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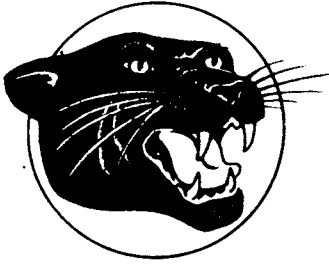
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Panther Sports News

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CHARLESTON, IL--Paul West (Country Club Hills-Hillcrest), senior distance runner for Eastern Illinois University's track team, was the Panthers 12th leading scorer with 24 points.

West also earned his fourth letter this spring competing in the 1500 run and the 1600 leg of the distance medley.

He placed sixth in the Mid-Continent championship in the 1500 in 3:56.4, his best time of the spring. His top 1600 distance medley split was 4:14.3.

"Paul was a consistent middle distance runner for us . . . both in track and cross country," said coach Neil Moore. "He's a B plus chemistry student who carried a tremendous academic burden while competing . . . he's truly a student-athlete, and tried not to slight either area.

"Therefore, considering his academic load he did a remarkable job to finish as our No. 12 scorer . . . we're proud of his accomplishments."