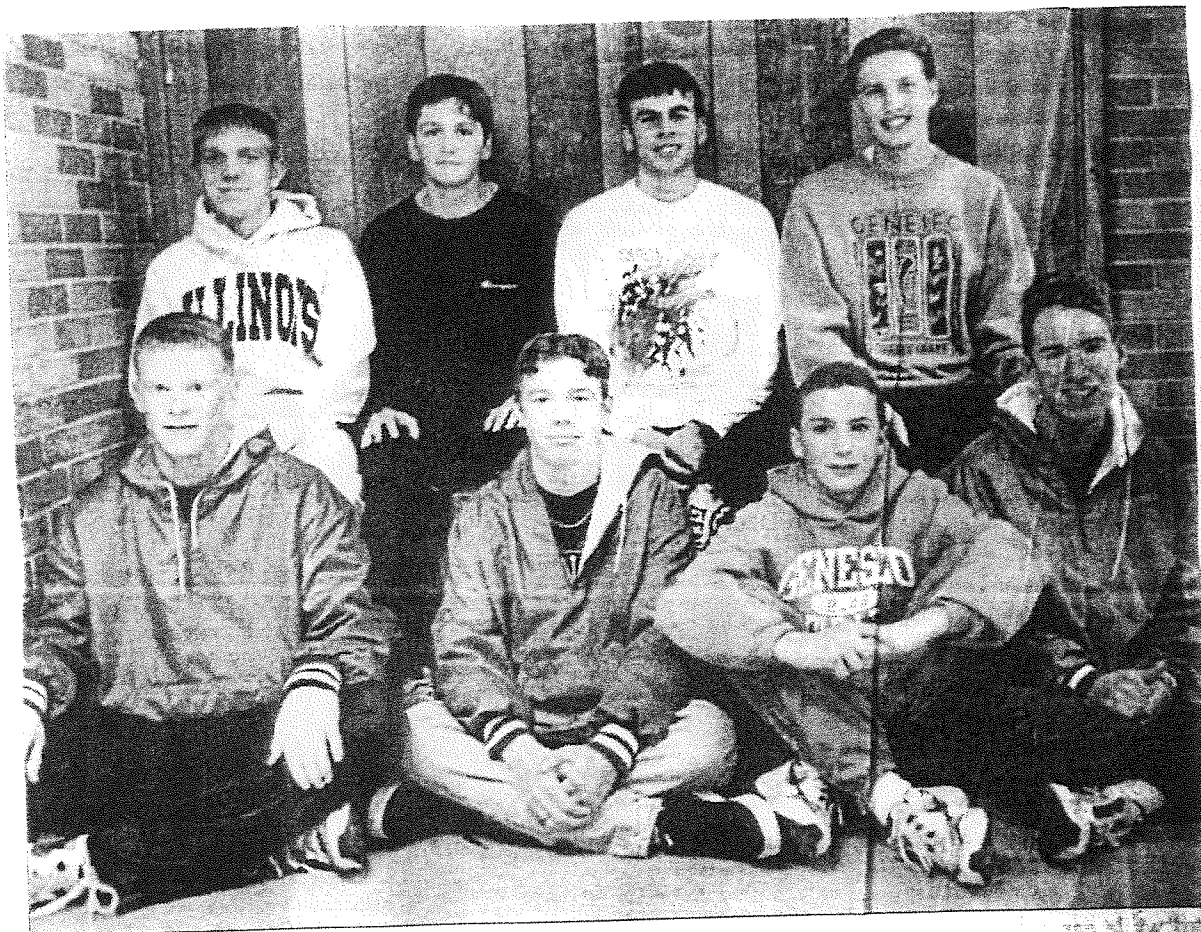




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**EARNING MORE HARDWARE.** The 1997 J. D. Darnall varsity girls cross country team display their first-place plaques from both Class AA regional and sectional competition. The Lady Leafs will compete in the state meet at Detweiller Park in Peoria this Saturday, November 8, at 11:30 a.m. Shown are, from left to right; front row, Alysa Snyder, Jill Hinrichs, Rhonda Loftus and Natalie Myers; back row, Andrea Blondell, Rachael Williams, Jenny Lake, Becky Riewerts and Codi Hultman.



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**ON TO STATE.** For the first time since 1991, the varsity boys cross country team has earned a trip to the Class AA state finals. The state meet will start for the boys this Saturday at 12:45 p.m. at Detweiller Park in Peoria. Representing Geneseo are; from left to right; front row, Grant Venema, Josh Fleming, Tim Nelson and Chris Studer; back row, Andy Beuster, Jason Gray, Justin Fluck and Mark Keplinger.

# Two consecutive titles

## Varsity girls take sectional; next stop Detweiller

For the second consecutive year, J. D. Darnall High School girls cross country team has been crowned sectional champs.

It is the fifth sectional championship in cross country won by Lady Leafs in the school history. Other titles were claimed in 1984, 1985, 1987 and in 1996.

The Lady Leafs advance on to the state meet Saturday, November 8 at Detweiller Park in Peoria. The girls' race begins at 11:30 a.m. with awards presented at 3:30 p.m.

Coach Don Fredericks also noted it is only the second time in the school's history both the boys' and girls' teams qualified for the state finals in the same year. The other time was in 1988.

Geneseo was also the only team competing in the East Peoria Sectional to qualify both a boys and a girls squad.

Geneseo's varsity girls earned first at the East Peoria Sectionals Saturday, November 1 under less than ideal circumstances. With temperatures in the low 50s, a muddy field and windy conditions added to the obstacles the harriers had to overcome.

The Lady Leafs overcame the adversities and beat 19 other teams

for the crown. The top five runners earned a combined total of just 94 points. Second place went to Belvidere with 132.

Other teams placing within the top five were East Peoria (171), Notre Dame (180) and Normal Community (184) and Pekin (184).

Also competing were Rock Island, (196), Bloomington High School (208), Rockford Auburn (211), Metamora (215), Richwoods (245), Rockford Guilford (279), Rochelle (287), Normal West (332), United Township (340), Freeport (348), Olympia (404), Moline (470), Rockford Boylan (483) and Pontiac Township (495).

The lady harriers ran a 2.18-mile course at Illinois Central College in East Peoria.

Junior Christin Wurth of Bloomington High School won the individual title with a time of 12:40; her split time was 5:37.

Lady Leaf stand-out Jenny Lake, a freshman, earned second with a time of 12:55. Her split time was 5:48.

The other three placing within the top five were all seniors, Jennifer Anderson of Rockford Auburn, 13:06; Kara Lacey of Pekin, 13:10 and Jesse Atkins of Rock Island, 13:13.

Andrea Blondell earned tenth overall while being the second Lady Leaf to finish. Her time was 13:25.

Other Lady Leafs scoring for Geneseo were Natalie Myers, 15th overall, 13:43; Rachael Williams,

33rd, 14:07 and Jill Hinrichs, 41st, 14:13.

Also representing Geneseo were Rhonda Loftus, 14:30 and Alysa Snyder, 14:58.

A total of 154 girls ran the course for the day. All of Geneseo's runners placed within the first 100 finishers.

"It was an awesome team effort," Coach Fredericks recalled. "Now we'll strive for top 10 at state!"

The top five teams and top seven individuals set members of qualifying teams advance from sectional competition to the state meet.

In addition to Geneseo, Belvidere, East Peoria, Notre Dame, Normal Community and Pekin earned trips to the state meet.

Individuals qualifying for the meet and the sectionals times were Wurth; Jennifer Anderson of Auburn, 13:06; Jesse Atkins, Rock Island, 13:13; Amy Guard, Richwoods, 13:17; Lyndsey Dunnavan, Guilford, 13:30; Janelle Birkey, Olympia 13:43 and Britt Lundgren of Auburn, 13:46.

Last year, the Lady Leafs placed 23rd in the state meet. Myers, Blondell, Williams and Loftus have seen state action before. The only newcomers are Lake, Hinrichs and Snyder.

Myers was Geneseo's top runner in 1996 at state, earning a 70th place overall with a time of 12:40. Blondell timed in at 13:14; Williams, 13:26 and Loftus, 14:19.

Belvidere, which earned second behind Geneseo at this year's sectional, placed 17th overall at state last year.

— CROSS COUNTRY SECTIONALS —

# Area runners in good company

□ Strong sectional showing guarantees reunion at state meet

By JANE MILLER

of the Journal Star

**EAST PEORIA** — No cross country competitor from the Peoria area will feel lonely at the state meet next Saturday. There will be plenty of friends close by.

No fewer than five area teams — three girls' and two boys' — and five area individuals will take the field in the Class AA races at Detweiler Park after qualifying from Saturday's East Peoria Sectional at Illinois Central College.

"Let's put it this way," said Notre Dame coach Mike Sullivan. "We had 14 runners to start with, and nine of them are still in it."

The Irish girls were fourth as a team and seniors Nate Radosevich (8th) and Mike Schlicksup (11th) fulfilled their dream, qualifying individually for the boys race.

"I just want to go to Detweiler next week, look down that hill and know that we've finally made it," said Radosevich, tears filling his eyes.

Metamora's Kevin Hodel took third and led his team to the same place.

"I'm over my cold," Hodel announced after running the 2.95-mile course in 15:40. "I told our guys to pass their guys and I'd take care of mine."

Hodel didn't have many to pass. Only Rantoul's Andrew Kurtz (15:35) and Geneseo's Justin Fluck (15:38) were ahead of him.

"I was ready," said the junior. "I felt pretty good."

The Richwoods boys, led by Aaron Matheson's 15th place, took fifth, good for the last team spot.

"All seven of our guys ran their best times," said Richwoods coach Bob LaCroix.

East Peoria senior Nate Palmer's 17th-place finish was good for the final indi-

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vidual spot.

"I just hoped I was close enough to go," he said.

The Raider girls were unsure they had qualified for state until they were announced as finishing third. They greeted the news with screams and tears of joy.

But there was no suspense for Pekin senior Kara Lacey and Richwoods sophomore Amy Guard. Lacey finished fourth and Guard sixth, guaranteeing each a spot in the state finals.

"Today seemed like the hardest race," said Guard (13:17 over 2.18 miles), "but I knew I would be in it if I ran in the top seven. That's all I wanted today."

Lacey, who ran 13:10, will have her Pekin teammates with her next weekend. The Dragons tied for fifth place with Normal but both teams will advance.

"I started to pass people at about a mile," said Lacey. "The wind was really bad at the end."

It wasn't a problem for Bloomington's Christin Wurth, who won the race by 15 seconds in 12:40.

"It was a fun course," she said. "I just know I have to keep racing like there's somebody pushing me."

Olympia junior Janelle Birky finished 14th but qualified as an individual.

"It was one of those days when everything went wrong," said Birky, who started the race with a stomach ache and faltered in the final mile. "I'll just have to redeem myself next week."

Coaches were ecstatic about the local showing.

"We had three girls teams from our regional advance," said Sullivan. "That's just terrific."

Team titles were won by the Pontiac boys and Geneseo girls.

# Entering final stretch

## Leafs to compete in state cross country meet

For the first time in six years, the J. D. Darnall High School varsity boys cross country team has earned a spot in the state finals.

The boys will compete at 12:45 p.m. Saturday, November 8 at Detweiller Park in Peoria. The awards ceremony is slated for 3:30 p.m.

This is only the second time in Geneseo's history that both the boys' and girls' teams qualified for state finals the same year. The last time was in 1988.

Geneseo also earned the distinction of being the only school within the East Peoria Sectional to qualify both a boys and a girls squad.

The East Peoria Sectional was held Saturday, November 1 at Illinois Central College in East Peoria.

Coach Don Fredericks noted course conditions were not the best but a tremendous team effort bolstered the varsity boys to the state finals.

"It was only 50 degrees and overcast," Coach Fredericks recalled. "The course was muddy and wet and the wind was blowing as well."

"But the boys pulled together, gave

a tremendous effort and earned a trip to the state finals."

Pontiac won the team title with 71 points followed by Rock Island in second, 101 and Metamora in third, 153. Twenty-one teams fielded teams.

Geneseo earned 173 points for fourth place.

The final slot to the state finals went to Richwoods with 189 points.

Also competing were teams from Rockford Guilford (231), Belvidere (249), East Peoria (262), Rockford Jefferson (281), Notre Dame (297), Bloomington (299), Hononegah (316), Moline (324), Pekin (330), Rantoul (335), Normal West (345), Olympia (376), Rochelle (397), Dixon (447), Sycamore (459) and Normal Community (483).

Senior Andrew Kurtz of Rantoul took the individual title. He covered the 2.95-mile course in 15:35 with split times of 5:00 and 10:18.

Justin Fluck, a junior, was the first Leaf to cross through the gates, clocking in at 15:38. Fluck's splits were 5:02 and 10:22.

It was tight competition within the upper ranks, just a matter of seconds separating the runners.

Kevin Hodel of Metamora, also a junior, took third overall with a time of 15:40. Sean Mendoza of Rock Island took fourth in 15:41 while Nathan Culbertson of Bloomington

was fifth in 15:45. Both Mendoza and Culbertson are juniors.

Chris Studer took 13th place overall as the second Leaf to finish the course. Studer clocked in at 16:08.

The top five runners score in the team standings. Helping Geneseo earn its fourth-place finish were Jason Gray (35th, 16:28), Mark Keplinger (65th, 16:45) and Grant Venema (16:50).

Also running for Geneseo were Andy Beuster (17:02) and Tim Nelson (17:22).

The top five teams and the top seven individual runners not members of a qualifying team advance on to sectional competition.

Teams making the trip to state are Pontiac, Rock Island, Metamora, Geneseo and Richwoods. Qualifying as individuals are Kurtz; Culbertson; Nate Roadosevich of Notre Dame, 15:57; Andy Parsons of Rockford Guilford, 16:04; Josh Vande of Normal Community, 16:06; Mike Schlicksup of Notre Dame, 16:06 and Nate Palmer of East Peoria, 16:13.

Gray is the only senior making the trip for the Leafs this year. Fluck, Studer and Keplinger are juniors and Venema, Beuster and Nelson are sophomores.

