

Eight teams on hand for Dutch Zorn Invite

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Field events	400 dash..... finals both
2 p.m.—Boys: long jump, high jump, discus and pole vault.	3200 run..... finals both
Girls: long jump, shot, foot	200 dash..... prelims both
showing completion of the	30 minute break
above events, the remainder	Mile Medley..... finals both
of the field events will begin.	100 LH..... finals girls
Boys: triple jump, shot, Girls	100 LH..... finals boys
triple jump, high jump, discus, pole vault.	100 dash..... finals both
Running events	800 dash..... finals both
3 p.m.	300 H..... finals both
4x800 relay..... finals both	200 dash..... finals both
100 LH..... prelims girls	1600 run..... finals both
100 H..... prelims boys	4x100 relay..... finals both
3x800..... prelims both	Awards presentation
	1600 relay..... finals both

Gothenburg to host annual meet.

Gothenburg's Dutch Zorn Invitational track meet is scheduled for Friday, April 16. Eight schools—Kearney Catholic, Lexington, McCook, Sidney, Ogallala, Valentine, Kearney JV and Gothenburg—are entered this year.

Field events will open the meet at 2 p.m. Running events are scheduled to start at 3 p.m. The "Dutch Zorn Mile Medley Relay" will kick off the finals in the afternoon at approximately 5 p.m. The medley features legs of 200, 200, 400 and 800 meters.

Special awards in memory of Danny Nichols and Jim Ambler will be awarded prior to the final event of the day.

The McCook girls and Lexington boys are the reigning champions from 2009 and 2008.

The meet is named for former Swede coach Dutch Zorn, who guided Gothenburg to state track championships in 1949, 1957, 1962 and 1971. Zorn's distinguished coaching career in track and football landed him in the first class of inductees in the Nebraska High School Sports Hall of Fame in 1994.

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Records

BOYS

100	Brandon Soden, McCook	10.7	1997
	Eric Otto, Levington	10.7	1999
200	Eric Otto, Levington	22.0	1999
400	Evan Knight, Ogallala	49.45	2004
800	Evan Knight, Ogallala	1:55.59	2004
1600	Josh Cherry, McCook	4:38.1	2004
3200	Terry Gertrude, Kearney	9:39.2	1980
110 IH	Brady Smith, Levington	14.56	2004
300 IH	Jordan Folkers, Gothenburg	39.3	2004
400 relay	McCook	4:54	2004
1600 relay	Gothenburg	3:26.8	2007
Mile medley	Holdrege	3:37.5	1969
3200 relay	Levington	8:13.7	2007
Long jump	Todd Brown, Holdrege	23.1	1978
Triple jump	Todd Brown, Holdrege	49.6	1978
High jump	Larry Flock, McCook	6.10	1978
Pole vault	Bump Nawock, Gothenburg	15-4.5	1985
Shot	John Nelson, Minden	55-4.5	1984
Discus	Travis Sheffield, Gothenburg	166-3	1996

GIRLS

100	Katie Dobesh, Kearney Catholic	12.18	2004
200	Katie Dobesh, Kearney Catholic	25.53	2004
400	Rachel Neujahr, Gothenburg	59.6	1999
800	Michelle Oil, Chase County	2:22.85	2004
1600	Erica Hanks, Kearney Catholic	5:18.71	2007
3200	Karissa Slack, Gothenburg	12:11.9	2003
100 IH	Nicole Shirley, Levington	15.5	2002
300 IH	Kris Nelson, McCook	45.9	1989
400 relay	McCook	49.8	1987
1600 relay	Levington	4:56.6	1989
Mile medley	Gothenburg	4:22.4	1983
3200 relay	Kearney Catholic	10:04.2	2006
Long jump	Val Owen, McCook	19.75	1987
Triple jump	Tini Prital, McCook	35-9.5	1996
High jump	Celeste Rankins, Chase County	5-5.5	2007
Pole vault	Suzee Haney, McCook	9-9	2004
Shot	Beth Stuart, Holdrege	44.2	1982
Discus	Beth Stuart, Holdrege	137.2	1983