

NEW RECORDS SET IN SLAC RACES

(Story by Ken Moore; photos by Joe Faust)

This year SLAC's annual "Sports Spectacular" was held on Thursday, September 2, and it drew the largest group of participants and spectators since the event was first held in 1972.



The 100-yard dash was won by SLAC summer student Malcom Dixon (center) in 10.9, followed closely by Clyde Barker (right) in 11.1 and Ted Ragland (left) in 11.2.



Records fell all over the place in the 7.8-mile bike race, in which the first six finishers all bettered Dave Uggl'a's 1973 time of 19 minutes and 35 seconds. In fact, these six all finished with 6 seconds of each other, with Phil Harsch hanging in there for the win.

Phil Harsh	19:06	Jeff Hook	19:10
Mark Bratt	19:08	Bob Young	19:12
Don Burwell	19:09	Skip Stritter	19:55
Roger Bratt	19:10	Martin Berndt	20:20



Although a strong contingent of runners from the Stanford campus were entered in the 3.8-mile run (once around the Klystron Gallery), it was graduate student Alan Homna from East Lansing, Michigan, who breezed in to win in the record-setting time of 20 minutes and 53 seconds. His time clipped 26 seconds off the previous record of 21:19 set by Dave Catthiel in 1972.

This is the way the field finished:

Alan Homna	20:53	Becky Schmidt	24:31
Doug McLean	21:30	Paul Ilacqua	25:16
Larry Washington	21:36	Dennis Brunc	27:01
Rick Hill	21:49	Audrey Bettencourt	27:27
Alex Gallegos	22:07	Dennis Sivers	29:43
Diarmuid McGuire	22:15	Charlie Hoard	31:45
Rich Divita	22:22	Chris Graham	34:59
Tom Knight	22:30	Gerard Putallaz	35:05
Dennis Milligan	23:03	Bill Divita	35:05
Ken Moore	23:45	Lydia Campbell	38:30
Lou Kouvacs	24:30	Herb Tiedemann	38:32

