

45TH NCAA MEN'S INDOOR CHAMPIONSHIPS

Rupp Leads Ducks To First Title



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Rupp scored a 3/5 double and anchored the winning DM to boot—the first such triple in meet history

By Lee Nichols

College Station, Texas, March 13 & 14—With the pre-meet formchart showing Oregon and Arkansas in a near dead heat, one might have expected the 3000—loaded with three Ducks and two Razorbacks—to be the climactic event of the meet.

It was anything but.

By the time Galen Rupp stepped onto the track for the next-to-last race at Texas A&M's brand-new facility, he and his Oregon teammates had already executed to near-perfection, Arkansas had almost completely collapsed, and no one else had risen to challenge.

Asked if there was anything inherent in their program that ensured this execution, Oregon associate coach Dan Steele replied, "I don't know about that. I think the coaches work really, really hard to get the athletes prepared, to get them ready."

"We looked very closely at the entries, and I think we made some really good decisions with our personnel and our race strategies, but look, there's a lot of really great coaches out there that did the exact same thing.

"This was our meet, we had a lot of things go our way. Galen was just terrific. So, I think in the last two days we had a real nice moment, but I don't know if there's anything extra special Oregon does."

Rupp was indeed terrific, crossing the finish line first no less than three times in two days.

In an oddly tactical 5K that shifted between dead sprints and almost complete stops, Rupp sat unrattled in 3rd most of the way before a decisive move with about three laps left gave him a 13:41.45 win, more than three seconds up on Liberty's Sam Chelanga and Arkansas's Shawn Forrest.

Said Rupp, "Coming into today, I felt the strongest I have ever been. I was focusing on that race first. I knew I had to get it done, and was able to execute my race, and get a championship."

Two hours later he was back in the DMR, showing no fatigue as he blasted away from Hog miler Dorian Ulrey and Cal's Michael Coe with 300 meters left for a 9:29.59 victory.

Meanwhile, Rupp's teammates were doing their part—including fellow Olympian Andrew Wheating's silver in the 800 (1:48.54, half a second behind Longhorn Jacob Hernandez) and near-Olympian Ashton Eaton's gold in the heptathlon (5988)—while Arkansas athletes were scoring less than expected in six events, and not at all in three of them.

The 3K ultimately reflected the meet as a whole: Rupp romped to an easy 7:48.94 win. "This has been a great experience, and one of the most fun meets ever," he said. "I just wanted to come out today and run well. I am stronger than any of the other guys out there

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Men's World Indoor Leaders

60.....	6.42	Dwain Chambers (Great Britain)
200.....	20.63	Trey Harts (US)
400.....	45.69	.....	Michael Bingham (Great Britain)
800.....	1:44.75	.....	Ahmad Ismail (Sudan)
1500.....	3:33.96	.....	Haron Keitany (Kenya)
Mile.....	3:51.34	.....	Bernard Lagat (US)
3000.....	7:32.80	.....	Paul Koech (Kenya)
5000.....	13:07.83	.....	Abraham Cherkos (Eth)
60H.....	7.37	.....	Terrence Trammell (US)
4 x 400.	3:05.81	.....	Baylor
HJ.....	7-10½ (2.40)	.....	Ivan Ukhov (Russia)
PV.....	19-10½ (6.06)	.....	Steve Hooker (Australia)
LJ.....	28-7 (8.71)	.....	Sebastian Bayer (Germany)
TJ.....	57-8½ (17.59)	.....	Fabrizio Donato (Italy)
SP.....	70-5¼ (21.47)	.....	Christian Cantwell (US) (2)
Wt.....	80-3¼ (24.48)	.....	Jake Freeman (US)
Hept.....	6362	.....	Mikk Pahapil (Estonia)

U.S. Leaders

60.....	6.51	.....	Jacoby Ford (Clemson) (twice)
.....	6.51	.....	Mark Jelks (Nike)
.....	6.51	.....	Michael Rodgers (Nike)
200.....	20.63	.....	Trey Harts (Baylor)
400.....	45.71	.....	Gil Roberts (Texas Tech)
800.....	1:47.72	.....	Nick Symmonds (Oregon TC)
1500.....	3:36.82	.....	Bernard Lagat (Nike)
Mile.....	3:51.34	.....	Bernard Lagat (Nike)
3000.....	7:35.41	.....	Bernard Lagat (Nike)
5000.....	13:18.12	.....	Galen Rupp (Oregon)
60H.....	7.37	.....	Terrence Trammell (unat)
4 x 400.	3:05.81	.....	Baylor
DisMed	9:29.59	.....	Oregon
HJ.....	7-8¾ (2.36)	.....	Jesse Williams (Nike)
PV.....	19-1 (5.82)	.....	Derek Miles (Nike)
LJ.....	26-4¼(A) (8.03)	.....	Matt Turner (unat)
TJ.....	55-8½ (16.98)	.....	Christian Taylor (Florida)
SP.....	70-5¼ (21.47)	.....	Christian Cantwell (Nike) (2)
Wt.....	80-3¼ (24.48)	.....	Jake Freeman (unat)
Hept.....	6174	.....	Ashton Eaton (Oregon)

