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Florant nabs Golden West hurdle title

SACRAMENTO — Palo Alto High's Carl Florant surged from behind over the last three hurdles to take first place in the 120-yard highs in Saturday's 14th annual Golden West Invitational track meet.

Florant was clocked in 13.6, equalling his lifetime best, and was all the sweeter because he defeated Pasadena High's Mike Johnson, who had forced him back to second in the state meet.

The Golden West pits the top prep spikemen from the entire nation against one another.

Top marks of the day came in the two-mile in which Seattle's Gordy Braun nipped Eugene's Tom McChesney with each given a 8:53.2 clocking, and the discus, where Tulelake's Dave Voorhees won the meet's Governor's Trophy as outstanding performer with a 198-6 heave.

A California prep record fell in the shot put where Jim Neidhart of Newport Beach came up with a 69-3 $\frac{3}{4}$ heave.