

# 1957 Kansas Relays Summary

## University Class

### Quarter Mile Relay

1. Texas (Wallace Wilson, Edward Southern, Hollis Gainey, Robert Whilden), :39.9; 2. Houston (Tim Lundy, Jack Parrington, Jerry Beck, Charles Gary), :40.7; 3. North Texas State (Jimmie Weaver, John Cotten, Hugh Autrey, Freddie Reuter), :41.0; 4. Colorado (Charles Smith, Larry Chace, Jack Bessire, Charles Carlson), :41.1. New Relays Record, Intercollegiate Record, American Record and World Record. Old Relays, Intercollegiate and American Record held by Texas (George Schneider, Jerry Prewit, Bobby Whilden, Frank Daugherty), :40.1, 1956. Old World Record held by Texas (Dean Smith, Jerry Prewit, Alvin Friedon, Bobby Whilden), :40.2, 1955.

### Half Mile Relay

1. Texas (Wallace Wilson, Raymond Voight, Hollis Gainey, Robert Whilden), 1:24.2; 2. Oklahoma State (Orlando Hazley, Eddie Roberts, Bob Fischel, Ken Covert), 1:24.6; 3. Colorado (Charles Smith, Larry Chace, Jack Bessire, Charles Carlson), 1:24.8; 4. Missouri (Don Wolf, Don Carafolio, Charley Batch, Pete Orr), 1:25.2. New Relays Record. Old Record held by Baylor (Bob Herod, Clyde Hart, Ray Vickery, Del Shofner), 1:24.6, 1956.

### Mile Relay

1. Kansas (Louie Stroup, Larry Stroup, Mike Cummins, Ray Wyatt), 3:12.6; 2. Colorado (Charles Carlson, Bob Spykstra, Jack Bessire, Charles Smith), 3:12.6; 3. North Texas State (Jimmie Weaver, Hugh Autrey, Jim Blassingame, John Cotten), 3:12.7; 4. Texas (Raymond Voight, Ralph Rosenberg, Jimmy Holt, Wallace Wilson), 3:12.8.

### Two Mile Relay

1. Kansas (Grant Cookson, Tom Skutka, Bernie Gay, Lowell Janzen), 7:32.3; 2. Colorado (Robert Helming, Mike Peake, Jim Funk, Robert Greenfield), 7:38.7; 3. Brigham Young (Finlinson, Tyler, O. Anderson, P. Anderson), 7:38.8; 4. Houston (Leo Weiss, Don Loadman, Al Bosman, Jack McRoberts), 7:39.5. New Relays Record. Old Record held by Oklahoma A&M (John Mincher, Bill Brandeberry, John Teakell, Harold Tarrant), 7:41.0, 1949.

### Four Mile Relay

1. Kansas (Harold Long, Tom Skutka, Jan Howell, Jerry McNeal), 16:57.8; 2. Arkansas (Carey Edward, Earl Bond, Jerry Carter, Edward Morton), 17:23.4; 3. Oklahoma State (Tary Wilkinson, Paul Dickerson, Larry Graham, Reed Ferguson), 17:28.8; 4. Minnesota (Arnold Beck, Leonard Edelen, Paul Noreen, Don Brown), 18:05.0. New Relays Record and New Intercollegiate Record. Old Relays Record held by Kansas (Lloyd Koby, Art Dalzell, Herb Semper, Wes Santee), 17:18.3, 1952. Old Intercollegiate Record held by Michigan (John Moule, Bill Hickman, John Ross, Don McEwen), 17:08.6, 1952.

### Distance Medley

1. Texas (Brooks Patrick, George Foerster, Walter McNew, Joe Villarreal), 10:04.3; 2. Kansas (Ray Wyatt, Lowell Janzen, Harold Long, Jerry McNeal), 10:08.0; 3. Oklahoma State (Ken Covert, Larry Graham, Paul Dickerson, Reed Ferguson), 10:15.7; 4. Missouri (Pete Orr, Clint Kelly, Tom Fort, James Sanders), 10:18.6. New Relays Record. Old

Record held by Michigan (Art Henrie, Charles Whitaker, Justin Williams, Don McEwin), 10:09.7, 1950.

