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with two RBI.  
Moeller received plenty of offense in the second game. She scattered six hits and struck out four without allowing a walk.  
Shane McGrath led the Marlins with four hits and four runs. Bethann Nowak drove in three runs with three hits, and Meghan Erickson was 4-for-4 with one RBI.

On Wednesday, the visiting Marlins also swept a twinbill from league rival Harper Woods Regina, 4-1 and 2-1.

Mercy had two hits apiece from Rachel Geiger and Shayla O'Mara. On the mound, Dziakan limited Regina to three hits while striking out four.  
Fling's two-run double in the sixth inning of the nighttime proved to be the difference. Geiger was 3-for-3, and Wahl added a pair of hits.

Moeller recorded the victory, allowing five hits, fanning three and walking four.

The Marlins won the Mercy Invitational last Saturday by winning all four of their games. The offensive hero was Wahl who was 9-for-11 overall.

In the championship game, Wahl was 2-for-2 with two RBI, helping Mercy edge Milford, 3-2.

Wahl's two-run triple in the bottom of the sixth drove in two runs, which knotted the score at 2-2. She scored the go-ahead run on a single by Geiger.

Dziakan picked up her second win of the day as she allowed five hits, struck out three and walked one.

The Marlins began the day by beating Berkley 6-1. Wahl ripped two hits and Moeller drove in a pair of runs to back the four-hit pitching of Terri Shroeder.

Mercy then beat Clarkston 7-4 as Wahl and Geiger were 2-for-3 with two RBI. Dziakan was the

winning pitcher.  
The Marlins made it three in a row with a 6-5 win over Marine City. Wahl and Moeller were 3-for-3 with two RBI each. Wahl also scored three runs and Moeller two.  
Shroeder recorded her second win of the day, allowing only four hits.

**Raiders make comeback**  
North Farmington rebounded from a disappointing softball loss to Livonia Franklin on Wednesday to whip Westland John Glenn 9-1 Thursday at North.

Mickey Spiz pitched a complete game for the Raiders, striking out six and walking two.  
Both teams had five hits, though North benefited from eight walks and five hit batters. Spiz helped her cause with a 2-for-2 day at the plate and one RBI. She was hit by a pitch twice.

Any Finkel drove in a run with a sacrifice fly, and Kelly Beannack and Kristen Timmer had one RBI each with bases-loaded walks.

Lynn Livorno had the other North hit and walked two times. The Raiders are 1-1 in the Lakes Division, 3-2 in the Western Lakes Activities Association and 5-4 overall.

On Wednesday, the Raiders wasted a 7-3 lead after three innings against Franklin, giving back three runs in the fourth and surrendering four more in the sixth.

Missy Blanton was 4-for-4 with two RBI for the Patriots and Randi Wolfe 3-for-5. Jessica Subdian had two of Franklin's 11 hits.

Kathie Collins was the starting pitcher for North and was replaced by Spiz with nobody out in the fourth.

Spiz took the loss, giving up six hits. She walked two and hit two while striking out and fanned four.  
Collins walked four and fanned four.  
Finkel had three RBI with a bases-loaded double for North. Livorno had two hits, including a double, and scored three runs. Spiz added a hit and one RBI.

In the Mercy Invitational April 20, Collins pitched a no-hitter in a 16-0 rout of Warren Fitzgerald. She had one strikeout and one walk.

The Raiders finished the day 2-2 by defeating Marine City 6-5. Livorno was 4-for-4 and scored three runs. Spiz was the winning pitcher and also had two hits and three RBI.  
North lost its first two games to Clawson (7-4) and Milford (6-4).

**Hawks bury Rockets**  
Farmington Harrison banged out 13 hits and received 12 walks Wednesday as it routed visiting Westland John Glenn, 14-4.

Kristen Koziera picked up the win, as she tossed a two-hitter. She also had a good game at the plate, driving in two runs with three hits.

Amy Roble also had three hits for the Hawks, 2-3 in the WLAA and 3-3 overall.

ARI Ault added two hits and two RBI for the Hawks, who also received two hits and one RBI from Katie Kelly.

Jami Grigal had both Glenn hits for the Rockets (7-5).  
"We were much more aggressive than we were against Northville," Harrison coach Mike Teachman said, adding Kelly set the tone with her aggressive baserunning.

"In the fifth inning, she had a bunt single and dove head-first into the bag," he said. "On a bunt throw, she dove into second and beat the throw. Next, she stole third with a head-first slide."

Holly Foster helped to turn a double play, catching a fly ball in right field and throwing out a runner at home plate.

On Friday, Harrison's game at Walled Lake Western was called off in the first inning due to a doubleheader later this season. Harrison was ahead 4-0.

