

Planets topple Knights for tennis victory

Dan Kearney and Max Keydenko of Mars won at No. 1 and 2 singles, and the No. 2 doubles duo of Mike Parrish and Mike Lindenbaum also was victorious in the Planets' 3-2 boys tennis win over Knoch Thursday afternoon.

For the Knights (3-2), Nick Pfeiffer won at No. 3 singles and Chris Ludwiczak and Bret Nickerson won the top doubles match.

Singles: 1-Dan Kearney (M) def. Jack Boros 5-7, 6-2, 6-4; 2-Max Keydenko (M) def. Tim Fritz 3-6, 6-2, 6-4; 3-Nick Pfeiffer (K) def. Josh Brake 6-2, 6-4

Doubles: 1-Chris Ludwiczak/Bret Nickerson (K) def. Alex Perri/Ethan Gressang 6-4, 6-4; 2-Mike Parrish/Mike Lindenbaum (M) def. Corey Miller/Dan Goff 6-2, 6-3

Butler 5, Gateway 0 — The Golden Tornado's doubles tandems of Kemper May/Zac McCafferty and Zac Cavaliero/Emil Kemp both were victorious in this Wednesday match.

Singles: 1-Matt Slamecka (B) def. Timmy Harris 6-0, 6-0; 2-Evan Kowalski (B) def. Paramveer Malki 6-0, 6-1; 3-Stefan Kemp (B) def. Rishi Patel 6-0, 6-0.

Doubles: 1-Kemper May/Zac McCafferty (B) def. Kunal Shah/Brad Shear 6-0, 6-0; 2-Zac Cavaliero/Emil Kemp (B) def. Sunny Raj/Sohin Shah 6-0, 6-1.

Baseball

Luke Gruber had a triple, two singles, three RBI and three runs scored to key Mars to a 10-4 victory over Woodland Hills in Columbia, S.C.

Ryan McKenzie had a triple, single and three runs scored, Tyler Dean had two singles, two runs and two RBI, and Andrew Rush a double, a single and three RBI for the Planets.

Mars dropped a 12-3 decision to Swansea (S.C.) on Wednesday.

Woodland Hills 000 211 x — 4 6 1

Mars 111 043 x — 10 13 4

W: D.J. DeLucia 4 IP (3 K, 0 BB). **L:** Rich Jacko 4 1/3 IP (4 K, 0 BB).

Woodland Hills: John Yezovich 2-1B, R

Mars (2-1): Ryan McKenzie 1B, 3B, 3R; Tyler Dean 2-1B, 2R, 2 RBI; Luke Gruber 2-1B, 3B, 3R, 3 RBI; Andrew Rush 1B, 2B, 3 RBI

Tuesday: Mars at Pine-Richland

Softball

Morgan Robinson struck out 13 batters and had two doubles, but the Slippery Rock softball team fell to Leechburg 2-1 in extra innings.

Shawna Peace and Gara Mauthe also doubled for the Rockets (0-2).

• Lauren Downs limited West Shamokin to four singles, but Karns City was blanked by the Wolves, 3-0 in a nonconference contest.

Slippery Rock 010 000 00 — 1 5 1

Leechburg 000 010 01 — 2 7 1

One out when winning run scored

W: Kelly Klingensmith 8 IP (9 K, 0 BB). **L:** Morgan Robinson 7 1/3 IP (13 K, 2 BB).

Slippery Rock (0-2): Robinson 2-2B; Shawna Peace 2B; Gara Mauthe 2B

Leechburg: McCorkle 1B, RBI

Tuesday: Slippery Rock at Jamestown

Karns City 000 000 0 — 0 2 3

West Shamokin 100 011 x — 3 4 1

W: L. Walker 7 IP (14 K, 0 BB). **L:** Lauren Downs 6 IP (5 K, 2 BB).

Karns City (0-1): Kara Kershbaumer 1B; Lauren Downs 1B

West Shamokin: 4 players with 1B

Wednesday: Karns City at East Forest

Track and Field

Evan Wagner won both the discus (127 feet, 4 inches) and the javelin (163-8) as the A-C Valley boys track and field team beat Sharpsville (114-30), Commodore Perry (110-38) and Kennedy Catholic (88-61).

The Falcons lost to Laurel, Mohawk and West Middlesex.

• In the girls meet, A-C Valley's Meghan Cratty was the overall winner in the discus with an effort of 96-0, as the Falcons defeated Sharpsville (103-33), Commodore Perry (110-17) and Kennedy Catholic (78-49).

Freeport 122, Clairton 28 (boys); Freeport 142½, Clairton 7½ (girls) — Darius Frantz won both the high jump and long jump in the boys meet, while Harley Westerman took the girls long and triple jumps as both Yellowjackets teams destroyed Clairton.

