Seminoles' mile relay wins, Merrick is second

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LOUISVILLE, Ky. - Florida State won the mile relay here Saturday in the annual Mason-Dixon Games.

The team of David Williams, Marvin Dixon, Mike Roberson and Don Merrick posted a 3:14.3 time in the event, almost two seconds below the qualifying standard for the NCAA meet later this year.

In the invitational division, FSU's Merrick was second in the 70 dash with a time of 6.8 seconds. The Seminoles' Phares Rolle was scheduled to compete in the pole vault but had to withdraw because of a pulled leg muscle.