NCAA Div. I Leaders

60.....	6.51	.....	Jacoby Ford (Clemson) (twice)
200.....	20.63	.....	Trey Harts (Baylor)
400.....	45.69	.....	Michael Bingham' (Wake Forest)
800.....	1:48.04	.....	Jacob Hernandez (Texas) (twice)
Mile.....	3:55.02	.....	German Fernandez (Oklahoma St)
3000.....	7:44.69	.....	Galen Rupp (Oregon)
5000.....	13:18.12	.....	Galen Rupp (Oregon)
60H.....	7.58	.....	Jason Richardson (South Carolina)
4 x 400.	3:05.81	.....	Baylor
DisMed	9:29.59	.....	Oregon
HJ.....	7-5 (2.26)	.....	Jerome Miller (Georgia Tech)
PV.....	18-4¾ (5.61)	.....	Jason Colwick (Rice)
LJ.....	26-11¼ (8.21)	.....	Ngoni Makusha' (Fla St)
TJ.....	55-8½ (16.98)	.....	Christian Taylor (Florida)
SP.....	68-1¾ (20.77)	.....	Zack Lloyd (Arizona)
Wt.....	75-¾ (22.86)	.....	Jason Lewis (Arizona St)
Hept.....	6174	.....	Ashton Eaton (Oregon)

(legal-sized tracks only for all categories)

so I just took an early lead to where I could relax throughout the race.”

Meanwhile, Ulrey missed scoring by one place and Forrest didn't even toe the line. By that point, Rupp could have sat out and just watched.

“Galen would not have gone along with that,” Steele laughed. “He was feeling terrific. He wanted to run everything that he ran. I think he would have run more if he could have. We didn't really talk about it, because it would have taken away a nice moment for him. He was clearly ready. He's healthy, he's fit. He has to be the athlete of the meet.”

But didn't Duck coaches have concerns of overracing their young star?

“Absolutely, we worried about it,” said Steele. “But this is the national championships. If ever there was a meet to overrace somebody, this was it.”

NCAA MEN'S RESULTS

(200 banked)

(with fields capped by NCAA, large number of auto-qualifiers meant reduced participants in individual events)

(attendance 4315/4917 = 9232; very close to capacity)—

TEAM SCORES

1. Oregon 54 (*first win ever*); 2. Florida 36; 3. Florida State 32; 4. LSU 29;

5. tie, Arizona State, Baylor & Nebraska 25; 8. Arkansas 24; 9. Texas A&M 23; 10. Texas 22.50;

11. Stanford 19; 12. Cal 18.50; 13. Texas Tech 18; 14. tie, Indiana & Minnesota 15;

16. tie, Kansas State, New Mexico & Oklahoma 14; 19. Kentucky 13; 20. tie, Missouri & South Carolina 11;

22. Virginia Tech 10½; 23. tie, Bethune-Cookman, Clemson, Rice & Wake Forest 10;

27. tie, Boise State & Providence 9; 29. tie, Liberty, Memphis & Wisconsin 8;

32. Michigan 7; 33. tie, Arizona, Connecticut, Kansas, Northern Iowa & Washington 6; 38. Tennessee 5;

39. tie, Maryland & Penn State 4½; 41. tie, Auburn, Alabama, BYU, Miami, North Carolina & Oral Roberts, 4;

47. tie, Albany, Illinois, Long Beach State, Norfolk State, UCLA & Virginia 3;

53. tie, Georgia, Northeastern, USC, Washington State & Wyoming 2; 58. Air Force 1½;

59. tie, Georgetown, Georgia Tech, Lamar, Notre Dame, Purdue, Tulsa, Utah State & UTSA 1.

60 METERS

FINAL (3/14)

1. ****Jacob Ford** (Clem) 6.52 (x, =12 C); 2. ***Trindon Holliday** (LSU) 6.55; 3. ****Terrell Wilks** (Fl) 6.61; 4. Adam Harris' (Mi) 6.62;

5. ***Rondel Sorrillo** (Ky) 6.63; 6. ****Gerald Phiri'** (TxAM-Zam) 6.63; 7. Michael Ray Garvin (FIS) 6.66; 8. ***Teddy Williams** (UTSA) 6.70.

HEATS (3/13; qualify 1+6)

I-1. Holliday 6.55; 2. Williams 6.59 PR; 3. Phiri' 6.59 =NR; 4. Harris' 6.64;

5. ***Evander Wells** (Tn) 6.70; 6. ***Jonathan Hancock** (SC) 6.75; 7. ****Ngoni Makusha'** (FIS) 8.44.

II-1. **Ford 6.51 =PR (=AL, =CL) (=5, =7 C)**; 2. Wilks 6.59; 3. Sorrillo' 6.65; 4. Garvin 6.65;

5. J-Mee Samuels (Ar) 6.72; 6. *****Maurice Mitchell** (FIS) 6.72;... fs—***Jeremy Hall** (Fl).

200 METERS

FINAL (3/13; composite)

1. ***Trey Harts** (Bay) **20.63 PR (WL, AL, CL)** (*slowest winner since '02*); 2. ***Charles Clark** (FIS) 20.67; 3. ***Rondel Sorrillo** (Ky) 20.72 PR; 4. ***Evander Wells** (Tn) 20.78;

5. ****Marvin Bonde'** (OR-Zim) 20.86 NR; 6. Brent Gray (LBSt) 20.90 PR; 7. *****Torrin Lawrence** (Ga) 20.90; 8. ****Michael Dehaven** (Aub) 20.95 PR.

Sections: I-1. Clark; 2. Bonde'; 3. Gray; 4. Dehaven.