### Sprint Medley

1. Oklahoma (Bill Pritchett, Phil Frazier, Wilson Wilhite, Gary Parr), 3:25.2; 2. Nebraska (Keith Gardner, Don Phillipps, Richard Jahr, Knolly Barnes), 3:26.4; 3. Drake (Berland Smith, Larry Harris, Roger Moore, Sylvester Robertson), 3:27.8; 4. Wichita (Don Jordan, Dave Dennis, Max Truman, Lewis Merriman), 3:28.0.

## College Class

### Half Mile Relay

1. Los Angeles City College (Robert Kameoka, Clayton Taye, Al Matte, Al Mearo), 1:26.4; 2. Lincoln (Ben Mercer, Don Herd, Otis Lee, Robert Perkins), 1:26.9; 3. Pittsburg State (Melvin Coates, Francis Wendt, LeRoy Pitts, Bob Wooton), 1:27.4; 4. Emporia State (Carstell Pitts, Harold Thompson, George Gibbs, Duane McIntire), 1:28.3.

### Mile Relay

1. Emporia State (Bob Heaney, Richard Bliss, Duane McIntire, Bill Tidwell), 3:15.1; 2. Pittsburg State (Francis Wendt, Ross Evans, Lee Crawford, Bob Wooton), 3:16.6; 3. Oklahoma Baptist (Glenn Stone, Jim White, Jim Gaddy, Bill Baker), 3:19.3; 4. Fort Hays State (James Nieman, Larry Douglas, Robert McVicker, George Maska), 3:19.5. New Relays Record. Old Record held by Abilene Christian (George Adrian, Burl McCoy, Don Conder, Leon Lepard), 1954 and North Texas State (Jim Weaver, Jim Huffman, Mike Hagler, Paul Patterson), 1955, 3:16.2.

### Two Mile Relay

1. Howard Payne (Willie Myers, Louie Hayes, Bobby Fullig, Don Shepard), 7:41.2; 2. Oklahoma Baptist (Dick Shunatona, Burch Oglesby, Jim Guddy, Wayne Gee), 7:41.3; 3. San Diego State (Clarence Hameren, Jack Ratelle, Darrell Sager, William Gallagher), 7:46.0; 4. Pittsburg State (Larry Sutherland, Ross Evans, Garky Eggert, Lee Crawford), 7:51.7. New Relays Record. Old Record held by Howard Payne (Allen Tipps, Lou Hayes, Don Shepard, Les Fambrough), 7:41.6, 1956.

### Sprint Medley

1. Emporia State (Duane McIntire, George Gibbs, Bob Heaney, Bill Tidwell), 3:22.6; 2. Lincoln (Joe Washington, Dan Mercer, Don Herd, Herman Cant), 3:30.1; 3. Pittsburg State (Mack Posey, Melvin Coates, LeRoy Pitts, Bob Cuckack), 3:32.5; 4. Compton College (Gary Formoe, Jerome Jennings, Glenn Wade, Bobby Harrison), 3:32.9. New Relays Record. Old Record held by North Texas State (Mike Hagler, Boyd Dollar, Dean Renfro, Paul Patterson), 3:24.4, 1955.

### Distance Medley

1. Howard Payne (Dickie Denson, Bobby Pullig, Louie Hayes, Don Shepard), 10:16.7; 2. Oklahoma Baptist (Bill Baker, Burch Oglesby, Wavne Gee, Paul Wood), 10:17.9; 3. Loyola (Pete Wall, Bob Saddler, Brian Shutts, Lou Kujawinski), 10:18.2; 4. Fort Hays (Jim Maska, Robert McVicker, James Nieman, William Dunlap), 10:20.6.

### Invitation Sprint Medley

1. Ottawa (Ray Cooper, Marvin Wilson, Dick Maack, B. F. Night); 2. Missouri Val-

ley; 3. Kansas Wesleyan; 4. Bethel. Time—3:32.6. New Relays Record. Old Record held by Missouri Valley (Gill Smith, Ken Asbury, Jim Garner, Bob Clark), 3:35.0, 1956.

