# Solid efforts

## Cross country teams start in winning style

Coach Don Fredericks and his 1997 cross country teams are well on the way to having a banner year. The harriers opened the season with a trip to Centennial Park in Rock Falls and took to the just over 2 mile course under perfect weather conditions.

Both the varsity girls and froshsoph boys took 3-0 victories for Geneseo. The varsity boys put out a "good effort" but were competing without their top six runners. According to Coach Fredericks, it was a "minor incident" which caused the one-meet suspension and was something he felt he needed to impose disciplinary action.

Other schools sporting runners were Kewanee, LaSalle-Peru and Rock Falls.

Lady Leaf runners took eight of the top 11 slots in the girls varsity race held over a 2.05-mile course.

Freshman Jenny Lake led the Geneseo pack, clocking in at 11:59. Her closest competitor, Jenny Carman of Kewanee, took second in 13:23 while LP's Andi Clinard was third in 13:30.

Natalie Myers took the fourthplace slot with a time of 13:42.

A strong effort by Geneseo runners took all places from sixth through 11th. Placing were Rhonda Loftus (14:06), Andrea Blondell (14:10), Amy Schneider (14:10), Rachael Williams (14:11), Becky Riewerts (14:18) and Alysa Snyder (14:23).

This year's squad has five runners returning from last year's state team. All five, Myers, Blondell, Williams, Riewerts and Loftus, finished within the top ten at this season opener. Others competing for Geneseo were Chris Kempher (19th, 15:21), Codi Hultman (21st, 15:36), Jill Hinrichs (25th, 16:00), Kelli O'Dell (27th, 16:06), Mary Terronez (28th, 16:07), Keri Reagin (29th, 16:07), Jaime Gunnison, 38th, 16:52), Beth Bos (40th, 16:53), Dawn Miller,

41st, 17:06), Joy Gray (43rd, 17:12), Erin Schneider (46th, 19:14), Jody Thompson (47th, 20:51), Megan Irish (48th, 22:20) and Nikki Thompson (49th, 22:28).

As a team, Geneseo downed Kewanee, 19-44; LaSalle-Peru, 22-39 and Rock Falls, 15-50, giving the Lady Leafs a 3-0 start to the year.

At the frosh-soph level, Tim Nelson and Grant Venema gave Jeff Petty of Kewanee a fighting battle for the first slot. However, the Boilermaker was given the number one slot with a 13:00 time. Nelson, who also finished in 13:00 had the same split as Petty, 5:37, but earned second overall for the day. Venema had a split of 5:38 and finished the race in 13:02 for third place, making for quite an exciting finish.

Coach Fredericks noted it was an "awesome effort" by his team in earning a 3-0 record by the end of the day. The Leafrosh edged out Kewanee as a team, finishing with a 24-37 victory. Geneseo also beat LP, 15-39 and Rock Falls, 15-50.

Solid efforts by the remainder of the Leafrosh team helped boost Geneseo to victory. In addition to Nelson and Venema, six other Leafrosh finished within the top 11 slots. Bobby Ristau took third place with a time of 13:30; Matt Travis, seventh, 14:13; Luke Owens, eighth, 14:13; Neil Kuhlman, ninth, 14:26; Bill Bean, tenth, 14:28 and Brandon Sandoval, 14:33.

Also covering the course were Leafrosh Mike Heitzler (15th, 14:50), Mike Brown (16th, 15:09), Charles Peters (17th, 15:10), Mike Skelton (20th, 15:34), Jared Betcher (22nd, 15:42), Nathan Thompson (24th, 16;10), Mark Gleason (27th, 16:35), Bill Johnson (28th, 16:38), Mike Gallant (29th, 17:05), Adam Kuban (31st, 18:20) and Mike Stone (32nd, 19:02).

Just two runners, Josh Fleming and Matt Carlson, finished the 2.75mile course for the varsity boys. Coach Fredericks praised the duo for "good efforts" even though neither made the top 20 places.

Three Kewanee runners took the top three slots with brothers Joel and Jon Bourque taking first and second, respectively, with times of 14:30 and

14:41. Boilermaker Chase Crabtree took third in 14:50.

Leaf runner Fleming earned 23rd place with a time of 17:51 while Carlson earned 32nd place by clocking 23:43.

