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**IHSA 3A**  
**State Champions**

## Six Qualify To Charleston...

This past Friday night the Lancers competed in the IHSA Sectional meet at York High School. This is the state qualifying meet. Any athlete or relay team that finishes 1st or 2nd or makes the qualifying standard punches their ticket to the state meet. As a team the Lancers finished 4th out of 16 and qualified 6 athletes in 6 events.

The first qualifiers came in the Discus competition. Senior Mike Prestigiacomio entered as he favorite and lived up to those expectations by winning the event. Soph Chago Basso came in as a strong contender, but made things interesting by qualifying on his last throw and finishing 4th.

Meanwhile his Senior brother Gio was competing in the Long Jump where he qualified by making the standard and finishing 2nd with a new PR. Just across the track, Soph Ethan Koval won the Pole Vault competition and punched his ticket.

On the track, Senior Antonio Shenault made it to the finals in the 110 HH. In the finals he captured 2nd place to secure his spot and a chance to defend his state title from last year.

The throwers made their way back from the Discus to the Shot put area. As they have done many times this year, Mike Prestigiacomio and Junior Dylan Scheirich finished 1st and 2nd to secure their spots in the state meet.

Gio Basso saved the best for last as he set another PR but this time in the Triple Jump. His mark was good enough for 2nd and another event at the state meet.

Other PR performances included Colin Kirkham and Eric Bayer in the 3200, Dan Spejcher in the High Jump, Darius Allen in the 200m, Alec Verven in the 400m, and Jason Joda in the 1600m.

Good luck to the qualifiers as they look to bring home Lake Park's 6th trophy in 6 years. Prelim competition starts on Friday around noon and finals are Saturday.

