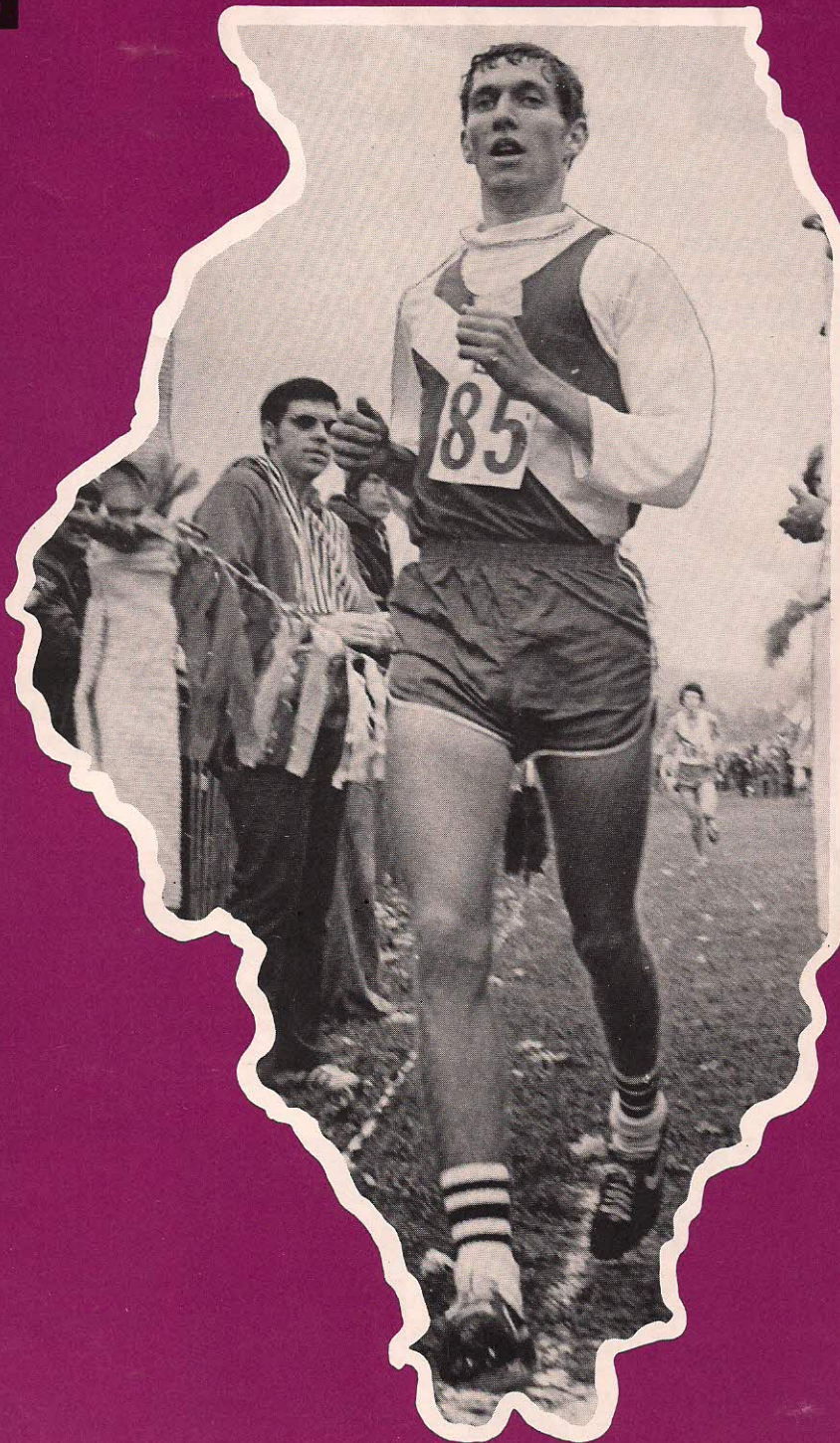




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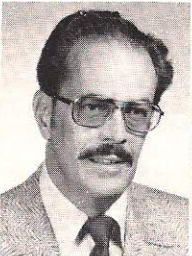
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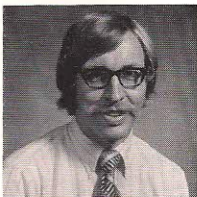


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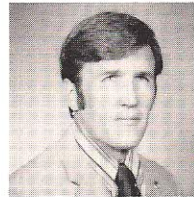


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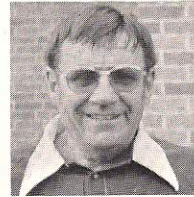
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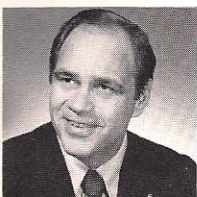
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# How to Watch and Score the State Final Meet

By Stan Hieronymus — Sports Writer — Peoria Journal Star

Cross country is not, by definition, a spectator sport. A typical high school course may be outlined by a baseball backstop, the school parking lot, the football field . . . and a playground swing set. There are picturesque courses, though the hills and woods, with narrow paths and tight turns. They often demand more of runners — and spectators who must sprint from one hilltop to the next to get an occasional glimpse of the runners.

