

NEW RECORDS OUTSHINE MEDIocre TRACK SEASON

Although this year's squad did not measure up to the excellent standards set by past track teams of this school, they still managed to turn in an impressive 5-3 record, suffering narrow losses to three Conference rivals. Notable team strength and effort were displayed in romps over Plainfield and Rahway. A first place tie in the Morris Hills Relays, in which the shuttle hurdles squad registered a first place finish, highlighted the season.

Although the team produced only a fourth place finish in the Watchung Conference Meet, Scott Hurley was a triple winner, breaking his own pole vault record by clearing 13'3" and was consequently named the most valuable athlete in the competition. Hurley, who was consistently over 13 feet, took firsts at an Englewood meet and in the Union County Meet, while finishing fourth in the Easterns.

Another outstanding senior performer was Baxter Brooks who broke the school record in the 880 yard run, by clocking a fine 1:59.2 against Westfield. To Coach Poquette's satisfaction, returning letterman Dennis Fedison also ran under two minutes during the season. Jim Nowak, also returning, showed excellent form in lowering the school 2 mile record to a time of 10:09.1.



Super Spirit flies again! Jim Nowak.



Cross Country team races to reach the bottle at the end of the track.



Bill Keleher, Greg Shultz, Tim Kettle.