Fluck, Studer, Keplinger and Beuster were all members of the 1996 team which finished third at regionals and 10th at sectionals.

### Class AA Sectional from East Peoria, Ill.

Team standings -- 1. Geneseo; 2. Belvidere; 3. East Peoria; 4. Notre Dame; 5. Normal Community; 6. Pekin; 7. Rock Island; 8. Bloomington; 9. Rockford Auburn; 10. Metamora; 11. Richwoods; 12. Rockford Guilford; 13. Rochelle; 14. Normal West; 15. United Township; 16. Freeport; 17. Olympia; 18. Moline; 19. Rockford Boylan; 20. Pontiac.

Individual results -- 1. Christin Wurth; 2. Jennifer Lake; 3. Jennifer Anderson; 4. Kara Lacey; 5. Jesse Atkins.

Local results -- Geneseo, Jennifer Lake 2nd, Andrea Blondell 10th, Natalie Myers 15th, Rachel Williams 33rd, Jill Hinrichs 41st, Alysa Snyder 99th. United Township, Beth Brorby 38th, Jessica Wright 44th, Jessica Hess 71, Krista Garcia 98, Samantha Aktin 136th. Brooks DeGrande 148. Moline, Kayli Boulton 66th, Jill Decker 93rd, Hollie Long 109th, Andrea Myers 127th, Rachel Johnson 141, Rock Island, Jessica Atkins 5th, Amanda Lawhorn 28th, Sarah Todd 48th, Amy Farrar 55th, Melanie Round 82nd, Jenny Dalling 112th, Emily Marquis 113th.

### Class AA sectional from East Peoria, Ill.

Team standings -- 1. Pontiac 71; 2. Rock Island 101; 3. Metamora 153; 4. Geneseo 173; 5. Richwoods 189; 6. Rockford Guilford 231; 7. Belvidere 231; 8. East Peoria 262; 9. Rockford Jefferson 281; 10. Notre Dame 297; 11. Bloomington 299; 12. Hononegah 316; 13. Moline 324; 14. Pekin 330; 15. Rantoul 335; 16. Normal West 345; 17. Olympia 376; 18. Rochelle 397; 19. Dixon 447; 20. Sycamore 459; 21. Normal Community 483.

Individual results -- 1. Andrew Kurtz; 2. Justin Fluck; 3. Kevin Hodel; 4. Sean Mendoza.

Local results -- United Township, Alex Casag 78th, Eric Wesslemann 120th. Moline, Reed Patterson 28th, Nate Medinger 47th, Ben Shumaker 69th, Ryan Osberg 107th, Mike Drish 115th. Rock Island, Sean Mendoza 2nd, Ryan Allen 12th, Ryan Sheets 19th, Craig Lawrence 24th, Dustin Green 53rd. Geneseo, Justin Fluck 2nd, Chris Studer 13th, Jason Gray 35th, Mark Keplinger 65th, Grant Venema 74th, Andy Beuster 94th, Tim Nelson 112th.



# ILLINOIS CROSS COUNTRY Geneseo boys, girls qualify

■ Rock Island boys  
also head to state

By Pete Ivanic  
QUAD-CITY TIMES

PEORIA, Ill. — It was a great showing for local runners in the Class AA sectional at Illinois Central College in East Peoria on Saturday — especially those of Geneseo and Rock Island.

The Geneseo girls captured the sectional title as freshman Jennifer Lake finished in second place in 12 minutes, 55 seconds. This is the second consecutive year that the Maple Leafs have qualified for the state meet.

The Maple Leaf girls won't be alone, though. For the first time since 1991, the boys from Geneseo qualified for the state meet. The last time both squads qualified was 1988.

"It is going to be nice to see hard work being rewarded," said Geneseo coach Don Fredericks. "We will be gaining valuable experience at the state finals. We hope to perform as well as possible next week."

On the boys side, Geneseo's Justin Fluck breezed through the field to take second-place honors with a time of 15:38, just three ticks behind winner Andrew Kurtz of Rantoul.

From Rock Island, Sean Mendoza finished with a time of 15:41, which was good enough for fourth place, one spot behind Metamora's Kevin Hodel. Rock Island coach Dave Terronez praised Mendoza's talents.

"He's been consistent for us all year," the coach said. "He is a real tough runner who has excelled throughout the season."

Jesse Aktins was Rock Island's top finisher on the girls side. Aktins was fifth with a time of 18:13, earning her a berth in the state meet.

Terronez liked what he saw Saturday.

"I am happy," said Terronez of the boys squad. "But I am a little disappointed that we did not finish in first place. We did not try and go for second place; we really wanted the top spot. You never run for second place."

But a return trip to the state meet pleases Terronez.

"I am happy to be going back. It feels good to accomplish that," he said.

After sending several runners to the sectional meet last year, Moline's best finisher on the day was Reed Patterson, who finished 28th place in the boys competition.

On the girls side, Kayti Bouljon finished in 68th place.

Moline coach Jeff Quick was proud of how his runners performed.

"We had kids that did well," said Quick. "We have a youthful group that does not have very much experience. So this was all new for these kids."

United Township's Beth Brorby and Jessica Wright finished 36th and 44th, respectively. Alex Casas was 78th and Eric Wesslemann 120th for the Panthers.

"Those results are about what I expected," said Panther coach Jim Wesslemann. "I was pleased with our kids' performances, considering the weather and the rough course."

## High school boys Class AA sectionals AT EAST PEORIA

### TEAM STANDINGS

(Top five qualify for state.)

1 Pontiac 71; 2 Rock Island 101; 3 Metamora 153; 4 Geneseo 173; 5 Richwoods 189; 6 Rockford Guilford 231; 7 Belvidere 231; 8 East Peoria 262; 9 Rockford Jefferson 281; 10 Notre Dame 297; 11 Bloomington 299; 12 Hannasch 316; 13 Moline 324; 14 Pekin 330; 15 Rantoul 335; 16 Normal West 345; 17 Olympia 376; 18 Rochelle 397; 19 Dixon 447; 20 Sycamore 459; 21 Normal Community 483.

### TOP 10 INDIVIDUALS

1 Kurtz (Ran) 15:35; 2 Fluck (Gen); 3 Hodel (Met); 4 Mendoza (RI); 5 Culbertson (Bio); 6 Wahls (Pan); 7 Milledorf (Pan); 8 Radosevich (ND); 9 Parsons (RG); 10 Vance (Nor).

### INDIVIDUAL QUALIFIERS

1 Kurtz (Ran); 5 Culbertson (Bio); 8 Radosevich (ND); 9 Parsons (RG); 10 Vance (NC); 11 Schlicksup (ND); 17 Palmer (EP).  
Distance — 2.95 miles.

### AREA RESULTS

Metamora — 31 Emlen, 32 Facker, 37 Hoppe, 50 Hicks.  
Richwoods — 15 Matheson, 23 Iluzzi, 43 Lisenby, 47 Sh. Bhatta, 61 Shoemaker.  
East Peoria — 20 Grebner, 64 Angus, 72 Rhodes, 89 Timberlake.  
Notre Dame — 77 Gray, 96 Birkmaier, 105 Smith.  
Pekin — 46 Merrick, 55 Danz, 69 Wolfe, 75 Blome, 85 Schott.  
Olympia — 24 Holt, 60 Dore, 87 Wurmsst 87, 99 Melick, 106 Tockett.  
Centen — 42 Child, 108 Conklin.  
Central — 79 Poeschel.  
Galasburg — 123 Woods.  
Morton — 44 Bernwell.  
Morton — 144 Young.

# Maple Leaf girls run to a repeat title

By Ray Opiola

Staff sports writer

EAST PEORIA — The Geneseo Maple Leafs went into Saturday's East Peoria cross country sectional as the defending champs. They left with a repeat.

Geneseo took its second consecutive sectional crown with a team score of 94, 38 points better than runner-up Belvidere. East Peoria (171) took third, Notre Dame (180) finished fourth and Normal Community and Pekin tied for fifth with team scores of 184. All six teams qualify for next week's state meet.

Rock Island finished seventh overall, just missing the cut by 12 points. Jesse Atkins earned an individual state berth with a fifth place overall finish. UTHS finished 15th and Moline was 18th and neither had an individual qualifier.

Jenny Lake was once again the anchor for the Maple Leafs, taking sec-

**'I ran my own race and tried not to worry about how well Wurth was going to run. It was a good learning experience for me.'**

Jenny Lake

to help Geneseo vault into first place.

"They ran a very intelligent and aggressive race. We used last year's experience to help us win this year," said Geneseo coach Don Fredrickson.

"Jill (Hinrichs) ran especially well for us seeing she was diagnosed with severe anemia four weeks ago and since then, she has been running stronger each day and coming on tremendously," said Fredrickson.

Rock Island's Jesse Atkins meshed with this course and it seemed to benefit her.

"I loved this course. It's hilly and rocky and it's my kind of course," said Atkins. "I just wish my effort could have been for a team state berth because we have worked so hard all season and it's sad to see it end."

Amanda Lawhorn finished 29th, Sarah Todd 49th and Amy Farrar 55th for the Rocks, who got off to a slow start as a team and could never close the gap.

"We had a bad start and that hurt us in the end even though we made a great effort towards the finish line," said Rocky coach Dave Terronez.

UTHS was paced by the 36rd place of Beth Brorby and Jessica Wright placed 44th.

The Maroons were lead by Kayti Bouljon's 68th place finish and Jill Decker finished 93rd.



Jenny  
Lake



Jesse  
Atkins

ond overall, 15 seconds behind first place finisher and last season's state runner-up, Christin Wurth of Bloomington.

"I ran my own race and tried not to worry about how well Wurth was going to run. It was a good learning experience for me," said Lake.

Andrea Blondell finished in 10th place, Natalie Myers 15th, Rachael Williams 33rd and Jill Hinrichs 41st

# Rocks, Geneseo advance to state

By Ray Opiola

Staff sports writer

EAST PEORIA — Three local prep teams came into Saturday's East Peoria cross country sectional with state dreams on their minds. Only two accomplished that feat.

Rock Island finished second overall (101) and Geneseo took fourth (173) to advance to next week's state meet, but Moline could not put it together, finishing 13th.

Pontiac was the top team with 71 points, Metamora was third (153) and Peoria Richwoods rounded out the qualifying teams with its fifth place finish (189).

Sean Mendoza was the spark plug for the Rocks, finishing fourth overall, six places better than last season's sectional meet.

"I ran pretty good and had a good push at the end. This is a rocky and hilly course and I improved from last year's finish of 10th place so it was nice to accomplish that," said Mendoza.



Justin  
Fluck



Sean  
Mendoza

Rock Island coach Dave Terronez was happy his team made it to state, but not too impressed with their performance.

"I'm happy to get through to state and hopefully we got our bad race out of us this week," said Terronez. "We have to regroup for next week and I believe we will do that."

Ryan Allen (12th place), Ryan Sheets (19th) and Craig Lawrence (27th) all ran well for the Rocks.

For Geneseo, Justin Fluck ran ex-

traordinarily well for the second week in a row, despite an ailing knee, and took second, just three seconds behind sectional champ Andrew Kurtz of Rantoul.

"The Rantoul kid (Kurtz) got out fast and I tried to keep up with him while a pack of runners was breathing down my neck," said Fluck. "I was getting tired near the end, but I dug deep and finished strong."

"This victory and the girl's win gives us two state cross country teams in the same year and that has happened only one other time (1988)," said Geneseo coach Don Fredrickson.

"Grant Venema ran the race of his life and the rest of the guys have worked hard and earned this state berth."

Chris Studer (13th) and Jason Gray (35th) were both keys to Geneseo's success.

Moline was lead by Reed Patterson, who finished 28th overall and Nate Medinger's 47th place. Ben

Shumaker notched a 69th place for the Maroons.

**"I ran pretty good and had a good push at the end. This is a rocky and hilly course and I improved from last year's finish of 10th place so it was nice to accomplish that."**

Sean Mendoza

UTHS had two individual runners participate, but neither could make it to state.

Alex Casas finished in 78th place and Eric Wesselmann took 120th for the Panthers.



IOWA STATE CROSS COUNTRY

# Francois kicks his foes

## North runner shatters record

By Jim Nelson  
FOR THE TIMES

FORT DODGE, Iowa — Davenport North's Chris Francois just wanted to be a contender.

Never did he expect what happened here Saturday at the boys state cross country meet held at the Lakeside Memorial Golf Course.

A mile into the Class 3A race, Francois and a group of four other runners, including North Scott's Joe Welter, broke away from the rest of the 3A field to set a blistering pace. Shortly after the pack broke away, Francois realized he could go a little faster.

The junior cruised to the 3A title in record-setting form, shattering Dubuque Senior's Trent Corey's 1-year-old record of 15 minutes, 14 seconds with a winning time of 15:05. He crossed the finish line 11 seconds ahead of Fort Madison's Shaun Allen and 18 seconds ahead of Welter, who finished third.

"I just wanted to get out and run a great race," Francois said. "I felt all right about the mile mark and thought I could push it. I knew it was going to be tough today, but I also knew I could be good enough to contend.

"I gave a great kick in the end to win it. Even when I'm dead during the race, I have something at the end."

It was Francois' ninth victory of the season, and nobody could be happier for him than Welter, who posted a personal-best time of 15:23 for his third-place finish.

"Hey, I ran a personal best today," Welter said. "I'm really happy — this is a good finish to a good season. We really mixed it up out there. It was a really great race.

"I think it is great what Chris did. That is a great time. He really came on strong at the end of this year. It's nice to see somebody from the area win it all."



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Chris Francois of Davenport North heads for the finish line at the state cross country meet.

### Francois wins state with record time

FORT DODGE, Iowa — Davenport North's Chris Francois won the Class 3A boys state cross country meet, running the 5,000 meters in record time.

Francois, a junior, ran the course in 15 minutes, 5 seconds, eclipsing the old mark of 15:14 set a year ago by Trent Corey of Dubuque Senior.

"I just wanted to get out and run a great race," Francois said.

Joe Welter, a senior from North Scott, finished third in the meet in a time of 15:23.



