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"(Hall) ran really good times, because he ran alone. He didn't have any real competition, so he ran those times without being pushed."

Brad Tucker in the high jump, Derek Laskowak in the pole vault and Jason Scarborough in the 800 run also were regional champions.

Hall and Scarborough combined with Shabaz and Terry Mayberry to win the 1,600 relay too.

"I think he'll do pretty well," Reed said of Laskowak, who makes his third consecutive trip to the state meet and was fifth last year.

"Brad Tucker did a really good job in the high jump, and Scarborough ran alone with no competition for it. He won by 80 meters. That was a pretty good time running alone."

"The 1,600 relay time wasn't real good, because it was real cold by that time of night. But it was fun to win that, because Detroit Central is real good. In warmer weather, I think we'll do a lot better."

Harrison girls are 2nd
The Hawks also did well in the Division 2 girls regional at St. Clair Shores Lakeview, finishing second to defending state champion Detroit Renaissance.

Harrison's 105 1/2 points is the most it ever scored in regional competition, and its 10 state qualifiers is another record.

"The only thing we know about our regional was Renaissance is the defending state champ," Harrison coach Mark Babcock said.

DIVISION 2

BOYS TRACK & FIELD
DIVISION 2 REGIONAL
May 19 at St. Clair Shores Lakeview
Team scores (top five): 1. Farmington...

"We went in there blind, but we knew we had a chance in some things. We knew the relay and hurdlers would have a chance. Those kids performed well and are going to the state meet."

The Hawks had four girls entered in the 100 hurdles — two more than usual because they represented the regional performance standard — and all four scored.

Angola Ford won the regional championship; Lisa Rosemary, Latonya Burrell and Amanda Gardner gave Harrison the No. 3-5 places.

Team scores followed in the 400 relay with Angel Todd, Lisa Rosemary, Laura Lynn and Melanie Banks and the 1,600 with Lynn, Christine Motry, Corrinne Pickett and Rita Hill.

The top two athletes or teams in each regional event got to the state meet. Harrison was third in the other relays, running a season-best time in the 3,200.

Julietta Iarina was the regional champ in the pole vault, and teammate Laura Uridgewill was the runner-up. Lauryn Liebowitz ran a personal best of 12:51 in the 3,200 run but finished third.

"Things got rolling and our kids did really well," Babcock said. "That made it a lot of fun. It was a great time. We never had 10 state qualifiers, so we really enjoyed that. I'm really proud of the girls."

"Since they've realigned the divisions, all the schools are about our size, and it makes a big difference in competition."

Shamrocks prevail in Catholic League meet

You might say Redford Catholic Central jumped to first place in the Catholic League boys track meet.

The Shamrocks finished the meet Tuesday at Livonia Ladywood with 113 points to edge runner-up University of Detroit-Joliet, which had 109.

"The big thing was the high jump," CC coach Tony Magni said. "I go in second ninth and 10th, then to go one-three, well, that's not bad."

"That was a big turning point for us early on. Then we held them off at the end with our distance kids."

In the mile we went one, three, five and six, which was really big for us."

Matt Daly doubled in the mile and two-mile run. Mike Morris was another double winner for

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