

## Emch sets indoor 3,200 school record

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Photo Credit: Danielle DeFalco Top photo: Leah Emch Bottom photo: Haley Sponaugle

Leah Emch set the Eastwood High School indoor record in the 3,200 Sunday afternoon during the Dave Wottle Open at Bowling Green State University.

The freshman had a time of 12:26.79 to break the record of sophomore teammate Haley Sponaugle, who was clocked in 12:33.96 earlier this season.

Emch's time, which was good for third place in the meet, was almost a 10-second personal record. She ran 12:36.00 earlier this season.

Sponaugle was fourth in the race with a time of 12:42.70.

In the 1,600, Emch and Sponaugle ran the second- and third-fastest times, respectively, in school history. Their times also were PRs. Emch had a time of 5:44.64, lowering her best from 6:01.75. Sponaugle's time was 5:53.97, improving her previous best of 5:54.22.

Also finishing in the Top 10 for the Eagles were:

- 4x200 relay: third, team of junior Emma Downs, senior Maisy Stevenson, freshman Kyrie Henline and senior Mikayla Hoelter, 1:56.86. The time was the ninth-fastest in school history.
- 4x400 relay: third, team of Stevenson, sophomore Avery Bowman, junior Kayden Firsdon and Hoelter, 4:37:06. The time was the second-fastest in school history.
- 4x800 relay: fourth, team of sophomore Cameron Sechkar, freshmen Emily Payne and Emerson Sheets, and sophomore Jady Lubash, 12:44.97. The time was the ninth-fastest in school history.
- Weight throw: third, senior Ava Kiefer, 43-1; and, seventh, junior Olivia Newsome, 34-5.
- Shot put: fifth, Kiefer, 36-2½.
- High jump: fifth, Stevenson, 4-8.

Henline had a two-inch PR in the pole vault, clearing 7-2. She moved into sole possession of 10<sup>th</sup>-place on Eastwood's all-time list.

Firsdon had a PR in the 60 with a time of 9.09, improving her previous best of 9.23.

Senior Addie Young had a PR in the 800 with a time of 2:50.91, eighth-fastest in school history. Her previous best 2:57.39.

### BOYS MEET

Finishing in the Top 10 for Eastwood were:



Noah Smith

- Triple jump: third, freshman Dayquan Oliver, 37-3½; and, eighth, junior Robbie Rothenbuhler, 33-1¼.
  - 4x400 relay: fourth, team of junior Noah Smith, and freshmen Andre Lewis, Jesse Poiry and Hayden Hoelter, 3:49.66.
  - Weight throw: seventh, senior Nate Heskett, 44-4½. The mark also was a PR from his previous best of 42-7.
  - Shot put: eighth, Heskett, 42-11¼.
  - 4x200 relay: eighth, sophomore Kaiden Sanchez, junior Bryce Koprowski-Kistner, and freshmen Logan Perry and Kevin Lewis, 1:45.67.
  - High jump: 10<sup>th</sup>, Oliver, 5-4.
- Eastwood had two PRs in the pole vault. Junior Dalton Hesselbart had a three-inch PR with a vault of 12-9, and Hoelter had a 15-inch PR with a vault of 10-3.
- Senior Andon Mason had a PR in the 60 hurdles with a time of 10.39, bettering his previous best of 12.02.

## UNIVERSITY OF FINDLAY

### Sabo increases Eastwood pole vault record

Julia Sabo extended her school record in the pole vault Saturday morning during a meet at the University of Findlay.

The junior cleared 10-6, adding six inches to the record she set earlier this season. Sabo finished fifth in the meet.

She also had a time of 8.71 in the 60, tying for the 10<sup>th</sup>-fastest time in school history.

Complete results of the Dave Wottle Open are available at:

<http://live.finishtiming.com/meets/451937/events>

Complete results of the University of Findlay meet are available at:

<https://oh.milesplit.com/meets/454272-univ-of-findlay-daves-running-high-school-series-4-2022/results#.YhL9ed9Onc>