



LONE STAR CONFERENCE INDOOR TRACK & FIELD

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SCHEDULE

Friday, February 6, 2015

Texas A&M-Commerce at MSSU Lion Open, Joplin, Mo.

West Texas A&M, Eastern New Mexico at New Mexico Collegiate Classic, Albuquerque, N.M.

Saturday, February 7, 2015

Texas A&M-Kingsville at Ramapo College Invitational, New York, N.Y.

Sunday, February 8, 2015

Midwestern State at UCO Indoor Invitational #2, Norman, Okla.

WEEKLY AWARDS

DATE MEN'S TRACK

J-21 Chase Rathke, Tarleton State
J-28 Corey Bassett, Harding
F-5 Lorenzo Johnson, West Texas A&M

DATE MEN'S FIELD

J-21 Lutalo Boyce, Texas A&M-Kingsville
J-28 De'Onte Garrett, Harding
F-5 Lutalo Boyce, Texas A&M-Kingsville (2)

DATE WOMEN'S TRACK

J-21 Sharon Kwarula, West Texas A&M
J-28 Ewa Zaborowska, Harding
F-5 Amber Perry, Texas A&M-Kingsville

DATE WOMEN'S FIELD

J-21 Euphemia Edem, Tarleton State
J-28 Jenae Wolfram, Eastern New Mexico
F-5 Kearah Danville, Angelo State

PERFORMANCE LIST

<http://www.tfrrs.org/lists/1385.html>



February 28-March 1, 2015
Lubbock, Texas



LSC INDOOR TRACK AND FIELD

Lone Star Conference Indoor Track & Field athletes have recorded seven NCAA Division II Automatic qualifying marks (two men, five women) and 45 provisional efforts (12 men, 14 women). See the LSC performance list here: <http://www.tfrrs.org/lists/1385.html>.

ATHLETES OF THE WEEK

MEN'S TRACK

Lorenzo Johnson, West Texas A&M University, JR, Mineral Wells, Texas, Mineral Wells HS

After breaking the school's 55mH record in his WT debut two weeks ago, Lorenzo Johnson did so twice on Friday at the Masked Rider Open, increasing his strong provisional time in the converted 60mH event to 7.94. He topped the preliminary and semifinal races before finishing second overall in the finals on Friday, though the top finisher among non-D1 athletes. Johnson currently ranks fourth in the nation in the event and leads the Lone Star Conference.

MEN'S FIELD

Lutalo Boyce, Texas A&M University - Kingsville, SO, Westbury, N.Y., Westbury HS/Nassau CC

Boyce broke the LSC and Texas A&M-Kingsville school record in the long jump for the second straight meet with a leap of 24-11.75 (7.61m) at the Masked Rider Open. His jump is the second best in the nation this season and has automatically qualified him for the NCAA Championships. Boyce also placed 11th in the triple jump with a distance of 44-2.75 (13.48m).

WOMEN'S TRACK

Amber Perry, Texas A&M University - Kingsville, SR, Goliad, Texas, Goliad HS

Perry had a busy weekend at the Masked Rider Open as she competed in the 55m, 200m and 400m dashes, 4x400m relay and high jump. She shed nearly half a second off her LSC best 400m time, finishing in a provisional qualifying time of 56.56 to place fifth. Perry helped the 4x400m relay squad to a fifth place finish while posting a provisional time of 3:51.40. Her clearance of 5-1.25 (1.56m) was good for 10th place in the high jump as well.

WOMEN'S FIELD

Kearah Danville, Angelo State University, SR, Kingston, Jamaica, The Queen's School

Danville used her last jump of the Masked Rider Open to guarantee her a chance to defend her NCAA Division II triple jump championship. The senior jumped a NCAA Division II automatic-qualifying mark of 40'-9.50" (12.43-meters) and placed second overall. She is currently ranked No. 3 in NCAA Division II.

OTHER TOP PERFORMERS

Michael Idziak, Texas A&M University - Kingsville, recorded three top 10 finishes at the Masked Rider Open. He posted a provisional qualifying time in the 800m run, the lone LSC runner to do so, of 1:52.64 that placed him third at the meet. A second place finish in the 1,000 yard run (2:28.11) followed for him. Idziak finished the meet by helping the Javelinas' 4x400m relay team to an eighth place finish in 3:19.56.

