

Cartier 1st in X-country; Westfield team winner

Vince Cartier of Scotch Plains set a meet record yesterday as he won the North Jersey, Group 4, Section 2 cross-country championship for the second straight year at Warinanco Park, Elizabeth.

Cartier was clocked in 12:07 to erase the mark of 12:24.4 established in 1967 by Richie Furst of Nutley. Cartier, however, has run the same

course seven seconds faster. He had it won by the end of the first mile, where his time was a remarkable 4:30.

The Group 4 team championship, however, went to Westfield, winner also last year. Westfield had 31 points to 108 for Bloomfield.

Cartier beat Steve Thatcher of Westfield by 90 yards in the race for individual

honors. Westfield placed its five scorers in the first 11 to dominate team action.

Frank Fonseca paced Morris Hills to the Group 3 championship by winning the individual crown of 12:29.7. Morris Hills had 39 points to 62 for second-place Summit.

Don Harivel of New Providence won in Group 2 in 12:37.5. But Butler came through for the team championship, outpointing New Providence, 75 to 79.

GROUP 1

Team score—Jefferson Township 42, Whippany Park 86, Glen Ridge 88, Kenilworth 92, Mendham 132, Cedar Grove 157, Mountain Lakes 173, Roselle Park 220, Newark Arts 232, Chatham Borough 234.

Individual Standings—1, Dan Slobodzin, Jefferson Twp., 12:59. 2, Paul Murray, Cedar Grove. 3, Bill Fredericks, Kenilworth. 4, Ted Van Lier, Glen Ridge. 5, Mike Duwail, Jefferson Township. 6, Tom Lanzetta, Mendham. 7, Stu Boyd, Mountain Lakes. 8, Pete Crossman, Glen Ridge. 9, Kurt Lancaster, Jefferson Twp. 10, Stan Hankinson, Jefferson Twp. 11, Jim Murphy, Glen Ridge. 12, Rick Gehle, Kenilworth. 13, Tom Kircow, Whippany Park. 14, Gary Nafey, Whippany Park. 15, Tom Salmon, Glen Ridge.

GROUP 2

Team score—Butler 25, New Providence 79, Randolph 90, Springfield 74, Dover 110, Pequannock 123, West Orange 132, Verona 194, Edison Tech 231.

Individual Standings—1, Don Harivel, New Providence. 12:37.5. 2, Charles Patti, Butler. 3, John Cenico, Dover. 4, Roy Boicic, Edison Tech. 5, Paul Brewster, Butler. 6, Phil Meyer, Pequannock. 7, Dan Curran, Butler. 8, Scott Buttigieggen, New Providence. 9, Ron Frank, Springfield. 10, Mike Sazani, Randolph. 11, Bill Iverson, West Orange. 12, John Clausen, Randolph. 13, Joe Bowman, West Orange. 14, Skip Moore, Springfield. 15, Ed Grant, New Providence.

GROUP 3

Team score—Morris Hills 39, Summit 82, West Essex and Mountain 94, Morris Knolls 107, Millburn 162, Hillside 193, Berkeley Heights 196, Caldwell 245, Roxbury 252, Clark 276, Rahway 311, Newark Central 331, Westchester 440, Belleville 456.

Individual Standings—1, Frank Fonseca, Morris Hills. 12:29.7. 2, Vic Brajer, Morris Hills. 3, Phil Brunelli, West Essex. 4, Steve Nix, Summit. 5, Mark Palmieri, Mountain. 6, Brad Williams, Summit. 7, Mike White, Caldwell. 8, John Rathgeber, Millburn. 9, Fred Anderson, Berkeley Heights. 10, John Dispan, Mountain. 11, Doug Abgar, Morris Hills. 12, Reno Striara, Morris Hills. 13, Bill Caffri, Morris Hills. 14, Vin Butner, West Essex. 15, Dave Bery, Morris Knolls.

GROUP 4

Team score—Westfield 31, Bloomfield 103, Parsippany Hills 103, Jefferson 130, Scotch Plains 148, Morristown 171, Irvington 175, Columbia 196, Nutley 216, Cranford 217, Pleasant 268, Union 316, Livingston 348.

Individual Standings—1, Vince Cartier, Westfield. 12:07. 2, Steve Thatcher, Westfield. 3, Tim Provost, Scotch Plains. 4, Dave Young, Bloomfield. 5, Don Kamling, Westfield. 6, Walt Harrell, Irvington. 7, Joe Glanno, Westfield. 8, Don Giardina, Bloomfield. 10, Jim Kravins, Parsippany Hills. 11, Frank Galandina, Bloomfield. 12, John DeAnna, Bloomfield. 13, Bruce Lambert, Cranford. 14, Frank Kirland, Parsippany Hills. 15, Jim Brown, Westfield.