The only home meet for the local harriers was Tuesday, September 9. The teams travel to East Moline to face Untied Township Tuesday, September 16 at 4:30 p.m.

## **Geneseo Cross-Country Results**

Competing Schools: Kewanee, LaSalle - Peru and Rock Falls

Site: Centennial Park in Rock Falls Date: 09/04/97 Conditions: 70....perfect

Boy's Frosh-Soph Race (Racing Distance: 2.5 miles)

	Name	Grade	School	Time	Splits
1.	Jeff Petty	10	Kewanee	13:00	(5:37)
2.	Tim Nelson	10	Geneseo	13:00	(5:37)
3.	Grant Venema	10	Geneseo	13:02	(5:38)
4.	Bobby Ristau	10	Geneseo	13:30	(5:40)
5.	Andy Bral	10	Kewanee	13:52	
6.	Jacob Mohaffog	??	Kewanee	14:08	
7.	Matt Travis	10	Geneseo	14:13	(6:09)
8.	Luke Owens	10	Geneseo	14:13	(6:09)
9.	Neil Kuhlman	10	Geneseo	14:26	(6:10)
10.	Bill Bean	09	Geneseo	14:28	(6:12)
11,	Brandon Sandoval	09	Geneseo	14:33	(6:13)
12.	Frank Argelagh	??	Kewanee	14:35	
13.	Dan Doddroe	??	Kewanee	14:36	
14.	Behm Lander	o ti O	Rock Falls	14:41	
15.	Mike Heitzler	10	Geneseo	14:50	(6:24)
16.	Mike Brown	10	Geneseo	15:09	(6:24)
17.	Charles Peters	10	Geneseo	15:10	(6:23)
18.	Matt Sotwell	09	<b>Rock Falls</b>	15:18	
19.	Billy Reska	· • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	Rock Falls	15:33	
20.	Mike Skelton	10	Geneseo	15:34	(7:03)
21.	Matt Glich	09	<b>Rock Falls</b>	15:37	
22	Jared Betcher	09	Geneseo	15:42	(7:03)
23.	Brandon Dvorak	09	Rock Falls	15:42	
24	Nathan Thompson	09	Geneseo	16:10	(6:49)
25	John Kull	??	Kewanee	16:12	
26	Josh House	10	<b>Rock Falls</b>	16:35	
27	Mark Gleason	09	Geneseo	16:35	(7:05)
28	. Bill Johnson	10	Geneseo	16:38	(7:13)
29	. Mike Gallant	10	Geneseo	17:05	(7:17)
30	. Chris Scales	??	L-P	17:08	
31	. Adam Kuban	09	Geneseo	18:20	(7:20)
32	. Mike Stone	09	Geneseo	19:02	(7:59)

## Geneseo's Spread:

 1 through 5
 1:13

 1 through 7
 1:28

 1 through 10
 2:09

 Did Not Compete: none

Team Scores

	- State Stat	2	3	Ą	C.	Total	6	7
<b>Geneseo</b> Kewanee	2 1	3 5	4	7	8 12	24 37	9 13	10
Geneseo La Salle - Peru	1 8	2 9	3 10	4	5	10 m	6 13	7 14
Geneseo Rock Falls	1 8	2 9	3 10	And grows	5	1 5 5 0	6 13	7

Boy's Frosh-Soph Record: 3 Wins / 0 Losses

# Awesome Efforts Men !!!!!

## Keep Up The Hard Work.

# Good Luck Saturday

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Site:	Centennial Park in Rock Falls	Date:	09/04/97	Conditions:	70perfect

Girls' Varsity Race (Racing Distance: 2.05 miles)