II-1. Harts; 2. Sorrillo'; 3. Wells; 4. Lawrence.

HEATS (3/13; qualify 8)

I-1. Wells 20.81; 2. Sorrillo' 20.82.

II-1. Harts 20.73; 2. Bonde' 20.93 NR;

3. *****Reginald Dixon** (Hamp) 21.11; 4. **Jeremy Dodson** (Co) 21.14.

III-1. Clark 20.90;

2. *****Marcus Rowland** (Aub) 21.05; 3. **Marek Nitt'** (Ar) 21.12.

IV-1. Lawrence 20.79 PR; 2. Gray 20.91; 3. Dehaven 20.99;

4. ****Antonio Sales** (SC) 21.43;... dq—**Zye Boey** (Enll).

400 METERS

FINAL (3/14; composite)

1. **Michael Bingham'** (WF) **45.69 PR (WL, CL)** (**21.65/24.04**);

2. ****Gil Roberts** (TxT) **45.71 PR (AL, AmCL)** (**21.63/24.08**);

3. Jordan Boase (Wa) 46.20 PR (21.80/24.40);

4. *****Robert Simmons** (LSU) 46.28 PR (21.98/24.30);

5. Jarrin Solomon' (NM) 46.55 PR (22.01/24.54);

6. ***Calvin Smith** (Fl) 46.59 (21.60/24.99);

7. Justin Oliver (TxAM) 46.61 PR (21.74/24.87);

8. *LaJerald Betters (Bay) 46.85
(22.39/24.46);

9. Justin Gaymon (Ga) 46.89
(22.21/24.68).

Sections: I–1. Bingham'; 2. Solomon'; 3. Oliver; 4. Betters; 5. Gaymon.

II–1. Roberts; 2. Boase; 3. Simmons; 4. Smith.

HEATS (3/13; qualify 8)

I–1. Simmons 46.63; 2. Solomon' 46.95; 3. Oliver 46.97; 4. Gaymon 47.10.

II–1. Boase 46.64; 2. Smith 46.70;

3. Bobby McCoy (Az) 47.33; 4. **Marcus Boyd (Bay) 47.43.

III–1. Roberts 46.80; 2. Bingham' 46.94; 3. Jeremy Orr (MiSt) 47.12; 4. ***Thomas Murdaugh (OhSt) 47.16.

IV–1. Shoes Masheto' (Il) 47.37; 2. *Lukas Hulett (Nb) 47.44; 3. Betters 48.45 (advanced to final on protest);...
dq—**Cazal Arnett (Bing).

800 METERS

FINAL (3/14)

1. **Jacob Hernandez (Tx) 1:48.04 (=CL)**
(25.19, 27.46 [52.65], 27.77 [1:20.42], 27.62) (52.65/55.39)

2. *Andrew Wheating (Or) 1:48.54
(25.70, 27.27 [52.97], 28.22 [1:21.19], 27.35) (52.97/55.57)

3. Tyler Mulder (Nnla) 1:48.57 (*defending champ*);
(25.31, 27.59 [52.90], 28.20 [1:21.10], 27.47) (52.90/55.67)

4. *Mike Rutt (Ct) 1:48.58;
(25.91, 26.87 [52.78], 28.06 [1:20.84], 27.74) (52.78/55.80)

5. *Chris Gowell' (Bay) 1:48.78;
(25.48, 27.68 [53.16], 28.21 [1:21.37], 27.41) (53.16/55.62)

6. Tevan Everett (Tx) 1:49.13;
(24.87, 27.57 [52.44], 28.42 [1:20.86], 28.27) (52.44/56.69)

7. Carlos Phillips (Fl) 1:50.34;
(25.40, 27.83 [53.23], 28.98 [1:22.21], 28.13) (53.23/57.11)

8. Brian Gagnon (Ct) 1:52.28.
(25.68, 27.50 [53.18], 29.02 [1:22.20], 30.08) (53.18/59.10)

HEATS (3/13; qualify 2+4)

I–1. Everett 1:49.04; 2. Rutt 1:49.10; 3. Gowell' 1:49.19; 4. Phillips 1:49.68; 5. Gagnon 1:49.72;

6. ***Mason McHenry (AzSt) 1:49.85; 7. **Donte Holmes (DeSt) 1:53.45.

II–1. Wheating 1:49.17; 2. Mulder 1:49.61; 3. Hernandez 1:49.75;

4. Sean Tully (Vill) 1:50.02; 5. *Zach Beth (Wi) 1:50.05; 6. David Holm' (Enll) 1:50.33; 7. **Chris Bilbrew (Ar) 1:50.42.

MILE

FINAL (3/14)

1. Lee Emanuel' (NM) 4:00.36
(31.28 [209m], 30.37 [1:01.65], 30.92 [1:32.57], 33.79 [2:06.36], 31.03 [2:37.39], 28.17 [3:05.56], 27.59 [3:33.15], 27.21) (27.21, 54.80);

2. *Craig Miller (Wi) 4:01.34
(31.58, 30.32 [1:01.90], 30.87 [1:32.77], 33.80 [2:06.57], 31.63 [2:38.20], 27.59 [3:05.79], 27.55 [3:33.34], 28.00) (28.00, 55.55);

3. *Dorian Ulrey (Ar) 4:02.19
(32.18, 30.12 [1:02.30], 30.87 [1:33.17], 33.49 [2:06.66], 31.73 [2:38.39], 28.44 [3:06.83], 27.96 [3:34.79], 27.40) (27.40, 55.36);

4. ***David McCarthy' (Prov) 4:02.24
(27.43, 55.39);

5. *Hayden McLaren' (Prov) 4:02.51
(27.89, 55.46);

6. **Matthew Centrowitz (Or) 4:02.69
(27.73, 56.01);

7. Justin Switzer (Mi) 4:02.99

(28.25, 56.62);

8. **Mark Davidson' (Tul) 4:03.09
(27.80, 55.54);

9. Ian Fitzgerald (WM) 4:03.37
(27.98, 55.88);

10. *Jacob Boone (Ok) 4:03.43
(27.63, 55.55);

11. **Duncan Phillips (Ar) 4:08.73.

