

AU outdoor track and field teams compete at Roberts Wesleyan

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ROCHESTER, NY The Alfred University men's and women's outdoor track and field teams competed Thursday, May 8, at Roberts Wesleyan College. There were no team scores. Senior Dan Ohart (Williamsport, NY/Williamsport) led the AU men's team by winning the javelin with a heave of 48.15 meters. Senior Matt Karczewski (Penn Yan, NY/Penn Yan) won the 3,000-meter steeplechase (10:11.04) with sophomore Jesse Schuster (Tonawanda, NY/Tonawanda) coming in second in the same event (10:38.88). Other top performers for the AU men's team were: freshman Shawn Ross (Ticonderoga, NY/Ticonderoga), second in the shot put (14.13 meters); junior Mike Trendowski (Syracuse, NY/Westhill), 10th in the discus (30.46 meters); and sophomore Matt Phillips (Kinderhook, NY/Ichabod Crane), eighth in the javelin (39.10 meters). Sophomore Megan Crimmins (Big Flats, NY/Horseheads) took second in the 1,500-meter run (5:08.49) to pace the AU women. Freshman Melissa Haahr (Owego, NY/Tioga) was third in the 400-meter hurdles (77.35) and senior Ashley Johnson (Montrose, PA/Montrose) was sixth in the javelin (17.08 meters). AU is in action next at the ECAC outdoor championships, May 15 and 16 in Springfield, MA.