The State Final Meet course here at Detweiller Park is neither an afterthought nor a hidden trail. It's necessary that it be open — most of the scenery, like the tree-covered hills to the west, is outside the course—because over 200 runners must sort out themselves in the beginning of the Class AA race and, for instance, 42 runners finished within 12 seconds of each other when things were busiest in 1974.

An open course is a spectators' course. It is possible (with the help of binoculars) to see most of the race from any of several places. It's best to choose one spot and stay there since past meets have drawn more than 6,000 spectators and the shift to a two-class system this year may mean even more people will be on hand today. It's spectators who usually get in the way of other spectators, and sometimes the runners. The basic rule for spectators is stay on the road and off the course. Prime viewing areas include:

**A Along the west side of the course,** from the point where the runners turn south the first time to the finish line. From here it's possible to see the start, the runners as they go past the half-mile and two-mile marks and the finish. The runners will pass the mile mark directly across the way.

**B From the back of the starting line,** and outside the path the runners will take. The perspective on the start is different from here. The runners circle the south end of the course two times and are coming at the spectator here for the finish, although it may be impossible to see them until they reach the finish chute.

**C From the triangle, north of the trees.** The runners get here through an opening in the trees, but spectators must stay on the road. Often the race for both individuals and teams is determined here. Elmhurst York's runners traditionally "check out" — try to pass five runners each — in here. While in the triangle, Lincoln-Way's Dave Walters broke contact with the field in the 1973 race and went on to a relatively easy victory. It is difficult to get to and from the triangle after watching the start and still see the finish, but there are fewer spectators in this area and the spectator will have a better look at, and a better feeling for, the runners in what is one of the psychologically toughest parts of the race.

There will be people on the infield once the runners have gone the first 440 yards. Don't be tempted to join them. The area is restricted to those with special badges. "The meet is for the runners," says Peoria Central Cross Country Coach Bob LaCroix. "We don't want to impede them in any way." In past years, spectators have been permitted onto the course when the race ended, but this morning Class AA runners will be preparing for their race as soon as the Class A competition is over, so spectators will have to be kept off the course then too.

For the first finishers, the three-mile race lasts a little over 14 minutes. The team winner may be determined by runners who take another minute to finish. There is an awful lot to keep track of in a relatively short amount of time.

**TEAM SCORING** — This is not a relay race. The team with the lowest total time for five runners does not necessarily win. The team score is the sum of the first five places earned by team members in competition with other team runners. A simple example: a team that finishes 1-2-3-4-100 will score 110 and lose to a team that places 18-19-20-21-22 for a total of 100. The team champion is the one with the lowest score. To keep track of the team races first disregard all runners wearing numbers in the 300s. These are individuals who advanced, even though their teams didn't, from sectional competition. A team runner who finished 58th will count just 33 toward the team

## About the Author

Even though he was a political science major at the University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign campus, Stan Hieronymus has never lost votes during his career as one of the top high school sportswriters in the state.

Stan is as much at home in the Press Box in the Assembly Hall covering IHSA events there as he is up and down the hills of Detweiller Park, Peoria. A graduate of Urbana (Univ.) High School, Stan began his career in journalism as a sportswriter for the News-Gazette in Champaign. After much success, he was promoted to City Editor of the News-Gazette. In October, 1973, he returned to sportswriting as a member of the award-winning Peoria Journal Star staff.



## Formula for Victory

The winning formula the five years the State Cross Country Meet has been run at 3 miles at Detweiller Park has been basically the same. Times are not available for all runners in 1971. Champion York's first two runners finished in 14:43 and 14:46 and the third, fourth and fifth runners were 23rd, 33rd and 35th overall, probably in around 15 minutes.

Team, year	Pts.	1st man	2nd man	3rd man	4th man	5th man
York, 1972	84	14:42	14:50	14:51	14:56	15:00
*York, 1973	64	14:36	14:40	14:43	14:55	14:58
River-Brook.	159	14:15	14:19	14:48	15:10	15:32
Bloom, 1974	91	14:35	14:42	14:55	14:56	15:00
York	96	14:20	14:28	14:50	15:00	15:04
Fremd	106	14:40	14:48	14:49	14:57	15:11
**Bloom, 1975	128	14:36	14:43	14:46	15:11	15:26
York	132	14:10	14:49	15:02	15:13	15:13

