



SOUTH DAKOTA HIGH SCHOOL BOYS' TRACK

Alcester-Hudson

COACH: Brian Haak (7th year)
ASSISTANTS: LeAnn Haisch, Steven Hale, Eric Bauder
VITALS: Class B, Region 4B, Tri-Valley Conference
LAST YEAR: Ty Schoellerman finished seventh in the 1600 and 6th in the 800 at state. The Cubs lost three letterwinners from a season ago.
RETURNING LETTERWINNERS: Colin Wath (So.), Eric Berg (So.), Ashton Liston (So.), Grant Johnson (Fr.), Mitchell Johnson (Fr.), Gavin Doering (8th), Sam Jensen (8th), Logan McConnell (8th)
TOP PROSPECTS: Erik Barnes (Jr.), Brock Norseen (Fr.), Chris Klemme (So.), Marcus Ireland (So.)

Andes Central

COACH: Cliff Johnson (6th year)
ASSISTANTS: Diane Duermier, Jeff Walder, Maggie Svatos
VITALS: Class B, Region 6B, Little Missouri Valley Conference
LAST YEAR: Conner Florey finished fourth in the triple jump and sixth in the long jump. Esteban Rodriguez was eighth in the long jump.
TOP PROSPECTS: Darrin Hopkins (Jr.), Trevor Duermier (Sr.), Jason Drapeaux II (So.), Aaron Swanson (Jr.), Joey Evans (Jr.), Zach Cournoyer (Jr.), Issac Chytka (Jr.), Reno Longe (So.), Tristan Scott (Jr.), Chris Dvorak (Jr.), Mason Dion (Fr.), Leo Hopkins (8th)

Avon

COACH: Brad Poppe
VITALS: Class B, Region 6B, Little Missouri Valley Conference, Fort Randall Conference
LAST YEAR: The Pirates placed 2nd at state in the 4x400 relay and 7th in the 4x200 relay. They lost three letterwinners.
RETURNING LETTERWINNERS: Jonah Sturgen (Sr.), Brandon Koemich (Jr.), Brant Blaha (Jr.), Jacob Reeves (Jr.), Logan Mudder (So.), Liam Swanson (So.), Jacob Knodel (So.), Josh Knodel (So.), Nick Metteer (Jr.), Chase Frank (Fr.)
TOP PROSPECTS: Logan Powers (Sr.), Devin Tolsma (So.), Alex Balvia (Fr.), Riley Namminga (8th), Cole Filhaus (So.), Taylor Mudder (Sr.)



VIBORG-HURLEY: Trevor Jacobsen (778)

Beresford

COACH: Matt Coy (5th year)
ASSISTANTS: Scott Ebert, Mikala Larsen, Rob Wilson, Pam Conklin, Dustin Mees
VITALS: Class A, Region 4A, Big Sioux Conference
LAST YEAR: The Watchdogs were sixth at conference and lost three letterwinners to graduation.
RETURNING LETTERWINNERS: Dalton Jones (Sr., state qualifier in 100 and 200 meter dashes and 4x100 relay), Nick Antonson (Sr., state qualifier in 4x100 meter relay), Craig Fatherlos (Sr., distance), Matt Wiebers (Sr., distance), Brad Bogue (Jr., mid-distance), Austin Meester

(Jr., hurdles/jumps/sprints), Riley Schaap (Jr., distance), Eli Orr (Jr., sprints), Derek Wiebers (Jr., throws), Seth Weiland (So., sprints, mid-distance), Kole Nordquist (So.), Nick Adams (So.), AJ Schmidt (So.), Joseph Kirkebak (So., high jump), Justin Dolan (So.), Christian Wilson (So.), Nick O'Connell (So.), Trent Lyle (So.), Peter Auch (Fr., distance), Mike Erlandson (Fr.), Tristian Lutter (Fr.), Tristan Namminga (Fr.), Brady Heldt (Fr.), Hunter Bergland (Fr.), Leo Jensen (Fr.), Conor Hoy (Fr.), Logan Busch (Fr.)