Francois

# Geneseo Cross-Country Results

**Meet:** Sectional Finals

**Site:** Illinois Central College

**Date:** 11/01/97

**Conditions:** 50....cold...muddy...windy

**Racing Distance:** 2.18 miles

## Girls' Varsity

	Name	Place	Race	Time	Splits
1.	Jenny Lake	02	Var. Girls	12:55	(5:48)
2.	Andrea Blondell	10	Var. Girls	13:25	(6:09)
3.	Natalie Myers	15	Var. Girls	13:43	(6:09)
4.	Rachael Williams	33	Var. Girls	14:07	(6:28)
5.	Jill Hinrichs	41	Var. Girls	14:13	(6:26)
6.	Rhonda Loftus	65	Var. Girls	14:30	(6:43)
7.	Alysa Snyder	99	Var. Girls	14:58	(6:43)

**Leaders:**     Girls     5:37

## Geneseo's Spread

1 through 5     1:18

1 through 7     2:03

## Team Placing

**Varsity Girls:** 1st place (out of 20 teams)

**Awesome Team Effort**

**Sectional  
Champions**

Top 10 at State

Cross-Country Team Results  
IHSA Sectional Cross Country Meet, Varsity Girls' Race  
ICC, East Peoria, IL 11-01-0997 11:00am Sunny, 50 degrees  
Sponsored by: East Peoria Community High School

1. GENESEO DARNALL  
2 10 15 30 37 (58) (87) = 94  
Jennifer Lake, Andrea Blondell, Natalie Myers, Rachael Williams,  
Jill Hinrichs, Rhonda Loftus, Alysa Snyder
2. BELVIDERE  
8 23 27 32 42 (83) (91) = 132  
Karen Wartgow, Kristen Melcher, Rachel Richards, Heather Cordray,  
Nadia Rodakowski, Laura Grafton, Leslie Schmidt
3. EAST PEORIA  
19 20 29 51 52 (66) (74) = 171  
Julie Deatherage, Katie Densberger, Sarah Kasabian,  
Jessica Deatherage, Heather Miller, Angie Ostrowski, Anne Bowman
4. NOTRE DAME  
11 22 25 54 68 (69) (102) = 180  
Katy Cassidy, Philicia Moredock, Jamie Graves, Anna Kabatay,  
Bridie Cassidy, Molly Schoepflein, Kerry Abraham
5. NORMAL COMMUNITY  
7 9 13 71 84 (95) (113) = 184  
Katie Butler, Katie Cantrell, Jaime Turilli, Jessica White,  
Andrea Huls, Stephanie Chen, Mandy Desutter
6. PEKIN  
4 17 31 53 79 (114) (130) = 184  
Kara Lacey, Melissa Skaggs, Molly Gafford, Marie Edwards,  
Carolyn Teijido, Brandi Morris, Carrie Connor
7. ROCK ISLAND  
5 26 44 49 72 (96) (97) = 196  
Jesse Atkins, Amanda Lawhorn, Sarah Todd, Amy Farrar, Melanie Round,  
Jenny Dailing, Emily Marquis
8. BLOOMINGTON HS  
1 28 43 59 77 (134) = 208  
Christin Wurth, Angie Boudinier, Alecia Sutter, Kelli Cole,  
Lindsey Reu, Janis Lanier
9. ROCKFORD AUBURN  
3 16 18 55 119 (120) (135) = 211  
Jennifer Anderson, Britt Lundgren, Abby Legue, Martha Neujahr,  
Rebecca Johnson, Erin Church, Amy Newton
10. METAMORA  
35 41 45 46 48 (50) (88) = 215  
Erica Malone, Lauren Shoff, Pam Roley, Annie Atherton,  
Ashlee Schertz, Molly Morrison, Courtney Thompson
11. RICHWOODS  
6 39 47 73 80 (89) (106) = 245  
Amy Guard, Abigail Rose, Anne Altorfer, Jennie Mathis,  
Katrina Leali, Emily Graff, Tiffany Finch
12. ROCKFORD GUILFORD  
12 34 70 78 85 (116) (126) = 279  
Lyndsey Dunnavan, Megan Erickson, Jamie Paul, Kristy Wehrmeyer,  
Mimi Hartman, Toria Lund, Sonia Salberg
13. ROCHELLE  
36 38 64 67 82 (115) (131) = 287  
Randi McCollom, Vanessa Grall, Vanessa Zurbuch, Christin Kinn,  
Andra O'Brien, Melanie Lang, Christine Zamistal
14. NORMAL WEST  
21 57 65 90 99 (108) (121) = 332  
Keili Anet, Emily Uhe, Cassie Reyes, Dawn Moudy, Erika Walters,

Brandi Harmen, Jen Watters

15. UNITED TOWNSHIP

33 40 63 86 118 (127) (132) = 340

Elizabeth Brorby, Jessica Wright, Jessica Hess, Krista Garcia,  
Samantha Atkin, Brooke DeGrande, Hope Davenport

16. FREEPORT

24 60 62 93 109 (117) (125) = 348

Bridget Trainer, Ann Regez, Rachel Smith, Brooke Thomas,  
Bitain Shuey, Ellen Yarzak, Priya Pradham

17. OLYMPIA

14 56 101 104 129 = 404

Janelle Birky, Penny Simons, Mikelle McClain, Niki Leingang,  
Alyson Nelson

18. MOLINE

61 81 94 111 123 = 470

Kayti Bouljon, Jill Decker, Hollie Long, Andrea Myers, Rachel Johnson

19. ROCKFORD BOYLAN

76 92 103 105 107 (124) (128) = 483

Sara Leonard, Mindy Kiss, Sara Jepsen, Cassie Howard, Sara Gracetta,  
Anna Wholey, Tara Nautigal

20. PONTIAC TWP

75 98 100 110 112 (122) (133) = 495

Karen Sancken, Kelli Cashmer, Anita Mack, Renee Oltman, Lisa Frank,  
Becky Prokop, Amy Verdun

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Place	No.	TmPl	NAME	Team	TIME1
=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
1	271	1	Christin Wurth 11	BLOOMINGTON HS	12:40
2	244	2	Jennifer Lake 09	GENESEO DARNALL	12:55
3	290	3	Jennifer Anderson 12	ROCKFORD AUBURN	13:06
4	181	4	Kara Lacey 12	PEKIN	13:10
5	251	5	Jesse Atkins 12	ROCK ISLAND	13:13
6	209	6	Amy Guard 10	RICHWOODS	13:17
7	266	7	Katie Butler 11	NORMAL COMMUNITY	13:21
8	283	8	Karen Wartgow 10	BELVIDERE	13:22
9	265	9	Katie Cantrell 11	NORMAL COMMUNITY	13:23
10	245	10	Andrea Blondell 10	GENESEO DARNALL	13:25
11	167	11	Katy Cassidy 11	NOTRE DAME	13:29
12	297	12	Lyndsey Dunnavan 11	ROCKFORD GUILFORD	13:30
13	267	13	Jaime Turilli	NORMAL COMMUNITY	13:35
14	278	14	Janelle Birky	OLYMPIA	13:42
15	246	15	Natalie Myers 12	GENESEO DARNALL	13:43
16	292	16	Britt Lundgren 11	ROCKFORD AUBURN	13:46
17	182	17	Melissa Skaggs 11	PEKIN	13:46
18	291	18	Abby Legue 11	ROCKFORD AUBURN	13:49
19	202	19	Julie Deatherage 12	EAST PEORIA	13:51
20	203	20	Katie Densberger	EAST PEORIA	13:52
21	309		Ann Williams 12	CANTON	13:52
22	310		Abi Ackerman 11	PEORIA HIGH	13:55
23	216	21	Keili Anet	NORMAL WEST	13:56
24	168	22	Philicia Moredock 11	NOTRE DAME	14:01
25	304		Andi Clinard 09	LASALLE-PERU	14:02
26	288	23	Kristen Melcher 12	BELVIDERE	14:03
27	230	24	Bridget Trainer	FREEPORT	14:04
28	169	25	Jamie Graves 10	NOTRE DAME	14:04
29	255	26	Amanda Lawhorn 12	ROCK ISLAND	14:06
30	286	27	Rachel Richards 11	BELVIDERE	14:06
31	274	28	Angie Boudinier	BLOOMINGTON HS	14:06
32	205	29	Sarah Kasabian	EAST PEORIA	14:07
33	249	30	Rachael Williams 10	GENESEO DARNALL	14:07
34	183	31	Molly Gafford 12	PEKIN	14:07
35	284	32	Heather Cordray	BELVIDERE	14:08
36	196	33	Elizabeth Brorby 09	UNITED TOWNSHIP	14:08
37	298	34	Megan Erickson 11	ROCKFORD GUILFORD	14:08
38	174	35	Erica Malone	METAMORA	14:09
39	259	36	Randi McCollom	ROCHELLE	14:09
40	314		Lisa Browning 12	BRADLEY-BOURBONNAIS	14:12
41	248	37	Jill Hinrichs 11	GENESEO DARNALL	14:13
42	258	38	Vanessa Grall 10	ROCHELLE	14:13
43	210	39	Abigail Rose 10	RICHWOODS	14:14
44	195	40	Jessica Wright	UNITED TOWNSHIP	14:14
45	177	41	Lauren Shoff 10	METAMORA	14:15
46	305		Marie Shafer 11	DIXON	14:16
47	285	42	Nadia Rodakowski 11	BELVIDERE	14:16
48	272	43	Alecia Sutter 10	BLOOMINGTON HS	14:16
49	253	44	Sarah Todd	ROCK ISLAND	14:17
50	176	45	Pam Roley	METAMORA	14:17

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=====	=====	=====	=====	=====	=====
51	180	46	Annie Atherton	METAMORA	14:17
52	211	47	Anne Altorfer	RICHWOODS	14:18
53	315		Jill Anderson	BRADLEY-BOURBONNAIS	14:18
54	178	48	Ashlee Schertz 12	METAMORA	14:18
55	252	49	Amy Farrar 10	ROCK ISLAND	14:25
56	175	50	Molly Morrison 10	METAMORA	14:25
57	204	51	Jessica Deatherage 12	EAST PEORIA	14:26
58	208	52	Heather Miller 12	EAST PEORIA	14:26
59	306		Stacy Gualandi 10	LASALLE-PERU	14:27
60	184	53	Marie Edwards 10	PEKIN	14:27
61	171	54	Anna Kabatay	NOTRE DAME	14:27
62	293	55	Martha Neujahr 10	ROCKFORD AUBURN	14:28
63	280	56	Penny Simons	OLYMPIA	14:28
64	217	57	Emily Uhe 11	NORMAL WEST	14:29
65	247	58	Rhonda Loftus 11	GENESEO DARNALL	14:30
66	276	59	Kelli Cole	BLOOMINGTON HS	14:32
67	232	60	Ann Regez	FREEPORT	14:32
68	188	61	Kayti Bouljon	MOLINE	14:33
69	308		Becky Schlomer 12	GALESBURG	14:34
70	231	62	Rachel Smith	FREEPORT	14:35
71	197	63	Jessica Hess 11	UNITED TOWNSHIP	14:36
72	311		Kyla Kepple 12	CANTON	14:37
73	261	64	Vanessa Zurbuch	ROCHELLE	14:37
74	219	65	Cassie Reyes 10	NORMAL WEST	14:38
75	206	66	Angie Ostrowski 10	EAST PEORIA	14:38
76	260	67	Christin Kinn 11	ROCHELLE	14:39
77	172	68	Bridie Cassidy	NOTRE DAME	14:39
78	170	69	Molly Schoepfle 10	NOTRE DAME	14:40
79	299	70	Jamie Paul 12	ROCKFORD GUILFORD	14:41
80	316		Julie Ralston 11	STREATOR	14:45
81	268	71	Jessica White	NORMAL COMMUNITY	14:46
82	254	72	Melanie Round 10	ROCK ISLAND	14:47
83	214	73	Jennie Mathis	RICHWOODS	14:47
84	318		Brandi Harmeson 10	DANVILLE	14:49
85	319		Amanda Parsons	HARLEM (LOVES PARK)	14:49
86	207	74	Anne Bowman	EAST PEORIA	14:50
87	223	75	Karen Sancken 10	PONTIAC TWP	14:50
88	237	76	Sara Leonard	ROCKFORD BOYLAN	14:51
89	273	77	Lindsey Reu	BLOOMINGTON HS	14:51
90	300	78	Kristy Wehrmeyer 10	ROCKFORD GUILFORD	14:52
91	185	79	Carolyn Teijido 11	PEKIN	14:52
92	212	80	Katrina Leali	RICHWOODS	14:55
93	190	81	Jill Decker	MOLINE	14:55
94	263	82	Andra O'Brien 11	ROCHELLE	14:56
95	287	83	Laura Grafton	BELVIDERE	14:56
96	269	84	Andrea Huls 12	NORMAL COMMUNITY	14:57
97	302	85	Mimi Hartman	ROCKFORD GUILFORD	14:57
98	198	86	Krista Garcia 12	UNITED TOWNSHIP	14:58
99	250	87	Alysa Snyder 12	GENESEO DARNALL	14:58
100	179	88	Courtney Thompson	METAMORA	15:00



