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YANKS 3rd at PAN-AM CUP Wasik Claims Junior Title

Hello Again....The week's decathlon news (Thurs-Fri) comes from Ottawa where a 3 man USA contingent competed at the annual Pan American Cup, an IAAF CE Challenge meet which has replaced the annual erstwhile NACAC meeting. A scored 2-man competition which is also open to all comers, Cuban veteran Yordani Garcia was in command the entire way and left with an 8167 victory. The Cubans won the 2 man battle with a 15,738 tally with Canada second and the USA third. Cuba's Jose Mendieta was 2nd (7559) and Canada's James Turner was 3rd (7408)

Kansas State senior Devin Dick was the top American in 6th (7133 points). Kurtis Brondyke, Warrensburg, MO was 7th and Derek Masterson, Santa Barbara, 9th.

Three other Americans competed in the open division. Ex Wyoming star Jay Petsch was 14th and a pair of collegians, Arkansas State senior Ethan Turpen and Cornell junior Michael Rabbitt dnf'd. A day earlier UCLA bound Steel Wasik, 18, Lakewood, OH, built up a commanding lead after 6 events and won comfortably with a 7004 total.

'12 Olympic medalist Damian Warner /CAN preparing for the Commonwealth Games next month (10.43+1.1 728+1.8 1412 199) stopped after 4 events. American decathletes looking a quality meet in July, either to cap off the collegiate season or to extend the season might consider this meeting in the future. Athletes from ten nations competed. It's likely Ottawa (Terry Fox Stadium) will



Devin Dick (left) and Steele Wasik (right) made their presence felt at the Pan American Cup in Ottawa.

become the meet's permanent site. Host website: www.ottawalions.com.

See our Results Page for complete details. Up next... Thorpe Cup.



Athletes celebrate after Pan Am CE Cup in Ottawa.



Keeping track of Ashton Eaton...

7/16/14	International Leige, Belgium
110mH	1st 13.43 (+0.7)
7/20/14	Sainsbury Anniversary, London
Long Jump	2nd 7.87m/25-



Eaton posted a season best in the highs of 13.43 Wednesday evening in Leige, Belgium.