\* course was short

\*\* course was wet, sloppy

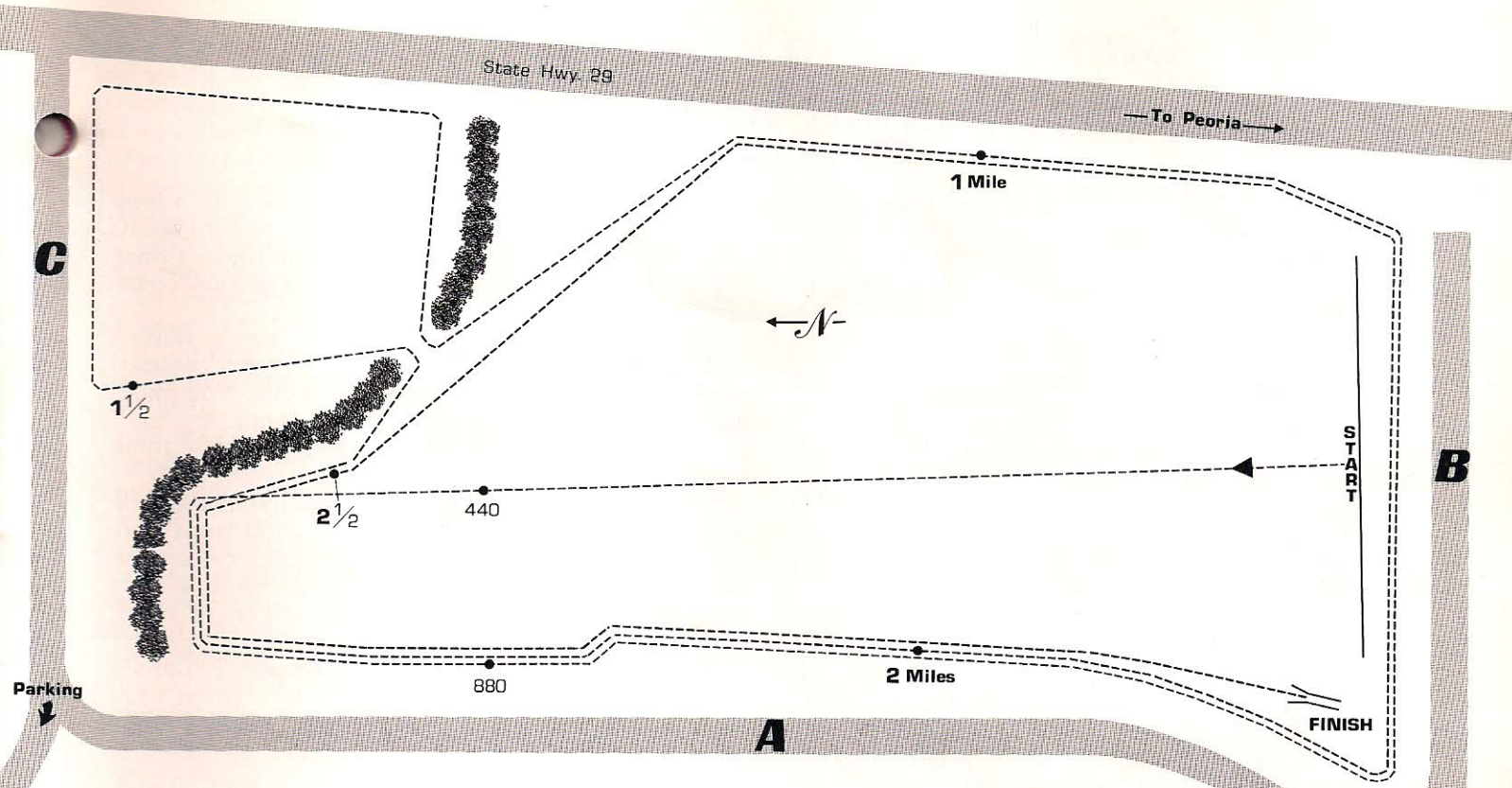
total if 25 unattached runners place ahead of him. How much lower a runner's team place is than his actual finish depends on the quality of the unattached field (in 1973, 12 of the first 16 and 23 of the first 38 runners to finish weren't involved in the team race). A very rough rule of thumb by which to figure a runner's team score: take 60 per cent of his actual place if he's in the top 100, two-thirds in the top 150 and subtract 50 from the place of a runner who finishes higher than 150th.

Don't worry about the team score until the race is half completed. A team that sprints the first 440 yards downhill to the first turn may find its runners considerably less quick the third time they turn south. There are subtle dips, if not hills, in the course, which is 30 feet lower at the north end than at the south. The only important things at the 880-yard mark are that individual first-place hopefuls maintain contact with the lead and that teams are together and moving up. Every year some individuals, and even whole teams, that might have done well are left behind when they get caught at the first turn and literally have to stop and walk.

**PACKING** — Is a cross country team like a golf team, where each individual goes out to do his best and the results are an individually achieved totals? Not at all. Thornton's Wildcats running in a "pack" conjures up dangerous visions, but it is merely sound application of the theory used, in part at least, by every successful cross country team in the state. This is a race of the mind as well as of the body. It's nice to have an ally in the second mile, when the excitement of the start has worn off and thoughts of pushing hard the final mile can be oppressive. Team success becomes a more real goal when a runner can see his teammates passing runners, or they may even go past one simultaneously. It's not unusual to hear one teammate yelling, "Let's go get the next one" to another. Pack-racing is not perfect for every team, and don't expect the packs to stay together all the way into the chute. The runners may split up and go on their own for a mile and a half or two miles into the race after using the pack to get themselves out at a sensible pace. A team with six or seven good enough runners will have reinforcements near the front on a day when one of the top five isn't running well. The pack helps runners with less ability get the most out of themselves, but sometimes means a more talented runner must hang back. A team with athletes of disparate abilities may do better if those runners go it alone, or in "packs" of two or three.

**THE WINNERS** — Chicago Heights Bloom won the state championship last year when Larry Griffin, a senior out for cross country for the first time, knocked nearly a minute off his previous heat three-mile time to finish 104th overall and count 66 points toward his team's total of 128. York was second with 132 points. Griffin's accomplishment was so astonishing there were charges — charges which were proved untrue — that he had not run the entire course. "He was dead with a mile to go," said Bloom coach Don Slota. "It was just guts and desire. He wanted to be a state champion and now he is." How is a spectator to know to watch for such runners — to tell which runners who go out fast for one mile will still be near the front at three? It can't be done. The last two years, the race for the individual title has been decided by a sprint in the last quarter-mile. But what happens in the last 440 yards is determined in large measure by the 4,840 yards that go before that. And before that, the pre-race preparation. And the regular season before that. And the miles run over the summer before that. And . . . the teams and the individuals to watch are listed elsewhere. Just think in terms of uniforms, five of them. Keeping track of those runners will more than occupy the time.





