ITHACA, N.Y. – Senior Betsy Schultz (Akron) finished second in the 3,000 meters and senior Stephanie Bailey (Victor) set a new school record in the 300-meter dash as Cortland opened its women's indoor track and field season at the Cornell University Relays.

Schultz qualified for the ECAC Division III championships with her 3,000-meter time of 10:28.03. Bailey finished sixth in the 300 meters with her school-record time of 42.00 seconds. The previous record of 42.38 seconds was set in 2002 by Bailey's current teammate, Kerri Gannon (Sparkill/Tappan Zee).

Junior Jennifer Hart (Newark) tied the school record in the pole vault, clearing an ECAC-qualifying height of 10' 6". Amanda Failing set the mark last season. Sophomore Megan Kelley (Newburgh/Walkill) finished fifth in the pole vault, also qualifying for the ECAC's with a height of 10' 0".

Freshman Christina Acquaviva (Utica/Proctor) and sophomore Andrea Gentile (Middletown/Minisink Valley) each bested ECAC standards in the 60-meter hurdles. Acquaviva finished third in 9.38 seconds, and Gentile was fifth in 9.50 seconds. In addition, junior Jackie Ferrentino (Buffalo/West Seneca East) qualified for the ECAC meet with a seventh-place time of 1:22.38 in the 500 meters.

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3,000 meters
Betsy Schultz, 2nd, 10:28.03 (ECAC qualifier)

Pole Vault
Jennifer Hart, 2nd, 10’ 6” (3.20 m) (ECAC qualifier) (ties school record)
Megan Kelley, 5th, 10’0” (3.05 m) (ECAC qualifier)

60-meter hurdles
Christina Acquaviva, 3rd, 9.38 (ECAC qualifier)
Andrea Gentile, 5th, 9.50 (ECAC qualifier)

300 meters
Stephanie Bailey, 6th, 42.00 (new school record)

500 meters
Jackie Ferrentino, 7th, 1:22.38 (ECAC qualifier)