

May 9

Soquel HS

## SCCAL Championships

At Soquel High  
All races in meters

### BOYS

Team scores — 1, Soquel 150; 2, Aptos 147; 3, Harbor 59; 4, Monte Vista Christian 48; 5, San Lorenzo Valley 41; 6, Watsonville 26; 7, Santa Cruz 21.

400 relay — 1, Soquel 45.01; 2, SLV 45.88; 3, MVC 45.97.

1,600 — 1, Passanisi (A) 4:29.72; 2, DeWald (Soq) 4:39.34; 3, Villanueva (Soq) 4:39.81.

110 HH — 1, Mullins (Soq) 15.0; 2, Garcia (W) 15.2; 3, Dybdahl (Soq) 15.9.

400 — 1, Norris (MVC) 51.43; 2, Affleck (Soq) 51.45; 3, Albers (SLV) 52.18.

100 — 1, Mullins (Soq) 11.35; 2, Mast (SLV) 11.49; 3, Garcia (W) 11.59.

800 — 1, Passanisi (A) 1:59.12; 2, Villanueva (Soq) 2:01.41; 3, Newey (SC) 2:02.41.

300 IH — 1, Friel (A) 41.61; 2, Crick (SC) 41.79; 3, Dunlap (Soq) 42.16.

200 — 1, Affleck (Soq) 22.87; 2, Norris (MVC) 23.13; 3, Mast (SLV) 23.33.

3,200 — 1, Passanisi (A) 9:39.3; 2, DeWald (Soq) 9:51.3; 3, Smithey (A) 10:23.5.

1,600 relay — 1, Aptos 3:34.07; 2, Soquel 3:35.06; 3, MVC 3:40.50.

LJ — 1, Sanders (A) 20-2½; 2, McQueen (H) 19-7½; 3, Easley (H) 19-5½.

TJ — 1, Sanders (A) 43-11½; 2, Burket (S) 40-7¼; 3, Easley (H) 40-6¾.

SP — 1, Cales (A) 45-9½; 2, M. York (MVC) 42-11½; 3, Balesteri (H) 42-0½.

DT — 1, Cales (A) 139-9; 2, Unger (SLV) 132-3; 3, Cortez (W) 127-11.

HJ — 1, McQueen (H) 6-0; 2, Spears (A) 5-11; 3, Easley (H) 5-10.

PV — 1, Dybdahl (Soq) 13-0; 2, Mullins (Soq) 12-6; 3, Burket (Soq) 11-0.

### GIRLS

Team scores — 1, Aptos 222; 2, Soquel 97; 3, Harbor 93; 4, San Lorenzo Valley 60; 5, Santa Cruz 8; 6, Watsonville 6; 7, Monte Vista Christian 1.

1,600 — 1, Smith (A) 5:05.76; 2, Silva (A) 5:33.42; 3, Whiffing (SLV) 5:36.78.

100 LH — 1, K. Sample (H) 16.95; 2, Gordon (A) 17.20; 3, Spear (H) 17.31.

400 — 1, Drucker (H) 59.91; 2, Stafford (A) 1:00.49; 3, Thomson (Soq) 1:02.33.

100 — 1, Wooliscroft (SLV) 13.03; 2, Kihorany (Soq) 13.12; 3, Arline (H) 13.24.

800 — 1, Smith (A) 2:20.60; 2, Burnham (SLV) 2:27.45; 3, Sanchez (W) 2:27.71.

300 LH — 1, K. Sample (H) 48.49; 2, Fodor (A) 50.82; 3, Smith (Soq) 51.97.

200 — 1, Stone (A) 26.98; 2, Kihorany (Soq) 27.20; 3, Gonzalez (A) 27.53.

3,200 — 1, Smith (A) 11:28.8; 2, Ortega (H) 12:38.8; 3, Gill (Soq) 12:42.2.

1,600 relay — 1, Harbor 4:14.66; 2, SLV 4:18.43; 3, Soquel 4:20.75.

LJ — 1, Stafford (A) 16-1½; 2, Stone (A) 14-6; 3, McDougall (A) 14-5½.

TJ — 1, Stafford (A) 33-9; 2, McDougall (A) 32-6; 3, Raemakers (A) 31-3.

SP — 1, Gordon (A) 33-7½; 2, Farahbakhsh (A) 31-9¼; 3, Tom (SC) 31-7½.

DT — 1, Byers (SLV) 100-6; 2, Gordon (A) 94-4; 3, Farahbakhsh (A) 93-7.

HJ — 1, Stafford (A) 5-4¼; 2, Johnson (H) 5-0; 3, Hilldale (H) 4-10.

PV — 1, Ryan (Soq) 9-6; 2, Raemakers (A) 9-0; 3, Holcombe (Soq) 7-0.

## Girls meet

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Patty Coulter, began coaching at the request of Enzweiler at Harbor six years ago.

If it wasn't for Coulter, Stafford would not have been at this meet and perhaps not even competing in the sport at all.

