eric MacTaggart (Iowa) 3:58.08**
7. **Alex Webster (Iowa) 3:59.70**
9. **Jeff Kent (Iowa) 4:01.96**
12. **Heath Moenck (Iowa) 4:03.69**
15. **Blake Schlotzhauer (Iowa) 4:05.25**

**3,000 Meters**

1. **Dan Haut (Iowa) 8:17.52**
2. **Matt Esche (Iowa) 8:19.99**





**3,000-Meter Steeplechase**

1. Brent Des Roches (Marquette) 9:04.65
2. **Tony Rakaric (Iowa) 9:06.46**

**400-Meter Relay**

1. Unattached 40.71
3. **Iowa 'A' 41.11**  
(Midler, Chaplin, Pierre, Gorman)

**1,600-Meter Relay**

1. Wisconsin-LaCrosse 'A' 3:10.38
4. **Iowa 'A' 3:14.46**  
(Chaplin, Pierre, Riley, O'Hollearn)
8. **Iowa 'B' 3:18.19**  
(Milder, Nolting, Dolan, Peoples)

**Discus**

1. Chase Madison (Iowa State) 188-7
2. **Tim Brodersen (Iowa) 187-9**
3. **A.J. Curtis (Iowa) 173-11**
4. **Shane Maier (Iowa) 171-2**
10. **Clint Huntrods (Iowa) 155-1**

**Hammer**

1. **Adam Hamilton (Iowa) 218-1**
3. **Tim Brodersen (Iowa) 180-6**
7. **Mark Schaapveld (Iowa) 173-9**
8. **Ryan Jordan (Iowa) 173-1**
11. **Kale Katt (Iowa) 155-4**

**Long Jump**

1. **Matty Gorman (Iowa) 24-3**

**Pole Vault**

1. Matt Novak (Wis.-LaCrosse) 17-2.75
5. **Jeff Raymond (Iowa) 15-7**

**High Jump**

1. Kevin Netzer (Minnesota) 7-0.25
4. **Jeremy Petsche (Iowa) 6-4.75**
6. **Ryan Kelly (Iowa) 6-2.75**

**Triple Jump**

1. Pat Akpaette (Minnesota) 45-1.5

**Shot Put**

1. **Shane Maier (Iowa) 59-0.75**
3. **John Hickey (Iowa) 58-1**
4. **A.J. Curtis (Iowa) 55-11**
8. **Mark Schaapveld (Iowa) 51-0.75**

**Javelin**

1. **Kale Katt (Iowa) 193-11**
3. **Craig Jennings (Iowa) 173-4**

**800 Meters - B Section**

1. Jonathan Otto (UW-La Crosse) 1:56.27

