Coe wins 3 events at Cornell track

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MOUNT VERNON - Laura Bybee captured the pole vault for the Coe College women's track team Saturday by leaping 10 feet at the Cornell Invitational.

Erik Franklin won the triple jump for the Coe men's track team with a combined leap of 39 feet, 10.75 inches.

The Kohawks claimed the women's 4x200 relay with Amanda Brummet, Emma Gitomer, Kenzie Drahn and Sara Bechard sharing the baton.

Bechard placed second in the high jump and Kirstin Franklin was second in the triple jump. The Kohawk women picked up third-place finishes from Brummet (60 dash), Franklin (400 dash), Beth Heims (mile) and Ashley Nemechek (60 hurdles).

Alex Deeds (shot put) and Daniel Yunek (weight throw) collected second-place showings for the Coe men. Jon Ameling (mile), Shea Devine (3000) and Gordan Rey (pole vault) finished third.

WOMEN'S STANDINGS 1. Cornell 154, 2. Clarke 122, 3. NIACC 92, 4. Coe 86, 5. Southwestern CC 24, 6. Iowa Wesleyan 4.

MEN'S STANDINGS 1. NIACC 102, 2. Clarke 96, 3. Cornell 87, 4. Coe 67, 5. Southwestern CC 61, 6. Iowa Wesleyan 16, 7. IWCTigers 8.