HEATS (3/13; qualify 3+4)

I–1. Miller 4:04.18; 2. Ulrey 4:04.61; 3. Davidson' 4:04.69; 4. McCarthy' 4:04.72; 5. Centrowitz 4:04.72;

6. *A.J. Acosta (Or) 4:05.72; 7. Austin Abbott (Wa) 4:06.07.

II–1. McLaren' 4:01.36; 2. Fitzgerald 4:01.49; 3. Switzer 4:01.55; 4. Emanuel' 4:01.61; 5. Boone 4:01.80; 6. Phillips 4:02.84;

7. *Shane Knoll (MiSt) 4:05.05.

3000 METERS

RESULTS (3/14)

1. *Galen Rupp (Or) 7:48.94
(30.68, 30.33 [1:01.01], 30.56 [1:31.57], 31.13 [2:02.70], 31.19 [2:33.89], 31.58 [3:05.47], 31.27 [3:36.74], 31.35 [4:08.09], 31.42 [4:39.51], 31.54 [5:11.05], 31.56 [5:42.61], 31.24 [6:13.85], 31.82 [6:45.67], 30.85 [7:16.52], 32.42)

(61.01, 61.69 [2:02.70], 62.77 [3:05.47], 62.62 [4:08.09], 62.96 [5:11.05], 62.80 [6:13.85], 62.67 [7:16.52], 32.42) (2:33.89, 2:37.16 [5:11.05], 2:37.89) (32.42, 63.27, 2:06.33);

2. **Michael Coe (Cal) 7:54.42
(28.33, 57.88);

3. ***Elliott Heath (Stan) 7:54.59
(28.28, 57.66);

4. **Hassan Mead (Mn) 7:56.15 PR
(28.37, 58.60);

5. ***Chris Derrick (Stan) 7:56.31 AJR
(old AJR 7:57.71 Fernandez [OkSt] '09) (in/out: 4, 4 AJ)

(28.35, 59.01);

6. **Matt Leeder (FIS) 7:59.16
(29.53, 60.68);

7. *Chris Rombough (Mn) 8:00.37
(30.22, 61.24);

8. Patrick Smyth (NDm) 8:01.65
(31.23, 63.41);

9. *Dorian Ulrey (Ar) 8:03.26
(27.64, 58.93);

10. *Emmanuel Bor' (Al) 8:03.73
(32.61, 64.47);

11. Shadrack Kiptoo-Biwott' (Or) 8:06.12
(32.50, 65.91);

12. **Matthew Centrowitz (Or) 8:10.73
(34.85, 69.34);

... fs—*John Kosgei' (OkSt);

... dnc—Shawn Forrest' (Ar).

5000 METERS

RESULTS (3/13)

1. *Galen Rupp (Or) 13:41.45
(30.21, 35.20 [1:05.41], 33.60 [1:39.01], 33.42 [2:12.43], 34.22 [2:46.65], 35.36 [3:22.01], 36.27 [3:58.28], 32.79 [4:31.07], 30.32 [5:01.39], 31.06 [5:32.45], 35.43 [6:07.88], 34.89 [6:42.77], 35.52 [7:18.29], 36.18 [7:54.47], 35.11 [8:29.58], 33.56 [9:03.14], 31.90 [9:35.04], 31.32 [10:06.36], 31.87 [10:38.23], 33.82 [11:12.05], 34.12 [11:46.17], 29.60 [12:15.77], 28.71 [12:44.48], 28.12 [13:12.60], 28.85)

(65.41, 67.02 [2:12.43], 69.58 [3:22.01], 69.06 [4:31.07], 61.38 [5:32.45], 70.32 [6:42.77], 71.70 [7:54.47], 68.67 [9:03.14], 63.22 [10:06.36], 65.69 [11:12.05], 63.72 [12:15.77], 56.83 [13:12.60], 28.85)

(2:46.65, 2:45.80 [5:32.45], 2:57.13 [8:29.58], 2:42.47 [11:12.05], 2:29.40) (28.85, 56.97, 1:55.28);

2. **Sam Chelanga' (Lib) 13:44.57
(5:32.15, 8:29.29, 11:11.78) (29.21, 59.48);

3. Shawn Forrest' (Ar) 13:44.78
(29.29, 59.22);

4. ***Chris Derrick (Stan) 13:48.26
(29.22, 60.35);

5. *Tyson David' (Al) 13:49.58
(2:46.09)

(30.58, 61.84);

6. ***Luke Puskedra (Or) 13:50.82
(31.35, 62.61);

7. *Elkanah Kibet' (Aub) 13:55.25
(31.88, 64.45);

