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Little Giants finish last in Ross Doubles Tournament

News-Messenger reports

FREMONT -- Port Clinton won the Fremont Ross Doubles Tournament on Saturday at Alumni Fields.

The Redskins had 110 points while the rest of the field included Maumee Valley (80), Perrysburg (48), Bowling Green (43), Toledo Central Catholic (36) and Fremont Ross (31).

The Little Giants' No. 2 team of Jason Rexroth and Michael Pickerel placed third after losing to Maumee Valley's Karan Padda and Benji Delman, 6-0 6-1, in the second round before defeating Toledo Central Catholic's Spencer Toral and Derek Steck 8-6 in the third-place contest.

Ross's No. 1 squad of Malcolm Leake and Ricky Ramirez came in fifth after losing to Maumee Valley's Eyad Jaara and Daniel Shin, 6-3, 6-1, in the first round before topping Bowling Green's Davood Dadfar and Mitchell Bills, 8-7 (5), in the fifth-place match.

The Little Giants' No. 3 team of David Gipe and Jordan Martin placed sixth after losing to Port Clinton's Steven Showalter and Josh Francis, 6-2 6-0, in the first round before losing to Toledo Central Catholic's Michael Dennis and Nick Shetter, 8-6 in the fifth-place contest.

Ross's No. 4 squad of Tim Cheek and Erik Paulson placed sixth after losing to Perrysburg's Ben Swonger and Nate Mowely, 6-0, 7-6 (1) in the first round before losing to Toledo Central Catholic's Ben Laws and Jordan Farnsworth 8-2 in the fifth-place match.

CLYDE INVITATIONAL

CLYDE -- Rossford scored 48 points to win the Clyde Invitational over Oregon Clay (34) and Clyde (28).

The Fliers had second-place efforts from No. 1 singles player Ryan Evarts, No. 2 singles player Tan Pratuangpong and the No. 1 doubles team of Jeremy Hohenstein and Blaine MacFarland.

SANDUSKY INVITATIONAL

Bobby Lochotzki (No. 2 singles), Clifford Goetz (No. 3 singles) and Brandon Wasserman and Dereck Witt (No. 1 doubles) each won in the finals as Oak Harbor's tennis team captured the Sandusky Invitational.

Lochotzki won a first-set tiebreaker and won in two, Goetz dropped only one game, and Wasserman and Witt also won in two with a second-set tiebreaker.

The Rockets' Kevin Young and Christoph Koeglmayr (No. 2 doubles) lost in the finals while Greg LaFountain (No. 1 singles) finished third.

TRACK AND FIELD PATRIOT INVITATIONAL

Erin Pendleton was first overall in the discus and shot put as Woodmore's girls track team finished the Patriot Invitational in second place with 115.04 points.

Celina took the meet at 168.

The Wildcats' Lacy Nagy won the 3,200 run, Carly Pendleton was first in the discus in Flight 2, and Kaitlin McTague, Chelsey Marquette, Meghan Haar and Tatijana Jacobson were first in the 1,600 relay in Section 1.

Chris Jacobson won the high jump as Woodmore's boys were sixth with 59 1/2 points. Celina also won the boys portion at 183.