Last season, Stafford competed as a sophomore for Poway High, one of the strongest programs in San Diego County, and only did so because she got cut from the softball team. But after the school year, her mother moved to an old family homestead in the Anza Borrego Desert.

She would have attended Julian, a tiny K-through-12 school, which was an hour by bus from her mother's home. But transportation demands may have pre-

cluded competing in sports.

Instead, Coulter invited Stafford to stay with her for a while and Stafford decided to stay. And the Aptos team is glad she did.

But her performance was nearly equaled by teammate Anne-Elyse Smith. Smith, a contender for the state title in the 1,600, won that event in 5:05.76. With the absence of Soquel freshman Theresa Radvanyi, who collapsed during the race because of a hip injury, Smith crossed the finish line before anyone else even rounded the curve at the other end of the track.

Smith, who is headed to Texas on a track scholarship, also won the 800 (2:20.60) and 3,200

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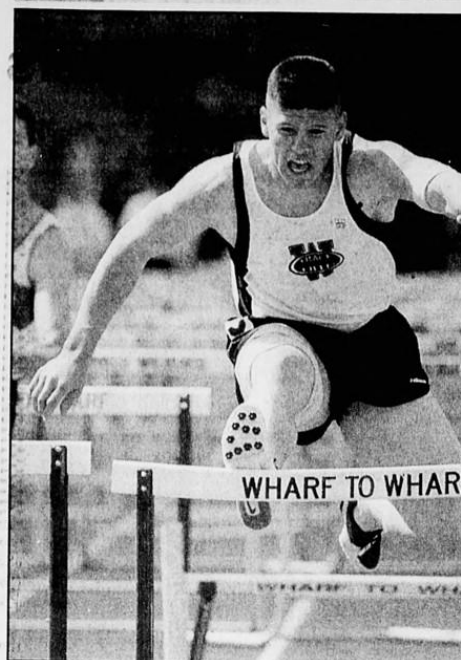
SOQUEL BOYS WIN TITLE ON FINAL RACE; APTOS GIRLS



Kai Somple of Harbor High edges Natasha Gordon of Aptos in the girls 100-meter low hurdles on Saturday.

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Tyler Mullins, right, of Soquel High takes first in the

8.8).

Harbor's Kai Somple, a gymnast, diver, and swimmer, surprised herself by sweeping the hurdles races and won three titles altogether.

In a dramatic finish to the 300-meter race, Somple hit the final hurdle — "I didn't think I could make it across the line," she said — but regained her balance. Meanwhile, her training partner and closest pursuer, Jessi Spear, hit one even harder, flying her knee on the tartan track. Spear did not get up until most of the field had already crossed and lost her chance at adding to the Central Coast Section south sub-section meet as a three SCCAL placer. Somple, coached three days a

week by 1984 Olympic hurdler Tranel Hawkins, won in 48.49, adding to her victory in the 100 hurdles (16.95), an event she has run only twice before.

She also ran leadoff on the winning 1,600 relay team that included Jessica Arline, Carmen Hilldale, and Drucker (4:14.66).

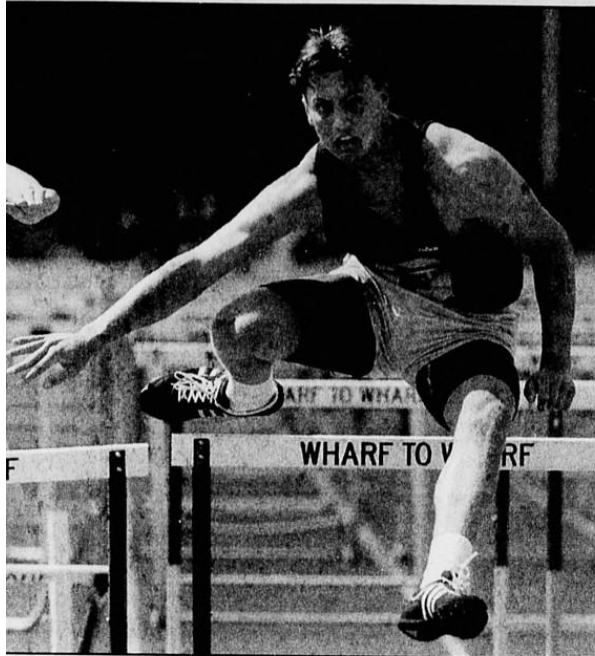
Other winners were San Lorenzo Valley's Nia Woolliscroft in the 100 (13.03), Aptos' Holly Stone in the 200 (26.98), Aptos' Natasha Gordon in the shot put (33-7¼), SLV's Sarah Byers in the discus (100-6), Soquel's Buffie Ryan in the pole vault (9-6), and Soquel 400 relay team of Kelly Thomson, Julie Ramos, Rashina Bowden, and Laura Kihorany (50.87).

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he 110 high hurdles, beating Eddie Garcia of Watsonville.