

Cranbrook netters lose to Cleveland

The long-awaited match pitted two of the Midwest's premiere prep tennis powers, Cleveland (Ohio) University School and Bloomfield Hills Cranbrook.

Deeper in doubles experience, Cleveland University emerged triumphant Saturday in the highly contested Interstate Preparatory League (IPL) opener, 3-2.

The setback marked the first after three shutout wins in a row this spring for Coach Don Brown's visiting Cranes.

"SURE WE'RE disappointed," Brown said.

"But," he added, "I'm real proud of the boys. They battled right to the end. They've got nothing to put their heads down about."

Monday brought happier fortunes for Cranbrook.

DESPITE DROPPING all three doubles sets; the hosting Cranes displayed awesome singles strength to dethrone Dearborn Edsel Ford in a nonleague.

They won the match, played inside at the Cranbrook Bubble, 4-3. By winning, Cranbrook raised its overall season record to 4-1.

On Wednesday, the Cranes visited Fraser in a nonleague. At 2:30 p.m. Saturday, the Cranes will resume their IPL campaign when they host Western Reserve (Ohio) Academy.

Cleveland 3, Cranbrook 2 SINGLES

1. Jeff Etterbeck (CB) defeated Mike Klein 4-6, 6-4, 6-0; 2. Jack Kaspera (CB) defeated Brad Dressler 7-6, 1-6, 6-2; 3. Mike Hartman (CB) defeated Jim Parsons 6-4, 6-2.

DOUBLES

1. Brent Ballard, Kevin Kaufman (CL) defeated Josh Lerner, Skip Victor 6-3, 6-4; 2. Tom and John Heller (CL) defeated Steve Holmes, Howdy Perkins 6-4, 2-6, 6-1.

Cranbrook 4, Edsel Ford 3 SINGLES

1. Jeff Etterbeck (CB) defeated Ed Sedo 6-3, 6-0; 2. Jack Kaspera (CB) defeated Bob Beardsley 6-0, 6-3; 3. Jim Parsons (CB) defeated Steve Nahina 6-4, 6-1; 4. Howdy Perkins (CB) defeated Ken Goebel 6-2, 6-0.

1. Tom Kijakic, Rick Hase (EP) defeated Josh Lerner, Skip Victor 6-7, 7-5, 5-3; 2. Jim Pohlman, Don Gauger (EP) defeated Steve Holmes, Tom Lynn 7-5, 6-3; 3. Mark Desser, Rod Kietzy (EP) defeated Jon Banks, Mark Kuryla 5-7, 6-4, 6-1.

Under dreary skies Tuesday, Bloomfield Hills Andover's varsity netters launched defense of their Wayne-Oakland League (WOL) tennis title on an upbeat note.

Coach Keith Johnson's hosting Barons blanked Milford, 5-0. The victory boosted Andover's overall season record to 3-0.

The Barons will resume action Thursday when they visit Livonia Clarenceville in another WOL encounter. On Friday, they will host Waterford Mott in a nonleague.

Match time each day is 4 p.m.

Andover 5, Milford 0 SINGLES

1. Craig Witten (A) defeated John Penney 6-0, 6-1; 2. Chris Robinson (A) defeated Doug Verbeck 6-1, 6-0; 3. Jeff Weitz (A) defeated Mike Kincaid 6-0, 6-1.

DOUBLES

1. Bill Kennedy, Rick Dougherty (A) defeated Chuck Moore, Keith Konvalinka 6-1, 6-0; 2. Scott Otto, Dan Lupin (A) defeated Carl Lundstrom, Doug Jackson 6-4, 6-3.

Despite cold weather, Detroit Country Day experienced little trouble Tuesday in taking its second nonleague varsity tennis match in a row without a defeat this season.

Coach Wes Richards' hosting Yellow Jackets shut out Lake Orion, 7-0.

The Yellow Jackets will kick off their Metro Conference campaign at 4 p.m. Thursday when they host Hamtramck.

Country Day 7, Lake Orion 0 SINGLES

1. Chip Winston (CD) defeated Mike Gris 6-0, 6-1; 2. Mark Mollison (CD) defeated Tom Campbell 6-1, 6-0; 3. Mike Curhan (CD) defeated Gerry Williamson 6-0, 6-0; 4. Jeff Collins (CD) defeated Dan Curtis 6-3, 6-0.

DOUBLES

1. Bill Meek, John Neville (CD) defeated Les Fall, Darrell Nelson 6-1, 6-0; 2. Lev Wood, Barry Ford (CD) defeated Len Madison, Bill Boylan 6-0, 6-0; 3. Woods Robinson, Mike Sturgeon 6-1, 6-0.

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Only two sets were completed in the match at Lahser before play had to be postponed until 2 p.m. Monday due to poor court conditions.

In number-two singles, Seaholm's Peter Biske defeated Gary Krupinski 7-5, 6-2.

IN NUMBER-TWO doubles, Seaholm's Jim Walbridge and Jeff Parsigian defeated Mark Goebel and Dale Roder 6-0, 6-0.

