

# UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS AT CHICAGO MEN'S AND WOMEN'S TRACK AND FIELD WEEKLY UPDATE



## 2003 SCHEDULE

### January

10 (F)	at Maroon Mini Meet	NTS
11 (Sa)	at Badger Track Classic	NTS
18 (Sa)	at EIU Mega Meet	NTS
25 (Sa)	at Central Collegiate Championships	
		Men, 11th/11
		Women, 12th/13
31 (F)	at Lewis Friday Night Series	NTS

### February

15 (Sa)	at Cannon Classic	10:00 a.m.
21 (F)	at UW-Milwaukee Quad	4:00 p.m.

### March

1 (Sa)	at Horizon League Indoor Champs.	4:00 p.m.
2 (Su)	at Horizon League Indoor Champs.	4:00 p.m.
8 (Sa)	at Alex Wilson Invite	10:00 a.m.
29 (Sa)	at Wheaton Invite	10:00 a.m.

### April

5 (Sa)	at Chicagoland Championships	10:00 a.m.
12 (Sa)	at Lee Calhoun Memorial Meet	10:00 a.m.
17 (Th)	at Kansas Relays	TBA
18 (F)	at Kansas Relays	TBA
19 (Sa)	at Elmhurst Invite	10:00 a.m.
24 (Th)	at Penn Relays	TBA
25 (F)	at Penn Relays	TBA
26 (Sa)	UIC INVITATIONAL at Penn Relays	10:00 a.m. TBA

### May

2 (F)	at Butler Open	4:00 p.m.
8 (Sa)	at Horizon League Out. Champs.	6:00 p.m.
9 (S)	at Horizon League Out. Champs.	6:00 p.m.

All Times Central  
Home Meets in ALL CAPS

## February 2nd- February 9th

### What's On Tap:

Cannon Classic  
Saturday, Feb. 15st @ Butler University  
Indianapolis, Ind. @ 10:00 a.m.

### NEWS & NOTES:

#### DYNAMIC DUO:

Senior **Monieka Thompson (Chicago, Ill./Steinmetz)** and sophomore transfer **Crystal Sanders (Markham, Ill./Thornwood/Central Michigan)** shone brightly at the Lewis Friday Night Series as each of them captured their respective events. Thompson won the 800-meter run with a mark of 2:17.33, while Sanders took home the 55-meter hurdles, crossing the finish line in 8.58.

#### MONSTER MILE:

UIC dominated the mile run at the Lewis Friday night series as three Flames' athletes finished in the top four. Sophomore **Whitney Burns (Chicago, Ill./Leo)** was runner-up with a career-best finish of 4:27.63. Senior **Rich Daubert (Arlington Heights, Ill./Hersey)** was third with a mark of 4:28.01, followed by a fourth-place finish of 4:31.78 by senior **Joe Marren (Chicago, Ill./Mt. Carmel)**.

#### JUMPIN' JON:

Senior **Jon White (Chicago, Ill./St. Rita)** notched a season-best mark of 44-feet, 5 1/2 inches in the triple jump at the Lewis Friday Night Series. His previous best was 43-feet, 9 inches.

#### DISTANCE MEDLEY DEMONS:

The men's distance medley relay squad of **Steve Jeske (Geneva, Ill./Geneva)**, **Danny Smith (Chicago, Ill./St. Patrick)**, **Tristan Roche (Evanston, Ill./Evanston)** and **Graham Waller (Chicago, Ill./Von Steuben)** captured the event with a time of 10:42.37.

#### SUPER SIMPSON:

Junior **Danielle Simpson (Chicago, Ill./Whitney Young)** turned in a season-best effort of 44-feet, 6-inches in the weight throw to finish in second-place at the Lewis Friday Night Series.

#### BRONZE MEDALS:

Sophomore **Sara O'Mara (Hinsdale, Ill./Central)** and freshman **Korinne Krych (Plainfield, Ill./Plainfield)** each turned in third-place efforts at the Lewis Friday Night Series. O'Mara was third in the shot-put with a heave of 36-feet, 10 1/4-inches, while Krych was third in the 400-meter dash with a mark of 1:02.14.

#### KNOEDEL'S QUOTES:

"We performed real well," UIC head coach [Jim Knoedel](#) said. "People stepped up (on Friday) and turned in some pretty good efforts."

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