Boys

A-C Valley 114, Sharpsville 30

A-C Valley 110, Comm. Perry 38

A-C Valley 88, Kennedy Catholic 61

Laurel 93, A-C Valley 57

Mohawk 110, A-C Valley 40

West Middlesex 120, A-C Valley 30

Track Events

3,200-meter relay: West Middlesex 8:59.55; **100 hurdles:** Jones (L) 15.52; **100 dash:**

Allen (WM) 11.19; **1,600 run:** Miller (L) 4:40.22; **400 dash:** Bredl (M) 52.8; **400 relay:**

West Middlesex 45.71; **300-meter hurdles:** Jones (L) 41.67; **800-meter run:** Miller (L)

2:13.7; **200-meter dash:** Allen (WM) 22.68; **3,200-meter run:** Miller (L) 11:31.29;

1,600-meter relay: West Middlesex 3:39.56

Field Events

High jump: Jansco (WM) and Johnson (L) 6-0; **Long jump:** Ronelli (S) and Grim (M) 19-

4¾; **Triple jump:** Jansco (WM) 42-2¼; **Shot put:** Kingston (L) 45-11½; **Discus:** Evan

Wagner (ACV) 127-4; **Javelin:** Evan Wagner (ACV) 163-8; **Pole vault:** Patten (WM) and

Taylor (L) 10-6

Girls

A-C Valley 103, Sharpsville 33

A-C Valley 110, Comm. Perry 17

A-C Valley 78, Kennedy Catholic 49

West Middlesex 103, A-C Valley 43

Mohawk 115, A-C Valley 35

Laurel 79, A-C Valley 64

Track Events

3,200-meter relay: West Middlesex 10:57.26; **100 hurdles:** Benninghoff (M) 16.68; **100**

dash: Kennedy Catholic 12.62; **1,600 run:** Willey (WM) 5:38.78; **400 dash:** Wareham (KC)

1:03.61; **400 relay:** Mohawk 52.52; **300 hurdles:** Benninghoff (M) 49.18; **800 run:**

Wareham (KC) 2:33.41; **200 dash:** Mikulin (WM) 27.69; **3,200 run:** Simko (L) 12:54.07;

1,600 relay: West Middlesex 4:32.88

Field Events

High jump: Bittler (WM) 5-0; **Long jump:** Bittler (WM) 15-3½; **Triple jump:** Bittler (WM)

33-3; **Shot put:** DeMario (WM) 31-6; **Discus:** Meghan Cratty (ACV) 96-0; **Javelin:** Brook

(M) 119-10; **Pole vault:** Meals (L) 8-0

Boys

Freeport 122, Clairton 28

Track Events

3,200-meter relay: Freeport (Tahlon Kirkland, David Brickeen, Kyle Reesman, Kyle Zboran) 11:09; **110 hurdles:** Derek Durand (F) 16.8; **100 dash:** Trenton (C) 11.2; **1,600 run:** Nick Gentile (F) 4:45; **400 dash:** Garrett Blake (F) 54.9; **400 relay:** Clairton 44.8; **300-meter hurdles:** Teorsky (F) 46.1; **800-meter run:** Alex Isenberg (F) 2:07; **200-meter dash:** Trenton (C) 22.5; **3,200-meter run:** Kevin Keppel (F) 11:17; **1,600-meter relay:** Freeport (Blake, Teorsky, Isenberg, Gentile) 4:02

Field Events

High jump: Darius Frantz (F) 6-0; **Long jump:** Darius Frantz (F) 21-0; **Triple jump:** Alex Isenburg (F) 41-1; **Shot put:** Cody McClelland (F) 43-5½; **Discus:** McClelland (F) 110-11; **Javelin:** Curtis Hughes (F) 149-9; **Pole vault:** Tyler Pajerski (F) 11-0

Girls

Freeport 142½, Clairton 7½

Track Events

3,200-meter relay: Freeport (Trista Graham, Cassidy Graham, Jen Chelko, Carol Amadee) 13:09; **100 hurdles:** Danika Durand (F) 18.6; **100 dash:** Moody (C) 12.9; **1,600 run:** Lauren Screen (F) 6:39; **400 dash:** Taylor Bombalski (F) 63.2; **400 relay:** Freeport (Brestensky, Moore, Nicolette Blake, Chelsea Chaffman) 53.6; **300 hurdles:** Teorsky (F) 52.1; **800 run:** Bombalski (F) 2:47; **200 dash:** Chelsea Chaffman (F) 28.3; **3,200 run:** Carol Amadee (F) 14:42; **1,600 relay:** Freeport (Brestensky, Chaffman, Moore, Bombalski) 5:26

Field Events

High jump: Moore (F) 4-6; **Long jump:** Harley Westerman (F) 16-1; **Triple jump:** Harley Westerman (F) 33-9; **Shot put:** Brittany Demeno (F) 31-9½; **Discus:** Chelsea Chaffman (F) 84-9; **Javelin:** Amy Cataldi (F) 88-5; **Pole vault:** Joelle Consolaro (F) 8-0

Girls Lacrosse

Thirteen different players scored for Seneca Valley in a 17-4 drubbing of host Baldwin. Samantha Struss led the way with four goals and Lindsey Leddon scored twice. Lauren Moran made six saves for the Raiders (4-0).

Boys Lacrosse

Jake McAndrew and Rob Fyock both scored two goals in Seneca Valley's 9-8 win at Mount Lebanon.

Junior Varsity Softball

Amanda Steinheiser went 3-for-4 in Butler's 10-0 win over Mars Wednesday. Tori Hesidence and Becca Schnur each had two hits.