**Detweiller Park - Peoria**  
**Layout of Course for State Cross Country Meet**  
 Courtesy Gary Goss (Elmhurst York)

<b>Time Schedule</b>	
10:00 a.m.	— Class A Race (Detweiller Park)
11:30 a.m.	— Class AA Race (Detweiller Park)
Noon	— Class A Awards Ceremony (Peoria High Gym)
1:30 p.m.	— Class AA Awards Ceremony (Peoria High Gym)

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# Can Lebanon's Greyhounds Be Caught in Class A?

By STAN HIERONYMUS — Sports Writer - Peoria Journal Star

Cross country at Lebanon High School has changed since Craig Virgin graduated. It's become better. The Greyhounds finished 19th and 14th in the 1971 and 1972 state meets when Virgin was running to back-to-back titles. Last year they were fifth in the last one-class state meet. Five runners return from that team, so it's little surprise Lebanon is the favorite today to win the first Class A state title.

"That was a different type team," said Hank Feldt, the coach at Lebanon when Virgin ran. "We always felt like we were in great shape if the kids were within 100 yards of Craig after the first mile." In 1972, when Virgin set the Detweiller Park three-mile record of 13:50.6, Lebanon's second runner finished one minute and 40 seconds behind Virgin.

"They don't seem to have the star this year," said Virgin, but the Greyhounds make up for that with balance. Greg Hogg was the eighth underclassman to finish in last year's state meet, running 25th in 14:46. Harvey Thomas was 49th, Terry Grunden 99th, Jeff Lee 114th and Vic Burns 115th. Saturday Lebanon scored 40 points in its own sectional even though Thomas, who had the flu, did not finish the race.

Lebanon is a town of 3,600 10 miles east of St. Louis. The high school draws from the town, the surrounding rural area and Scott Air Force Base. McKendree College is located in Lebanon.

"We were one of the few towns around to have a substantial black population," Virgin said, "but there wasn't any racism. It was more on a person-to-person basis."

Three of Lebanon's top five runners are black. "It was a shock to some people," Virgin said. "They didn't think blacks could run distance. The kids down there didn't realize it until there were some articles in the paper . . . I hope it will help some people outside of Lebanon."

Virgin, captain of Coach Gary Wieneke's University of Illinois harrier and track teams this year, popularized cross country both in Lebanon and throughout Illinois. Last week he became the first runner ever in the history of the Big Ten to win four straight conference titles, and next week he will defend his NCAA title. He also was a member of the 1976 U.S. Olympics team.

This past summer, he occasionally was able to work out with this year's team. "They trained harder than ever this summer," Virgin said. "As hard as we used to work in the fall . . . I expected them to really come out strong."

But, in some ways, Lebanon hasn't been as impressive as last season. The Greyhounds scored 19 points in a one-class district last year and 22 in the sectional. "They haven't been concentrating," Lebanon coach Ira Price said. "I know that."

"I kept thinking they were just kinda waiting around for it to start," Price said. "I told them if that was their attitude, it might backfire. You might reach down for it and it might not be there."

"They're getting themselves ready now. I think they will be psyched."

Mark Capelle of Highland (St. Paul) won the individual title at Lebanon, while Burns and Hogg were second and third. Capelle, a junior who was second to Reo Rorem of Gilman in the state Class A mile last spring, was 146th in last year's state meet.

In other Class A sectionals Saturday:

**AT ROANOKE-BENSON.** — Minonk - Dana - Rutland's runners were greeted by "sirens, fire engines and everything" when they returned home with a sectional trophy last Saturday. "It's the first time we've advanced as a team to the state in anything," M-D-R Coach Van Peters said. "The thing I like is they got some recognition, which cross country runners usually don't."

Minonk scored 86 points in the sectional to 91 by Farmington (East). Prophetstown, St. Anne and Elmwood also qualified teams. Farmington, Elmwood and Prophetstown were ranked among the state's top Class A teams during the season and St. Anne won a one-class district last year.

"We expected to do well," Peters said, "but not that well." Quite obviously a consolidated school, M-D-R has 300 students and is located 30 miles north of Bloomington. It is one of four schools in Woodford County with a cross country team. Metamora, another of the four, advanced to the Class AA finals.

"We finally had a year where we had five kids who can run," Peters said. "We're starting to get it going." He gives much of the credit to seniors John Riely and Noel Bell. Riely, who was second to St. Anne's Tim Rattin in the sectional, is a year-around runner.

He took a lot of the younger kids with him in the summer," Peters said. "He's president of the student council and the kids look up to him . . . It's hard to recruit kids for cross country, to find those who will discipline themselves."

Junior Brian Elam of Farmington was third individually at Roanoke. Elam was a member of Farming-



MARK CAPELLE  
Highland (St. Paul)



TOM CLENNON  
Minooka



TIM RATTIN  
St. Anne



JOHN REILEY  
Minonk-Dana-Rutland



ton's Class A state champion two-mile relay team last spring, but before this year had devoted his falls to football. "In track, we did about half the work we are doing here," Elam said.