BERGEN COUNTIES SWEEP NO. JERSEY

Bergen County schools took all four team titles in the North Jersey Section 1 division of the NJSIAA cross-country championships yesterday at Garret Mountain, West Paterson.

Fair Lawn scored a 7 upset over Clifton in Group 4 while favorites won other divisions: Dumont Group 3, 75-77, over West Hills; Ramsey in Group 38-69, over Saddle Brook and Park Ridge in Group 37-73, over Pompton Lakes and Park Ridge; repeat winners.

Greg Miller of North Highlands turned in the best time of the four race Group 3, defeating 1969 runner John Tanner of Dumont by 100 yards in 12:2. Miller won the Group 2 race by a year ago.

The other individual winners were Jeff Miller of Pompton Lakes (no relation to Greg) Group 4 at 12:18.8, Mike Richards of Sparta in Group 2 at 12:36.5 and Steve Cible of Pompton Lakes Group 1 at 12:50.6.

GROUP 1

Team score—Park Ridge 37, Union Lakes 72, Leonia 88, Ridge 115, Hopalong 156, Mahwah 179, North Arlington 218, Boppla 218.

Individual Standings—1, Steve Cible, Pompton Lakes. 12:36.5. 2, Mike Richards, Sparta. 3, Steve Cible, Pompton Lakes. 4, Mike Park Ridge. 5, John Donnelly, Brook Heights. 6, Glen Hopkins, Union Lakes. 7, Cal Adams, Ridge. 8, Dave Keltner, CR. 9, Carl Muller, Mahwah. 10, Ludwig Park Ridge. 11, Kevin Leonia. 12, Paul Tinghino, Boppla. 13, Mark Pavre, Park Ridge. 14, Danne, Leonia. 15, Vince And WoodRidge.

GROUP 2

Team score—Ramsey 38, Group 89, Sparta 89, Passaic 99, Waldwick 151, Lakeland 178, Pompton Lakes 179, Union City 218, Rutherford 229, Manchester 243, Rock 313.

Individual Standings—1, Mike Ards, Sparta. 12:36.5. 2, Frank Ramsey, 3, Tim Chambers, 4, Tom Heerema, Waldwick. 5, Arata, Ramsey. 6, Ron Novesti, 7, Dave MacKrae, Saddle Brook. 8, Bill Henshaw, Passaic. 9, Barrett Cummins, Newton. 10, Falk, Saddle Brook. 11, Skip Sparla. 12, Don Venolis, Park Ridge. 13, Wayne Bargiel, Brook. 14, Mark Jaczek, Brook. 15, Clark Woods, Passaic.

GROUP 3

Team score—Dumont 75, Wavyn 77, Northern Highlands 87, Hills 88, Westwood 91, Passaic 128, Demarest 190, Memorial 198, Dell 297.

Individual Standings—1, Greg Northern Highlands. 12:14.5. 2, Tanner, Demarest. 3, Rod Bruno, Dumont. 4, George Mackey, Hills. 5, Keith Kratzmer, Hills. 6, Jim Coomber, Northern Highlands. 7, Jim Stromberg, Hills. 8, Sam Mazel, Wayne Hills. 9, Lynch, Westwood. 10, Jason Wayne Hills. 11, Brian Dolan, D. 12, Jim Comer, Dumont. 13, Carroll, Passaic Hills. 14, Mike Wayne Hills. 15, Mark Ch Indian Hills.

GROUP 4

Team score—Fair Lawn 79, 84, North Bergen 118, Kearn Paramus 128, Ridgecroft 179, 6 Parley 165, Hackensack Hills, field 229, Ramapo 240, Passaic Dickinson 277, Wayne Valley 358.

Individual Standings—1, Jeff Clifton. 12:18.8. 2, Nelson P. Passaic. 3, Bruce Mason, Ridge. 4, Kevin O'Shea, Paramus. 5, Bernstein, Clifton. 6, Bob Passaic Valley. 7, Paul Hackensack. 8, Steve Kierman, Wood. 9, Bob Chasen, Paramus. 10, Cuyler Chason, Fair Lawn. 11, Mike Betty, Lawn. 12, Tom Driscoll, Fair. 14, Ray Thatevel, Passaic. 15, Bryan Kluck, Clifton.

