

SWIMMING

Farmington Hills Mercy's swim team fared well in the Grand Rapids Forest Hills Invitational Sept. 21.

Eight teams - the Marlins were the only one not from West Michigan - competed. Open events had four heats with every school represented in each; relays had three heats. This was based on slowest to fastest swimmers per heat. Each meet was scored as a separate dual meet.

Mercury places are as follows:

200 medley relay: Caroline Kenna, Meredith Spiegel, Jenny MacDonald and Elizabeth Posvar, 1:57.1; Katie Callin, Catherine Docherty, Erin Downs and Lindsey Gronin, 2:00.2; John Colombo, Cunningham, Desmond and Kline, 2:18.0.

200 freestyle: Emily Thompson, 2:07.22; Kristie Cozma, 2:07.06; Betsy Lambert, 2:09.30; second: Jenny MacDonald, 2:05.39.

200 individual medley: Erin Downs, 2:27.45; Meredith Spiegel, 2:22.43; Kelly Callin, 2:20.85; Elizabeth Posvar, 2:17.92.

800 freestyle: Jenny Chapp, 20:52; Caroline Kenna, 20:58; third: Lindsey Gronin, 21:85; Danielle Clayton, 20:36.

100 butterfly: Allison Leo, 1:07.03; Molly Killeen, 1:09.05; second: Erin Downs, 1:04.64; Jenny MacDonald, 1:03.02.

200 freestyle: Melissa Seymour, 1:50.03; second: Katie Callin, 1:50.31; fourth: Lindsey Gronin, 1:50.48; fifth: Danielle Clayton, 1:58.10.

800 freestyle: Emily Thompson, 8:41.22; Betsy Lambert, 8:51.97; second: Kristie Cozma, 8:58.56; Kelly Callin, 8:25.21 (state cut).

200 freestyle relay: no firsts; second: Meredith Spiegel, Jenny Chapp, Caroline Kenna, Danielle Clayton, 1:45.11; Kristine Docherty, Petrosky, Bailey and Barrow, 1:57.18; third: 1:51.19.

100 backstroke: Molly Killeen, 1:09.12; Caroline Kenna, 1:04.07; Posvar, 1:03.12 (state cut); 1:07.18; third: 1:31.19.

100 breaststroke: Dana O'Brien, 1:16.99; Aubrey Kreamer, 1:13.84; Meredith Spiegel, 1:12.11.

400 freestyle relay: Jenny MacDonald, Danielle Clayton, Kelly Callin, Elizabeth Posvar, 3:46.48 (state cut); third: Melissa Seymour, Jessica LaFiche, Desmond and Allison Kline, 4:23.34.

Marlins rebound with solid victory

BASKETBALL

Farmington Hills Mercy used a balanced, team effort Thursday to trounce Catholic League rival Livonia Ladywood 60-34 in girls basketball.

Junior Ashley Schumacher had a "huge game," for the Marlins, according to coach Larry Baker, with 11 points, 11 rebounds and six steals.

Mercy's leading scorers were senior MaryJane Valade with 13 points and sophomore Jessica Brennan, who also had six steals, with 12.

The Marlins forced Ladywood into 37 turnovers with their pressing defense and, despite a size disadvantage among the starters, outscored the Blazers 45-36.

Baker also lauded freshman Susie Robie for doing a "great job" on the press and contributing another six points.

Mercy is 1-1 in the Central Division, and 6-2 overall.

Playing in front of a capacity crowd at Mercy caused Baker to worry about it affecting his players in a negative way.

"I was afraid it might give us a case of nerves," he said, adding the school doors were closed to prevent the gym from overflowing with spectators.

"But our kids were fine, and they played with great intensity. It was nice to see some of our young kids step up and play well. I'm sure that will do wonders for their confidence."

Baker added the Marlins didn't let a loss to Bishop Borgess on Tuesday get them down. Mercy led 33-18 at halftime Thursday and outscored Ladywood 18-9 in the fourth quarter.

WL's seniors Jana Kluska and Kalisha Brooks got in early foul trouble, Robie and Heather Davis entered the game and gave the Marlins a lift defensively.

"It was real important that Susie and Heather give us help from the bench," Baker said, "and when we rotated them in we actually increased

our lead. They played most of the second half, because they were playing so well."

The Marlins made 13 of 21 free throws, the Blazers five of 10.

Sarah Poglia scored 10 points and Sherri Wroblewski eight for Ladywood, 0-1 in the division and 2-5 overall.

FARMINGTON 30, GLENN 22: Senior guard Amanda Porter scored 19 points Thursday to lead host Farmington to its third consecutive victory Thursday.

The Falcons led 5-3 after the first quarter and extended the lead to 17-7 at halftime. Farmington put the game away with a 10-4 third quarter despite some poor shooting.

"We had some good looks at the basket in the first half and into the third quarter, and we shot-in have made more than we did," Farmington coach John Verdura said. "We're going to have to shoot the ball better if we're going to win any more games."

Sarah Rattall added six points for the Falcons, who are 4-5 overall and 2-1 in the Western Lakes.