### Junior College Sprint Medley

1. Hutchinson (Bob Tolar, Bill Wilson, Jim Hayes, Ron Allen, Bruce Lewellyn, Fritz Mendle), 3:34.9; 2. Fairbury, 3:44.7; 3. Fort Scott, 3:46.0; 4. Coffeyville, 3:48.3. New Relays Record. Old Record held by Fort Scott (Woody Kramer, Joe Lee Ditman, Al Mielke, Joe Percill), 3:36.0, 1939.

## High School Class

### Kansas Mile Relay

1. Wichita East (Gordon Davis, Jerry Gardner, Paul Rearick, Bill Noble); 2. Shawnee Mission; 3. Marion; 4. Russell. Time—3:23.3. New Relays Record. Old Record held by Topeka (Errol Moore, Gabe Lopez, Willie Coleman, Larry Schneider), 3:26.0, 1956.

### Kansas City, Mo. 880 Relay

1. Southwest (Harvey Baraben, Stewart Taterson, Lin Brown, Jim Baker); 2. Westport; 3. Southeast; 4. Northeast. Time—1:31.2.

## Individual Events

### 100 Yard Dash

1. Orlando Hazley, Oklahoma State; 2. Robert Whilden, Texas; 3. Hollis Gainey, Texas; 4. Fred Reuter, North Texas State. Time—:09.5.

### 120 Yard High Hurdles

1. Charles Batch, Missouri; 2. Eddie Southern, Texas; 3. Eddie Roberts, Oklahoma State; 4. Austin Palmer, Texas. Time—:14.1.

### High Jump

1. Don Stewart, Southern Methodist, 6-8; 2. Wilt Chamberlain, Kansas, 6-6; 3-4. Dale Knotek, Nebraska, Clarence Miller, Southern Methodist, Don Breese, New Mexico Western, Bob Carson, William Jewell, 6-4.

### Broad Jump

1. Kim Ellis, Oklahoma State, 24-6½; 2. James Tate, Arizona, 23-11½; 3. Frank Mastin, 23-6¾; 4. Pat McGuire, Texas, 23-½.

### Pole Vault

1. Jesse Undlin, Colorado, 14-0; 2-3-4. Dave Tams, Kansas; Karl Englund, Missouri; Bob Davis, Missouri, 13-6.

### Shot Put

1. Phil Delavan, Iowa State, 54-2¼; 2. Bob Henry, Minnesota, 52-9; 3. Al Oerter, Kansas, 52-2¾; 4. George Church, Oklahoma, 51-1¼.

### Discus Throw

1. Al Oerter, Kansas, 178-1; 2. Dale Yonkey, Minnesota, 164-8; 3. Joe Irvin, Texas, 158-6½; 4. Robert Mears, Arkansas, 156-1. New Relays Record. Old Record held by Archie Harris, Indiana, 171-6¾, 1941.

### Javelin Throw

1. Buster Quist, New Mexico, 210-8½; 2. Ken Yob, Colorado, 209-7; 3. Bruce Parker, Texas, 194-6; 4. Rex Wilson, Ft. Hays State, 193-7½.



## Special Events

### Glenn Cunningham Mile

1. Gail Hodgson, Unattached; 2. Joe Mullins, Unattached; 3. Verlyn Schmidt, Kansas; 4. Mike Fleming, Unattached. Time—4:11.0.

### 400 Meter Hurdles

1. Clif Cushman, Unattached; 2. Gene O'Conner, Kansas State; 3. Ken Sweeney, Unattached; 4. Bill Tillman, Kansas. Time—:51.9. New Relays Record. Old Record held by O'Conner, :52.2, 1956.

### 3000 Meter Steeplechase

1. John Macy, Unattached; 2. Jerry Smartt, Unattached; 3. Hal Higdon, Chicago Track Club; 4. Barry Crawford, Unattached. Time—9:26.0.

### Hop, Step, Jump

1. Jack Smyth, Houston, 49-9/8; 2. Kent Floerke, Kansas, 48-4 1/2; 3. Wilt Chamberlain, Kansas, 45-9; 4. Blaine Hollinger, Kansas, 44-9. New Relays Record. Old Record held by Floerke, 49-1/2, 1955.