8. *Samuel Kosgei' (Lam) 14:00.38
(30.03, 63.65);

9. *Jake Schmitt (Wa) 14:04.20
(33.45, 67.24);

10. Shadrack Kiptoo-Biwott' (Or) 14:07.81
(34.78, 69.77);

11. *Rory Fraser' (NM) 14:10.35
(32.30, 67.51);

12. Kenyon Neuman (Co) 14:11.08
(29.64, 61.32);

13. Dan Nunn (Gtn) 14:11.28;

14. Scott Wall (Or) 14:24.18.

60-METER HURDLES

FINAL (3/14)

1. **Ronnie Ash (B-C) 7.63 PR; 2. *Omo Osaghae (TxT) 7.64 PR; 3. **Johnny Dutch (SC) 7.71 PR; 4. Kirkland Thornton (Nb) 7.75 PR;

5. *Myles Bradley (Stan) 7.85; 6. ***Andrew Riley' (II) 7.87; 7. Dennis Martin (FI) 7.88; 8. **Josh Hembrough (Pur) 7.94.

HEATS (3/13; qualify 1+6)

I-1. Bradley 7.79; 2. Dutch 7.79 =PR; 3. Ash 7.80; 4. Thornton 7.80; 5. Martin 7.81;

6. Kallinka Pitt (FI) 7.85; 7. Mikel Thomas' (Ky) 7.89.

II-1. Osaghae 7.72; 2. Hembrough 7.81; 3. Riley' 7.81;

4. **Lehann Fourie' (Nb) 7.86; 5. *Nate Larkin (Wi) 7.89; 6. **Jarret Eaton (Syr) 7.92;... dnf—Ramon Sosa' (Syr).

4 x 400

RESULTS (3/14; composite)

1. Baylor 3:05.81 (WL, AL, CL)

(*Trey Harts 47.39, **Marcus Boyd 46.03, *LeJerald Betters 45.59, Quentin I-Summers 46.80);

2. Florida State 3:05.97

(**Kevin Williams 47.12, ***Kevin Borlee' 45.84, ***Brandon O'Connor 46.63, ***Jonathan Borlee' 46.38);

3. Florida 3:07.51

(***Christian Taylor 47.72, ***William Wynne 47.40, R.J. Anderson 46.69, *Calvin Smith 45.70);

4. South Carolina 3:07.83

(*Quentin Moore 47.38, **Johnny Dutch 47.39, *Obakeng Ngwigwa' 46.20, **Aaron Anderson 46.86);

5. Texas A&M 3:08.46

(**Tran Howell 47.89, **Bryan Miller 47.32, **Kyle Dykhuizen 46.75, Justin Oliver 46.50);

6. LSU 3:08.47

(*Armanti Hayes 47.53, **Jamar Howard 47.44, ***Ade Alleyne-Forte' 47.29, ***Robert Simmons 46.21);

7. Texas Tech 3:08.90

(Rodney Mims 47.67, ***Markus Henderson 48.26, **Brandon Washington 46.90, **Gil Roberts 46.07);

8. Washington State 3:08.97

(Barry Leavitt 48.25, *Reny Follett 47.02, Justin Woods 47.69, **Jeshua Anderson 46.01);

9. TCU 3:09.06

(*Dell Guy 47.47, **Jordan Pitts 47.89, **Sean Zurko 47.51, **Matt Love 46.19);

10. Georgia 3:09.11

(Justin Gaymon 47.51, Michael Proctor 48.17, ***Phillip Adams 48.32, ***Torrin Lawrence 45.11);

11. Kentucky 3:09.15

(***Justin Austin 47.00, Jose Acevedo' 46.91, Brandon Austin 48.03, ***Rondel Sorillo' 47.21).

Sections: I-1. Texas Tech; 2. TCU; 3. Georgia.

II-1. Texas A&M; 2. LSU; 3. Washington State; 4. Kentucky.

III-1. Baylor; 2. Florida State; 3. Florida; 4. South Carolina.

DISTANCE MEDLEY

RESULTS (3/13)

1. Oregon 9:29.59 (WL, AL, CL) (8 W, 4 A, 7 C)

(*A.J. Acosta 2:56.55, *Chad Barlow 47.14,

*Andrew Wheating 1:48.83, *Galen Rupp 3:57.07);

2. Arkansas 9:30.31

(**Duncan Phillips 2:55.57, ***Ben Skidmore 47.46, Alex McClary 1:49.24, *Dorian Ulrey 3:58.04);

3. Cal 9:30.39

(*Mark Matusak 2:56.16, Jake Hanson 47.71,

**Sebastian Sam 1:48.86, **Michael Coe 3:57.66);

4. Texas 9:32.77

(Jacob Hernandez 2:54.05, *Tevan Everett 46.92, **Danzell Fortson 1:50.52, Jake Morse 4:01.28);

5. BYU 9:35.36

(Jacob Gustafsson 2:55.78, *Kevin Biesenger 47.17, Keith Jensen 1:51.00, Kyle Perry 4:01.41);

6. Virginia 9:36.89

(***Sintayehu Taye' 2:55.88, **Meikle Paschal 47.80, ***Lance Roller 1:51.44, Andrew Jesien 4:01.77);

7. Indiana 9:37.47

(**De'Sean Turner 2:56.39, John Gunnell 48.42, *Evan Bardach 1:49.61, ***Ben Hubers 4:03.05);