Farmington is located 20 miles west of Peoria and 10 miles south of Elmwood. Last year, Farmington's John Isbell was first in the Peoria Sectional meet and Elmwood's Brad Fryer second. Fryer was 18th in the state meet and Isbell 38th.

The rivalry between two runners has extended to the teams. "It's made this team," Farmington Coach Rich Putnam said. "For sure," Elam agreed. "We feel we're pretty even. We knew they'd be our main competition."

**AT MAPLE PARK (KANELAND)** — In what was generally regarded as the state's toughest Class A sectional, Winnebago emerged as team champion at Kaneland, scoring 97 points to finish 29 ahead of Aurora (Marmion).

Host Kaneland and Minooka, both ranked among the state's best Class A teams all season, failed to advance. Kaneland missed by one point, Minooka by four. Minooka's Tom Clennon won individually, finishing five seconds ahead of Terry Donahue of Lombard (Montini).

"Our goal was just to get to Detweiller Park," Winnebago coach Rog Schmidt said after the sectional victory. "We're just happy we made it as a team. We saw so many teams for the first time today and haven't seen the others, so who knows about the state meet?"

"If Lebanon is as strong as they say . . . say but after that we've maybe got as good a chance as any other team."

Winnebago, located just west of Rockford, has 530 students and is expected to have one of the state's best Class A basketball teams this winter. The Indians reached the "Sweet 16" last year and return 6-foot-4 twins Greg and Lee Boeke.

This is the first time we've really ever had seniors on the team," said Schmidt. Winnebago has had cross country six years. "We've just never had the kids who stuck with it.

"This year our seniors (Doug Drogemuller and Greg Barker) have given us tremendous leadership. Barker drives around on Sunday, picking up kids and making sure they are running. He gets them running every morning."

**AT FLORA** — Fairfield, which hasn't lost to a Class A team this season, scored 53 points to win the Flora Sectional. Blud Mound — which also hadn't lost to a Class A team before Saturday — was second, nine points ahead of Effingham (St. Anthony).

"We just hope we can run as a pack," Fairfield Coach Tom Wickham said, talking about the prospect of challenging Lebanon. "If we just run in front of them, we'll get 'em." Fairfield, 30 miles east of Mount Vernon, placed five runners in the top 24 Saturday as freshman John Simpson led the Mules with a fifth place finish.

"Cross country is kind of a new sport around here," said Wickham, who was a hammer thrower at Eastern Illinois University. "To be really honest, we haven't been to good before . . . I just kind of took over.

"I'd hate to say we're great," Wickham said, pausing, "but we're pretty good."

Blue Mound, which is 10 miles southwest of Decatur, also expects to have a fine basketball team this winter. The top seven players return from last year's 18-8 squad. Almost all the cross country team members also play basketball.

"It's been a bit of a problem for us," said Dick McDonald, who coaches both basketball and cross country workouts in the afternoon and then practiced basketball.

Blue Mound qualified for the 1972 state meet and has a strong small-school track program. "We originated cross country here in 1969," said McDonald, who has 30 runners (from an enrollment of 210) on his team. "We developed it as a lead-in for track and conditioning for basketball. All of a sudden it became a very competitive, challenging sport . . . It developed into a major sport.

And when today's first Class A state meet is over, it will be a major sport for still more.

### BOYS DISTRICT CLASS A CROSS COUNTRY RECAP

Site	Team Champion	Coach	Points	Individual Champion (School)	Class	Time/Distance
Aurora (Marmion Military)	Minooka	Rich Bowman	49	Thomas Clennon, Minooka	Jr.	15:04/3 Mi.
Carlinville	Greenfield	Dick Tucker	40	Dick Tucker, Greenfield	So.	16:11/3 Mi.
DuQuoin	Fairfield	Tom Wickham	38	Steve Jennings, Metropolis	Sr.	14:40/2.9 Mi
Granville (Putnam County)	Minonk (M.-Dana-Rutland)	Van Peters	46	John Riely, Minonk (M.-Dana-Rutland)	Sr.	14:28/2.8 Mi
Mahomet (M.-Seymour)	Mahomet (M.-Seymour)	John King	42	Don Weber, Robinson	Jr.	16:19/3 Mi.
Niantic (N.-Harristown)	Blue Mound	Dick McDonald	25	Mike Jackson, Blue Mound	So.	16:16/3 Mi.
Palos Heights (Chicago Christian)	Beecher	Steve Curring	62	Tom Stluka, Beecher	Jr.	15:15/3 Mi.
Rushville	Camp Point (Central)	Mike Blickham	96	Mike Obert, Liberty	Jr.	15:45/3 Mi.
St. Anne	St. Anne	Mike Rebello	44	Tim Rattin, St. Anne	Sr.	15:17/3 Mi.
Taylor Ridge (Rockridge)	Elmwood	Thomas Meyers	57	Brian Elam, Farmington (Farmington East)	Jr.	14:47/2.85
Trenton (Wesclin)	Lebanon	Ira Price	32	Mark Capelle, St. Paul (Highland)	Jr.	15:37/2.9 Mi
Woodstock (Marian Cent. Catholic)	Winnebago	Roger Schmidt	35	Douglas Drogemuller, Winnebago	Sr.	15:33/3 Mi.