Lathrup sweeps past Oak Park

Lathrup-Oak Park

880 Relay—Oak Park (Randy Craighead, Jeff Zeides, Andy Feuerstein, Frank Miles) 13-4.

120 High Hurdles—Rick Shepard (SL) 1:11, Bob Goldschmidt (SL), Andy Theodorou 1:11.

100 Dash—Keith Wunderlich (SL) 1:05, Brian Gould (SL), Randy Craighead (OP) 1:05.

40 Dash—Mike Gilie (SL) 54.6, Rick Setuosa (SL), Jerry Blankshin (SL) 54.6.

180 Low Hurdles—Jeff Zeides (OP) 2:23, Bob Goldschmidt (SL), Andy Theodorou (SL) 2:23.

Two Mile Run—Steve Foley (SL) 10:47.1, Tom Borkan (SL), Steve Craighead (OP) 10:47.1.

220 Dash—Frank Miles (OP) 2:23, Brian Bolin (SL), Larry Harris (SL) 2:23.

Mike Relay—Southfield-Lathrup (Mike Gilie, Don Hannon, Jerry Blankshin, Gary Buckowski) 3:49.

440 Relay—Oak Park (Randy Craighead, Jeff Zeides, Andy Feuerstein, Frank Miles) 4:47.

Shot Put—Mitch Joseph (SL) 48'2", Frank Miles (OP), Steve Fallon (OP) 48'2".

Pole Vault—Larry Harris (SL) and Bob Driscoll (SL) both 10', Scott Gregersen (SL) 10'.

High Jump—Bill Breslin (SL) 5'6", Gary Buckowski (SL), Ken Banks (OP) 5'6".

Long Jump—Andy Feuerstein (OP) 19'1", Brian Bolin (SL), Jim Yee (SL) 19'1".

Southfield-Lathrup recorded sweeps in seven events in routing Oak Park, 91-32, last Tuesday in a nonleague track meet.

Lathrup dominated the scoring in the following events: 880-yard run, 120-yard high hurdles, mile run, 440-yard dash, two-mile run and pole vault.

Lathrup's Keith Wunderlich surprised Oak Park runners in the 100-yard dash, winning it in :10.6.

Wunderlich is undefeated this season in the 100. Brian Gould took second in :10.9.

"I was pleased to see that one-two finish in the 100 simply because Oak Park has been noted for its speed in the sprints," said Lathrup coach Gerry Mineweaser.

Lathrup swept the high hurdles with Rick Shepard winning in :11.1, and Brad Griffin and Andy Theodorou taking second and third.

"I was really pleased with my hurdlers," Mineweaser said. "I think this is the first time we've ever had a sweep in the high hurdles."

Country Day runner-up in tourney

Detroit Country Day's varsity netters must be growing accustomed to settling for second place to Grosse Pointe University-Liggett (GPUL) in prep tennis competition.

Coach Wes Richards' Yellow Jackets again finished runner-up to GPUL Saturday during the premiere GPUL Invitational.

Country Day collected six points, one less than champion GPUL. Bay City All-Saints took third, posting four points. Galesburg-Augusta followed with three points.

Anchoring the Yellow Jackets' efforts was sophomore Mark Mollison who emerged as the winner in number-two singles action.

Also shining for Country Day were sophomore Bill Meek and John Neville, who teamed to reach the finals in number-two doubles action before bowing.

Another standout for the Yellow Jackets was junior Chip Winston, who lasted up through the semifinals.

This year's kickoff version of the annual GPUL Invitational brought together eight of Michigan's strongest class C-D prep racket powers.

Area's best track times

100 Yard Dash

1. Westphal 10.0
2. Whitehead 10.1
3. Mendosa 10.1
4. Brown 10.1
5. Murphy 10.1
6. Weber 10.1
7. Ditzky 10.1
8. Kanathia 10.1
9. Kowalski 10.1
10. Leary 10.1
11. Gouge 10.1

220 Yard Dash

1. Murphy 22.5
2. Mendosa 22.7
3. Westphal 22.7
4. Whitehead 22.7
5. McGarvey 22.7
6. Ditzky 22.7
7. Hamill 22.7
8. Pease 22.7
9. Leary 22.7

440 Yard Run

1. Westphal 51.9
2. Spritzer 51.9
3. White 51.9
4. Brown 51.9
5. Landini 51.9
6. LeCath 51.9
7. Yates 51.9
8. Gouge 51.9
9. Lalonde 51.9

880 Yard Relay

1. Westphal 45.0
2. Bishop Borgess 45.0
3. Stevenson 45.0
4. Red Union 45.0
5. Farmington 45.0
6. Franklin 45.0
7. Churchville 45.0
8. C.C.E. 45.0

1 Mile Run

1. Spritzer 1:07.2
2. White 1:07.2
3. Brown 1:07.2
4. Landini 1:07.2
5. Marlow 1:07.2
6. Bonan 1:07.2
7. Toth 1:07.2
8. Gentner 1:07.2
9. Smith 1:07.2

Two Mile Run

1. McGuire 4:18.0
2. Oiler 4:18.0
3. Wright 4:18.0
4. Reynolds 4:18.0
5. Funck 4:18.0
6. Schaff 4:18.0
7. Graham 4:18.0
8. Wolcott 4:18.0
9. Parkinson 4:18.0

880 Yard Relay

1. Bentley 3:22.9
2. Bishop Borgess 3:22.9
3. Redford Union 3:22.9
4. St. Clair 3:22.9
5. G.C.W. 3:22.9
6. Churchville 3:22.9
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7. North Farmington 1:52.0
8. Franklin 1:52.0
9. Harrison 1:52.0

Long Jump

1. Halverson 21'2"
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Shot Put

1. Bentley 44'0"
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