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101	215	89	Emily Graff	RICHWOODS	15:01
102	317		Lynette Brown 12	DANVILLE	15:01
103	218	90	Dawn Moudy 12	NORMAL WEST	15:02
104	289	91	Leslie Schmidt	BELVIDERE	15:03
105	238	92	Mindy Kiss	ROCKFORD BOYLAN	15:04
106	234	93	Brooke Thomas	FREEPORT	15:05
107	312		Julie Hart	WASHINGTON	15:05
108	320		Beth Bradley	ROCKFORD EAST	15:05
109	191	94	Hollie Long 11	MOLINE	15:06
110	313		Torrie Jones	MORTON	15:07
111	325	95	Stephanie Chen 11	NORMAL COMMUNITY	15:08
112	256	96	Jenny Dailing	ROCK ISLAND	15:10
113	257	97	Emily Marquis	ROCK ISLAND	15:11
114	225	98	Kelli Cashmer	PONTIAC TWP	15:14
115	220	99	Erika Walters	NORMAL WEST	15:15
116	224	100	Anita Mack	PONTIAC TWP	15:16
117	279	101	Mikelle McClain	OLYMPIA	15:17
118	173	102	Kerry Abraham	NOTRE DAME	15:20
119	240	103	Sara Jepsen	ROCKFORD BOYLAN	15:22
120	282	104	Niki Leingang	OLYMPIA	15:23
121	239	105	Cassie Howard	ROCKFORD BOYLAN	15:23
122	213	106	Tiffany Finch 11	RICHWOODS	15:25
123	242	107	Sara Gracetta	ROCKFORD BOYLAN	15:28
124	221	108	Brandi Harmen	NORMAL WEST	15:29
125	233	109	Bitain Shuey	FREEPORT	15:29
126	228	110	Renee Oltman	PONTIAC TWP	15:30
127	193	111	Andrea Myers	MOLINE	15:31
128	227	112	Lisa Frank	PONTIAC TWP	15:32
129	307		Erica Madison	OTTAWA	15:33
130	270	113	Mandy Desutter 11	NORMAL COMMUNITY	15:33
131	186	114	Brandi Morris	PEKIN	15:34
132	262	115	Melanie Lang 11	ROCHELLE	15:34
133	301	116	Toria Lund 12	ROCKFORD GUILFORD	15:36
134	322		Julie Skalitzky	ROCKFORD EAST	15:40
135	236	117	Ellen Yarzak 10	FREEPORT	15:42
136	199	118	Samantha Atkin	UNITED TOWNSHIP	15:47
137	294	119	Rebecca Johnson	ROCKFORD AUBURN	15:47
138	295	120	Erin Church	ROCKFORD AUBURN	15:52
139	222	121	Jen Watters	NORMAL WEST	15:52
140	226	122	Becky Prokop	PONTIAC TWP	15:54
141	192	123	Rachel Johnson 10	MOLINE	15:56
142	321		Jen Braser	SYCAMORE	15:59
143	241	124	Anna Wholey	ROCKFORD BOYLAN	16:00
144	235	125	Priya Pradham	FREEPORT	16:10
145	303	126	Sonia Salberg	ROCKFORD GUILFORD	16:14
146	200	127	Brooke DeGrande	UNITED TOWNSHIP	16:20
147	243	128	Tara Nautigal	ROCKFORD BOYLAN	16:21
148	281	129	Alyson Nelson	OLYMPIA	16:27
149	187	130	Carrie Connor	PEKIN	16:38
150	264	131	Christine Zamistal 10	ROCHELLE	16:40

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ace No.	TmPl	NAME	Team	TIME1
151	201	132 Hope Davenport	UNITED TOWNSHIP	16:58
152	229	133 Amy Verdun	PONTIAC TWP	18:21
153	277	134 Janis Lanier	BLOOMINGTON HS	19:39
154	296	135 Amy Newton	ROCKFORD AUBURN	21:31

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## ILLINOIS PREP TOP TIMES

### Class A GIRLS at LISA, 2.16 miles.

1st Wheaton St. Francis 89				2nd Marion Woodstock 108				3rd Wheaton Academy 124				4th Chicago U-High 160				5th Winnebago 163			
PI	Name	yr.	Time	PI	Name	yr.	Time	PI	Name	yr.	Time	PI	Name	yr.	Time	PI	Name	yr.	Time
	7 Gadzinski	9	13:58		1 LaBracke	10	13:14		3 Mouw	11	13:54		10 Drew	11	14:00		2 Eisen	9	13:50
	13 Rutkowski	11	14:07		14 LaFontaine	10	14:08		23 Lytle	11	14:22		30 Bloom	10	:27		20 Melin	11	14:18
	18 Benton	11	:15		21 Lada	9	:19		25 Kuhnhausen	11	:24		38 Scharbach	12	:39		34 Mullvain	11	:31
	19 Hinds	11	:17		35 Guderyahn	10	:33		26 Williams	10	:25		44 Sklarsky	11	:49		61 Laurence	9	15:09
	39 Lolande	9	:39		47 Pratt	12	:53		60 Mouw	9	15:07		54 Gregory	10	15:00		66 Stevens	11	:14
	42 Missonik	10	:46		75 Klos	12	15:29		73 Engeseth	10	:25		65 Clement	11	:14		97 Carollo	12	:49
	49 Spezio	10	:55		105 Lada	12	16:00		92 Persson	10	:45		96 Schein	11	:48		114 Moses	11	16:15
Individual Qualifiers: 45th (10) Aurora CC 13:57; 5 Kewanee (11) 14:27; 25 St. Francis (12) 14:30; 10 Wheaton (10) 14:30; 10 Wheat																			

Individual Qualifiers: 4. Lough (10) Aurora CC 13:57; 5. Kouimelis (11) Lisle 13:57; 6. Freidheim (10) Latin 13:58; 8. Greenfield (12) Westmont 13:59; 9. Red (10) Latin 13:59; 11. Fleischacker (9) Luther North 14:01; 12. Dickson (10) Burlington Central 14:03.

### Class A GIRLS at OREGON, 2.0 miles.

1st Sandwich 43				2nd Herscher 57				3rd Alleman 82				4th Monmouth 161				5th Putnam Co. 191			
PI	Name	yr.	Time	PI	Name	yr.	Time	PI	Name	yr.	Time	PI	Name	yr.	Time	PI	Name	yr.	Time
3	Ricci	11	12:32	5	Miller	11	12:40	7	Layer	9	12:44	1	Scholz	10	12:28	14	Ziano	11	12:56
4	Curtin	10	:32	10	Bone	10	:47	11	Hird	11	:48	20	Tygrett	9	13:03	22	Harrison	10	13:04
12	Seidelman	11	:49	13	Denault	9	:54	23	Smith	10	13:05	29	Clark	9	:14	34	Loebach	11	:19
15	Craig	10	:56	19	Davis	11	13:02	26	Circello	10	:11	68	Riley	10	:58	76	Dappen	11	14:11
18	Friedrich	11	13:00	21	Lowe	12	:04	27	Shemek	11	:11	70	Mohrman	11	14:00	78	Micklos	11	:15
24	Karnocsek	9	:05	28	Dampitz	10	:13	58	Ceurvorst	12	:43	102	Carson	10	:49	127	Shafer	10	15:25
35	Seafrenski	10	:21	73	Dahn	12	14:04					130	Louck	12	15:31				

Individual Qualifiers: 2. Peterson (9) Rockridge 12:28; 6. Marquis (12) Dunlap 12:40; 8. Martin (12) Wethersfield 12:44; 9. Andresen (12) Chillicothe 12:46; 16. Hatan (11) Sherrod 12:57; 17. Williams (11) Manteno 12:58; 25. Zullo (12) Bishop McNamara 13:10.

### Class A Girls, Trenton (Wesclin) Sectional

1st Petersburg Port				2nd Pittsfield				3rd Rushville				4th Litchfield				5th Breese Mater Dei			
PI	Name	yr.	Time	PI	Name	yr.	Time	PI	Name	yr.	Time	PI	Name	yr.	Time	PI	Name	yr.	Time
7	Zimmerman	9	13:04	10	Legemann	9	13:10	1	Crisman	12	12:20	6	Stratmeyer	9	13:02	22	Kuhl	10	13:37
9	Vickroy	11	13:08	18	M. Kattelman	10	13:31	4	Boehm	12	12:59	31	Monke	12	13:54	32	Lammers	11	14:03
12	Sullivan	12	13:13	19	B. Kattelman	10	13:31	21	Icenogle	11	13:36	41	Ernst	10	14:14	37	Waddell	10	14:10
15	Hart	11	13:21	23	Bagent	12	13:41	40	Haney	11	14:13	49	Becker	10	14:29	39	Litteken	9	14:12
25	Andrew	12	13:43	26	Sieper	11	13:44	55	Heinz	9	14:37	57	Johnson	10	14:39	63	Bernard	10	14:44
30	West	11	13:53	66	Guthrie	10	14:46	61	Paisley	10	14:43	65	Boerckel	11	14:45	74	Humphrey	10	14:53
47	Honn	11	14:26	97	Barton	9	15:26	131	Cox	11	16:34	82	Ostendorf	11	15:03	108	Meyer	9	15:47
Individual Qualifiers:				2 J. Struts (12 12:53 Gardenville)				3 B. Cox (11 16:34 Rushville)											

Individual Qualifiers: 2. J. Stuitts (12, 12:53, Carlville); 3. B. Obert (10, 12:58, Liberty); 5. G. Riedel (12, 13:00, Franklin); 8. S. Mullen (11, 13:07, Girard); 11. A. Adams (10, 13:12, Sparta); 13. A. Esarey (12, 13:17, Havana); 14. J. Raabe (9, 13:20, Franklin)

### Class A Girls, PBL Sectional

1st	St. Joseph-Ogden	2nd	Delavan	3rd	Decatur St. Teresa	4th	Tuscola Atwood Hammon	5th	Salt Fork		
PI	Name	yr.	Time	PI	Name	yr.	Time	PI	Name	yr.	Time
4	Roberts	10	12:35	2	Hall	11	12:14	9	Rountree	12	12:56
21	Fletcher	12	13:19	14	Lynn	12	13:03	15	McCarthy	11	13:06
22	Miller	12	13:20	24	Lowry	11	13:24	17	Steutas	9	13:12
23	VanUithoven	9	13:22	33	Miller	9	13:33	29	Wetzel	11	13:29
31	Franzen	10	13:31	36	Carson	11	13:36	41	Reinbart	12	13:42
42	Chandler	9	13:43	48	Shay	12	13:47	54	Clifford	10	13:55
49	Legernes	11	13:49	61	Koonez	10	14:01	67	Cobb	10	14:16
				122	Eden	11	15:20	93	Mattlin	9	14:48
								109	Davidson	12	15:05

Individual Qualifiers: 1. H. Knapp (11, 12:06, Eureka); 3. L. Newlin (12, 12:27, Georgetown Ridgeform); 5. M. Deters (10, 12:43, Teutopolis); 6. J. Requarth (9, 12:46, Rochester); 7. K. Boise (9, 12:50, Tolono Unity); 8. L. Campos (9, 12:52, Normal U. High); 10. M. McGarvey (10, 12:58, Arcola)

# Class A BOYS at LISLE, 3.0 miles.

1st KANELAND 110				2nd WESTMONT 111				3rd AURORA C.CATH 125				4th LUTHER NORTH 141				5th WINNEBAGO 143			
PI	Name	yr.	Time	PI	Name	yr.	Time	PI	Name	yr.	Time	PI	Name	yr.	Time	PI	Name	yr.	Time
10	Pulford	12	16:11	1	Bailey	12	15:35	5	Cintron	11	16:01	19	Sheey	10	16:41	4	Randell	12	15:56
18	Norris	9	:35	8	Morrison	11	16:06	11	Villa	12	:14	20	Yarbrough	11	:42	24	Glenny	11	16:53
19	Milliman	12	:38	38	Mannos	10	17:03	17	Michalowski	12	:34	29	Suhajda	12	:59	33	Farb	11	17:04
37	Eichhoff	12	17:03	40	Barnacle	11	:04	49	Misenko	12	17:17	30	Gunia	10	17:01	37	Shaver	12	:12
42	Morris	12	:08	43	Sherrier	10	:11	64	Felton	12	:30	43	Kietzing	11	:21	45	Rezich	11	:23
76	Self	12	:40	46	Jagger	11	:15	70	Esparza	12	:36	77	Pfeffer	11	:54	52	Wurtzel	12	:28
82	Overhaug	12	:45	84	Benoist	12	:46	88	Glosson	9	:49	108	Larson	11	18:47	63	Erb	12	:39

Individual Qualifiers: 2. Accardi (12) Wheaton St. Francis 15:40; 3. Shober (12) Quigley 15:48; 6. Coughlin (10) Walther Lutheran 16:02; 7. Zielke (11) Walther Lutheran 16:03; 9. Craig (10) Chicago U-High 16:08; 12. Klavenga (12) Bryon 16:16; 13. Widhelm (11) Marion Central 16:08.

# Class A BOYS at OREGON, 3.0 miles.

1st OREGON 71				2nd DUNLAP 99				3rd KEWANEE 156				4th WESTMER 170				5th ALLEMAN 192			
PI	Name	yr.	Time	PI	Name	yr.	Time	PI	Name	yr.	Time	PI	Name	yr.	Time	PI	Name	yr.	Time
3	Harvey	12	16:45	1	Baum	11	16:23	13	Bourque	11	17:15	10	Green	12	17:13	7	Kargl	12	16:57
4	Zellers	12	:46	5	Grimmer	12	:50	21	Bourque	12	:28	15	Shook	10	:18	28	Hoepfner	12	17:40
17	Grennan	12	17:20	6	Shea	12	:56	42	Eckardt	11	18:01	34	Baxa	12	:45	31	McGraw	11	:42
18	Bottoms	12	:20	25	Stephens	11	17:37	49	Quart	11	:07	40	Hobart	9	:58	74	Wood	11	18:33
36	Dietrich	12	:47	76	Schmitt	11	18:34	55	Stoner	12	:12	94	Showalter	10	18:53	82	VandeVoerde	9	:38
43	Weber	11	18:02	77	Rae	11	:34	107	Crabtree	12	19:10	121	Wilkinson	12	19:32	92	Bernas	11	:50
50	Campbell	12	:08	78	Clark	11	:35	153	Talbot	12	21:25	139	Dunn	10	20:02	103	Pilaszewski	11	19:02

Individual Qualifiers: 2. Queen (11) Monmouth 16:38; 8. Eckberg (11) Bureau Valley 17:01; 9. Heaton Prophetstown 17:09; 11. Rivers (12) Rock Falls 17:14; 12. Donini (12) Henry 17:15; 14. Miller (12) Rockridge 17:16; 16. Gerke (12) Chillicothe 17:18.