### 1976 BOYS CLASS A SECTIONAL CROSS COUNTRY RECAP

Site	Team Champion	Coach	Points	Individual Champion/School	Class	Time/Distance
Flora	Fairfield	Tom Wickham	53	Don Weber, Robinson	Jr.	15:31/3 Mi.
Lebanon	Lebanon	Ira Price	40	Mark Capelle, Highland (St. Paul)	Jr.	15:29/3 Mi.
Maple Park (Kaneland)	Winnebago	Roger Schmidt	97	Tom Clennon, Minooka	Jr.	15:23/3 Mi.
Roanoke (R.-Benson)	Minonk (M.-Dana-Rutland)	Van Peters	81	Tim Rattin, St. Anne	Sr.	14:51/3 Mi.



# Hicks-Graves Duo May Be Class of Class AA

## About the Author

A former harrier for the Wildcats of Harvey (Thornton) — back in the days when the "long" course covered only two miles — Dennis Mahoney is a seven-year veteran of covering Illinois high school athletics in the south suburban area.

Currently sports editor of the Tinley Park paper in the Star/Tribune Newspapers syndicate, Dennis began his writing career immediately upon graduation from high school in June of 1969. He was assistant sports editor in the Star/Tribune Harvey newspaper until he joined the Tinley Park staff in 1972. He was promoted to sports editor in March of 1976.

Shortly after his promotion, the Tinley Park paper's sports section was judged best in the state (Class B) by the Illinois Press Association.



By **DENNIS MAHONEY**  
Sports Editor  
Tinley Park Star-Tribune

Bob Hicks knew about Tom Graves before the two Orland Park (Carl Sandburg) runners ever laid eyes on each other.

"It was a practice before the season, and the coach (John Wilson) told me, 'There's this real good freshman transferring here who's already run a 4:35 mile,'" said Hicks, recalling his sophomore year. "I said, 'No way did this kid do that.' I didn't think he could be that good."

It didn't take long for Hicks and the rest of the state to find out just how good Graves, a transfer from Indianapolis, could be.

Graves and Hicks are at the top of the list of individual favorites for the Class AA individual state cross country title. They ran one-two Saturday in the Thornridge Sectional.

Graves and Hicks. They seem to go together like the Captain and Tenille, bacon and eggs, hard work and cross country. They could become the first teammates to run one-two at the state cross country finals since Ray Ott and Bob Lindrud did it for Moline in 1957. That feat has been accomplished only one other time, in 1953, when Evanston's Louis Kujawinski and John Hitt turned the trick.

The Sandburg pair have impressive credentials. Graves was third to Ron Craker of Elmhurst (York) and Dan Gilchrist of Rockford (East) in the state meet a year ago, and Hicks was 13th in the same race. Last spring, Graves — then a sophomore — upset Craker to capture the Class AA two-mile run and Hicks placed second in the mile.

It wasn't always easy for Hicks, now a senior, to cope with the fact that Graves was just as talented.

"At first, it bothered me to see that Tom was so good. It was a shock," Hicks said. "I really thought I'd be the top sophomore around — and I was. But here was a freshman beating me. I just finally had to accept the fact that Tom was so talented."

From that realization came a mutual bond, a love for running. In fact, even at big invitationals and in most dual meets the past two years, Hicks and Graves have tied for first rather than seek any individual glory.

"We've always run together, and not to hurt one another," said Graves. "It doesn't bother me to see anybody ahead of me in a race, as long as it's him."

"We've never really sat down at any time and said, 'Let's tie from now on,'" Hicks said. "It just kind of evolved that way."

Both have vivid memories of last year's cross country finals. For Hicks, it's hard to forget the disappointing 13th place effort.

"Two days after the sectional last year, I had a sore throat. I thought I was getting a cold. Then when I got to Peoria, my glands were swollen and I had a little bit of a fever," Hicks said. "It was disappointing to finish so low, because I'd already beaten anyone



**BOB HICKS**  
Orland Park (Sandburg)  
Above

**TOM GRAVES**  
Orland Park (Sandburg)  
At Left

who eventually finished ahead of me — except Craker, Gilchrist and Tom," Hicks said.

The eventual diagnosis was that Hicks had mononucleosis, which took him months to recover from. "All I know is I was sick. When everybody started to move at the mile mark and I couldn't move with them, I knew something was wrong," he said.

For Graves, the memories are more pleasant. "I really didn't think I could run with Craker and Gilchrist," he said, "I was just hoping to be in the top 15. But I felt good running with them, so I just tried to stay with them as long as I could."

Bremen Coach Bob Keller, a veteran cross country observer who must be tired of seeing the Hicks-Graves duo every week, is particularly impressed with Graves.

"I think Graves is a good as any state champion we've had, and I've seen the great ones. I think Graves is in a category with Craig Virgin," Keller said. "He runs so smoothly, so effortlessly, and that's what it's all about. He's never been pushed, either, and there are a lot of good runners in the south suburbs."

Does being the favorite bother Graves?  
"There's pressure in any race you run," he answered. "The pressure depends on how you let it affect you. If you've worked hard enough and run as well as you can, then whatever happens will happen."

"You've got to try to run your best every time out, it's as simple as that."