Matt Dominguez, Eastern New Mexico University, shattered his own school record in the 800-meter run, with a time of 1:58.07, to finish 19th. He edged 20th-place finisher Tony Perez (Barton County) by just .01 and was .30 behind 18th-place finisher Joey Gonzales (Wayland Baptist).

Zach Weatherly, West Texas A&M University, bumped up his provisional mark in the men's shot put competition as he threw 54-7.25 (16.64m) at the Masked Rider Open in Lubbock last weekend. He now leads the Lone Star Conference in the event and ranks 17th nationally.

Michaela Johnson, West Texas A&M University, had an outstanding weekend as she broke the school and Lone Star Conference record on Friday in the women's 5000m race at the Masked Rider Open in Lubbock. She finished with a time of 17:37.31, placing second overall in the event.

Sabrina Huelga, Eastern New Mexico, registered a fourth-place performance in the women's 800-meter run at the Texas Tech Masked Rider Open, finishing with a time of 2:17.90, less than two seconds behind the event's first-place finisher.

Holly Cunigan, West Texas A&M University, went right back to it at the Masked Rider Open in Lubbock on Friday after setting the new school mark in the women's shot put two weeks ago. She broke her own school record again and the Lone Star Conference record in the shot put with a 46-0.5 (14.03m) throw, placing her third in the event. That improved her provisional mark as she leads the LSC in the event and ranks 14th nationally.

NOTES (Submitted by LSC SID's)

[Angelo State](#)

Eastern New Mexico

The Eastern New Mexico men's and women's track and field teams turned in top performances this weekend at the Texas Tech Masked Rider Open, breaking a total of six school records. The women were led by a top performer senior Sabrina Huelga who finished fourth overall in the women's 800 meter run with a time of

2:17.90. Huelga was followed by Klaudia Szych who finished with a time of 2:19.98. Ashlee Pierson broke her own school record in the 200 meter dash with a time of 26.86. Amber Saiz finished fifth in the women's 3000 meter run, with a time of 10:14, setting a new school record. On the men's side senior Matthew Dominguez broke his own school record in the men's 800 meter run with a time of 1:58.07. Ilia Eligulachvili took 19th in the men's 600-yard run with a time of 1:15.29, breaking the school record previously held by Dominguez. The men's and women's track and field teams will travel to Albuquerque next weekend to compete in the University of New Mexico Collegiate Classic.

Harding

Midwestern State

Tarleton State

Texas A&M-Commerce

Texas A&M-Kingsville

Texas A&M-Kingsville men's team rose four spots to 17th in the after a strong performance at the Masked Rider Open. The Javelinas had two post automatic qualifying marks for the NCAA Championships. Jeron Robinson cleared a height of 7-2.5 (2.20m) in the high jumper, the best in Division II. Lutalo Boyce broke the LSC and school record for the second straight meet in the long jump with a leap of 24-11.75 (7.62m). Michael Idziak also ran a provisional time in the 800m which is also the best in the conference. For the women, Amber Perry ran a provisional time in the 400m and helped the 4x400m relay team also hit the provisional mark. Kaina Martinez is tied for the best 60m mark in the LSC at 7.63. This week, part of the team will make the trip to New York City for the Ramapo College Indoor Invite.

West Texas A&M

The West Texas A&M men's and women's track & field teams capped off the 2015 Masked Rider Open last weekend in record-breaking fashion, tearing down two Lone Star Conference marks along with four school records. In the process, WT set 10 new or improved provisional marks on the weekend. Each of those record breaking performances came on Friday. Senior Michaela Johnson and sophomore Holly Cunigan would put their names on the Lone Star Conference all-time leaderboard with performances in the women's 5000m and shot put events, respectively. Additional school records were broken by juniors Lorenzo Johnson (men's 55mH) and Shanice Cameron (women's 55m). WT will be back in action this weekend as it travels to Albuquerque, N.M. to compete in the New Mexico Collegiate Classic. The event will be held on Friday and Saturday, Feb. 6-7, in the Albuquerque Convention Center and will be hosted by the University of New Mexico.