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Blede wins boys shot.

HERSHEY—The first outdoor competition of the spring for the Brady track team was a success in many ways, despite blow-you-over wind gusts and a last-minute meet format change.

“We were pleased with the results in most areas,” said Eagle coach Rich Britten. “Regardless of the weather, it’s good to get outside.”

The Brady boys earned one gold medal and a host of personal best performances in the non-scoring Hershey/St. Pat’s Invite.

The Eagle girls improved several marks and times over last week’s season opener, even without the benefit of finals.

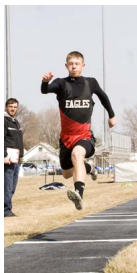
Due to the wind and threat of rain, meet officials decided to eliminate the traditional preliminaries and run all events as finals.

For the boys, senior thrower Corbin Blede earned the only first place of the day in the shot. He threw 47 feet, 3.5 inches, more than three feet farther than the No. 2 thrower.

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Other athletes from the Eagles track and field team participated in the 50 @ 5 @ 5K @ the Eagle field and track meet on Tuesday, April 1st. The Eagles track and field team had a very successful day at the meet, winning several events and setting new records.