

## FSU Wins Two-Mile In Relays

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GAINESVILLE - Florida State posted a 7:28.7 to edge Florida in the 2 - mile relay here yesterday in the annual Florida Relays.

The Seminoles, boasting possibly their best track team ever, had juniors Bob Fleming, Bob Brooks, Tyrone Frederick and sophomore Wes Koenig in the winning relay.

Florida ran a 7:29.8 and Furman was third at 7:33.2.

Florida A&M took second in the 880 - yard relay with a 1:25.2. Memphis State won it at 1:24.0.

In the high school events, Jefferson County of Monticello set two new meet records. The Class 2 - A powerhouse ran an 8:14.4 to win the two - mile relay and a 3:25.7 to capture the mile relay.

## Forbes Wins 100 Again At the Florida Relays

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GAINESVILLE — Tallahassee's two universities came away without any winners in the Florida Relays Saturday, but Leon High's Jesse Forbes held up the city's standards by walking away with the 100-yard dash in his division for the second year in a row.

Forbes, who has signed a football-track grant-in-aid with Florida State, ran 9.7 in the finals of the event. He won with the same time last year.

In the university division Florida State finished second in three events and third in two, while Florida A&M was second in one and third in one.

Mike Lee and Jeff Nedimyer of FSU were second and third in the high jump. Lee tied Nedimyer's school record with a 6-10

leap, while the latter had to settle for 6-8 this time. The winner, Bill Hancock of Southern Illinois, also had 6-10, but had fewer misses.

Danny Smith was second in the 120-yard high hurdles and his 13.6 time also tied that of winner Charles Foster of North Carolina Central.

FSU's other second-place finish was in the sprint medley relay with a 3:19.4 time.

FAMU's 440-yard relay team ran 40.5 for second in that event, while Rey Robinson was third in the 100-yard dash with 9.8 and FSU's Osborn Brown third in the shot put with a heave of 53-feet, four inches.

Phil Southerland, a professor in the FSU law school, placed second in the marathon run with a time of two hours, 42:24.3.

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Four qualifiers for the NCAA Championships will head a nearly full contingent of Florida State trackmen as they head to the Carolina Relays in Columbia, S.C. this Saturday.

The meet Saturday will be the first of two for the Seminoles in Columbia as the Tribe will also be there the following Saturday, April 14, for a triple meet with South Carolina and Auburn.

The most recent meet for FSU was the Florida Relays last Saturday in Gainesville, a competition the Seminoles fared better in than ever before.

Highlighting the Tribe's effort in Gainesville was a first place finish in the two mile relay. Included in the foursome of FSU runners were Bob Fleming, Bobby Brooks, Wes Koenig and Tyrone Frederick. Frederick, in anchoring the event, had a half mile split time of 1:50.6.

That wasn't Frederick's best time of the day, however, as he recorded a 1:48.8 split while the Seminoles finished second to

with a time of 13.6, a new school record. His time was the same as that of the winning runner from NC Central, and it qualified him for national honors later this quarter.

Another strong showing from the Seminoles came in the high jump, an event the Tribe has been weak in the last several years. Mike Lee and Jeff Nedimyer have changed that image, however, as they teamed up for a second and third place finish Saturday. Lee soared over the 6-10 mark and Nedimyer made 6-8 before being eliminated.

Both Lee and Nedimyer have cleared the 6-10 mark, the school record, and are now qualified for the NCAA Championships. Lee is a junior and Nedimyer a freshman.

A third Seminole high jumper, Steve Smith, won the second division of that event with a 6-6 effort.

The only other Seminole place came from big Osborn Brown in the shot put. The 280-pounder from Jacksonville, finished third with a 53-4 toss, substantially lower than some of his throws during the indoor season.

Charlie Harris apparently recovered from his nagging leg injuries, made it to the finals in

North Carolina Central in the sprint medley relay.

The sprint medley was of particular interest since the North Carolina team had two Olympic gold medalists among its four performers, and the Seminoles finished with exactly the same time for the race.

Seminole indoor All-America and world record holder in the high hurdles Danny Smith led off the sprint medley with a 220 and Bill Weldon and Joel Garren went second and third with 440'. Frederick then anchored with a half mile that saw him matched up with an Olympic medalist from North Carolina.

Frederick pulled even with the NC man twice before falling just slightly behind at the finish.

Another fine showing for the Tribe came from Smith in the high hurdles as he took second

the long jump but finished sixth and then jumped well in the triple jump but didn't place there either.

Randy Hutchinson and Rich Richelderfer also did well in the javelin, but neither of them placed. Hutchinson is the fourth member of the Florida State team to have qualified nationally as his 235-1 effort at a recent meet surpassed the minimum NCAA standard.