

Running Against The Wind

Wink sent one of the biggest groups of competitors, 11 girls and 8 boys, to the regional track meet in Levelland May 1-2. Although no one advanced to state the girls and boys know they did their best.

Struggling through the wind and lightning of spring weather, the team still improved each track meet by sliding away seconds on their running events and adding inches to their throws.

Advancing to regionals were the sprint relay and mile relay consisting of Desiree Moog, Marri Carlton, Genniva Isbell, and Stephanie Maddux. In the 200 meter run at district, Moog placed first and Carlton placed second. In the shot Sheila Bradley took first and Lucy Valenzuela placed second. In the discus Karina Carrillo placed second. Melissa Hawkins placed second in the long jump and Theresa Jacquez placed second in the 800 meter run. From the boys' team Vonzel Shuler placed first in the discus.

The 1600 meter relay placed second and consisted of Carlton Gillette, Michael Miranda, Peter Lara, and Shane Haynes. Gillette also placed second in the 800 meter run. Shae Scott won the high jump and Carlton Gillette placed second.

Sophomore Shane Haynes flies high to soar over the pole vault bar.



Freshman Daniel Gray strives to pass his opponents in the 800 meter run.

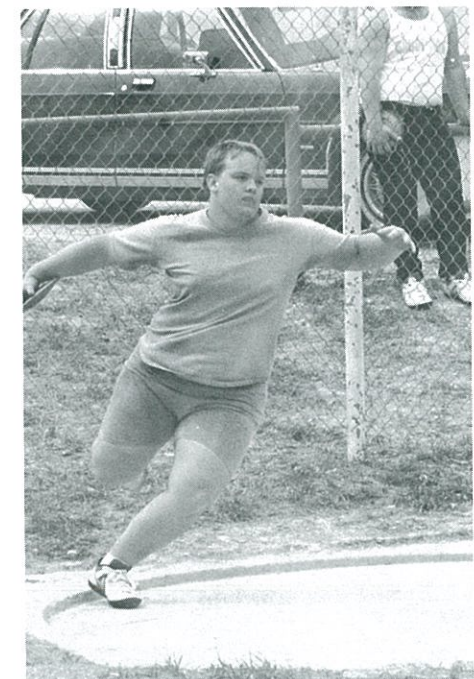
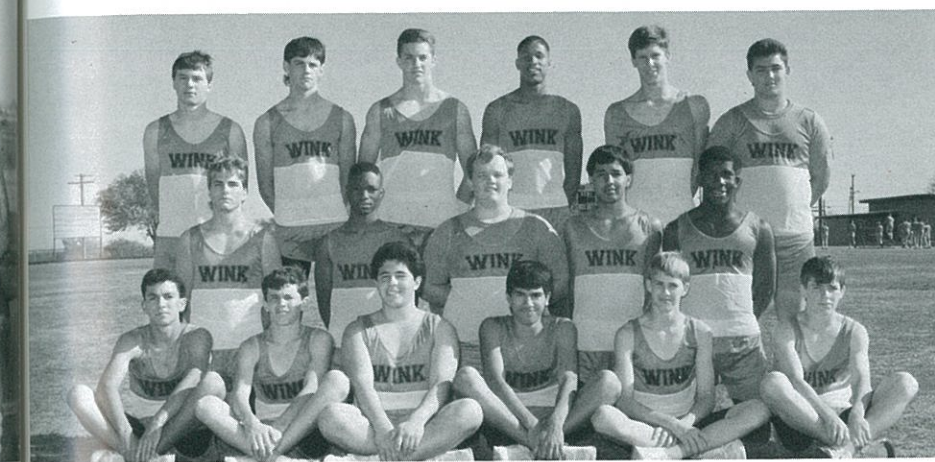


Junior Shae Scott shows his flexibility as he sets a new record at Sanderson in the high jump.

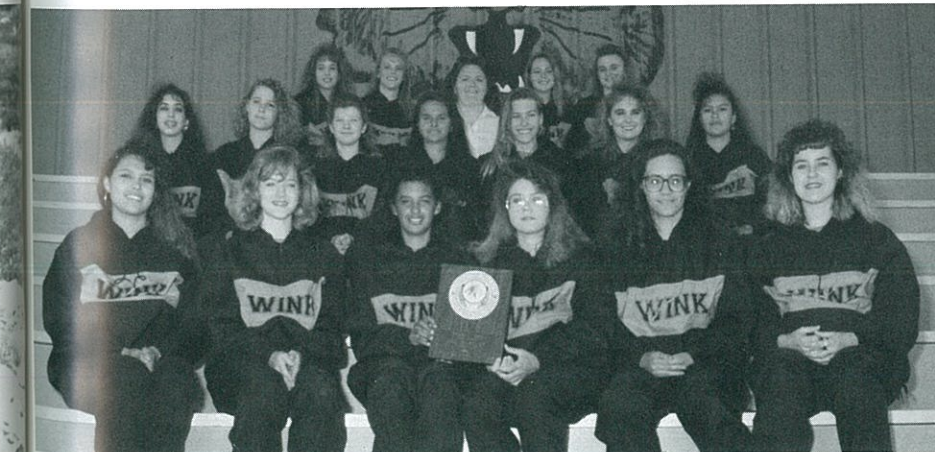
Kristy Northcutt prepares to run her leg as Genniva Isbell hands her the baton in the 800 meter relay.



Theresa Jacquez runs neck in neck on the final curve of the 800 meter run while eyeing the finish line.



Vonzel Shuler spins before throwing the winning toss at the district meet.



Top L-R: Tommy Smithhart, Shane Haynes, Mark Zeigler, Carlton Gillette, Shae Scott, Brian Lovell. Middle L-R: Micha Roundtree, Shawn Johnson, Vonzel Shuler, Pere Lara, Tony Williams. Bottom L-R: Mike Miranda, Chad Green, Glenn Underwood, Armando Ramirez, Daniel Gray, Billy Dymum.

Top L-R: Sami Jones, Stephanie Maddux, Coach Beverley Smith, Joy Dawn Stewart, Desiree Moog. Middle L-R: Erin Jones, Brande Scott, Gera Wilson, Karina Carrillo, Melissa Hawkins, Janda Northcutt, Ana Miranda. Bottom L-R: Lucy Valenzuela, Marri Carlton, Theresa Jacquez, Genniva Isbell, Lorena Rios, Sheila Bradley