# Class A BOYS at PAXTON-BUCKLEY-LODA, 3.0 miles.

1st ST. JOE OGDEN 85				2nd ROBINSON 137				3rd SHELBYVILLE 147				4th OAKWOOD 152				5th URBANA U-HIGH 184			
PI	Name	yr.	Time	PI	Name	yr.	Time	PI	Name	yr.	Time	PI	Name	yr.	Time	PI	Name	yr.	Time
12	Hale	11	16:23	18	Howard	12	16:42	15	Miller	11	16:31	8	Wells	12	16:18	3	Reynolds	12	15:58
20	Forshier	10	:51	27	Massey	12	17:00	16	Galvin	10	:35	21	Wheeler	12	:53	9	Heifrich	11	16:20
22	Marriott	11	:53	36	Stephens	12	:06	31	Luthy	11	17:03	26	Hargrove	9	:59	44	Herendeen	12	17:15
23	Hart	11	:55	37	Cramer	10	:06	39	Hood	10	:08	53	Stormen	12	17:28	74	Terry	10	:50
38	Houchens	11	17:07	42	Heilwagen	12	:12	67	Boehm	11	:41	64	Wills	10	:38	81	Wright	10	:55
51	McDannald	9	:23	47	Bryant	12	:18	91	Pierson	9	18:03	94	Vangenberg	11	18:05	86	Gahvari	11	:58
111	McDannald	11	18:28	52	Tomlinson	10	:28	92	Murphy	9	:03	98	Leahy	10	:12	102	Mathews	11	18:15

Individual Qualifiers: 1. Standerfer (12) Sullivan 15:32; 2. Young (11) Prairie Cen. 15:39; 4. O'Brien (12) Schlarman 16:02; 5. Derks (12) Rochester 16:13; 6. Shaffer (11) Hoopston 16:14; 7. Hanners (11) Tuscola 16:17; 10. Fifer (12) Normal U-High 16:22.

# Class A BOYS at TRENTON WESCLIN, 3.1 miles.

1st MCLEANSBORO 56				2nd BREESE MATER DEI 109				3rd HARRISBURG 132				4th LIBERTY 169				5th RUSHVILLE 170			
PI	Name	yr.	Time	PI	Name	yr.	Time	PI	Name	yr.	Time	PI	Name	yr.	Time	PI	Name	yr.	Time
1	Miller, De	12	16:36	13	Langenhorst	12	17:18	4	Owen	12	16:56	11	Funk	10	17:16	8	Robertson	11	17:09
2	Miller, Di	12	:49	18	Weh	10	:28	17	Garnett	12	17:27	30	Schmidt	9	:50	19	Eckman	11	:29
10	Davenport	12	17:15	25	Becker	12	:41	32	Seagraves	11	:52	44	Huber	11	18:06	24	Ward	11	:40
20	Nalley	10	:32	29	Toennies	12	:49	34	Weiss	11	:54	45	Porter	10	:07	61	Cunningham	10	18:32
26	Wilson	12	:43	33	Gall	11	:53	55	Rann	9	18:23	51	Craft	9	:17	69	Cooley	10	:43
75	Perryman	10	18:49	38	Schrage	10	:58	80	Hall	11	:54	74	Cramsey	9	:48	83	Billingsley	10	:57
86	Hopfinger	11	19:04	39	Varel	10	:59	117	VanDyke	12	20:07	81	Hahn	11	:55	101	Walker	11	19:30

Individual Qualifiers: 3. Zimmerman, T.J. (12) Porta 16:51; 5. Zimmerman, D. (10) Porta 16:57; 6. Smith Benton 17:04; 7. Hollo (11) Litchfield 17:05; 9. Traeger (10) Havana 17:10; 12. Gilson (10) Havana 17:17; 14. Colvere Freeburg 17:20.



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1st ST.CHARLES 85				2nd DOWNERS NORTH 80				3rd WHEATON NORTH 107				4th YORK 118				5th GLENBARD W. 135			
PI	Name	yr.	Time	PI	Name	yr.	Time	PI	Name	yr.	Time	PI	Name	yr.	Time	PI	Name	yr.	Time
1	Moody	11	13:03	3	Tumpach, E.	12	13:27	5	Endress	10	13:31	8	Williams	11	13:36	4	Forkins	9	13:30
11	DiPiazza	12	:40	6	Brannigan	9	:32	19	Vangetson	12	:57	21	Steinbach	12	14:02	16	Triner	12	:55
15	Brannon		:54	13	Giesler	10	:50	23	Cook	9	14:07	24	Machalinski	12	:07	26	Korison	10	14:09
18	Phelps	9	:57	28	Tumpach, C.	9	14:14	27	Waterman	9	:10	29	Forest	9	:16	31	DeForest	12	:18
20	Tetzlaff	9	:59	40	Wasson	11	:24	33	Bugh	10	:19	36	Cicero	9	:22	58	Ada, s	10	:41
22	Kleckner	11	14:06	52	King	12	:35	43	Sullivan	12	:29	54	Fitzgerald	11	:36	60	Rom	11	:44
38	Hefferin	10	:23	55	Wadington	11	:37	62	Flansburg	9	:45	73	Wyckoff	12	:51	126	Huston	12	16:02

Individual Qualifiers: 1. Mitchell (10) Geneva 12:46; 3. Vogeley (11) Benet 13:14; 8. Teren (10) Oak Park 13:34; 10. Goebel (10) Willowbrook 13:37; 1. Bolin (12) Oak Park 13:39; 7. Hohnick (10) Lyons 13:48.

#### Class AA GIRLS at DECATUR, 2.15 miles.

1st CENTENIAL 92				2nd BELLEVILLE W. 171				3rd SALEM 179				4th MT. VERNON 201				5th CHAMPAIGN CEN. 203			
PI	Name	yr.	Time	PI	Name	yr.	Time	PI	Name	yr.	Time	PI	Name	yr.	Time	PI	Name	yr.	Time
2	Broeren	9	12:39	22	Pellman	10	13:29	14	McMullen	10	13:07	21	Gaede	10	13:26	12	Murray	11	13:03
11	Kenyon	10	13:01	39	Cripper	11	:49	36	Hustedde	11	:47	32	Greenwood	10	:40	26	Wilhelm	9	:34
16	Rudolphi, A	9	:12	41	Pelitech	10	:51	49	Fuher	12	:56	48	Chambliss	10	:55	28	Breen	12	:37
38	Rudolphi, M	10	:49	42	Weidemann	12	:52	53	Tealizzi	10	14:00	69	McPheeters	11	14:10	75	Petry	11	14:15
40	Newell	9	:50	61	Culbertson	10	14:05	56	Sparling	12	:02	72	Knowles	:12		101	DeVine	12	:41
62	Ross	10	14:06	65	Stanczyk	10	:26	76	Rollberg	10	:16	83	Ronkin	12	:21	114	Bwgler	12	:58
73	Ferguson	10	:13	119	Buyer	11	15:03	109	Purcell	11	:50	110	Roller	10	:51	117	Hatch	10	15:01

Individual Qualifiers: 1. Gaffigan (10) Sacred Heart Griffin 12:11; 3. Illig (10) O'Fallon 12:42; 4. Kipping (12) Quincy 12:43; 5. Standard (9) Southeast 12:43; 6. Lampley (12) E.S.L. Lincoln 12:52; 7. Smith (11) Edwardsville 12:54; 8. Helm (12) Effingham 12:57.

#### Class AA GIRLS at LINCOLN-WAY, 2.14 miles.

1st SANDBURG 65				2nd MCAULEY 97				3rd LINCOLN-WAY 98				4th NAPERVILLE N 106				5th NAPERVILLE CEN 141			
PI	Name	yr.	Time	PI	Name	yr.	Time	PI	Name	yr.	Time	PI	Name	yr.	Time	PI	Name	yr.	Time
7	Anderson	12	13:18	2	Desco	11	12:52	1	Henning	11	12:41	5	Brzana	12	13:16	10	Bice	10	13:21
8	Arquilla	9	:20	14	Springer	11	13:27	17	Barrowman	11	13:30	20	Slider	11	:36	15	Hunt	11	:26
11	O'Rourke	9	:22	21	Jirik	12	:37	22	Lowe	11	:37	26	LaFave	11	:41	33	Padilla	12	:53
13	Bymes	10	:24	23	Lehner	12	:38	35	Monninger	10	:40	29	Kowalski	12	:46	35	Watson	10	:54
27	Alex	12	:42	40	Walsh	11	14:00	36	McGrane	9	:56	30	Lipe	12	:48	53	Harsant	9	14:12
34	Frisby	12	:54	43	Jirik	11	:06	38	Cunningham	11	:58	31	Thomas	9	:51	54	Meeks	10	:13
37	Farrell	11	:57	58	Pukala	10	:16	47	Lafferty	9	14:08	44	Stahl	12	14:06	78	Fausey	10	:37

Individual Qualifiers: 4. Lacey (10) Lockport 13:00; 4. Bozue (12) Joliet 13:15; 6. Smith (12) Joliet 13:17; 9. Hoster (12) Lemont 13:21; 12. Ciaccio (10) Lockport 13:23; 16. Simone (9) Stagg 13:29; 18. Rhoden (9) Joliet 13:32.

#### Class AA GIRLS at SCHAUMBURG 2.0 miles.

1st PALATINE 70				2nd LAKE ZURICH 107				3rd SCHAUMBURG 143				4th HERSEY 159				5th LAKE FOREST 174			
PI	Name	yr.	Time	PI	Name	yr.	Time	PI	Name	yr.	Time	PI	Name	yr.	Time	PI	Name	yr.	Time
9	Lancaster	12	12:11	3	Martin	9	11:51	13	Macnider	10	12:23	5	Spalding	11	12:02	2	Jackson	10	11:49
11	Fearing	12	:19	7	Volting	10	12:10	28	Cieminski	12	:43	24	McEnemey	10	:41	29	Wrede	10	12:44
14	Ainsley	9	:27	25	Augustine	11	:42	30	Donion	9	:46	31	Young	9	:46	44	Mullin	10	13:00
16	Stutzman	10	:30	32	Moffett	10	:48	34	Chang	12	:50	45	Cook	11	13:02	48	Galvin	10	:03
20	Strande	12	:35	40	Key	12	:57	38	Maksinski	12	:52	54	Bush	9	:06	51	Manning	10	:06
23	Jackson	12	:40	97	Rayburn	9	13:32	43	Rizzo	12	13:00	87	Clarke	10	:26	133	Koska	12	14:49
33	Reimer	11	:49	122	Furlong	12	14:03	99	McHugh	12	13:32	100	Ford	11	:33	134	Kopenen	12	:51

Individual Qualifiers: 1. Arnold (12) Libertyville 11:43; 4. Hartmann (10) Woodstock 11:56; 6. McGuinn (11) Stevenson 12:04; 8. Spencer (9) Wheeling 12:10; 9. Johnston (10) Barrington 12:11; 11. Denaro (11) Stevenson 12:15; 13. Brice (10) Elk Grove 12:21.

#### Class AA GIRLS at EAST PEORIA, 2.18 miles.

1st GENESEO 94				2nd BELVIDERE 132				3rd EAST PEORIA 171				4th NOTRE DAME 180				5th NORMAL 184			
PI	Name	yr.	Time	PI	Name	yr.	Time	PI	Name	yr.	Time	PI	Name	yr.	Time	PI	Name	yr.	Time
2	Lake	9	12:55	8	Wartgow	10	13:22	19	Deatherage	12	13:51	11	Cassidy	11	13:29	7	Butler	11	13:21
10	Biondell	10	13:25	23	Melcher	12	14:03	20	Densberger	9	:52	22	Moredock	11	14:01	9	Cantrill	11	:23
15	Myers	12	:43	27	Richards	11	:06	29	Kasbian	10	14:07	25	Graves	10	:04	13	Turilli	9	:36
30	Williams	10	14:07	32	Cordray	9	:08	51	Deatherage	12	:26	54	Kabatay	12	:27	71	White	12	14:46
37	Hinrichs	12	:13	42	Radakowski	11	:16	52	Miller	12	:28	68	Cassidy	9	:39	84	Huls	12	:57
58	Loftue	11	:30	83	Grafton	10	:56	66	Ostrowski	10	:38	69	Schoeplein	10	:40	95	Chen		15:08
87	Snyder	10	:58	91	Schmidt		15:03	74	Bowman	11	:50	102	Abraham		15:20	113	Desutter		:33

Individual Qualifiers: 1. Wurth (11) Bloomington 12:40; 3. Anderson (12) Auburn 13:08; 5. Atkins (12) Rock Island 13:13; 6. Gaurd (10) Richwood 13:17; 12. Dunnavan (11) Guilford 13:30; 14. Birky (11) Olympia 13:42; 16. Lundgren (11) Auburn 13:46.

#### Class AA GIRLS at CHICAGO PUBLIC LEAGUE

1st MORGAN PARK 57				2nd WHITNEY YOUNG 84				Individual Qualifiers				5th PEKIN 184			
PI	Name	yr.	Time	PI	Name	yr.	Time	PI	Name	yr.	Time	PI	Name	yr.	Time
2	Hawthorne	11	13:41	3	Gipson	10	13:45	1	Lacey (12) Lane	13:01					
6	Brown	9	:51	5	Rogriqez	9	:50	4	Thompson (12) Steinmetz	13:48					
13	Patterson	11	14:06	15	Milkowski	11	14:21	7	Ashley (11) Lincoln	13:51					
16	Thompson	10	:29	29	Menon	11	15:28	8	Patton (12) Robeson	13:56					
20	Walker	10	:43	32	Delgado	11	:36	9	Navarro (12) Kennedy	13:58					
24	Rutherford	10	15:06	36	Boney	12	:44								
34	White	10	:40	37	Sanchez	12	:44								

Individual Qualifiers: 17. Skaggs 11 :46; 31. Gafford 12 14:07; 53. Edwards 10 :27; 79. Tejido 11 :52; 114. Morris 11 15:34; 130. Connor 11 16:38.

