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Presidents' Day Weekend Inv.

The Collins track & field team continued their re-writing of the indoor school record books on Feb. 18th and 19th at the Presidents' Day Weekend Invitational meet in Louisville. Sophomore Grace Evans got the action started in the pole vault. Starting off at the highest opener of her career, it took her three attempts to clear 10-3. She easily sailed over 10-9 on her first attempt to up her school record by three inches. She had one very close attempt at 11-3 where she cleared the bar, but her pole knocked the bar off. Evans finished first in her age group and fourth overall.



Collins' Grace Evans clears the bar enroute to upping her own school indoor record (and beating her outdoor record) to 10-9 at the Presidents' Day Weekend Meet. She has upped her indoor school record three times this season.

Next up was the boys two mile with eighth grader Reece Delaney, sophomore Chase Delaney, and junior Jack Fuhrmann all running in different sections. They were all focusing on the school mark of 11:20 that Chase set a few weeks ago. Reece was the first to run and he hammered out a personal record (PR) of 11:17 to shave three seconds off his brother's school mark. He finished fourth in his age group. Chase was next and could not top Reece's mark. So it was up to Fuhrmann to see whether Reece's newly minted record would stand. Jack cruised through the first mile in a fast 5:09. He closed strong (39 second last 200) to finish under 11 with a 10:59. His time topped the mark set 15 minutes earlier by 18



seconds. Reece gets the school record for holding a school record for the shortest amount of time (15 minutes).



Collins' Reece Delaney (501) held the school record in the two mile for 15 minutes until his teammate Jack Fuhrmann beat it.



Jack Fuhrmann broke the 2 mile school record at the Presidents' Day Weekend Invitational Meet.

The Titans' next indoor meet is the State Meet on Mar. 5th at the Norton SportsPlex in Louisville. The Titans will host the Bojangles Bullskin Relays on April 1.

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