## Decathlon Summary

### Final Standings

|                                     |           |
|-------------------------------------|-----------|
| 1. Ken Kelly, Brooke Medical Center | .....5891 |
| 2. Terry Arenz, Arkansas            | .....5457 |
| 3. Bob Warren, Iowa                 | .....5256 |
| 4. Jerry Reiserer, Wichita          | .....5051 |
| 5. Bruce Mueller, Bethel            | .....4913 |
| 6. Sam Petroff, Grinnell            | .....4673 |

Defending Champion Phil Mulkey, Memphis State, scratched after 5 events—lame ankle

### 100 Meter Run

|          | Mark  | Pts. |
|----------|-------|------|
| Warren   | :10.8 | 986  |
| Arenz    | :11.0 | 908  |
| Reiserer | :11.2 | 835  |
| Kelly    | :11.6 | 706  |
| Mueller  | :11.7 | 678  |
| Mulkey   | :11.8 | 650  |
| Petroff  | :11.9 | 624  |

### Broad Jump

|          |           |     |
|----------|-----------|-----|
| Kelly    | 21- 2 1/2 | 629 |
| Arenz    | 20- 8 3/4 | 590 |
| Mueller  | 20- 1/2   | 537 |
| Reiserer | 19- 7     | 502 |
| Mulkey   | 18- 6     | 428 |
| Warren   | 18- 3     | 413 |
| Petroff  | 17-10 1/2 | 387 |

### Shot Put

|          |           |     |
|----------|-----------|-----|
| Mulkey   | 43- 3     | 688 |
| Petroff  | 42- 2 1/2 | 659 |
| Mueller  | 37- 5     | 532 |
| Arenz    | 36-10 3/4 | 519 |
| Warren   | 36- 5 3/4 | 508 |
| Kelly    | 36- 2 1/4 | 501 |
| Reiserer | 33- 9 1/2 | 443 |

### High Jump

|          |          |     |
|----------|----------|-----|
| Kelly    | 6- 3 1/2 | 915 |
| Mueller  | 6- 0     | 794 |
| Arenz    | 5- 8     | 678 |
| Warren   | 5- 8     | 678 |
| Reiserer | 5- 4 1/4 | 585 |
| Petroff  | 5- 2 1/2 | 536 |
| Mulkey   | 5- 2 1/2 | 536 |

### 400-Meter Run

|          |       |     |
|----------|-------|-----|
| Warren   | :50.0 | 844 |
| Arenz    | :50.5 | 807 |
| Kelly    | :51.7 | 723 |
| Reiserer | :52.6 | 666 |
| Mueller  | :53.1 | 636 |
| Petroff  | :55.9 | 485 |
| Mulkey   | :61.3 | 270 |

### 110 Meter High Hurdles

|          |       |     |
|----------|-------|-----|
| Kelly    | :15.0 | 813 |
| Warren   | :16.0 | 593 |
| Mueller  | :16.6 | 489 |
| Arenz    | :16.7 | 473 |
| Reiserer | :17.1 | 413 |
| Petroff  | :17.2 | 398 |

### Discus Throw

|          |            |     |
|----------|------------|-----|
| Petroff  | 123- 6     | 560 |
| Warren   | 123- 2     | 558 |
| Arenz    | 105- 1 1/2 | 421 |
| Reiserer | 104- 6     | 417 |
| Kelly    | 103- 3     | 409 |
| Mueller  | 95- 9 1/2  | 359 |

### Pole Vault

|          |           |     |
|----------|-----------|-----|
| Reiserer | 11- 5 1/2 | 512 |
| Kelly    | 10- 8 1/4 | 419 |
| Mueller  | 9- 4 1/2  | 276 |
| Petroff  | 8-10 1/4  | 223 |
| Arenz    | 7- 9 1/4  | 121 |

### Javelin Throw

|          |            |     |
|----------|------------|-----|
| Petroff  | 174- 1 1/2 | 587 |
| Arenz    | 166- 3     | 540 |
| Kelly    | 153-10     | 572 |
| Reiserer | 152- 7 1/2 | 465 |
| Warren   | 146- 7     | 432 |
| Mueller  | 139- 6     | 397 |