8. Georgetown 9:37.50

(*Sandy Roberts 2:57.47, *Danny Harris 49.24, *John Maloy 1:50.40, *Andrew Bumbalough 4:00.39);

9. Penn State 9:37.62

(Tim Johnson 2:57.41, *Mike Cadau 47.68, **Ryan Foster 1:49.91, **Samuel Borchers 4:02.62);

10. Oklahoma 9:38.70

(**Scott Cooper 2:56.94, *Jarell Warren 47.03, **Chris Sweeney 1:51.15, **Rob Sorrell 4:03.58);

11. Virginia Tech 9:38.94

(**Eddie Judge 2:57.13, ***Nick Vaughn 47.89, **Ryan Witt 1:50.71, Billy Berlin 4:03.21);

12. UTEP 9:38.97

(Dominic Tanui' 2:56.73, **Anderson Mutegi' 46.48, *Aggrey Chirchir' 1:50.82, *Nicodemus Ng'etich' 4:04.94);

13. Auburn 9:39.11

(*Jean-Pierre Weerts' 2:57.87, ***Marcus Rowland 46.70, *Scott Novack 1:55.60, *Felix Kiboiyo' 3:58.94);

14. Northern Iowa 9:39.37

(***Andrew Perkins 2:57.45, *Cory Goos 47.07, ***Beau Dielschneider 1:50.79, ***Thibault Vanderabeele' 4:04.06);

15. Kent State 9:42.61

(**John Minen 2:59.62, *Curtis Eaton Jr. 47.87,

**Destin Heasley 1:51.09, Tony Jordane' 4:04.03);

16. Villanova 9:50.41

(**Christopher Williams 2:59.18, Elvis Lewis 48.96,

**Jason Apwah 1:52.91, **Matthew Gibney' 4:09.36);

17. Wisconsin 9:50.49

(*Ryan Gasper 3:00.31, **Quinn Evans 47.30, Steven Ludwig 1:52.23, *Jack Bolas 4:10.05);

18. New Mexico 9:52.43

(*David Bishop' 2:58.09, ***Dominick Roberts 48.94, **Ryan Steadman 1:56.49, Mat Ashton' 4:08.91).

Sections: I-1. Texas; 2. Indiana; 3. Georgetown; 4. Penn State; 5. Oklahoma; 6. UTEP; 7. Auburn; 8. Northern Iowa; 9. Kent State.

II-1. Oregon; 2. Arkansas; 3. Cal; 4. BYU; 5. Virginia; 6. Virginia Tech; 7. Villanova; 8. Wisconsin; 9. New Mexico.

HIGH JUMP

RESULTS (3/14)

1. Scott Sellers (KsSt) 7-4½ (2.25); 2. ***Derek Drouin' (In) 7-¼ (2.14); 3. tie,

Raymond Harris (Tx), ***Dwight Barbiasz (Md), Ryan Fritz (PennSt) & Ed Wright (Cal) 7-¼;

7. *Manjula Wijesekara' (USC) 7-¼; 8. *Trent Arrivey (WaSt) 6-10¼ (2.09); 9. tie,

Marquis Thomas (Ct), **Clint Silcock (UtSt) & *Justin Frick (Prin) 6-10¼;

12. *Paul Gill (Ok) 6-10¼;... nh—*Matt Fisher (Mn), **Paul Hamilton (Nb), ***Adam Bergo (Rut), Ryan Grinnell (Boise), **Michael McCall (Akr).

POLE VAULT

RESULTS (3/13)

1. *Jason Colwick (Rice) 18-4½ (5.60); 2. *Yavgeniy Olhovskiy' (VaT) 17-10½ (5.45);

3. *Jordan Scott (Ks) 17-10½;

4. *Jeff Coover (In) 17-6½ (5.35); 5. *Seth Burney (Nb) 17-6½; 6. *Luke Schoen (Alb) 17-6½; 7. tie, *Nick Frawley (AF) & **Hunter Hall (VaT) 17-2¾ (5.25);

9. *Brian Hancock (Mo) 16-10¾ (5.15); 10. **Maston Wallace (Tx) 16-10¾;... nh—Nick Mossberg (Az), Bob Low (BYU), **Johnny Quinn (UCLA), *Matt Schipper (NDm).

LONG JUMP

RESULTS (3/13)

1. **Nicholas Gordon' (Nb) 26-4¼ (8.03) PR

(25-10¾, 25-7¼, 25-8¾, 25-1¼, 25-9½, 26-4¼)

(7.89, 7.80, 7.84, 7.65, 7.86, 8.03);

2. Jeremy Hicks (LSU) 26-3½ (8.01) PR

(25-9½, f, 25-10, f, 26-3½, f)

(7.86, f, 7.87, f, 8.01, f);

3. ***Will Claye (Ok) 25-10 (7.87) PR

(24-7¼, 25-4, 25-6, f, 25-10, f)

	6-10¼	7-¼	7-2¼	7-3¼	7-4½	7-6½
Wijesekara... o		xxo	xxx	—	—	—
Wright..... o		xo	xxx	—	—	—
Harris..... o		xo	xxx	—	—	—
Fritz..... o		xo	xxx	—	—	—
Hamilton..... xxx		—	—	—	—	—
Grinnell..... ppp		xxx	—	—	—	—
Bergo..... xxx		—	—	—	—	—
Sellers..... o		o	o	ppp	o	xxx
Barbiasz..... o		xo	xxx	—	—	—
Fisher..... xxx		—	—	—	—	—
Thomas..... xo		xxx	—	—	—	—
Frick..... xo		xxx	—	—	—	—
Gill..... xxx		—	—	—	—	—
Arrivey..... o		xxx	—	—	—	—
Drouin..... o		o	xxx	—	—	—
McCall..... xxx		—	—	—	—	—
Silcock..... xo		xxx	—	—	—	—
	2.09	2.14	2.19	2.22	2.25	2.30