Samantha Greer led Glenn with nine points and eight rebounds. The Rockets slipped to 0-8 and 0-3.

NORTHVILLE 60, HARRISON 53: The Hawks were close but short of winning Thursday against a leading opponent in the Western Division.

Harrison was down four with a minute left when coach Pete Mantyla thought Northville should have been called for an over-the-back foul but wasn't.

The Hawks stole the ball at mid court but were whistled for a foul by the official farthest from the play, according to Mantyla.

Northville's Lauren Metaj made both free throws to put the Mustangs up 59-53.

Harrison shot six threes in the final minute without making any. The Hawks were 6-of-33 overall from three-point range.

"They made shots and we didn't," Mantyla said, adding the Hawks forced Northville into 37 turnovers but failed to fully capitalize.

Amy Robie scored a game-high 21 points for Harrison and Mahogany Fletcher 10. Amy Jenkins had eight points and eight rebounds.

Metaj and Gina Chlession had 16 points apiece to lead the Mustangs.

Lindsay Hoot added 10.

"We played hard enough to put ourselves in a position to win it," Mantyla said. "I think the girls walked out with their heads up."

Northville led 16-8 after one quarter, 30-18 at halftime and 47-38 entering the final period. The Mustangs made 12 of 18 free throws and the Hawks nine of 22.

Harrison is 4-4 overall and 3-2 in the Western Lakes Activities Association. Northville is 3-0 and 0-2.

SALEM 66, N. FARMINGTON 23: Plymouth led 16-8 after one quarter, 30-18 at halftime and 47-38 entering the final period. The Mustangs made 12 of 18 free throws and the Hawks nine of 22.

"I thought we played real, real solid," Salem coach Fred Thomann. "Everybody gave a good effort."

The Rocks maintained their lead in the third quarter, 12-10, and inflated the final score with a 25-5 fourth quarter.

Heather Guerin led Salem with 13 points; Amanda Abraham scored 10 and added eight rebounds.

Naki Nuoman also scored 10 points. Angie Stillman added eight points, hauled down 10 rebounds and added four assists.

The Rocks are 6-2 overall and 2-1 in the Western Lakes Activities Association.

Melissa Graiz led North Farmington with eight points. Tricia Traczynski and Kellie Fournier scored five each.

The Raiders are 2-6 overall and 1-2 in the league.

LUTH. NW 60, CLARENCEVILLE 33: Junior guard Leah Richert scored 21 points Thursday to lead visiting Rochester Hills Lutheran Northwest.

Livonia Clarenceville held an 11-10 lead after one period and was in the game until turnovers cost the Trojans six quick points at the end of the first half.

The Crusaders outscored their hosts 13-8 in the third quarter and raised their record to 5-4 overall and 4-2 in the Metro Conference. The Trojans are 2-6 and 1-4.

Freshman forward Tanya Simas was Clarenceville's leading scorer with 10 points.

The Trojans, who have only one senior, made just two of eight free throws while Lutheran Northwest sank eight of 14.

Falcons roast Viking runners

Farmington High didn't run its best runners Thursday but still whipped host Walled Lake Central in girls cross country, 18-50.

The Falcons captured the top nine places and had personal bests from all but one runner.

Becky Lidgley was the race winner in 22:01. Farmington's top six were under 23 minutes as Betsy Luckacheiter ran 22:05, Monica Sanford 22:30, Natalie Dawson 22:31, Beth Caesar 22:39 and Sarah Miller 22:31.

The top nine included Sue Schmidt (24:47), Diana Herald (24:55) and Laura Luckacheiter (25:53).

"I was very pleased with how well we ran today," Farmington coach Liz Zynda said. "We had a lot of personal bests."

WESTERN 32, HARRISON 38: The sister combination of Lindsay and Aubrey Ripucky paced Walled Lake Western to the victory Thursday at OCC.

Lindsay was first in 21:37 and Aubrey second at 21:42. Harrison got the next two places from Allison East (21:56) and Amy Schaner (22:17), but the Warriors took the next three to clinch the win.

The Hawks had Paula Cripps in eighth place (23:22), Jackie Watts in 11th (24:31) and Jenny Somerville in 12th (24:33).

"It was probably our best race of the year," Harrison coach Mark Bibcock said, adding a couple girls didn't run, because of illness or injury. "The kids are in good luck."

SALEM 20, N. FARMINGTON 39: The host Raiders had just three girls in the top 10 at visiting Plymouth Salem won.

North's Becky Naglik finished third (20:50), Monica Czerwinski sixth (21:20) and Erica Anderson seventh (21:27). Ana Lala was 12th (22:49) and Kori Rothman 15th (23:12).

Naglik, Anderson and Rothman had personal bests.

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KATHRYN A. DORNAN,  
City Clerk

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City Clerk

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The Board of Education reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids or to waive any informalities therein; or for reasons of establishing uniformity, to award the contract to other than the low bidder.

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BOBBIE FELDMAN, Secretary  
Board of Education

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