# Class AA BOYS at EAST AURORA, 3.0 miles.

1st YORK 65				2nd HINSDALE CEN. 112				3rd FENTON 142				4th DOWNERS NORTH 164				5th MORTON 204			
PI	Name	yr.	Time	PI	Name	yr.	Time	PI	Name	yr.	Time	PI	Name	yr.	Time	PI	Name	yr.	Time
1	Sage	10	15:00	5	Seman	12	15:32	2	Cabral	12	15:14	15	Quednau	10	15:57	3	Ortega	12	15:19
8	Cioni	10	:43	11	Wolfe	12	:45	4	Seimers	11	:22	17	Hohnsen	11	:58	16	Escobedo	12	:57
9	Mallaney	11	:43	27	Kenna	11	:12	14	Gonzalez	11	:56	33	Pebeiske	12	16:16	22	Marin	10	16:03
19	Lawrence,N	12	16:01	29	Andrew	11	:13	57	Ruzak		16:32	41	LePeau	11	:22	71	Barajas	12	:42
28	Lawrence,C	12	:13	40	Demetra	12	:22	65	Pontrelli	11	:37	58	Graves	10	:33	92	Cano	11	:54
30	Mark	12	:15	83	Langworthy	12	:49	85	Patel	12	:49	70	King	12	:42	111	Alvarez	11	17:16
127	Moore	10	17:39					96	Olson		:56	129	Racay	12	17:46	119	Gavras	11	:27

Individual Qualifiers: 4.Breit (12) Niles N. 15:21; 6.Mitchell (12) Geneva 15:28; 7.Ziebert (12) Glenbard E. 15:30; 9.Mueller (12) Wheaton N. 15:36; 10.Nate Phillips (12) Wheaton-W S. 15:40; 11. Dixon, Lake Park 15:42; 14.Sinnott (12) W. Aurora 15:44.

# Class AA BOYS at EAST PEORIA, 2.95 miles.

1st PONTIAC 71				2nd ROCK ISLAND 101				3rd METAMORA 183				4th GENESEO 173				5th RICHWOODS 189			
PI	Name	yr.	Time	PI	Name	yr.	Time	PI	Name	yr.	Time	PI	Name	yr.	Time	PI	Name	yr.	Time
6	Whals	11	15:49	4	Mendoza	11	15:41	3	Hodel	11	15:40	2	Fluck	11	15:38	15	Matheson	11	16:12
7	Hilgendorf	9	:55	12	Allen	11	16:07	31	Wmlen	12	16:27	12	Studer	11	16:08	23	Illuzzi	12	:18
14	Vanhoorebek	12	16:10	19	Sheets	11	:17	32	Facker	11	:28	33	Gray		:28	43	Lisenby	12	:38
16	House	12	:13	26	Lawrence		:23	37	Hoppe	12	:34	58	Keplinger	11	:45	47	Bhatia	12	:39
28	Wahls,S.	11	:24	40	Green	11	:36	50	Hicks	11	:40	67	Behema	12	:50	61	Shoemaker	10	:47
45	Maxwell	10	:39	73	Waller	10	:55	71	White	12	:53	82	Beuster	10	17:02	68	Kotena	12	:51
65	Velez	11	:50	113	Belby	12	17:44	76	Clementz	10	:57	98	Nelson	11	:22	126	Bhatia	12	18:01

Individual Qualifiers: 1.Kurtz, (12) Rantoul 15:35; 5.Culbertson (12) Bloomington 15:45; 8.Radosevich (12) P.Notre Dame 15:57; 9.Parsons (12) Guilford 16:04; 10.Vance (12) Normal 16:06; 11.Schlicksup (12) P.Notre Dame 16:06; 17.Palmer (12) E.Peoria 16:13.

# Class AA BOYS at DECATUR, 3.0 miles.

1st SALEM 148				2nd CENTRALIA 130				3rd D.MACARTHUR 148				4th CARBONDALE 153				5th EDWARDSVILLE 203			
PI	Name	yr.	Time	PI	Name	yr.	Time	PI	Name	yr.	Time	PI	Name	yr.	Time	PI	Name	yr.	Time
2	Purcell	11	15:27	3	Amason	10	15:45	4	Orange	11	15:46	22	Hudson	12	16:34	12	Davis	12	16:13
7	Alers	12	16:08	11	Schwartz	10	16:13	16	Pele	11	16:25	28	Shananan	11	:41	37	Wallace	12	:52
21	Stanley	11	:33	29	Pierjok	11	:55	52	Lofus	12	17:03	38	Fox	12	:53	49	Bratten	10	17:00
25	McDonald	10	:37	43	Storm	12	:57	57	Grass	10	17:07	45	Bernstein	11	:57	70	Drzort	10	:16
31	Oliverio	11	:43	63	Carpenter	11	17:10	61	Seitz	10	17:09	58	Weiderman	12	17:08	81	Patty	12	:23
32	Smith	11	:44	83	Coe	11	:25	87	Williams	10	17:28	60	Brown	11	:09	97	Keller	10	:40
74	Kelly	11	17:18	dnf	Turner	10		135	Hammond	12	18:28	107	Partlow	12	:48	122	Hines		18:08

Individual Qualifiers: 1.Nurenberger (12) Collinsville; 5.Reese (12) Quincy 16:06; 6.Wilson (12) Collinsville 16:07; 8.Mack (11) M.-Semour 16:08; 9.Finney (12) Quincy 16:09; 10. Johahon (11) Lincoln 16:10; 13.Read (11) Springfield 16:20.

# Class AA BOYS at LINCOLN-WAY, 3.0 miles.

1st LOCKPORT 56				2nd NAPERVILLE CEN. 78				3rd LINCOLN-WAY 92				4th ANDREW 112				5th MARIST 121			
PI	Name	yr.	Time	PI	Name	yr.	Time	PI	Name	yr.	Time	PI	Name	yr.	Time	PI	Name	yr.	Time
3	Targosz	11	15:34	4	Janssen	11	15:36	5	Van Swol	12	15:38	14	Moran	11	15:58	2	Berning	12	15:31
8	Setta	11	:45	7	Teising	10	:40	13	Narbone	12	:57	16	Mackey	12	16:08	10	Riberto	12	:49
9	Oliszowka	12	:48	19	Banerjee	12	16:12	20	Cumbee	11	16:14	21	Carr	10	:15	39	Zielinski	11	16:36
11	Grajewski	12	:55	22	Rossi	12	:16	23	DeBold	12	:19	30	Ackerman	10	:28	40	Hurley	12	:39
25	Jaskierny	12	16:22	26	Welborn	11	:24	34	Pavlik	12	:32	37	Jonaitis	11	:34	42	Quinn	10	:40
48	Annen	11	:47	47	Lundy	12	:47	43	Pehle	12	:41	111	Heenan	11	18:17	50	Cabrera	12	:51
54	Rudzewicz	11	:53	49	Hyde	12	:50	63	Boyd	11	17:04	119	Enyart	11	:29	81	Jordon	11	17:26

Individual Qualifiers: 1. Pilja (12) Naperville N. 15:19; 6.Borling (12) Sandburg 15:39; 12.Newman (12) St.Laurence 15:57; 15.Ott (11) Naperville N. 16:02; 17. Patchak (11) Sandburg 16:08; 18.Marren (11) Mt.Carmel 16:10; 24.Higgins (11) Joliet 16:21.

# Class AA BOYS at SCHAUMBURG, 3.0 miles.

1st SCHAUMBURG 64				2nd WHEELING 71				3rd EVANSTON 156				4th PALATINE 156				5th HOFFMAN ESTATES 166			
PI	Name	yr.	Time	PI	Name	yr.	Time	PI	Name	yr.	Time	PI	Name	yr.	Time	PI	Name	yr.	Time
3	Kocher	11	15:27	1	Torres,J.	11	14:51	6	Williams	12	15:35	15	Wheeler	12	15:46	5	Bennett	11	15:31
7	Lazicki	12	:36	2	Torres,E.	11	15:18	22	Jager	12	16:03	27	Rakaric	9	16:09	25	Alansare	12	16:05
9	Kopecky	12	:38	8	Kronforst	12	:37	40	Richards	9	:18	31	Falardeau	12	:11	30	Ophus	12	:10
19	Judice	11	:55	23	Moon	10	16:04	43	Stevenson	10	:20	41	Scott	10	:19	47	Howard	10	:25
26	Mokakos	12	16:08	37	Schroll,E.	10	:15	45	Artope	9	:23	42	Mohammed	10	:19	59	Barbieri	12	:37
54	Kaldahl	12	:31	55	Schroll,P.	10	:31	62	Roche	10	:40	74	Yoshida	12	:52	67	DeGula	11	:48
69	Korn	10	:49	64	Velasques	9	:44	87	Schoolmaste	11	17:05	97	Gregersen	10	17:10	81	Blake	9	:58

Individual Qualifiers: 2.Wallace (12) Deerfield 15:08; 5.Moffat (12) Crystal Lk.C. 15:29; 11.Lowitzki (12) Crystal Lk.C 15:39; 12.Cropper (11) Conant 15:40; 13.Leffelman (11) Libertyville 15:40; 14.McCormack (12) Conant 15:41; 15.Nieto (11) Elgin 15:43.

# Class AA BOYS at CHICAGO PUBLIC LEAGUE,

1st KENNEDY 44				2nd FARRAGUT 61				Individuals: 3.Samoya (12) Lane 15:59; 4.Wroblewski (10) Foreman 16:19; 5.Alghazali (11) Foreman 16:20; 6.Bengall (11) Lane 16:24; 13.Rivera (11) Lane 16:45.			
PI	Name	yr.	Time	PI	Name	yr.	Time				
1	Guereca	12	15:22	2	Bueno	11	15:22				
8	Cantu	10	16:26	10	Medina	11	16:32				
9	Gardino	11	:30	11	Valenzuela	11	:32				
12	Marcho	11	:41	18	ukrbina	11	:58				
14	Hernandez	10	:49	20	Jimenez	11	17:02				
19	Sanchez	12	17:01	26	Rojas	12	:40				
22	Nieves	11	:06	27	Dominguez	9	:41				



## Geneseo Cross-Country Results

**Meet:** Sectional Finals

**Site:** Illinois Central College

**Date:** 11/01/97

**Conditions:** 50....overcast....windy....muddy and wet

**Racing Distance:** 2.95 miles

### Varsity Boys'

	Name	Place	Race	Time	Splits
1.	Justin Fluck	02	Var. Boys	15:38	(5:02/10:22)
2.	Chris Studer	13	Var. Boys	16:08	(5:10/10:43)
3.	Jason Gray	35	Var. Boys	16:28	(5:16/10:58)
4.	Mark Keplinger	65	Var. Boys	16:45	(5:27/11:20)
5.	Grant Venema	74	Var. Boys	16:50	(5:26/11:16)
6.	Andy Beuster	94	Var. Boys	17:02	(5:27/11:20)
7.	Tim Nelson	112	Var. Boys	17:22	(5:37/11:37)

**Varsity Boys Leader**

**5:00 / 10:18**

### Geneseo's Spread

1 through 5      1:12

1 through 7      1:44

### Team Placings

**Varsity Boys: 2nd place (out of 21 teams) (Qualify for the State Finals)**

# STATE FINALS

## A Tremendous Team Effort

*"How Sweet it is!!!"*

Cross-Country Team Results  
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1. PONTIAC  
     6      7     14     16     28  (45) (65) = 71  
     Aaron Wahls, Kyle Hilgendorf, Tristan Vanhoorebeke, Dan House,  
     Steve Wahls, Jereme Maxwell, Mike Velez
2. ROCK ISLAND  
     4     12     19     26     40  (73) (113) = 101  
     Sean Mendoza, Ryan Allen, Ryan Sheets, Craig Lawrence, Dustin Green,  
     DJ Waller, Colin Belby
3. METAMORA  
     3     31     32     37     50  (71) (76) = 153  
     Kevin Hodel, Ryan Emlen, Rob Facker, Paul Hoppe, Chris Hicks,  
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4. GENESEO DARNALL  
     2     13     33     58     67  (82) (98) = 173  
     Justin Fluck, Chris Studer, Jason Gray, Mark Keplinger,  
     Grant Venema, Andy Beuster, Tim Nelson
5. RICHWOODS  
     15     23     43     47     61  (68) (126) = 189  
     Aaron Matheson, Mike Illuzzi, Tyler Lisenby, Shailen Bhatia,  
     Austin Shoemaker, Erik Kotewa, Sandeep Bhatia
6. ROCKFORD GUILFORD  
     9     35     53     56     78  (86) (101) = 231  
     Andy Parsons, Eric Nelson, Matt Smazik, Steve Lambert, Nate Dutavit,  
     Bob Davidson, Dan Westlund
7. BELVIDERE  
     22     34     44     66     83  (90) (109) = 249  
     Josh Jones, Andy Enright, Rick Wenger, Kelvin Weibe, Ray Jenkins,  
     Zach Stephens, Paul Huff
8. EAST PEORIA  
     17     20     64     72     89  (95) (135) = 262  
     Nate Palmer, Jake Grebner, Seth Mingus, Alex Rhodes,  
     Bryan Timberlake, Ty Terpening, Zach Lukachik
9. ROCKFORD JEFFERSON  
     36     49     54     63     79  (104) (143) = 281  
     Ben Bushard, Gary Brown, Andy Wilcox, Jason Stover, Adam Peck,  
     Tim Korsky, Jeff Schlegel
10. NOTRE DAME  
     8     11     77     96     105 (112) (118) = 297  
     Nate Radosevich, Mike Schlicksup, Dave Gray, Trevor Birkmeier,  
     Nate Smith, Kris Cunningham, Ian White
11. BLOOMINGTON  
     5     52     70     81     91  (132) (146) = 299  
     Nathan Culbertson, Caleb Willitz, Shane Dillingham, Steve Barkulis,  
     Scott Glaser, Brent Hill, Sam Morris
12. HONONEGAH  
     30     41     57     80     108 (117) (141) = 316  
     Kyrk Jordan, Matt Brenner, Brad McLarty, Andy Bolt, Chiliu Tran,  
     John Soleanicox, Aaron Carlson
13. MOLINE  
     27     42     62     93     100 (111) (121) = 324  
     Reed Patterson, Nate Medingor, Ben Shumaker, Ryan Osberg,  
     Mike Drish, Nic Amato, Paul Hueppner
14. PEKIN  
     46     55     69     75     85  (114) (131) = 330  
     Kevin Merrick, Reggie Danz, Corey Wolfe, Dan Blome, Challo Schott,