	Name	Grade	School	and the second s	Splits
Allower -	Jenny Lake	09	Geneseo	11:59	(5:42)
2.	Jenny Carman	10	Kewanee	13:23	
3.	Andi Clinard	??	L-P	13:30	
4.	Natalie Myers	12	Geneseo	13:42	(6:36)
5.	Stacy Gualandi	10	L-P	13:57	A state water after 3
6.	Rhonda Loftus	11	Geneseo	14:06	(6:50)
7.	Andrea Blondell	10	Geneseo	14:10	(6:50)
8.	Amy Schneider	12	Geneseo	14:10	(6:50)
9.	Rachael Williams	10	Geneseo	14:11	(6:50)
10.	Becky Riewerts	12	Geneseo	14:18	(6:50)
11.	Alysa Snyder	10	Geneseo	14:23	(6:50)
12.	Saren Komadina	??	Kewanee Rock Falls	14:28	
13.	Margaret Weir	12 10	L - P	14:52 14:55	
14. 15.	Melanie Powers Rebecca Davis	??	Kewanee	15:01	
15. 16.	Jorie Russell	10	Rock Falls	15:01	
17.	Shely Janey	11	Kewanee	15:14	
18.	Nichole Kermeen	12	Kewanee	15:17	
19.	Chris Kempher	12	Geneseo	15:21	(7:26)
20.	Kelly Peed	??	Kewanee	15:22	
21.	Codi Hultman	10	Geneseo	15:36	(7:31)
22.	Mindy Powers	12	L-P	15:49	(
23.	Mindie Gunner	12	Rock Falls	15:52	
24.	Lauri Maas	10	L-P	15:58	
25.	Jill Hinrichs	11	Geneseo	16:00	(7:32)
26.	Erica Calmer	12	Kewanee	16:04	· · ·
27.	Kelli O'Dell	09	Geneseo	16:06	(8:03)
28.	Mary Terronez	09	Geneseo	16:07	(8:03)
29.	Keri Reagin	09	Geneseo	16:07	(8:03)
30.	Camron Windy	??		16:08	
31.	Jenny Milne	10	<b>Rock Falls</b>	16:17	
32.	••	10	<b>Rock Falls</b>		
33.		11	Leen co prove	16:32	
34.		12	Rock Falls	16:35	
35.		??		16:37	
36.	Lisa Spencer	09	Rock Falls	16:38	

37.	Natalie Przon	??	L-P	16:48	
38.	Jaime Gunnisor	09	Geneseo	16:52	(8:08)
39.	Christy Casporzee	??	L-P	16:52	
40.	Beth Bos	12	Geneseo	16:53	(8:08)
41.	Dawn Miller	11	Geneseo	17:06	(8:08)
42.	Nikki Peterson	09	Rock Falls	17:10	
43.	Joy Gray	11	Geneseo	17:12	(8:08)
44.	Amanda Hopkins	??	Kewanee	17:47	
45.	Candida Jetmtor	??	Kewanee	18:05	
46.	Erin Schneider	10	Geneseo	19:14	(8:19)
47.	Jody Thompson	10	Geneseo	20:51	(9:36)
48.	Megan Irish	09	Geneseo	22:20	(10:37)
49.	Nikki Thompsor	10	Geneseo	22:28	(10:37)

### Geneseo's Spread:

1	through	5	3:11
	through		3:19
1	through	10	3:37

Did Not Compete: Tania Derwin (breathing problem)

**Team Scores** 

	4	2	3	4	5	Total	6	7
<b>Geneseo</b>	:	3	4	5	6	19	7	8
Kewanee	2	9	10	11	12	44	13	14
<b>Geneseo</b>	1	3	5	6	7	22	8	9
La Salle - Peru	2	4	10	11	12	39	13	14
<b>Geneseo</b>	1	2	3	4	5	15	6	7
Rock Falls	8	9	10		12	50	13	14

Rock Falls quadrangular Geneseo, led by winner Jenny Lake, went 3-0 against Rock Falls. Kewanee and LaSalle-Peru. Geneseo's Natalie Myers also chipped in

Geneseo s Natalie Myers also chipped in with a fourth-place finish. Team results Geneseo 15, Rock Falls 50; Kewanee 20, Rock Falls 40; Geneseo 19 Kewanee 24; LaSalle-Peru 21, Rock Fails 36; Geneseo 22, LaSalle-Peru 31; Kewanee 25, LaSalle-Peru 31 Individual results

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 Individual results
 Top 5 -- 1. Jenny Lake (3) 11:59; 2. Jenny Carman (K) 13:23; 3. Andi Clinard (LP) 13:30; 4. Natalie Myers (6) 13:42; 5. Stacy Guaiande (LP) 13:57.
 Geneseo -- Lake 11:59. Myers 13:42, Fhonda Loftus 14:06, Andrea Blondell 14:10. Amy Schneider 14:10.
 Kewanee -- Carman 13:23, Saren Komadina 14:28. Rebecca Dairs 15:01.
 Sheily Janey 15:14, Nicole Kermeen 15:17.
 Rock Falls -- Margaret Weir 14:52.
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Geneseo Varsity Girls' Record: 3 Wins / 0 Losses

