# Hawks sweep twin bill

Farmington Harrison's John Recker showed off his batting skills and his pitching arm Wednesday as the Hawks dominated Walled Lake Western, 9-6 and 4-1, in a Western Six League dou-ble header.

In the opener. Recker contributed three hits and drove in four runs to sup-port Dale Sklar's three-hit pitching per-

Recker pitched a two-hitter to win the nightcap. He struck out nine and walked four. Mike Tunquist belied a solo homer in the third inning, and Tom

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Harrison hosts league-leading Plymouth Canton on Monday. Game time is

### NORTH FARMINGTON 2, 2

North Farmington pushed across a run in the bottom of the eighth inning to overcome Livonia Franklin, 2-1, in the second game of a Northwest Subur-ban League twin bill last week. Frank-lin won the opener, 5-2.

Kevin Shaw and Jeff LaBelle were aboard in the eighth inning of the sec-ond game. The winning run scored when Franklin tried for a double play on Matt Ruud's ground ball instead of throwing to home.

Winning pitcher John King raised his record to 2-1. He struck out eight, walked three and had two of North's six hits.

In the first game, Ruud, who is suf-fering from a sore shoulder, lasted three innings and was touched for three runs. Chuck Kott had two hits in four

North, now 8-6 overall and 3-4 in the NSL, travels to Garden City East on Tuesday. The league game has a 4 p.m. start.

### NORTHWEST 8 SFLD. CHRISTIAN 4

Books Rousseaux, a sophomore left-hander, pitched 2½ innings of no-hit baseball in relief and also drove in the ызьован in relief and also drove in the go-ahead run as Farmington Lutheran High Northwest rallied to beat South-field Christian, 8-4, in Michigan Inde-pendent Athletic Conference action last week.

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Date Skiar pitched a three-hitter to help Farmington Harrison put down Walled Lake Western.

# N. Farmington girls race to track victory

Triple winner Sharon Shiffra paced North Farmington's 107-17 trouncing of Redford Thurston in Northwest Suburban League girls' track Wednesday.
Shiffra won the long jump (15-feet, 8-inches), high jump (5-0) and the 220-yard dash (27-9). Teammate Beth Emery won both the mile (5-43) and 880 (2-83) runs, and Sara Hooper established a North varsity record of 16.73 in the 100-meter hurdles.
The Raiders (6-1-1 overall) were to compete in the state Class A track regional at West Bloomfield High School. Lot are aschools in the regional: Our Lady of Mercy and Farmington High.
North will participate in the Northwest

and Farmington High.

North will participate in the Northwest
Suburban League meet Wednesday afternoon at Thurston.

MERCY 91 GALLAGHER 32

Farmington Our Lady of Mercy earned the girls' track championship of the Catho-lic League's Central Division with a 91-32 mailing of Harper Woods Bishop Gallagher last week.

#### track

Coach Bob Kirkland's Mercy team is per-Coach Bob Kirkland's Mercy team is perfect in five conference outings this season. Mercy won 13 of the 15 events. Kathy Carolin was a double winner, taking: the discuss (100 feet, 1 inch) and the shot put (31-2). Teammate Cathy Bridges won the 440-yard dash and the long jump. Mercy won the distance events with Jean McCarthy posting as time of 12:44.3 in the two-mile and Anny Brown logging a 5:51.6 in the mile.

PONTIAC NORTHERN 83 FARMINGTON 40

Pontiac Northern is one of Oakland Coun-ty's top girls' track teams, and Farmington High found out why last week. The Falcons were able to win only four events in the 83-40 Inter Lakes League loss.

Annette Sulick was a double winner for nanette suuck was a double winner for Farmington, taking the mile (5:52.5) and two-mile (12:53.3) runs. Teammate Debbie Bemis won the 220-yard low hurdles (33.2) and Cindy Cromwell won the shot put (28-feet, 8-inches).

#### HARRISON 67

CANTON 56

Janine Glaus, a foreign-exchange student from Switzerland, won three events to lead Farmington Harrison's 67-56 girls' track squeaker over Plymouth Canton In the Western Six League Wednesday.
Glaus won the shot put (24-64, 9-inches), discus (75-6) and the 100-meter dash (14.0). She was also a member of the 400-meter relay team.
Sandy Oswald took the 400-meter run for Harrison with a time of 55.0, and teammate Dee Dowell took the 200-meter low hurdles in 35.3. Margaret Mesenbrink won the low hurdles in 18.2. Harrison, 42 overall and 22 in the league, will host Waterford Mott 4 p.m. tomorrow.

## North trackmen win; Falcons, Hawks lose

North Farmington took the top three places in both hurdles events Wednesday and downed Redford Thurston, 80-48, in Northwest Shuphan League boys' track.

Mark Bowditch won the 110-meter high hurdles with a time of 168, and John Kopko finished first in the 300 low hurdles with a 41.8 clocking, John Winterbottom of Northwon the 600 dash in 498.

Thurston's Rich Rudd was a double winner with a discus throw of 133 feet, and a time of 11.7 in the 100 dash. North Farmington will run in the Northwest Suburban League meet on Wednesdy afternoon at Redford Union.

PONTIAC NORTHERN 82 FARMINGTON 50

Dale Washington won two events and ran on two winning relays Wednesday to help Pontiac Northern whip Farmington High, 82-50, in the Inter Lags League. The loss

#### track

put Farmington at 5-3 overall and 3-2 in the

LL.
Washington won the 120-yard high burdies (14-4), the 330 lows (39.8) and anchored
both sprint relays.
Farmington's Ton Feiten won the mile
(4:34.3) and the two-mile (10:27-4). Craig
Kielly won the high jump (6 foot, 4 inches),
Pete Rrown won the shot put (4:8-9) and Dan
Antishin won the pole vault (12-6).
Farmington will host the III. meet on
Tuesday beginning at 4 p.m.

PLYMOUTH CANTON 69

ve Tremonti and Ken Kopko were dou-

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ble winners but their Farmington Harrison track team dropped A 69-63 decision to Plymouth Canton Wednesday. Harrison is 4-2 overall and 3-2 in the WSL.

Tremonti won the mile (4:45.7) and the two-mile (10:25.8), and Kopko finished first in the discus (125 feet, 1 inch) and the 440-yard dash (54.6).

Other Harrison firsts: Steve Sweeney. (10.7 in the 100 dash), Steve Shanborn (20-4% in the long jump), Ed Mohr (11-0 in the pole vault) and Mike Boyd (16.4 in the 120 hih hurdles).

Canton's Craig Malin won the high jump (6-1) and the 330 low hurdles (42.7).

Harrison has a Western Six League meet at Waterford Mott on Tuesday a noon.

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