## WEEK AHEAD

**BASKETBALL**  
Monday, April 29  
Ply. Canton at Farm. Harrison, 4 p.m.  
Liv. Stevenson at W. Farmington, 4 p.m.  
Wednesday, May 1  
W.L. Central at Farm. Harrison, 4 p.m.  
Farmington at W.L. Western, 4 p.m.  
H. Farmington at Liv. Churchville, 4 p.m.  
Friday, May 3  
Farm. Harrison at Liv. Churchville, 4 p.m.  
H. Farmington at Farmington (OH), 4 p.m.

**SOFTBALL**  
Monday, April 29  
Ply. Salem at Farmington, 4 p.m.  
H. Farmington at Liv. Stevenson, 4 p.m.  
Farm. Harrison at Ply. Canton, 4 p.m.  
Thursday, April 30  
River. Richard at Mercy (OH), 4 p.m.  
Wednesday, May 1  
W.L. Western at Farmington, 4 p.m.  
Farm. Harrison at W.L. Central, 4 p.m.  
Liv. Churchville at H. Farmington, 4 p.m.  
Friday, May 3  
Farmington at H. Farmington (OH), 4 p.m.  
Liv. Churchville at Farm. Harrison, 4 p.m.  
Bism. Marian at Farm. Mercy (OH), 4 p.m.

**COLLEGE SOFTBALL**  
Tuesday, April 30  
Oakland CC at Mt. CC, 3:30 p.m.  
Thursday, May 2  
Oakland CC at Delta CC, 3:30 p.m.  
Saturday, May 4  
St. Clair CC at Oakland CC, 1 p.m.

**BOYS SOCCER**  
Monday, April 29  
Northville at H. Farmington, 5:30 p.m.  
W.L. Central at Farm. Harrison, 6:30 p.m.  
Farmington at W.L. Western, 7 p.m.  
Farm. Mercy at Liv. Ladywood, 4 p.m.  
Wednesday, May 1  
Liv. Stevenson at Farmington, 5:30 p.m.  
H. Farmington at Westland Glenn, 4 p.m.  
Farm. Harrison at Northville, 7 p.m.  
H.W. Regina at Farm. Mercy, 4 p.m.  
Friday, May 3  
Farm. Mercy at Delta CC, 4 p.m.  
Saturday, May 4  
H. Farmington at W. Bloomfield, 12:30 p.m.

**BOYS TRACK**  
Thursday, May 2  
Liv. Churchville at Farm. Harrison, 3:30 p.m.  
Farmington at W.L. Central, 3:30 p.m.  
Liv. Stevenson at H. Farmington, 3:30 p.m.  
Saturday, May 4  
Observeland Relay, 3:30 p.m. Churchville

**GIRLS TRACK**  
Thursday, May 2  
W.L. Central at Farmington, 3:30 p.m.  
Farm. Harrison at Liv. Churchville, 3:30 p.m.  
H. Farmington at Liv. Stevenson, 3:30 p.m.  
Saturday, May 4  
Harrison at Algonquin Ridge, 3 p.m.  
Farmington and H. Farmington at Stafford Relay, 10:30 a.m.

**BOYS TENNIS**  
Monday, April 29  
H. Farmington at W.L. Central, 4 p.m.  
Liv. Churchville at Farmington, 4 p.m.  
Farm. Harrison at Ply. Salem, 4 p.m.  
Tuesday, April 30  
Northville at Farmington, 4 p.m.  
Wednesday, May 1  
Northville at Farmington, 4 p.m.  
W.L. Central at Farm. Harrison, 4 p.m.  
Farmington at W.L. Western, 4 p.m.  
Friday, May 3  
H. Farmington at Westland Glenn, 4 p.m.  
Farm. Harrison at Northville, 4 p.m.  
Liv. Stevenson at Farmington, 4 p.m.



**Airborne attempt: Yoko Minowa of Harrison High sails through the air in the long jump competition.**

## Area unbeaten defeat city's girls track teams

Farmington Public Schools was shut out in girls track Thursday, finishing on the short end of three scores against undefeated teams in Western Lakes Activities Association dual meets.

Farmington Harrison failed to topple unbeaten Plymouth Canton in a Western Division contest, 90-38.

The visiting Hawks had only four first places but lost several close races.

Harrison's Devron Kennedy won the 200-meter dash (27.5) and combined with Clara Colbert, Lisa Sokol and Mohogany Fletcher to win the 800 relay (1:51.2).

Mandi Berg's throw of 33-7 won the shot put, and she was just two inches short of matching Brandy Bernard's winning toss of 97-9 in the discus.

Amy Jenkins, Sarah Rauch, Julie Kluka and Fletcher ended the meet with a Harrison victory in the 1,600 relay (4:52.7).

In some of the close races, Kennedy (16.8) and Emily Mayberry (18.9) trailed Canton's Mary Anderson in the 100 hurdles (16.6), and Fletcher (13.1) was right behind Canton's Khushi Okwumabua (13.0) in the 100 dash.