	16-10¼	17-2¼	17-6½	17-10½	18-½	18-2½	18-4½	18-6½	18-8¼
Frawley..... p	xo	xxx	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Scott..... p	o	o	xo	p	xpp	x	—	—	—
Schoen..... xo	xo	xxo	xxx	—	—	—	—	—	—
Olhovskiy xxo	p	o	o	p	xpp	xpp	x	—	—
Quinn..... xxx	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Burney..... o	o	xxo	xxx	—	—	—	—	—	—
Mossberg..... xxx	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Colwick..... p	p	o	p	o	o	o	p	xxx	—
Hall..... o	xo	xxx	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hancock..... o	xxx	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Coover..... o	o	o	xxx	—	—	—	—	—	—
Low..... p	xxx	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Wallace..... xxo	xxx	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Schipper..... xxx	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	5.15	5.25	5.35	5.45	5.50	5.55	5.60	5.65	5.71

11. *Leif Arrhenius' (BYU) 65-9¼ (20.06); 12. Zac Brouillette (IaSt) 65-4 (19.91); 13. Alex Godell (CoSt) 64-8½ (19.72); 14. *Sean Pruitt (Mi) 64-5¼ (19.64).

HEPTATHLON

RESULTS (3/13-14)

1. *Ashton Eaton (Or) 5988 (x, 7 C)

(6.86, 24-3/7.39, 38-4/11.68, 6-7½/2.02 [3250-1], 7.90, 16-8¼/5.10, 2:47.68 [2738]);

2. Gonzalo Barroilhet' (FIST) 5879 (defending champ)

(7.12, 23-6¼/7.17,

45-7/13.89, 6-6¼/1.99 [3210-3], 7.99, 16-8¼/5.10, 2:52.11 [2669]);

3. ***Bjorn Barrefors' (Nb) 5795 (7.13, 24-2½/7.38, 46-10/14.27, 6-4/1.93 [3227-2], 8.09, 15-9/4.80, 2:50.57 [2568]);

4. *Nick Adcock (Mo) 5719 (7.17, 22-7/6.88, 47-11¼/14.61, 6-7½/2.02 [3196-4], 8.24, 15-1/4.60, 2:45.74 [2523]);

5. **Moritz Cleve' (KsSt) 5657 (7.22, 22-9/6.93, 44-9½/13.65, 6-4/1.93 [3050-11], 8.15, 15-9/4.80, 2:45.43 [2607]);

6. Pelle Rietveld' (FIST) 5620 (7.16, 22-1¾/6.75, 45-¼/13.72, 6-1½/1.87 [2979-13], 8.20, 16-¾/4.90, 2:44.08 [2641]);

7. Daniel Keller (NC) 5589 (7.42, 22-7¾/6.90, 44-1¼/13.44, 6-6¼/1.99 [3017-12], 8.51, 16-8¼/5.10, 2:49.26 [2572]);

8. John Strang (UtSt) 5532 (6.96, 24-1/7.34, 34-0/10.36, 6-8¼/2.05 [3150-6], 8.25, 14-1¼/4.30, 2:50.51 [2382]);

9. **Lars Rise' (Mo) 5528 (7.30, 23-8¼/7.23, 52-8¼/16.07, 6-1½/1.87 [3191-5], 8.65, 14-9/4.50, 2:51.31 [2337]);

10. **Michael Ayers (Tn) 5454 (7.13, 22-11¼/6.99, 42-9/13.03, 6-4/1.93 [3057-10], 8.70, 15-5/4.70, 2:50.10 [2397]);

11. Matt Bishoff (NDSt) 5423 (7.34, 23-1¼/7.04, 41-7¼/12.69, 6-7½/2.02 [3058-9], 8.66, 15-5/4.70, 2:54.15 [2365]);

12. ***Jeremy Taiwo (Wa) 5389 (7.17, 23-10¼/7.27, 40-3½/12.28, 6-6¼/1.99 [3118-8], 8.31, 12-1½/3.70, 2:43.90 [2271]);

13. *Brent LaRue (WF) 4926 (7.03, 21-8/6.60, 3f, 6-5/1.96 [2359-14], 8.16, 15-9/4.80, 2:49.03 [2567]);

14. ***Gray Horn (Fl) 4769 (7.16, 23-10¾/7.28, 40-11¼/12.49, 6-6¼/1.99 [3137-7], 8.33, nh, 2:53.22 [1632]).

(7.50, 7.72, 7.77, f, 7.87, f);

4. **Julian Reid' (TxAM) 25-8¼ (7.83)

(24-10½, 25-3½, 24-10½, 25-3¼, 25-8¼, f)

(7.58, 7.71, 7.58, 7.70, 7.83, f);

5. **Mike Morse (Mia) 25-7¼ (7.80);

6. ***Christian Taylor (Fl) 25-5½ (7.76); 7.