Bon Homme

COACH: Byron Pudwill (30th year)
ASSISTANTS: Rusty Roland, Troy Goehring, Jason Hein, Mick Patzlaff, Lisa Kelley, Tara McAllister, Megan Viereck
VITALS: Class A, Region 5A, Southeast South Dakota Conference, Little Missouri Valley Conference
LAST YEAR: The Cavaliers won the SESD and LMVC conference championships last season. They lost five letterwinners from that team.
RETURNING LETTERWINNERS: Kodi Larson (Sr., state qualifier), Thomas Mitzel (Sr.), Alec Weber (Sr.), Dakota Bodden (Jr.), Scott Van Winkle (Jr., state qualifier), Brendan Bares (So., state qualifier), Cole Cahoy (So.), Kyle Klinnert (So.), Zachary Sutura (So.), Tanner Van Winkle (So.), Hunter Young (So.), Chase Kortan (8th, state qualifier)

Centerville

COACH: Dan Evans (25th year)
ASSISTANT: Doug Edberg
VITALS: Class B, Region 4B, Tri-Valley Conference
LAST YEAR: The Tornados sent Seamus O'Malley to state in the high jump. They lost one letterwinner from last year.
RETURNING LETTERWINNERS: Luke Abbas (Sr.), Logan Hunter (Sr.), Ty Knutson (Sr.), Seamus O'Malley (Jr., state qualifier in high jump), Josh DeRaad (Jr.), Nathan Knutson (Jr.), Chris Grusahin (So.), Trent Sikkink (So.), Nick Wiron (So.), Adam

Austin (Fr.), Tyrell Martz (Fr.), Rory O'Malley (Fr.), Lane Bendorf (Fr.), Bailey Johnson (Fr.), Levi Gruschin (Fr.)

Dakota Valley

COACH: Vince Tucker (6th year)
ASSISTANTS: Tammy Lilly, Erin Benson, Amber Ross
VITALS: Class A, Region 4A, Big Sioux Conference
LAST YEAR: The Panthers graduated three letterwinners.
RETURNING LETTERWINNERS: Colton Mahler (Sr., 7th in 400-meter dash at state), Taylor Lambert (Sr., 6th at state in shot put), Ben Cork (Sr.), Blake Perryman (Jr.), Brody Beach (Sr.), Chris Pollema (So.), Graham Bacon (Jr.), Jason Lupkes (Jr.)
TOP PROSPECTS: Ben Williams (Jr.), Billy Murray (So.), Brady Glissman (Fr.), Caleb Ownby (So.), Charlie Long (Fr.), Chavez Madden (Jr.), Cole Peterson (Jr.), Ethan Klasi (Fr.), Isaac Faldmo (Jr.), Jacob Wenthe (Fr.), Tanner Stephens (So.), Thomas High (Jr.), Trevor Lambert (Fr.), Tyler Clay (So.), Tyler Schrunck (Jr.), Wade Treloar (Sr.), Zane Treloar (So.), Austin Lewis (Sr.)

Elk Point-Jefferson

COACH: John Wayne Kalda (4th year)
ASSISTANT: Toni Hall
VITALS: Class A, Region 4A
LAST YEAR: The Huskies finished with no state qualifiers and lost two letterwinners.
RETURNING LETTERWINNERS: Alex Dawdy (Sr.), Brody Elkins (Sr.), C.J. Geary (Jr.), Dan Roggenbauer (Jr.), Austin Shatswell (Jr.), Luke Forsling (So.), Cody Davis (So.), Hunter Paulson (So.), John Schuh (So.),

Jordan Brandon (Jr.)

