

Racing to wins

Leaf and Lady Leaf harriers race to pair of wins

Geneseo Lady Leaf harriers remained undefeated Tuesday, September 5 against Rock Falls and Alleman at Riverside Park.

Geneseo edged Alleman 26 to 29 while racing past Rock Falls, 15 to 40. Their record is now 7-0.

"The girls beat a very good Alleman team," Coach Mel Snook commented.

In the two-mile race, Natalie Myers came in second and Molly Reade third out of 37 runners.

Myers crossed the line in 12:58, just a hair short of the first-place finisher while Reade was third in 13:19.

Nicki Rocha finished fifth in 13:51 and Sara Rutledge was sixth in 13:52.

Rounding out the top five for Geneseo was Jill Hinrichs, who was 10th in 14:14.

Sara Verplaetse was 11th with the same time as Hinrichs followed by Nikki Parker in 12th and Molly

Patten in 13th with times of 14:52 and 14:53, respectively.

Also running were Kate Alterman (17th in 15:01), Rhonda Lofus (19th in 15:24), Amy Schneider (26th in 15:55), Anamika Holke (27th in 15:56), Becky Riewerts (29th in 16:19) and Jenny Grier (35th in 17:52).

Geneseo's varsity boys squad had runners in three of the top five as they raced past Alleman, 22 to 34, and past Rock Falls, 19-42.

Justin Fluck raced to the win out of 24 runners in the three-mile course in 17:11 while Chris Studer was third in 17:32 and Ben Forest was fifth in 18:11.

Also in the top ten were Adam Forest, eighth in 18:33 and Chris Farmer, ninth in 18:36.

Other runners were Jason Gray (12th in 19:09), David Cryder (14th in 19:35), Eric Verplaetse (15th in 19:35), Doug Patchin (18th in 20:11), Jeremy Brown (19th in 20:40) and Adam Fleming (23rd in 22:47).

The frosh-soph, lacking on numbers, fell to Alleman, 21 to 34 and was edged by Rock Falls, 27 to 28. Their record is now 5-2.

Mark Keplinger was the top place-finisher for the Leaflets, coming in

fifth in 12:08 while John Kiss was right behind in sixth in 12:19 out of 23 runners.

Bill Heitzler was 10th in 12:42, David Rutledge was 12th in 12:51, Jared Anderson was 14th in 12:56, Matt Sullivan was 21st in 14:33 and Josh Fleming was 23rd in 15:31.

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—Coach Snook

"We need a frost to kill off the pollen to help some of our kids with asthma problems," Coach Snook commented. "I think then we would see a big drop in times."

Geneseo goes to the 58-team Peoria Invitational next Saturday, September 16.

"We will find out a lot then," said Coach Snook. "The young kids will get initiated into big-time high school cross country."

"I think the varsity boys will do fine, and I expect the girls to get a top ten finish."

Geneseo Cross-Country Results

Competing Schools: Rock Falls & Rock Island Alleman.

Site: Riverside Park **Date:** 09/05/95

Conditions: 85° ... Warm.

Varsity Girls' Race (Racing Distance: 2 Miles)

	Name	Grade	School	Time	Splits
1.	Becky Hawley	10	Alleman	12:58	
2.	Natalie Meyers	10	Geneseo	12:58	(6:28)
3.	Molly Reade	11	Geneseo	13:19	(6:29)
4.	Andrea Piasecki	11	Alleman	13:38	
5.	Nicki Rocha	11	Geneseo	13:51	(6:43)
6.	Sara Rutledge	12	Geneseo	13:52	(6:52)
7.	Aaron Sumer	09	Alleman	14:01	
8.	Katrina Heird	09	Alleman	14:03	
9.	Alissa Johnson	12	Alleman	14:07	
10.	Jill Hinrichs	09	Geneseo	14:14	(7:03)
11.	Sara Verplaetse	11	Geneseo	14:14	(7:15)
12.	Nikki Parker	11	Geneseo	14:52	(7:15)
13.	Molly Patten	11	Geneseo	14:53	(7:14)
14.	Mindie Guerero	10	Rock Falls	14:57	
15.	Stacie Waggoner	11	Rock Falls	14:58	
16.	Liz Weir	10	Rock Falls	15:00	
17.	Kate Altermatt	11	Geneseo	15:01	7:36)
18.	Margaret Weir	10	Rock Falls	15:06	
19.	Rhonda Loftus	09	Geneseo	15:24	(7:36)
20.	Rebecca Crump	09	Rock Falls	15:30	
21.	Karen Daffaba	12	Alleman	15:33	
22.	Bernessa Keane	09	Rock Falls	15:38	
23.	Lisa Pellegrini	11	Alleman	15:41	
24.	Michelle Leaman	12	Rock Falls	15:42	
25.	Cami Wilson	09	Alleman	15:51	
26.	Amy Schneider	10	Geneseo	15:55	(7:36)
27.	Anamika Holke	11	Geneseo	15:56	(7:52)
28.	Jenny Waggoner	11	Rock Falls	16:08	
29.	Becky Riewerts	10	Geneseo	16:19	(7:33)
30.	Rebecca Hawkins	12	Alleman	16:47	
31.	Rachael Young	09	Alleman	16:51	
32.	Debbie Carel	12	Alleman	17:02	
33.	Angie Gand	09	Alleman	17:03	
34.	Kim Partridge	11	Rock Falls	17:39	
35.	Jenny Grier	12	Geneseo	17:52	(8:36)
36.	Kim Shields	11	Alleman	18:03	

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37. Lisa Schumacker 11 Rock Falls 20:38

Geneseo's Spread

1 thru 5: 1:16
1 thru 7: 1:54
1 thru 10: 2:26

Team Scores

	1	2	3	4	5	Total	6	7
Geneseo	2	3	5	6	10	26	11	12
Alleman	1	4	7	8	9	29	13	14
Geneseo	1	2	3	4	5	15	6	7
Rock Falls	8	9	10	11	12	40	13	14

Geneseo's Varsity Girls is now 7 wins and 0 losses.