Jim Sarff, Jake Norman

RANTOUL

1 25 97 102 110 (129) (134) = 335

Andrew Kurtz, Kevin Harris, Chad Beights, Juan Olivarez,  
Mitch Wilson, Joe Graham, Tyler Combest

NORMAL WEST

48 51 74 84 88 (92) (107) = 345

Steve Shandley, Josh Williams, Brian Erwin, Barry Swartz,  
Andrew Whalen, Jared Smith, Dan Guither

OLYMPIA

24 60 87 99 106 (144) = 376

Kenny Holt, David Dare, Kyle Wurmnest, Matt Melick, Craig Tackett,  
Joe Williams

ROCHELLE

38 39 94 103 123 (125) (127) = 397

Nick Anaya, Alistair Thompson, David Bergeson, Robert Laas,  
Mike Dubois, Mark Rainwater, Adam Rainwater

DIXON

18 21 133 137 138 (142) (145) = 447

Chris Allen, Joel Foster, Josh Miles, Charlie Bishop, Brett Smith,  
Sunil Chillakuru, Ted Taylor

SYCAMORE

29 59 119 124 128 (136) (140) = 459

Jason Malmassari, John Blankenship, Ben Brotcke, Kevin Horst,  
Sean Miller, Burt Smith, Josh Arends

1. NORMAL COMMUNITY

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Josh Vance, Isaac Robinson, Joel Purdy, Nick Valev, Mike Viergutz,  
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6	84	6	Aaron Wahls 11	PONTIAC	15:49
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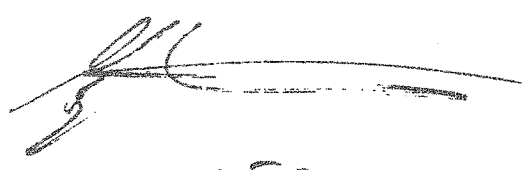


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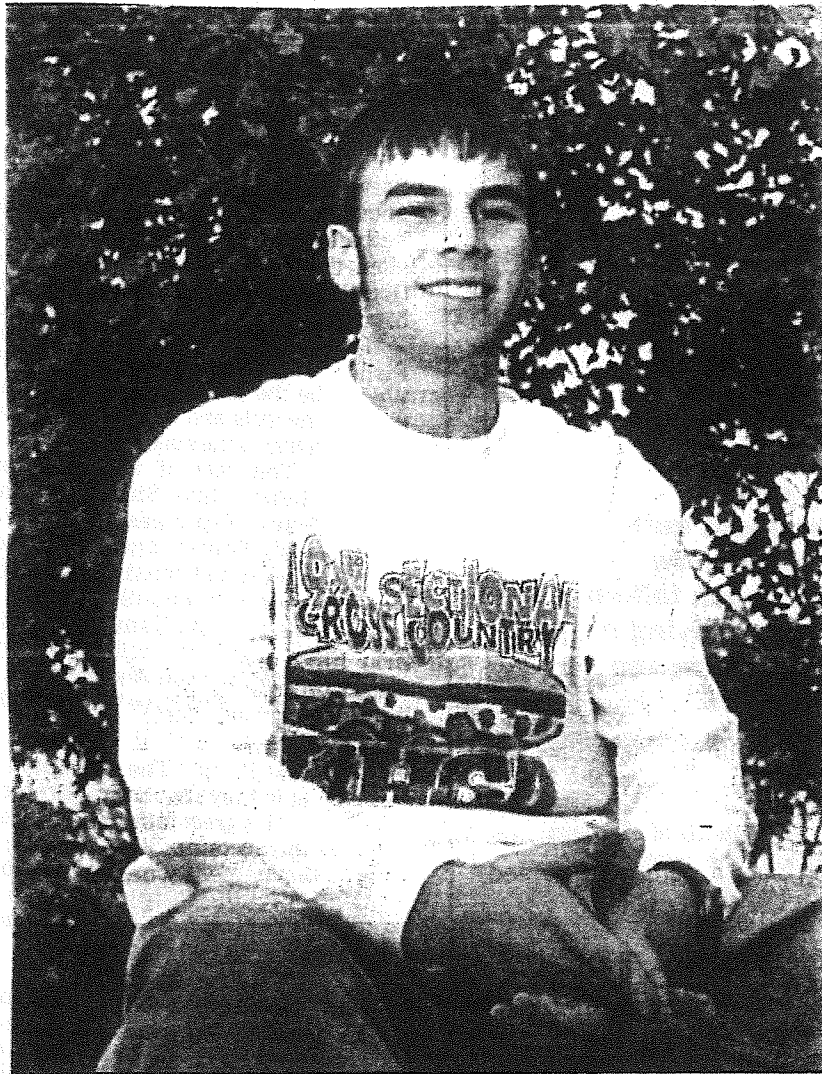
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## **Additional Points:**

- 1991 was the last year that a Geneseo Boys' team qualified for the state finals.
- This is only the 2nd time in school history that both the Boys' and Girls' teams qualified for the State Finals in the same year (the only other year was 1988).
- This is the 2nd straight Sectional Championship for the Lady Leafs.
- This was the 5th sectional championship in cross-country won by the Lady Leafs in school history. (1984, 1985, 1987, 1996, & 1997).
- Geneseo was the only team in our Sectional that qualified both Boys' and Girls' teams.
- The Girls will compete at 11:30 on Saturday.
- The Boys will compete at 12:45 on Saturday.
- The State finals are held at Detweiller Park in Peoria.

# 'No pain, no gain' has new meaning for Leafs' Fluck



Todd Mizener / staff

Geneseo's Justin Fluck will be hoping to set the pace at Saturday's state cross country meet at Peoria's Detweiller Park.

## By Jim Gross

Staff sports writer

For most teenagers, growing pains are a part of life they must endure on the way to adulthood.

But in the case of junior Geneseo cross country runner Justin Fluck, that part of being a teenager is something he'd soon rather forget.

After a promising freshman year that saw Fluck attain the No. 1 runner's spot on the Maple Leafs' cross country squad, the roof caved in on him during his sophomore year.

He was first diagnosed with Osgood-Schlatter's Syndrome, which is associated with growth spurts in

young people. It means the tendons in the long bone of the leg haven't caught up with bone growth and it causes severe stress right below the knee.

This caused Fluck to see limited action due to the excruciating pain caused by the ailment. He went from finishing 19th at the sectional in his freshman year to 43rd his sophomore season.

The following spring, after the Osgood-Schlatter's syndrome had cleared up, he experienced yet another growth-spurt medical problem called Iliotibial-band syndrome. That forced him to sit out the entire track season.

"He was soul-searching. It really tested what type of person he was," said Leafs' coach Don Fredericks. "It took him to the bottom of the barrel."

Eventually, Fluck went to Chicago and sought the aid of two of the top podiatrists in the country who had worked with the U.S. Olympic team. They fitted him with orthotics to help correct the problem.

Since that time, Fluck has come full circle.

On Saturday, he will be leading the Leafs when they trek to Peoria's Detweiller Park to compete in the Class AA State Meet.

He capped off his recovery last Saturday in grand fashion by taking second at the East Peoria Sectional, just three seconds behind Rantoul's Andrew Kurtz who won it in a clocking of 15:35 over the 2.97-mile course.

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**'I really never thought about quitting. I don't know why but Coach talked to me about giving it up. It never crossed my mind once.'**

Justin Fluck

But even through all of the pain and frustration, the word "quit" never crossed his mind.

"I really never thought about quitting," said Fluck, who said he hopes to finish in the top 25, which would make him an all-stater. "I don't know why but Coach talked to me about giving it up. It never crossed my mind once."

"It was just the desire to go out there and win because winning is the best thing."

Fluck's healing process was a slow, arduous one.

"I ran the John Deere Commons

Run (in August) in my training shoes and orthotics," said Fluck. "Those were heavy shoes and man, they felt like cement. It was horrible."

As the cross country season rolled around, Fredericks at first, had misgivings about running his star harrier.

"We had some very serious discussions early in the season when he pleaded with me to allow him to run," said Fredericks. "I held him out of several meets because I was just afraid to run him and put him in spikes for the first time."

The turning point for Fluck this season was the fourth meet of the year at United Township. Fluck competed for the first time there and won, even though he ran it in training shoes and orthotics.

Fluck, who doesn't wear the orthotics anymore, but ices his right knee everyday, says he doesn't let his past medical history affect him.

"It doesn't bother me in my mind at all," said the gusty Geneseo harrier. "I've went a few months without it acting up on me severely. I really don't worry about that now."

An added bonus for Fluck and the rest of his teammates is Saturday will be the first time since 1988 that both the girls and boys squads have made a trip to the state meet together.

The rest of the boys team includes Chris Studer, Jason Gray, Mark Keplinger, Grant Venema, Andy Beuster and Tim Nelson. The girls squad consists of Jenny Lake, Andrea Blondell, Natalie Myers, Rachael Williams, Jill Hinrichs, Rhonda Loftus and Alysa Snyder.

"We've been working for it all year and all of us have been so dedicated,"

said Fluck. "The girls are a big part of it; they support us 100 percent."

"It's great that both teams are going to state. That's outstanding because we're going down as one big team. We've definitely put in the hours."

While Fluck is the epitome of the

old sports cliché of "no pain, no gain," it goes much deeper than that for the loquacious runner.

And what he's gained back besides his health and confidence is a much more cherished prize — a trip to the state cross country meet.

# Setta's 3rd sport: Juggling

By Marlen Garcia  
TRIBUNE STAFF WRITER

To successfully defend their Class AA boys title next weekend at the cross-country state finals in Peoria, Lockport's Porters must overcome at least one major distraction.

The Porters, who advanced to the state meet for the third straight year after winning the Lincoln-Way sectional Saturday in New Lenox, will travel to Peoria on Thursday without junior Nick Setta. He will make the trip Downstate, but not until late Friday night or early Saturday. The state final is at 12:45 p.m. Saturday at Detweiller Park.

Setta, who finished eighth at Lincoln-Way behind sectional champion Mark Pilja of Naperville North, will stay in Lockport to fulfill his obligation as a kicker for Lockport's football team in its second-round playoff game at 7 p.m. Friday against Addison Trail.

In a first-round Class 6A game Friday night, Lockport defeated Wheaton-Warrenville South 31-27 in the closing seconds.

Setta said he went to bed at 11:30 p.m. and was up by 7 a.m. Saturday for his noon sectional race. Lockport has played most of its football games Friday nights; the cross-country team races in major meets on Saturdays. The routine is familiar for the junior, who set a state record with a 59-yard field goal last year.

"We're going to taper down [cross-country practices] now, so I'll get my rest," said Setta, who finished fifth in last year's state meet. "[The football game] won't make a difference in my performance Saturday. It's the state meet—there is no holding back."

The decision to play football

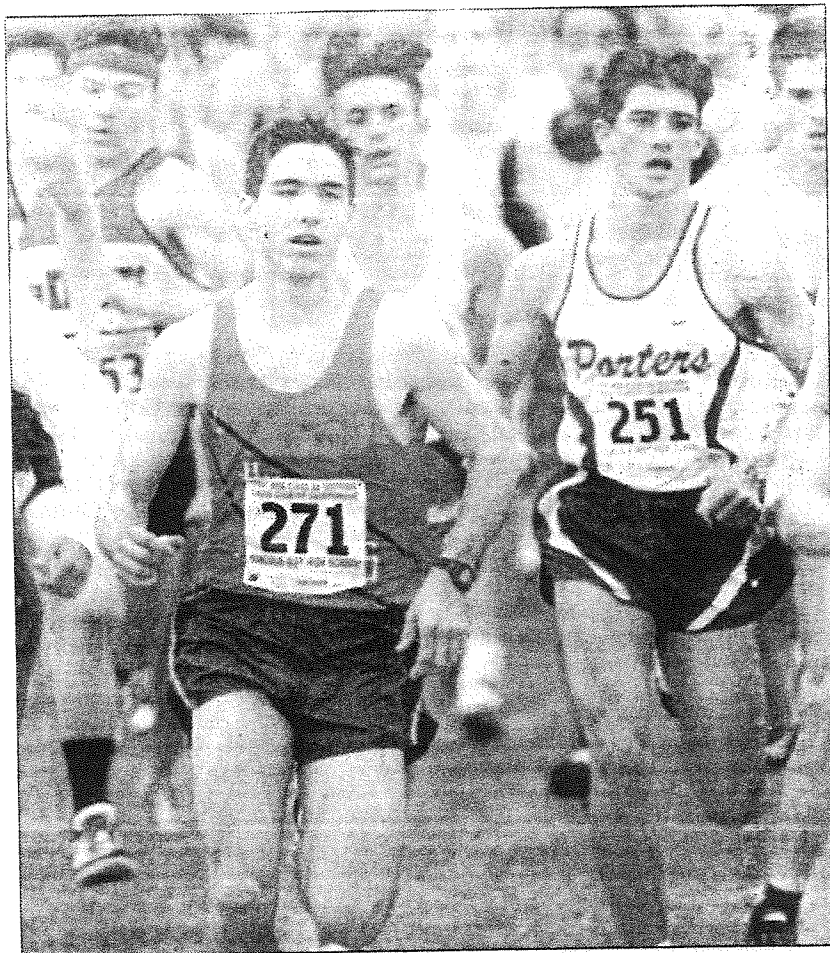


Photo for the Tribune by Scott Olson

Naperville North's Mark Pilja (271) grabs the lead over Lockport's Nick Setta (251) in the Lincoln-Way cross-country sectional Saturday.

Friday was made by the Addison Trail and Lockport athletic directors. Lockport cross-country coach Larry Thompson had hoped the football game would be played Saturday night.

"The only thing that concerns me is that this is state," Thompson said. "He'll have to [play football] before the biggest race of the season."

Thompson added: "If we don't win state, you won't hear me saying anything about Nick's situation."

Including Setta, Lockport has three strong front-runners. Junior Greg Targosz led the Porters with a third-place finish Saturday behind Pilja, who finished the 3-mile course in 15 minutes 19.1

seconds, and runner-up Jon Berning of Marist. A third Porter, senior Jason Olszowka, was ninth.