"There were a lot of close races; we just don't have the depth to match up," Harrison coach Mark Babcock said. "For our kids, a lot of times were personal bests. We can't be disappointed with that. Individually, a lot of our kids ran well."

Canton's Becky Wolfrom won the 1,600 (5:52.8) and 3,200 (12:43.8), and Okwumabua also won the long jump (16-6). Harrison is 1-1 in the divi-

sion and 1-2 overall; Canton is 2-0 and 3-0.

Livonia Stevenson also remained undefeated Thursday with a 75-63 victory over visiting Farmington High.

The Falcons swept first place in the field events with Kim Washneck winning the shot put (31-6) and discus (121-1). Latasha Seay the high jump (4-10) and Karinne Chatman the long jump (13-10).

Farmington held its own in the distance runs against another team strong in that area. Kate Adams won the 400 run (1:03.4). Anemarie Grimaldi the 1,600 (6:32.5) and Ellen Adams the 3,200 (12:13.6).

Farmington is 0-2 in the Lakes Division and 2-1 overall; Stevenson is 2-0 and 5-0.

Plymouth Salem stayed perfect in duals by defeating host North Farmington 78-50 Thursday in a Lakes Division meet.

North's Monica Czerwinski won the 100 dash (13.1) and the 200 (27.2), and she anchored a pair of winning relay teams.

Ava Lala, Erika Anderson and Czerwinski combined with Suzanne Eng to win the 400 relay (1:43.3) and Heather Burcar to win the 800 relay (1:52.9).

Burcar also won the long jump (16-4 1/2) and the 400 run (1:03.8).

North's only other winner was Devonie Fint in the discus with a personal-best throw of 119-4.

The Raiders are 1-1 in the Lakes Division and 2-1 overall; the Rocks are 2-0 and 3-0.

## OCC's streak stopped at 14

Oakland Community College's softball team showed it was human Thursday as the Raiders split a doubleheader against visiting Henry Ford Community College.

The Hawks beat the Raiders in the opener 6-4 to break OCC's 14-game winning streak.

The Raiders (27-8) began a new streak by beating Henry Ford in the nightcap 9-1.

OCC's Kelly Rose did all she could to keep the streak alive. For the day, the catcher was 6-for-6, ripping three home runs, driving in eight runs and scoring three runs.

In the 9-1 victory, Jamie Ben improved to 12-3 by tossing a two-hitter. She fanned four and walked two without allowing an earned run.

After the Hawks took a 1-0 lead, the Raiders scored five times in the bottom of the first inning to take control. The big hit was a three-run homer by Rose.

Rose slammed her second homer of the game and seventh of the year in the sixth inning.

In the opener, the Hawks scored the last five runs of the game to take the come-from-behind win. Henry Ford had 12 hits off Marie Lantz (14-4).

The Raiders had taken a 4-1 lead in the fourth on a three-run homer by Rose. Kristy Wilber had tied the game at 1-1 earlier with an RBI single, one of her three hits.

The Raiders are 12-1 in the MCCA East Division. Henry Ford is 7-0 in the MCCA and 12-12 overall.

Farmington's Matt Niskanen bettered his best time by a full second to win the 110 high hurdles in 16.1, and he also was

first in the 300 intermediates at 46.1.

The Falcons won four of the five field events, with Mike Foreman throwing the discus 129-2 and Andre Monge reaching 10 feet in the pole vault.

Stevenson's Chris Arsenault won the shot put (45-12), Sean Foley, 100 dash (12.0); Jeff Backus, 400 run (55.3); Scott Kwietkowski, 800 run (2:09.5); and Steve Warner, 1,600 run (4:45.6) and 3,200 (10:31).

Farmington's Chaz Adams won the 100 dash (11.5) in the Lakes Division and 0-3 overall. Stevenson is 2-1.

North Farmington had four first places Thursday in a dual-meet loss to host Plymouth Salem, 91 1/2-46 1/2.

Mike Liefer won the 200 dash (24.1) and anchored the winning 400 relay team. Cornell Colbert, Pat Muir and Matt Sallen combined with Liefer for a 46.1 relay time.

North's Jay Rande achieved 10 feet to win the pole vault, and Brian Radjick of 4:43.7 was tops in the 1,600 run.

Salem's Andrea Lopez won the high jump (5-6) and long jump (18-10), Dave Hester the shot put (41-3 1/2) and discus (112-4).

Dan Johnson of Salem was first in the 110 hurdles (15.6), Rob Hawley, 300 hurdles (42.6); Chris Mason, 100 dash (11.5); Jason Barylak, 400 (60.8); Scott Pengelly, 800 (1:58.7); and Ken Blankerts, 3,200 (11:07).

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