Geneseo Cross-Country Results

Competing Schools: Rock Falls & Rock Island Alleman.

Site: Riverside Park **Date:** 09/05/95

Conditions: 85° ... Warm.

Varsity Boys' Race (Racing Distance: 3 Miles)

	Name	Grade	School	Time	Splits
1.	Justin Fluck	09	Geneseo	17:11	(5:35/11:30)
2.	Nate Rucker	11	Rock Falls	17:20	
3.	Chris Studer	09	Geneseo	17:32	(5:34/11:38)
4.	Joe Kelly	12	Alleman	17:35	
5.	Ben Forest	11	Geneseo	18:11	(5:38/11:59)
6.	Shawn Bradley	11	Alleman	18:12	
7.	Rob Carel	10	Alleman	18:27	
8.	Adam Forest	11	Geneseo	18:33	(5:42/12:06)
9.	Chris Farmer	12	Geneseo	18:36	(5:38/11:55)
10.	Ben Wiggins	11	Alleman	18:53	
11.	Travis Faget	12	Rock Falls	19:05	
12.	Jason Gray	10	Geneseo	19:09	(6:00/12:38)
13.	Ben Houterier	11	Alleman	19:18	
14.	David Cryder	12	Geneseo	19:35	(6:22/13:10)
15.	Eric Verplaetse	12	Geneseo	19:35	(6:22/13:10)
16.	Cory Marrufo	12	Rock Falls	20:04	
17.	Louis McCarthy	12	Alleman	20:07	
18.	Doug Patchin	11	Geneseo	20:11	(6:22/13:19)
19.	Jeremy Brown	12	Geneseo	20:40	(6:22/13:19)
20.	Josh Russel	11	Rock Falls	21:22	
21.	Dale Sanders	11	Rock Falls	21:28	
22.	Kirk Lubbs	12	Rock Falls	21:51	
23.	Adam Fleming	12	Geneseo	22:47	(6:33/14:42)
24.	Karl Warwick	11	Alleman	25:17	

Geneseo's Spread

1 thru 5: 1:25
1 thru 7: 2:22
1 thru 10: 3:29

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Team Scores

	1	2	3	4	5	Total	6	7
Geneseo	1	2	4	7	8	22	10	12
Alleman	3	5	6	9	11	34	13	14
Geneseo	1	3	4	5	6	19	8	9
Rock Falls	2	7	10	11	12	42	13	14

Geneseo's Boys' Varsity Record is now 6 wins and 1 loss.

Geneseo Cross-Country Results

Competing Schools: Rock Falls & Rock Island Alleman.

Site: Riverside Park **Date:** 09/05/95

Conditions: 85° ... Warm.

Boys' Frosh-Soph Race (Racing Distance: 2 Miles)

	Name	Grade	School	Time	Splits
1.	Chris McGraw	09	Alleman	11:51	
2.	Chris Wood	09	Alleman	11:54	
3.	Nic Rivera	10	Rock Falls	11:55	
4.	Nick Hoepfner	10	Alleman	11:56	
5.	Mark Keplinger	09	Geneseo	12:08	(5:43)
6.	Jon Kiss	10	Geneseo	12:19	(5:43)
7.	John Mueller	10	Alleman	12:28	
8.	Andrew Maroney	10	Rock Falls	12:31	
9.	Todd Fager	09	Rock Falls	12:39	
10.	Bill Heitzler	10	Geneseo	12:42	(6:14)
11.	Kelly Wescott	09	Rock Falls	12:46	
12.	David Rutledge	09	Geneseo	12:51	(6:27)
13.	Chris Lootens	09	Alleman	12:52	
14.	Jared Andersen	09	Geneseo	12:56	(6:21)
15.	Scott Benker	09	Alleman	13:51	
16.	Mike Bernas	09	Alleman	13:56	
17.	Ryan Murray	09	Alleman	13:56	
18.	James Soudner	10	Rock Falls	13:57	
19.	Matt Carey	10	Rock Falls	14:12	
20.	Rob Plaszenski	09	Alleman	14:26	
21.	Matt Sullivan	09	Geneseo	14:33	(7:13)
22.	Jay Cushman	10	Rock Falls	14:41	
23.	Josh Fleming	09	Geneseo	15:31	(7:14)

Geneseo's Spread

1 thru 5: :48

1 thru 7: 2:23

1 thru 10: "we don't have 10 runners....we need more athletes"

Team Scores

	1	2	3	4	5	Total	6	7
Geneseo	4	5	7	8	10	34	12	14
Alleman	1	2	3	6	9	21	11	13
Geneseo	2	3	6	8	9	28	12	14
Rock Falls	1	4	5	7	10	27	11	13

Geneseo's Boys' Frosh-Soph Record is now 5 wins and 2 losses.