Naperville Central finished second with 78 points to Lockport's 56. Lincoln-Way (92), Andrew (112) and Marist (121) also qualified for the state finals.

In the girls race, junior Katie Henning won her second straight sectional title, despite a stomach cramp, in 12:41.8, the second-fastest time ever on the 2.14-mile course. She beat Mother McAuley's Joelle Desco by 11 seconds and Lockport's Kara Lahey by 19.

Sandburg (65 points) won the team title, advancing to state with Mother McAuley (97), Lincoln-Way (98), Naperville North (106) and Naperville Central (141).

# State champ Mitchell leaves E. Aurora field in her wake

Geneva's Rebecca Mitchell is primed to defend her Class AA state cross-country title, and the St. Charles girls team appears ready to win its first.

Mitchell served notice as she outdistanced the field at Saturday's East Aurora sectional at Phillips Park.

"I feel ready for the state meet," she said. "I'm excited [and] I definitely feel good."

Running under cool and breezy conditions, Mitchell completed the 2.5-mile course in 12 minutes 46 seconds. St. Charles' Tera Moody was a distant second in 13:03, followed by Benet Academy's Lissa Vogley in 13:14 and Downers Grove North's Elizabeth Tumpach in 13:27.

Mitchell led almost the entire way, steadily increasing her margin over Moody.

But the Geneva runner said she never took anything for granted.

"You never think you have it in hand," she said. "Anything can happen. You just try to get out there and do the best you can, and I think I did."

St. Charles, which had five runners in the top 21, won the team championship with 65 points. Nineteen seconds separated the Saints' No. 2 runner, Carrie DePiazza, from Kelly Tetzlaff, the No. 5 competitor. St. Charles finished second to Palatine in last year's Class AA final.

Other team qualifiers included second-place Downers Grove North (90), Wheaton North (107), York (118) and Glenbard West (35).

Joining Mitchell and Vogley as individual state qualifiers were

Oak Park's Sarah Teren (eighth), Willowbrook's Jenni Gobel (10th), Oak Park's Colleen Bolin (11th), Lyons' Erica Hohnicki (13th) and Oswego's Cassie Simpson (15th).

In the boys race, York's Donald Sage captured his second individual championship in consecutive weeks as he easily topped the 157-runner field. Sage ran the 3-mile course in 15:00, finishing 14 seconds ahead of Arturo Cabral of Fenton and 19 seconds better than Juan Ortega of Morton. The easy victory came in spite of a slow start.

"I was trying to get out more conservatively, but then I got boxed in and it forced me to go out real slow," said Sage, who also won last week's Lyons Township regional.

Once Sage worked himself free he moved up on Ortega, passed him at the 1¼-mile mark and never trailed again.

York won the team title thanks in part to strong finishes from Pete Cioni (eighth) and Jim Malaney (ninth). Second-place Hinsdale Central also advanced to state, along with Fenton, Downers Grove North and Morton.

Geneva's Justin Mitchell will join his sister, Rebecca, at state next weekend. He qualified as an individual along with Niles North's Robert Breit, Glenbard East's Joe Ziebert, Wheaton North's Chris Mueller, Wheaton-Warrenville South's Nate Phillips, Lake Park's Kevin Dixon and West Aurora's Colin Wolfe.

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**Schaumburg:** In the boys 3-mile race at Busse Woods, Wheeling's

Jorge Torres, the defending Class AA champ, won in 14:51. His twin brother, Ed, was third in 15:18, but Schaumburg upset Wheeling for the title 64-71.

Gus Mokakos' performance for Schaumburg made the difference, said coach Jim Macnider. Mokakos, a first-year cross-country runner who finished as Schaumburg's fifth man, placed 33rd overall.

"My goal was to beat Wheeling's No. 5 runner," Mokakos said.

Wheeling's fifth runner, Erik Schroll, fell back late in the race and finished 44th.

Graig Kocher was Schaumburg's top finisher at fourth place. Last year the Saxons placed sixth at state, and Wheeling was eighth.

"You never know what's going to happen at this meet," Wheeling coach Mark Saylor said. "Our goal, as always, is to win a trophy at state. This gives us an alert as to what we have to do for next week."

Deerfield's Adam Wallace was second in 15:08. In addition to Schaumburg and Wheeling, Evanston, Palatine and Hoffman Estates advanced to the state finals.

In the girls 2-mile race, defending state champion Palatine, led by Cherisse Lancaster's ninth-place finish, beat upstart Lake Zurich 70-107. Libertyville's Jennifer Arnold won in 11:43, defeating Lake Forest's Victoria Jackson by 6 seconds and Lake Zurich's Lisa Martin by 8. Schaumburg, Hersey and Lake Forest completed the list of team qualifiers.

*Mike Jaros contributed to report.*



## Girls cross country

### IHSAA Class AA sectional

#### East Aurora sectional

##### At Phillips Park

Distance: 2.8 miles

Final team standings: 1, St. Charles 65.  
2, Downers Grove North 90. 3, Wheaton North 107. 4, York 118. 5, Glenbard West 135. 6, Willowbrook 193. 7, Wheaton-Warrenville South 228. 8, Oak Park 239. 9, Hinsdale Central 254. 10, Benet Academy 264. 11, Oswego 283. 12, Waubesa Valley 328. 13, Downers Grove South 332. 14, Lyons Township 337. 15, Maine South 374. 16, Resurrection 449. 17, St. Ignace 459. 18, Niles West 461. 19, Morton 539. 20, Mother Guerin 622.

##### State qualifiers

1, Rebecca Mitchell, Geneva, 12:46. 2, Tara Moody, St. Charles, 13:03. 3, Lisa Vogley, Benet Academy, 13:14. 4, Elizabeth Tumpach, Downers Grove North, 13:27. 5, Kyna Forkins, Glenbard West, 13:30. 6, Rachel Endress, Wheaton North, 13:31. 7, Jessica Brannigan, Downers Grove North, 13:32. 8, Sarah Teren, Oak Park, 13:34. 9, Celi Williams, York, 13:35. 10, Jenni Geibel, Willowbrook, 13:37.

##### Other state qualifiers

11, Colleen Bolin, Oak Park, 13:36. 13, Erica Hoinicki, Lyons Township, 13:48. 15, Cassie Simpson, Oswego, 13:52.

##### Lincoln-Way sectional

##### At Lincoln-Way (Central Campus)

Distance: 2.14 miles

Final team standings: 1, Sandburg 85. 2, Mother McAuley 97. 3, Lincoln-Way 98. 4, Naperville North 106. 5, Naperville Central 141. 6, Lockport 150. 7, Joliet 180. 8, Lemont 209. 9, Andrew 252. 10, Plainfield 328. 11, Homewood-Flossmoor 348. 12, Stagg 364. 13, Thornwood 370. 14, Marian Catholic 424. 15, T.F. South 437. 16, Thornton 448. 17, Queen of Peace 455. 18, Oak Lawn 471. 19, Providence 501. 20, Reavis 528. Bremen, Crest-Monroe, Hillcrest, Maria, Minooka, Nauqua Valley, Oak Forest, Rich Central, Rich East, Richards, Romeoville, Shepherd, T.F. North and Tinley Park also competed.

##### State qualifiers

1, Katie Henning, Lincoln-Way, 12:41. 2, Joelle Dasso, McAuley, 12:52. 3, Kara Lahey, Lockport, 13:00. 4, Amanda Bozue, Joliet, 13:15. 5, Joy Brazas, Naperville North, 13:16. 6, Devone Smith, Joliet, 13:17. 7, Sue Anderson, Sandburg, 13:18. 8, Lauren Arquilla, Sandburg, 13:20. 9, Nikole Hoster, Lemont, 13:21. 10, Marcy Bice, Naperville Central, 13:21.5.

##### Other state qualifiers

12, Lana Ciacio, Lockport, 13:23. 16, Angie Simone, Stagg, 13:29. 18, Michelle Rhoden, Joliet, 13:32.

##### Schaumburg sectional

##### At Busse Woods Forest Preserve

Distance: 2 miles

Final team standings: 1, Palatine 70. 2, Lake Zurich 107. 3, Schaumburg 143. 4, Hersey 158. 5, Lake Forest 174. 6, Prospect 203. 7, Conant 218. 8, Elk Grove 225. 9, Stevenson 252. 10, Libertyville 254. 11, Buffalo Grove 277. 12, Logan 283. 13, Barrington 289. 14, Woodstock 318. 15, New Trier 332. 16, Prairie Ridge 363. 17, Dundee-Crown 377. 18, Antioch 504. 19, Crystal Lake Central 522. 20, Grayslake 548.

##### State qualifiers

1, Jenny Arnold, Libertyville, 11:43. 2, Victoria Jackson, Lake Forest, 11:49. 3, Lisa Martin, Lake Zurich, 11:51. 4, Katie Hartmann, Woodstock, 11:55. 5, Sarah Spalding, Hersey, 12:02. 6, Kristyne McCann, Stevenson, 12:04. 7, Tabitha Volter, Lake Zurich, 12:10. 8, Laura Spencer, Wheeling, 12:10. 9, Iie, Emeline Johnston, Barrington, and Cherisse Lancaster, Palatine, 12:11.

##### Other state qualifiers

11, Tracy Denaro, Stevenson, 12:15. 13, Erin Bice, Elk Grove, 12:21.

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## Boys cross country

### IHSAA Class AA sectional

#### East Aurora sectional

##### At Phillips Park

Distance: 3 miles

Final team standings: 1, York 85. 2, Hinsdale Central 112. 3, Fenton 142. 4, Downers Grove North 164. 5, Morton 204. 6, St. Charles 207. 7, Glenbard South 244. 8, Lake Park 245. 9, Benet Academy 249. 10, Lyons Township 261. 11, Wheaton North 269. 12, Oak Park 278. 13, West Chicago 297. 14, Waubesa Valley 314. 15, St. Patrick 318. 16, West Aurora 347. 17, St. Ignace 378. 18, Maine East 378. 19, Elmwood Park 453. 20, Batavia 525.

##### State qualifiers

1, Donald Sage, York, 15:00. 2, Arturo Cabral, Fenton, 15:14. 3, Juan Ortega, Morton, 15:19. 4, Robert Breit, Niles North, 15:21. 5, Chris Siemers, Fenton, 15:22. 6, Justin Mitchell, Geneva, 15:28. 7, Joe Ziebert, Glenbard East, 15:30. 8, Mike Sarnan, Hinsdale Central, 15:32. 9, Chris Mueller, Wheaton North, 15:36. 10, Nate Phillips, Wheaton-Warrenville South, 15:40.

##### Other state qualifiers

11, Kevin Dixon, Lake Park, 15:42. 14, Matt Sinnott, West Aurora, 15:44.

##### Lincoln-Way sectional

##### At Lincoln-Way (Central Campus)

Distance: 3 miles

Final team standings: 1, Lockport 56. 2, Naperville Central 75. 3, Lincoln-Way 92. 4, Andrew 112. 5, Morris 121. 6, Sandburg 142. 7, Naperville North 159. 8, Joliet 222. 9, St. Laurence 291. 10, Plainfield 292. 11, Brother Rice 293. 12, Homewood-Flossmoor 344. 13, Stagg 383. 14, Thornwood 402. 15, Rich East 406. 16, Mt. Carmel 427. 17, Oak Forest 493. 18, Thornton 518. 19, T.F. South 548. 20, Providence 598. Bloom, Bolingbrook, Hillcrest, Lemont, Minooka, Nauqua Valley, Oak Lawn, Reavis, Rich South, Richards, Romeoville, Thornridge, T.F. North and Tinley Park also competed.

##### State qualifiers

1, Mark Pila, Naperville North, 15:19. 2, Jonathan Berning, Marist, 15:31. 3, Greg Targosz, Lockport, 15:39. 4, Andy Jansen, Naperville Central, 15:38. 5, Jason Van Swoi, Lincoln-Way, 15:38. 6, Jeremy Borling, Sandburg, 15:39. 7, Ryan Teising, Naperville Central, 15:40. 8, Nick Setta, Lockport, 15:45. 9, Jason Olaszewski, Lockport, 15:48. 10, Russ Riberto, Marist, 15:49.

##### Other state qualifiers

12, Tim Newman, St. Laurence, 15:57. 15, Eric Ott, Naperville North, 16:02. 17, Bob Patchak, Sandburg, 16:08. 18, Joseph Merren, Mt. Carmel, 16:10. 24, Josh Higgins, Joliet, 16:21.

##### Schaumburg sectional

##### At Busse Woods Forest Preserve

Distance: 3 miles

Final team standings: 1, Schaumburg 64. 2, Wheeling 71. 3, Evanston 156. 4, Palatine 166. 5, Hoffman Estates 168. 6, Loyola 169. 7, New Trier 180. 8, Libertyville 183. 9, Elgin 191. 10, Glenbrook North 200. 11, Crystal Lake Central 229. 12, Fremd 341. 13, Crystal Lake South 345. 14, Stevenson 373. 15, Lake Forest 438. 16, Waukegan 466. 17, Carmel 472. 18, Woodstock 478. 19, McHenry 548. 20, Dundee-Crown 548.

##### State qualifiers

1, Jorge Torres, Wheeling, 14:51. 2, Adam Wallace, Deerfield, 15:08. 3, Ed Torres, Wheeling, 15:18. 4, Greg Kochar, Schaumburg, 15:27. 5, Cory Moffat, C.L. Central, 15:29. 6, Brad Bennett, Hoffman Estates, 15:31. 7, Patrick Williams, Evanston, 15:35. 8, Will Lazicki, Schaumburg, 15:38. 9, John Kronfort, Wheeling, 15:40. 10, John Kopecky, Schaumburg, 15:41.

##### Other state qualifiers

11, Dave Lowitzki, C.L. Central, 15:39. 12, Mike Cropper, Conant, 15:40. 13, P.J. Leffelman, Libertyville, 15:40. 14, Pat McCormack, Conant, 15:41. 15, Danny Neco, Elgin, 15:43.