*Marlon Woods (Norf) 25-4¾ (7.74);

8. **Corey Vinson (Norf) 25-¾ (7.64); 9.

***Chris Phipps (Nb) 25-½ (7.63); 10. ***Tarik

Batchelor' (Ar) 24-9 (7.54);

11. *Will Coppage (LSU) 24-8¼ (7.52);

12. LeRon Williams (Nb) 24-5½ (7.45); 13.

*Anthony Flemons (TxT) 24-3 (7.39); 14.

*Alain Bailey' (Ar) 24-2½ (7.38).

TRIPLE JUMP

RESULTS (3/14)

1. ***Christian Taylor (Fl) 55-8½ (16.98) AJR (old AJR 55-1½/16.80 Simms[GM] '01 & Claye in series) (also superior to outdoor AJR 55-2/16.81[A] Neal [Tn] '02) (8, x AmC)

(50-7½, 52-11½ PR, 54-8¼ PR [5, 5 AJ at time; now x, 7 AJ], 52-2, f, 55-8½) (15.43, 16.14, 16.67, 15.90, f, 16.98);

2. ***Will Claye (Ok) 55-1½ (16.80) PR (=3, =3 AJ) (at time =AJR Simms[GM] '01)

(51-9¼, 53-5½, 54-4 PR [at time 10, x AJ], f, p, 55-1½)

(15.79, 16.29, 16.56, f, p, 16.80);

3. *Zuheir Sharif (TxAM) 53-6¼ (16.31)

(50-6, 53-3½, 53-6¼, 52-9¼, f, 53-2¼)

(15.39, 16.24, 16.31, 16.08, f, 16.21);

4. Ryan Grinnell (Boise) 53-3 (16.23)

(53-3, 53-¼, f, f, 53-¾, f)

(16.23, 16.16, f, f, 16.17, f);

5. Nkosinza Balumbu (Ar) 53-¼ (16.16)

(defending champ); 6. **Julian Reid' (TxAM)

52-11 (16.13); 7. **Austin Davis (NC) 52-10¼

(16.11);

8. *Alphonso Jordan (GaT) 52-9¼

(16.08) PR; 9. **Tyron Stewart (TxAM)

52-8 (16.05); 10. **Melvin Echard (TxAM)

52-3¼ (15.93);

11. Shardae Boutte (Ok) 52-¾ (15.87);

12. *Andre Black (Louis) 51-9¾ (15.79); 13.

*Anthony Flemons (TxT) 51-5 (15.67); 14.

***Tarik Batchelor' (Ar) 49-2¼ (14.99).

SHOT

RESULTS (3/13)

1. *Ryan Whiting (AzSt) 66-1¾ (20.16) (defending champ)

(64-5¼, 66-1¾, 66-1, f, f, f) (19.64, 20.16, 20.14, f, f, f);

2. *Aaron Studt (Mn) 63-6¼ (19.36) PR

(61-4, f, f, f, 62-6, 63-6¼)

(18.69, f, f, f, 19.05, 19.36);

3. Zack Lloyd (Az) 63-¼ (19.21)

(f, f, 63-¼, f, f, f)

(f, f, 19.21, f, f, f);

4. *Jason Lewis (AzSt) 62-10¼ (19.17)

(60-¼, 61-9, 62-1, f, 62-10¼, f)

(18.29, 18.82, 18.92, f, 19.17, f);

5. **Kemal Mesić' (Fl) 62-8 (19.10) PR;

6. Chase Madison (Ky) 62-1 (18.92) PR; 7.

*Nate Hunter (NE) 61-4¾ (18.71) PR;

8. Eric Werskey (Aub) 61-1½ (18.63); 9.

John Hickey (Ia) 60-3¼ (18.38); 10. Nick

Panezich (Tn) 58-11½ (17.97);

11. **Bo Taylor (UCLA) 58-8¾ (17.90);

12. Yemi Ayeni' (Va) 57-11¼ (17.66); 13.

Jason Cook (SC) 57-5¾ (17.52); 14. *Steve

Marcelle (GaT) 56-5¾ (17.21).

WEIGHT

RESULTS (3/14)

1. *Jason Lewis (AzSt) 75-¾ (22.88) PR (CL) (9, x C; 3, x AmC)

(f, 68-6½, 69-8¾, 70-4½, 75-¾, 70-10½)

(f, 20.89, 21.25, 21.45, 22.88, 21.60);

2. *Steffen Nerdal' (Mem) 73-11½ (22.54) PR

(69-11¾, 73-8¼, f, 70-10½, 73-11½, 70-8)

(21.33, 22.46, f, 21.60, 22.54, 21.54);

3. Chris Rohr (Mo) 73-4½ (22.36)

(70-9¼, 73-4½, 72-1, 72-2¼, 71-0, 70-6½)

(21.58, 22.36, 21.97, 22.00, 21.64, 21.50);

4. ***Walter Henning (LSU) 73-4½ (22.36)

(73-4½, f, f, f, 71-1½, f)

(22.36, f, f, f, 21.68, f);

5. Simon Wardhaugh' (Boise) 71-½ (21.65);

6. Boldi Kocsor (UCLA) 705¼ (21.47); 7. Jake

Shanklin (Wy) 69-5½ (21.17);

8. ***Marcel Lomnický' (VaT) 68-10½

(20.99) PR; 9. **Mike Zajac (SC) 67-11¾

(20.72); 10. Alex Pessala (Prin) 66-8

(20.32);

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