Ethan-Parkston

COACH: Shawn Spurrell (1st year)
ASSISTANTS: Rob Van-Laecken, Katrina Jarding, Eric Aisenbrey, Michelle Matthies
VITALS: Class A, Region 5A, Southeast South Dakota Conference
RETURNING LETTERWINNERS: Tyler Hohn (Sr.), Anthony Huber (Sr., 4th at state in discus), Kyle Hohn (Sr.), Jesse Thuringer (Sr.), Evan Murtha (Jr.), Kyle Schnabel (So.), Nick Zolnowsky (So.), Wes Dvorak (So.), David Voorhees (Fr.), Blake Bartscher (Jr.), Wyatt McBrayer (So.)

Freeman

COACH: Rory Hermesen
ASSISTANTS: Chris Maske, Curt Sage, Kristi Sage
VITALS: Class B, Region 4B, Cornbelt Conference
LAST YEAR: The Flyers return five athletes who made it to state in 2012.
RETURNING LETTERWINNERS: Caleb Lang (Sr.), Andrew Munkvold (Sr., state qualifier), Jordan Rinehart (Sr., state qualifier), Grant Preheim (Jr., state qualifier), Cole Waldhauser (Jr.), Joe Wesler (Jr.), Cole Paulson (So., state qualifier), Cody Roth (So.), Avery Sage (So.), Brennan Schmidt (So., 7th at state in the 400 meter dash), Nic Watson (So.)
TOP PROSPECTS: Shaun Becker (Sr.), T.J. Ulmer (Sr.), Justin Eisenbeis (Jr.), Tristan Ashwell (Jr.), Chris Butkus (So.), Nick Hora (Fr.)

Freeman Academy

COACH: Suzanne Koerner

(5th year)
ASSISTANT: Craig Miller
VITALS: Class B, Region 4B, Tri-Valley Conference
LAST YEAR: Freeman Academy returns five letterwinners from a year ago.
RETURNING LETTERWINNERS: Matthew Graber (Sr., distance), Ben Brockmueller (Sr., distance), Chris Miller (Sr., sprints/jumps), Cole Hofer (Jr., distance), Gabriel Eisenbeis (Jr., distance/discus)
TOP PROSPECTS: Ben Carlson (Sr.), Brennan Waltner (So.), Austin VanDiepen (So.), Jorge Sanchez (Fr.), Ben Miao (Fr.), Ryan Haggerty (Fr.), Jon Funk (Jr.)

