

Track from D2

Battle showed his versatility by setting the school record in the 400 and 800 relay team.

After winning the regional title in the 200 as a Junior, Battle finished second this year. He was the top all-around runner at the WLA A meet, taking second in the 100 and 200.

"Keith was the heart of the Harrison track team for four years," Reed said. "He was a large part of all our team's success, he's an accomplished sprinter and we will miss him tremendously."

Battle will run at Bowling Green (Ohio) State University next season.

Andy Briggs, Ply. Salem (400): Briggs and teammate Ian Searcy proved to be a potent one-two punch for the Rocks.

In the 400, Briggs won the WLA A and Pioneer Relays titles and shared claim to the area's best time (50.9). He also was part of Salem's all-state 1,600 and 3,200 relay teams. Briggs' resume also includes an eighth-place finish in the 800 at the state meet.

"Andy is a very hard worker and was a great asset to the team," Salem coach Geoff Baker said.

Ian Searcy, Ply. Salem (800): As the other part of the talented duo, Searcy proved to be one of the state's best middle-distance runners.

Searcy took second at the state meet in the 800 and owns the school record of 1:53.6. He also won the WLA A, regional and Mansfield (Ohio) Relays titles.

Searcy showed his versatility by running 22.8 in the 200, 50.9 in the 400, 43 flat in the 300 hurdles and 4:37 in the 1,600. He also was one of the state's top cross country performers, finishing third at the state meet with a time of 16:10.

"Ian is a great athlete and a great person to be around," Baker said.

Nick Allen, Ply. Salem (1,600): Allen demonstrated in the state meet why he will be one of the athletes to watch next year.

Allen is one of the area's best distance runners, taking first in the 1,600 and second in the 3,200 at the regional meet. He also was first in the 3,200 and second in the 1,600 at the WLA A championships.

Allen capped the season by shattering the school record in the 3,200 run (9:32) with an eighth-place finish at the state finals. In the 1,600, he ran a personal best time of 4:25.6.

In addition, he was a member of Salem's record-breaking 3,200 relay team.

"Nick's hard work paid off as he had a great junior year," Baker said. "We're looking forward to an even better year in his senior season."

Rob Block, Stevenson (3,200): Block

ended his career at Stevenson by running his best time of 9:30.5 in the 3,200 run and finishing fifth in the state meet. He missed breaking the school record by a second.

The senior will be hard to replace after winning the regional title in the 3,200 and helping to set the Stevenson record in the 3,200 relay. He was the WLA A champion in the 1,600 run (4:27.5), 100.

Block also qualified for the state cross country meet each of his four years at Stevenson. He will run track at Lansing Community College next year.

"He was our best runner for the last three years," Stevenson coach John Gores said. "He's a hard worker and a one-of-a-kind runner."

RELAY TEAMS

400 relay, Farmington Harrison: The foursome of senior Jerrard Johnson, Battle, sophomore Kevin Woods and Junior Andre Davis recorded an area-best time of 43.6 and finished ninth in the state.

"We are proud of our tradition of strong relay teams at Harrison," Reed said. "Our relay ran six deep with sprinters. We could have put any four of them together and fielded a strong team at any given time."

800 relay, Plymouth Salem: Juniors Mike Shull, Chris Mason and Mark Sheehan and senior Scott Kingslien set the

Salem record (1:30.1) with a time that was 1.5 seconds better than any other team in the area.

The Rocks won the regional title and qualified for the state meet. They were first at the Observerland Relays and second in the conference meet.

1,600 relay, Plymouth Salem: Briggs, Kingslien and Searcy combined with sophomore Gabe Coble to dominate this event. Their best time of 3:23.8 was nearly seven seconds better than any other Observerland team.

The Rocks were third at the state

meet after winning regional, WLA A and Observerland Relays championships.

3,200 relay, Plymouth Salem: The Rocks were virtually unbeatable in this event. Briggs, Searcy, Allen and Junior Bobby Cushman took third place in the state with a school-record time of 7:49.9, which was more than 21 seconds better than any other area team.

Salem captured regional, conference and Observerland Relays championships. The Rocks also finished second at the West Bloomfield Invitational and third at the Mansfield Relays.



Best jumper: Farmington High senior John Lowry demonstrates the technique that earned him first place in the high jump on the all-area track-and-field first team.



Andy Briggs Plymouth Salem Ian Searcy Plymouth Salem Nick Allen Plymouth Salem



Rob Block Livonia Stevenson Kevin Woods Farmington Harrison Jerrard Johnson Farmington Harrison



Top team: Mike Shull, Chris Mason, Mark Sheehan and Scott Kingslien were No. 1 in the 800-meter relay.



Fast foursome: Andy Briggs, Scott Kingslien, Gabe Coble and Ian Searcy had the best 1,600 relay time.

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U15 Boys	Ian Fairbrother, 648-7012	June 23 & 25	6-8 pm	Groves HS
U14 Boys	Ric Fiorano, 649-3642	June 17 & 19	5-7 pm	Derby MS
U13 Boys	Kevin Argue, 360-4529	June 16, 18 & June 20	6-8 pm 1-3 pm	Groves HS
U12 Boys	John Jackson, 642-4825	June 18 & 18	6-8 pm	Derby MS
U11 Boys	Chris Biney, 642-0024	June 18 & 18	5-7 pm	Barnum
U10 Boys	Mike Thomas, 643-9086	June 20 & 21	12-2 pm	Barnum
U17 Girls	John Holmquist, 645-2760	June 19	6-8:30 pm 1-3:30 pm	Groves HS
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U12 Girls	Adrian de Boer, 810-771-9187	June 16, 17 & 19	6-8 pm	Roeper
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STATE OF MICHIGAN, IN THE PROBATE COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF OAKLAND, File No. 98-263-025-1E.

The decedent, HARVEY W. HABER, a/k/a HORST WILHELM HABER, deceased, ISM 37-30-0279.

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS

Your interest in the estate may be barred or affected by the following:

The decedent, HARVEY W. HABER, whose last known address was 2018 Puhall View, West Bloomfield, Michigan, died APRIL 12, 1998.

An instrument dated February 20, 1998 has been admitted as the will of the decedent.

Creditors of the decedent are notified that all claims against the estate will be forever barred unless presented to the independent personal representative, Christi M. Haber, 2018 Puhall View, West Bloomfield, MI 48303, or both the independent personal representative and the Oakland County Probate Court, 1250 N. Telegraph, Pontiac, Michigan, within four months of the date of publication of this notice.

Notice is further given that the estate will be thereafter assigned and distributed to the persons entitled to it.

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