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## The Jesse Owens Museum Dedication



A museum dedicated to the life, achievements and victories of the Olympic champion takes its place as part of the Jesse Owens Memorial Park in Oakville, Lawrence County, Ala.

In one of the museum's many displays, Owens, main photo, above, takes a breather during the 1936 Olympics in Berlin.

Inset, above left, James Pinion, Alabama Cooperative Extension System Lawrence County Coordinator, who received a 1996 AU Outreach Award for Excellence for his extraordinary efforts to create the park.

Lower inset, Sylvester Owens, stands before a collage of his famous brother and one of his gold medals.



Inset, right, Ruth Owens, Jesse's widow, sits for a rest while talking with AU Vice President for University Outreach David Wilson, who attended the May 16 dedication.