Gayville-Volin

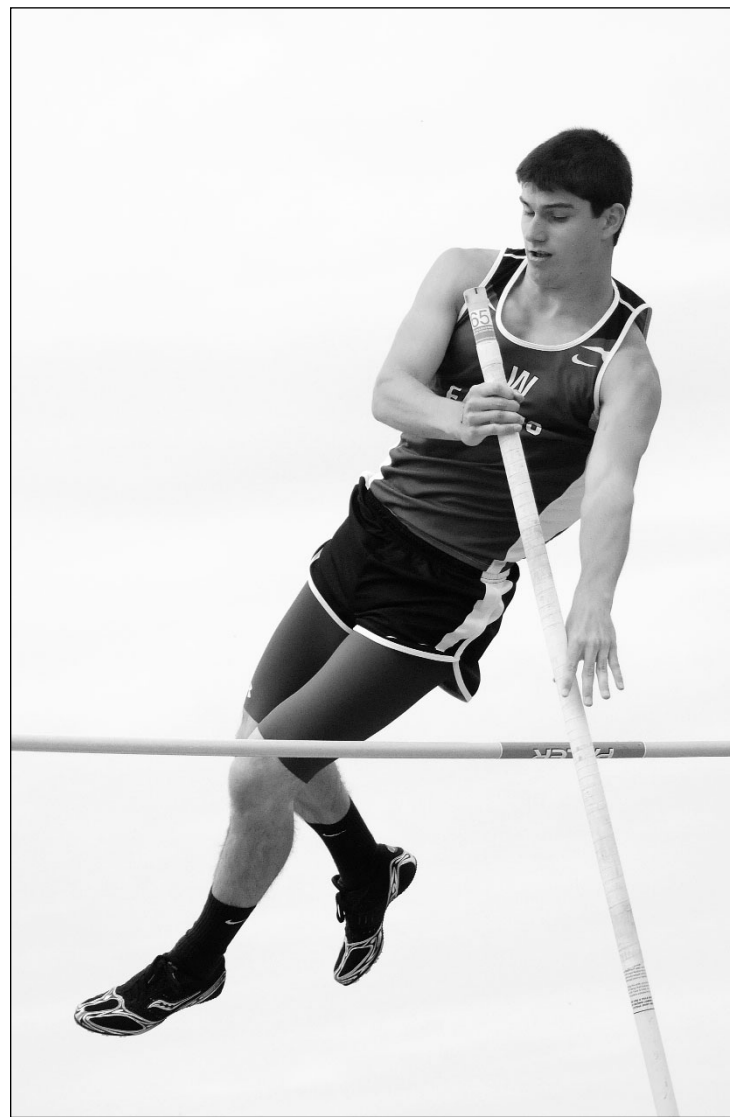
COACH: Larry Buffington (5th year)
ASSISTANTS: Matt Malloy, Kim Velk, Tom Rice, Gene Bor-mann
VITALS: Class B, Region 4B, Tri-Valley Conference
LAST YEAR: The Raiders scored five points at state last year, and lost two letterwinners but no state qualifiers from 2012.
RETURNING LETTERWINNERS: Zane Jensen (Sr.), DJ Hawthorne (Sr., qualified for state in the long jump), Zach Engen (Sr.), John Guy (Sr., fourth at state in the shot put), Brandon VanOsdel (So.), Dylan Andal (Fr.), Matt Buckman (Fr.), Zach Anderson (Fr.), Grant Rice (8th), C.J. Lee (8th)
TOP PROSPECTS: Saxon Bartos (Sr.), Alex Honeywell (Fr.), Billy Leggett (8th), Brook VanOsdel (8th), Chase Petrik (8th), Brad Emmick (8th), Frank Cutts (8th)

Irene-Wakonda

COACH: Brent Muchelknaus (27th year)
ASSISTANTS: Mike King, Landra Knodel, Bridget Healy
VITALS: Class B, Region 4B, Tri-Valley Conference
LAST YEAR: The Irene-Wakonda Eagles finished last season second at the state track meet. They graduated seven letterwinners from that team.
RETURNING LETTERWINNERS: Dillon Buchanan (Sr., state qualifier), Chris Heirigs (Sr., state qualifier), Lucas Gustad (Sr.), Trevor Hanson (Sr., state qualifier), Dustin Livingston (Sr., 2nd at state in pole vault, 8th in 110 hurdles), Garrett Anderson (Jr., state champion in pole vault, 4th in 300 hurdles), Kevin Hinseth (Jr.), Skyler Heirigs (So.), Matt Nelson (So.), Levi Zavala (So.), Jesse Gustad (So.)
TOP PROSPECTS: Ashur Weidrich (Sr.), Braxton Erwin (Jr.), Clayton Rupp (Jr.), Michael Saffel (Jr.), Ben Gustad (Fr.), Josh Healy (Fr.), Justin Kaskie (Fr.), Gabe King (Fr.), Bryant Knodel (Fr.)

Marion

COACH: Jerry Kippes (22nd year)
ASSISTANT: John Kippes
VITALS: Class B, Region 4B, Cornbelt Conference
LAST YEAR: The Bears finished sixth at conference last year, and lost one letterwinner.
RETURNING LETTERWINNERS: Andrew Grassi (Sr.), Brandon Goossen (Jr.), Nick Gortmaker (Jr.), Jason Kaufman (Jr.), Andrew Nelson (Jr.), Philip



IRENE-WAKONDA: Dustin Livingston

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