# Great Season Opener!!!

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Site: Centennial Park in Rock Falls Date: 09/04/97 Conditions: 70....perfect

Boy's Varsity Race (Racing Distance: 2.75 miles)

	Name	Grade	School	Time	Splits
1.	Joel Bourque	<b>4</b> <b>4</b>	Kewanee	14:30	(5:05)
2.	Jon Bourque	12	Kewanee	14:41	
3.	Chase Crabtree	12	Kewanee	14:50	
4.	Nic Rivera	12	Rock Falls	15:10	
5.	Andrew Moroney	12	Rock Falls	15:19	Dook Falls triangular
6.	Adam Talbot	1.2	Kewanee	15:29	Rock Falls triangular Kewanee defeated Rock Falls and LaSalle- Peru with brothers Joel and Jon Bourgue fin-
7.	Bernie Echardt	??	Kewanee	15:35	Peru with brothers Joel and Jon Bourque fin- ishing first and second, respectively. Chase Crabtree from Kewanee helped with a third-place finish.
8.	Kelly Wescott	11	Rock Falls	15:42	Team results Kewanee 19, Rock Falls 40; Kewanee 15, LaSaie-Peru 48; Rock Falls 21, LaSaile-Peru
9.	Ben Quart	??	Kewanee	15:42	35
10.	Mike Mudge	12	L-P	15:58	Individual results Top 5 — 1. Joef Bourque (K) 14:30; 2. Jon Bourque (K) 14:41: 3. Chase Crabtree (K) 14:50; 4. Nic Rivera (RF) 15:10; 5. Andrew Moroney (RF) 15:19. Frest/Soph scores Geneseo 15. Rock Fails 50; Geneseo 24, Kawanee 37
11.	David Thompson	??	L-P	16:09	Moroney (RF) 15:19 Fresh/Soph scores
12.	Scott Fulton	??	Kewanee	16: <b>26</b>	Geneseo 15, Rock Fails 50; Geneseo 24, Kewanee 37 Essek Contribution
13.	Eric Anderson	12	Rock Falls	16: <b>36</b>	Fresh/Soph individuals Fresh/Soph individuals Top 5 — 1. Jeff Petty (K) 13:00; 2. Tim Neison (G) 13:00; 3. Grant Venema (G) 14:50; 4. Bobby Ristau (G) 15:10; 5. Andy Brat (K)
14.	Shaun Stoner	??	Kewanee	16:48	4. Bobby Ristau (G) 15:10; 5. Andy Bral (K) 15 <mark>:20.</mark>
15.	Mike Traub	??	L-P	16:53	
16.	Jason Currier	??	Kewanee	16:55	
17.	Mike Uranch	??	L-P	17:03	
18.	Bobby Keffodeas	10	Rock Falls	17:03	
19.	Andrew Kerchall	10	Rock Falls	17:06	
20.	Brandon Todd	??	Kewanee	17:23	
21.	Jon Weber	??	L-P	17:33	
22.	Jeff Bergeson	??	Kewanee	17:38	
23.	Josh Fleming	11	Geneseo	17:51	(6:00)
24.	Neil Nicholson	??	L-P	18:08	
25.	Jay Cushman	12	Rock Falls	18:18	
26.	Andy Goodbread	??	L-P	18:35	
27.	Paul Bankson	??	L-P	18:57	
28.	Eric Keime	12	Rock Falls	19:27	
29.	Matt Carey	12	Rock Falls	20:18	
30.	Kevin Clinard	??	L-P	20:10	
31.	Nick Schweihet	??	L-P	22:15	
32.	Matt Carlson	11	Geneseo	23:43	(8:37)

## Geneseo's Spread:

1 through 5 none 1 through 7 none 1 through 10 none

Did Not Compete: "The Quick 6"

#### Prop cross country

Stresk Fails quadrangular: Geneseo's top seven runners all finished in the top 10 while the team sweeped all three of its matchups in the Rock Falls quadrangular to start out the season on a good note. Maple Leaf harrier Jennifer Lake took top honors with a time of 11:59 and teammate Natalie Myers was fourth overall. Kewanee, which won two out of its three matches, waas paced by Jenny Carman with a second-place finish.

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