



1. POWERFUL SHOT Using her limbs, Adrianna Gray, 08, throws the shot-put as far as she can at their meet against Goddard. Shot put takes lots of practice to master.

Photo by Dade Chaney

2. TIME TO ASSIGN Talking to the 8th grade girls track team, Mr. Borel hands out events to the team before their meet. The girls team went on to win the meet against Goddard.

Photo by Josie Hoffman

3. FIGHTING FOR FIRST Sprinting down the back straight, James Kellogg, 08, runs the relay race at the district meet. His team finished third after a very close race.

Photo by Lavla Nissler

4. HERO LANDING Landing in the sand pit, Reed McCubbin, 07, sets a new personal record during their meet against Newton. He placed second with this jump.

Photo by Brooklyn Nason



IT WAS TOTALLY
UNEXPECTED

"I am French."
RILEY DUPAYS, 08

"I can do the splits."
ZOE SHULTZ, 07

"I think mashed potatoes are disgusting except for my dad's."
JAYSE SANDOVAL, 07

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5. JUST JUMP Flying through the air across the sand pit, Kaden Hanson, 08, jumps over it, trying to bring Euclid closer to the trophy. He set a personal record and won the long jump. Photo by Layla Nissler

6. READY TO RUN In the 100 meter sprint Kate Stevenson and Alena Shinabery, 08, face off against Newton at the starting line. The team was tense before the race. Photo by Lauren Stewart

TRACK STARS

ATHLETES WORK HARD ON AND OFF THE FIELD

Stretch. Run. Jump. Repeat. From 4-5 p.m. everyday after school in the fall, the Euclid 7th and 8th grade track teams work hard at their practices. Through the sun and the rain, they run, jump, throw, and laugh.

There are many different events in track and field, including the 100 and 200 meter runs, the mile, hurdles, discus, shot put, long jump, and high jump. The athletes are spread out between each event.

Track has something for everyone, and is not only exercise, but a great time to show school spirit and compete for the track and field title, which the Falcons won this year.

Story by Brooklyn Nason



JAI PATEL, 07

"My favorite part of track was support when you were doing your events. They supported you even if you didn't know them."



FOR THE JUMP OF IT

Stanley Pelz, 08, is a high jumper on the track team. Stanley's high score is 4 feet, 10 inches. "You have to get a good running start, use opposite foot, and lift your legs, landing on your back," Stanley said. Photos by Mia Tanaka



"I do art."
ALANA HOLLOWAY, 08

"I can turn my hand 360 on the table."
NOAH GRIFFIN, 07

"I don't like social media."
OLIVIA RYAN, 08

"I am an only child."
REBECCA RUDOLPH, 08