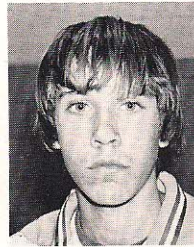
**AT DOLTON (THORNRIDGE)** — Tom Graves and Bob Hicks ran one-two as Carl Sandburg has a surprisingly easy time winning the Thornridge Sectional. Oswego was 40 points behind Sandburg with 128 points. "I feel you have to run well in this meet to do well in the state . . . You need the momentum," said Thornridge coach Skippy Stolley, whose team was fourth Saturday.



**RANDY ADLER**  
Alton (Sr.)



**JIM SPIVEY**  
Bensenville (Fenton)



**TOM WUCHE**  
DeKalb



**TERRY BAUER**  
Chicago Hts. (Bloom)



**FRANK REILLY**  
Champaign (Central)



Graves ran the 2.9-mile course in 14:16, breaking the course record by 16 seconds. Hicks was second in 14:20, two seconds ahead, of Dave Bensema of Oak Lawn (Richards) and seven seconds ahead of Terry Bauer of Chicago Hts.(Bloom). Bauer, who was 11th in last year's state meet, had his foot operated on during the summer. He was the only member of the Bloom team — which had won two straight state titles — to reach the finals as Bloom missed qualifying by one point.

**AT GLEN ELLYN (GLENBARD WEST)** — Wheaton (North) upset Elmhurst (York) by one point to win the team title, while Jim Spivey of Bensenville (Fenton) ran away from the field individually. York has finished first three times and second twice in the past five State Final Meets.

Spivey, on the other hand, ran cross country for the first time last year and finished 25th in his district. Spivey, a junior, is unbeaten this season.

"I think he's going to give Graves and Hicks all they can handle," said Stolley.

Among Spivey's victims this season is Richards' Bensema, who has run behind the Sandburg duo often in the past two seasons and a third-place finisher in the state Class AA two-mile last spring. Bensema finished five seconds behind Spivey in the Mattoon Invitational.

"Graves will force it more in the second mile," said Bensema. "He'll run 15 to 20 seconds faster this year on any course."

**AT CRYSTAL LAKE** — Deerfield and Palatine (Fremd), ranked one-two and two-one much of the season, finished one-two Saturday in the Crystal Lake Sectional, Deerfield coming out 13 points ahead. Junior twins Todd and Mark McCallister ran 6-12 Saturday, while junior Keith Hampton was ninth. Hampton has been bothered by a bad knee most of the season and Deerfield had other problems with sickness and injuries, struggling in the middle of the year after finishing third in last year's state meet and starting strong this year. "We're healthy now," said Coach Len Kisellus, "and ready to go."

Fremd, which changed coaches two weeks before district meet when Roy Hascup took over for Ron Menely, is led by John Filosa. Filosa finished 13th as a sophomore when Fremd — which was leading the race until the final 440 — was third.

"That team was mostly seniors," Filosa said recently. "They'd been together for four years. They just tried too hard that year . . . This year I think we can take a more relaxed attitude."

Tom Johnson of Palatine beat Dan Skarda of Mundelein for the individual title.

**AT PRINCETON** — Moline placed four runners in the first 24 to easily win the team title at Princeton, while DeKalb junior Tom Wuchte pulled away from Frank Reilly of Champaign (Central) in the closing yards to win individually.

Six teams advanced from Princeton as Peoria (H.S.) and East Moline (United) tied for fifth. DeKalb was second and Peoria (Woodruff) and Metamora shared third. Metamora, just across the Illinois River from Peoria, is the smallest school to reach the first Class AA finals.

Known first as a football school — the Redbirds are defending Class 3A champions and carried a 27-game winning streak into this year's playoffs — it has but 875 students, but Saturday showed more depth than any team at Princeton. Metamora's fifth runner beat all other fifths and its seventh beat all but two fifths.

Wuchte, who was eighth in last year's state meet, has lost just once this season — to Spivey. "I'm trying to reach the mental wall quicker," said Wuchte, who broke free of all but Reilly shortly after one mile Saturday. "I get through the point in the race where you want to give up a lot quicker."

Wuchte won't back away from the competition. "I think it (the race) could go in around 14 minutes," he said. "I'm not counting myself out."

**AT DECATUR** — Alton (Sr.) placed six runners in the top 18 to dominate the field and score 39 points at Decatur. Alton's Randy Adler beat Granite City (North) junior Mike Baker by one second for the individual title.

"Come November, we're going to be tough," Adler said in early October, when he was first and his team third in the Peoria (H.S.) Invitational at Detweiller Park.

Tough enough to win a state title?

"That's what it means," said Adler. "We've had one saying since we were sophomores: 'State in '76.'"



