

Lindsay Fletcher third in London

The North Bay Legion Track Club rounded out the summer competitive season recently with its final two meets.

The Athletics Ontario Provincial Bantam, Midget, Youth Provincial Championships were held at the University of Windsor Track and Field Complex and the Ontario Summer Games were held in London.

At the BMY Provincial Championships, Lindsay Fletcher competed in the U16 (midget) girls 1200m and 2000m. She placed 7th in the 1200 in a time of 3:54.36 in a field of 33 girls. She repeated her 7th place finish in the 2000m in a time of 7:08.92.

Janae Hardware also competed in the U16 (midget) girls age category. Her 200m event included 64 girls. Janae came 17th in a time of 27.34. In the 300m, she came 10th in a time of 42.85 in a field of 38 girls.

The two male athletes from the club, Seth Veldhuis and Connor Russo, made their first appearance to an Athletics Ontario Track and Field Competition. Seth, competing in the U16 (midget) boys category placed 8th in the 200m hurdles in a time of 29.98. He also placed 26th in the 800m.

Russo competed in the U18 (youth) boys category. His 1500m race included 54 athletes and



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North Bay Legion Track Club athletes Lindsay Fletcher, left, Janae Hardware, Connor Russo and Seth Veldhuis compete at the Athletics Ontario Provincial Bantam, Midget, Youth Provincial Championships at the University of Windsor.

Connor placed 29th in a time of 4:34.41. In the 3000m event he placed 27th in a time of 10:02.58.

The final meet of the season was a highlight for Fletcher. She was the only athlete from the club to apply and be chosen for the Ontario

Summer Games this past weekend. Her recent race results qualified her to compete with the Team Ontario West – Endurance athletes. She competed in the 1200m and 2000m.

In the 2000m Lindsay pulled

together a strong final lap out-kicking several runners to place third in a time of 6:58.41. In the 1200m, a fast pace swept Lindsay along to a time of 3:55.48 and a 7th place finish.

The club is now preparing for the

fall cross-country competitive running Season. Updates of training times and competitive races are in the process of being finalized and will soon be posted to the calendar on the North Bay Legion Track Club website. www.nbltc.ca.