Kronick sets mark in Group 4 race

Harry Kronick of Franklin Township shattered a course record held by Marty Liquori as he won the North Jersey, Group 4 race in the Central Jersey division of the state sectional cross-country championships yesterday at Buceleuch Park, New Brunswick.

In a duel with defending champ Ron Secord of Watchung Hills, Kronick set a blistering pace and went on to win by 90 yards in 12:19. Liquori had set the course record at 12:20.7 in the 1966 state championships.

Neither Kronick nor Secord, who ran 12:29, could help his school win the team title. This went to Middletown, 62-89, over Franklin, as Gary Mitchell and Pete Manning took third and fourth.

day he easily eclipsed the mark of 12:41 Larry Schmelia of Gloucester set in 1969.

GROUP 1

Team score—Williamstown 29, Gloucester 49, Woodbury 99, Pitman 130, Pleasant Beach 150, Florence 176, Paulsboro 155, Palmyra 157, Burlington Twp. 220.

Individual Standings—1, Joe Siedlecki and Willie Marino, Williamstown. 12:52.5. 2, Shane Gerber, Woodland. 4, Joe Ritchie, Gloucester. 5, Bruce Marino, Williamstown. 6, Dave Schmitt, Gloucester. 7, Jim Prycer, Palmyra. 8, Jon Rice, Florence. 9, Ned Brodus, Pleasant Beach. 10, Dave Stock, Williamstown. 11, Bob Marino, Williamstown. 12, Dan Boone, Paulsboro. 13, John Davis, Paulsboro. 14, Dave Parker, Florence. 15, Dave Lein, Pitman.

GROUP 2

Team score—Haddon Twp. 17, Gate way 47, Audubon 165, Pleasant Boro 108, Delsea 111, Eastern 137, Burlington City 177, Ocean City 218, Pennsville 224, Haddonfield 225.

Individual Standings—1, Jim Doherty, Dan Mahouch and Mike Eldor, Haddon Twp. 12:54.5. 4, Harry Johnson, Gateway. 5, Mark Yellin, Haddon Twp. 6, Steve Cummings, Haddon Twp. 7, George Dean, Delsea. 8, Bill DeHelt, Eastern. 9, Bruce Ralder, Haddon Twp. 10, Jim Burt, Audubon. 11, Sean Fleming, Pt. Pleasant Boro. 12, Bruce Pawling, Haddon Twp. 13, Mike Patti, Burlington City. 14, Mike Segale, Audubon. 15, Jim Stevenson, Delsea.

GROUP 3

Team score—Moorestown 88, Sterling 96, Collingswood 103, Haddon Heights 132, Southern Regional 133, Overbrook 146, Lakeland 163, Highland Regional 198, Mainland Regional 211, Riverside 239, Northern Burlington 302, Woodrow Wilson 312, Shawnee 371, West Deptford 351, Washington Twp. 412, Jackson 441.

Individual Standings—1, Mike Butynes, Sterling. 12:24. 2, Rick Timko, Northern Burlington. 3, Bob Williams, Sterling. 4, Steve LaDrew, Mainland. 5, Warren Rambo, Riverside. 6, Rich Johnson, Collingswood. 7, Frank Watkins, Washington Twp. 8, Bert Pachyder, Moorestown. 9, Rollin Johnson, Moorestown. 10, Tom Sheehan, Sterling. 11, Doug Adams, Collingswood. 12, Joe Horner, Southern Regional. 13, Bob Nelson, Haddon Heights. 14, Mike Barante, Highland Regional. 15, Dave Procidio, Overbrook.

GROUP 4

Team score—Cinnaminson 31, Cherry Hill East 101, Brick 114, Pennsauken 129, Triton 145, Vineland 166, Cherry Hill West 177, Tom's River South 188, Oakcrest 218, Bancroft Valley 231, Willingboro 278, Pemberton Twp. 292, Deptford 309, Linnac 311.

Individual Standings—1, Gary Noa, Cinnaminson. 13:03.5. 2, Tim Lauffer, Cherry Hill East. 3, Harry Ludovick, Cherry Hill West. 4, Don Grow, Tom's River South. 5, Ron Brooks, Brick. 6, Tony Clerico, Cinnaminson. 7, Bob Adams, Cinnaminson. 8, Bob Betz, Cinnaminson. 9, Jim McCre Cinnaminson. 10, Carl Lawrence, Cinnaminson. 11, Jim Brennan, Cherry Hill East. 12, Ron Head, Cherry Hill West. 13, Al Accasano, Pennsauken. 14, Dave Baldwin, Triton. 15, Pete Mondis, Vineland.