

SECOND ANNUAL M.A. TRACK & FIELD DECATHLON
(June 2, 1966)

1966 RESULTS:

1. Earl Downing	Sr	4,057½	(SR & OVERALL CHAMP)
2. Hank Needham	Sr	3,640	
3. Gary Dilley	Sr	3,453	
4. Steve Mitchell	Jr	3,200	(Jr. Champ)
5. John Gardi	So	2,486	(Soph Champ)
6. Tom Graves	So	2,366	
7. John Swinford	Fr	2,249½	(Fresh Champ)
8. Arnold Turner	So	1,116	
9. Doug Taylor	So	865	

M.A. RECORD HOLDERS BY CLASS:

<u>Senior:</u>	Earl Downing	4,057½
<u>Junior:</u>	Al Masaoka	3,433
<u>Soph:</u>	John Gardi	2,486
<u>Fresh:</u>	John Swinford	2,249½

DECATHLON RECORDS:

100:	10.4	Earl Downing	1966
220:	22.5	Earl Downing	1966
440:	52.5	Earl Downing	1966
Mile:	5:00.3	Gary Dilley	1966
120 HH	17.7	Steve Mitchell	1966
Shot(12)44°2		Hank Needham	1965
Discus	132°2½	Hank Needham	1965
H.J.	5'8½	Gary Dilley	1966
L.J.	20°5	Steve Mitchell	1966
T.J.	38°6	Gary Dilley	1966
P.V.	8°6	Gary Dilley	1965

1966 DECATHLON RESULTS BY MARKS

120 HH	19.4	20.6	17.8	17.7	18.0
Shot	40°0	39°11½	32°1½	32°1½	28°1
100	10.4	10.6	11.7	10.8	11.5
L.J.	20°½	18°	18°7½	20°5	18°4½
440	52.5	57.4	57.0	60.0	58.8
220	22.5	24.0	25.9	23.8	24.8
Discus	105°6	132°2	80°11	87°2½	63°1
T.J.	38°4	32°7	38°6	37°8	32°9
H.J.	5'2	6'9	5'8½	5'6	4'7½
Mile	5:33.8	---	3:00.3	---	---
	DOWNING	NEEDHAM	DILLEY	MITCHELL	GARDI
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THE TEN TOP M.A. DECATHLON SCORES

1. Earl Downing	Sr	4,057½	1966
2. Hank Needham	Sr	3,640	1966
3. Gary Dilley	Sr	3,453	1966
4. Al Masaoka	Jr	3,433	1965
5. Hank Needham	Jr	3,361	1965
6. Steve Mitchell	Jr	3,200	1966
7. John Gardi	So	2,486	1966
8. Gary Dilley	Jr	2,577	1965
9. Tom Graves	So	2,366	1966
10. George Werfel	Sr	2,268	1965

The purpose of the M.A. Decathlon is to determine who the best all-around track & field athletes are in school. The Decathlon is primarily a test of all-around ability and endurance.

The main reason marks in a decathlon are generally inferior to a competitor's all time best for a given event is that fatigue enters the picture in a decathlon. All ten events are taken in 2 days.

THE TEN BEST DECATHLON MARKS MADE BY ATHLETES UNDER COACH YANICKS

1. Steve Carnahan	Sr	4,829	1959	Alameda	(placed in state meet in H.J. & L.J.)
2. Earl Downing	Sr	4,057½	1966	M.A.	
3. Hank Needham	Sr	3,640	1966	M.A.	
4. Bob Farris	Sr	3,619	1960	Alameda	(1st team All Northern Calif halfback)
5. Gary Dilley	Sr	3,453	1966	M.A.	
6. Lee Clark	Sr	3,433	1960	Alameda	
7. Al Masaoka	Jr	3,433	1966	M.A.	
8. John Read	Jr	3,429	1962	Alameda	(1st String fullback, Stanford 64-65-66)
9. Gary Thomas	Jr	3,361	1960	Alameda	
10. Willie Poole	Sr	3,286	1962	Alameda	