### 1500 Meter Run

|          |        |     |
|----------|--------|-----|
| Arenz    | 4:41.6 | 400 |
| Kelly    | 4:53.9 | 304 |
| Warren   | 5:02.5 | 244 |
| Mueller  | 5:07.4 | 215 |
| Petroff  | 5:07.5 | 214 |
| Reiserer | 5:07.8 | 213 |

## Triple-Crown Winners

### 120-yard High Hurdles:

Lee Sentman, Illinois, 1929 (:15.3); 1930 (:15.6), 1931 (:14.6)  
Sam Allen, Oklahoma Baptist, 1934 (:14.6); 1935 (:14.5); 1936 (:14.8)

### 100-yard Dash:

Thane Baker, Kansas State, 1951 (:10.0); 1952 (:09.5); 1953 (:10.0)

### High Jump:

Tom Poor, Kansas, 1923 (6-1 1/4); 1924 (6-4); 1925 (6-5 1/4)

### Pole Vault:

Earle McKown, Emporia State, 1923 (12-9); 1924 (13-1/2); 1925 (13-2 1/8)  
Beefus Bryan, Texas, 1938 (13-11 3/4); 1939 (14-2); 1940 (13-3)\*

### Shot Put:

Hugh Rhea, Nebraska, 1930 (48-6); 1931 (49-2 1/8); 1932 (47-1/8)

Elmer Hackney, Kansas State, 1938 (50-4); 1939 (52-1 1/2); 1940 (49-5 3/8)

Darrow Hooper, Texas A&M, 1951 (51-8 1/2); 1952 (53-9); 1953 (55-3 1/2)

### Discus Throw:

Darrow Hooper, Texas A&M, 1951 (145-5 1/2); 1952 (152-8 1/2); 1953 (163-2 1/8)

### Glenn Cunningham Mile

Glenn Cunningham, Kansas, 1932 (4:02.5)\*\*; 1933 (3:53.3)\*\*; 1934 (4:12.7); 1936 (3:57.1)\*\*; 1939 (4:29.2)

\*tie with Dick Higgins, Missouri.

\*\*1500 meters

## Most Outstanding Performers

### 1948—Harrison Dillard, Baldwin-Wallace

Broke Kansas Relays' and world record with :13.6 performance in 120-yard high hurdles.

### 1949—Bob Walters, Texas

Scored upset victory over classy field and set Relays record of 6-8 3/16 in high jump.

### 1950—Bill Carroll, Oklahoma

Set Relays' record of 14-5 in pole vault.

### 1951—Don Cooper, Nebraska

Set new Relays' and National intercollegiate record of 15 1/8 in pole vault, becoming first collegian in history to reach that magic level outdoors.

### 1952—Wes Santee, Kansas

Ran unofficial 4:11.6 mile in anchor carry of four-mile relay, and unofficial 3:02.0 in 1320 leg of distance medley. Jayhawkers won both events.

### 1953—Darrow Hooper, Texas A&M

Completed first twin triple-crown in Relays history by winning shot put in 55-3 1/2, second longest cast in meet annals; and discus throw in 163-2 1/8, the third most lengthy peg on the Relays books.

### 1954—Wes Santee, Kansas

Ran second-swiftest mile in American history, up to that time, 4:03.1, to bag Glenn Cunningham feature. Overcame 90-yard deficit in anchor carry of distance medley with 4:12.6 to fire Jayhawkers to that title.

### 1955—Dean Smith, Texas

Won wind-blown 100 in :09.4, anchored Longhorns to victory in 880 relay and led off for winning 440 baton team.

### 1956—Bobby Whilden, Texas

Tied 26-year-old Relays 100-yard dash record at :09.4 and ran No. 3 leg on Longhorn 440 relay team which bettered world record at :40.1.

### 1957—Billy Tidwell, Emporia State

Anchored Sprint Medley team to College division record of 3:22.6 with 1:49.5, and Mile quartet to second Relays mark of 3:15.1 on :46.5.