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Wildcat Track Update: April 26, 2011

Hunter Bounds To Conference Title For The Wildcats



SANTA MONICA, Calif. - West Los Angeles College's Patrick Hunter wins the Western State Conference Championship in the triple jump on the first day of the Western State Conference Championships at Santa Monica College.

For the women Ryan Richardson brought home a title for the Wildcats as she placed first in the shot put and Kemi Olonade won top honors in the triple jump. All 3 athletes also qualified for Southern California Championships by placing in the top 6 places in their respective event.

Other SoCal qualifiers for the Wildcats included, Franz Palacio who was 2nd place in the men's triple jump and Cortney McCoy who had a pair of 3rd place finishes in the triple jump and high jump events. West KA triple jumpers Toni Cooper (2nd), Raven Rhone (4th), and Brittney McKinley (6th) also qualified and scored big points for the ladies squad. The top 8 finishers score points for their respective school.

On the track the Wildcats were led by Jonathan Byrd who qualified in the 100, 200, and 400 meter events. The women were led by Selina Collins who had the top qualifying time in the 400 meters, and she qualified for the 200 meters as well.

West, who is ranked 9th in State, continues competition at the Western State Conference Championships Friday at Bakersfield College at 1pm. The men are in search of their 1st title since 1974. The women are trying to win back to back titles for the first time in school history.

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