**BOB SAVAGE**  
Northfield (New Trier West)



**TOM JOHNSON**  
Palatine (H.S.)



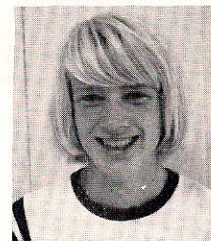
**DAVE BENSEMA**  
Oak Lawn (Richards)



**JOHN FILOSA**  
Palatine (Fremd)



**DOUG DIEKEMA**  
Wheaton (North)



**MIKE BAKER**  
Granite City (North)

### BOYS DISTRICT CLASS AA CROSS COUNTRY RECAP

Site	Team Champion	Coach	Points	Individual Champion (School)	Class	Time/Distance
Bloomington (H.S.)	Metamora	Gene Jones	52	Mark Chase, Danville (H.S.)	Jr.	14:18/2.9 Mi
Dixon	DeKalb	John Birkett	35	Tom Wuchte, DeKalb	Jr.	15:12/3 Mi.
Edwardsville	Alton (Sr.)	James O. Wigger	45	Bob Weilmuenster, Belleville (West)	Jr.	15:09/2.95
Hoffman Estates (Conant)	Palatine (H.S.)	Joe Johnson	47	John Filosa, Palatine (Fremd)	Sr.	14:53/3 Mi.
Kewanee (H.S.)	Moline	Gene Shipley	52	Bob Schaefer, Peoria (Woodruff)	Sr.	14:40/2.97
New Lenox (Lincoln-Way)	Orland Park (Sandburg)	John Wilson	41	Tom Graves, Orland Park (Sandburg)	Jr.	14:41/3 Mi.
Oak Park (O.P.—River Forest)	Chicago (Gordon Technical)	Doug Berger	36	John Olszewski, Chicago (Gordon Technical)	Sr.	15:03.8/3 Mi.
Olney (East Richland)	Centralia	Rod White	53	Bill Horn, Mattoon	Sr.	15:35/3 Mi.
Park Forest (Rich East)	Dolton (Thornridge)	Robert Stolley	50	Terry Bauer, Chicago Heights (Bloom)	Sr.	14:19/2.9 Mi
Park Ridge (Maine East)	Deerfield	Len Kisellus	48	Darryl Robinson, Arlington Heights (Forest View)	Sr.	13:30/2.8 Mi
Springfield (Southeast)	Springfield (Lanphier)	Lee Halberg	40	Rich Humphrey, Springfield (Southeast)	Jr.	15:35/3 Mi.
Summit (Argo)	Palos Hills (Stagg)	Dave Drom	67	Dave Bensema, Oak Lawn (Richards)	Sr.	15:20/3 Mi.
Villa Park (Willowbrook)	Elmhurst (York)	Joe Newton	44	Jim Spivey, Bensenville (Fenton)	Jr.	14:25/3 Mi.
Wheaton (North)	Wheaton (North)	Rolland Eckman	39	Doug Diekema, Wheaton (North)	Sr.	14:45/3 Mi.
Zion (Z.-Benton)	Mundelein	Art Campbell	53	Ray Cardinal, Wauconda	Sr.	13:58/2.85

### 1976 BOYS CLASS AA SECTIONAL CROSS COUNTRY RECAP

Site	Team Champion	Coach	Points	Individual Champion/School	Class	Time/Distance
Chicago	Chicago (Lane Tech)	Calvin Moses	29	Maurice Street, Chicago (Farragut)		15:14/3 Mi.
Crystal Lake	Deerfield	Len Kisellus	58	Tom Johnson, Palatine (H.S.)	Jr.	14:03.9/2.75
Decatur (Stephen Decatur)	Alton (Sr.)	James Wigger	39	Randy Adler, Alton (Sr.)	Sr.	14:57/3 Mi.
Glen Ellyn (Glenbard West)	Wheaton (North)	Rolland Eckman	86	Jim Spivey, Bensenville (Fenton)	Jr.	14:23.5/2.99
Dolton (Thornridge)	Orland Park (Sandburg)	John Wilson	88	Tom Graves, Orland Park (Sandburg)	Jr.	14:16/2.9 Mi
Princeton	Moline	Gene Shipley	84	Tom Wuchte, DeKalb	Jr.	14:43/2.9 Mi



# Presenting the 1976 Class A Entries

Note: Large, bold number beside team roster indicates team starting position.

## AURORA (MARMION MILITARY) — 2nd

Coach: Ray Dagenais

1. Joe Loran, Sr.
2. Tom Pack, Jr.
3. Andrew McKay, Jr.
4. Miguel d'Escoto, So.
5. Terry Fleming, Jr.
6. Greg White, So.
7. Bob Fitzsimmons, Jr.

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## BEECHER — 5th

Coach: Steve Curring

8. Tom Stluka, Jr.
9. Luigi Buffone, So.
10. Kevin O'Brady, Fr.
11. Henry Nykaza, Jr.
12. Mike Stluka, So.
13. Mike Mulcahy, So.
14. Kevin Mulcahy, Sr.

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## BLUE MOUND — 2nd

Coach: Dick McDonald

15. Mike Jackson, So.
16. Kelly Armstrong, Jr.
17. Bart Tucker, Sr.
18. Ed Bailey, Sr.
19. Doug Collier, So.
20. Gary Jackson, Sr.
21. Tom Dalluge, Jr.

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## CHATHAM (GLENWOOD) — 5th

Coach: Paul Kopatz

22. Jeff Jones, So.
23. Ronald Bowman, So.
24. Doug Stratton, Jr.
25. Mark Pappas, So.
26. Bobby Evans, Jr.
27. Frank Lewis, Sr.
28. Mark Mercado, Fr.

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## EFFINGHAM (ST. ANTHONY) — 3rd

Coach: Les Stevens

29. Greg Schutte, Jr.
30. Jeff Weit, Sr.
31. Dan Feldhake, So.
32. Mike Longsworth, Fr.
33. Gary Roeke, So.
34. Lee Schutte, Fr.
35. Jeff Schutte, So.

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## ELMHURST (TIMOTHY CHRISTIAN)—4th

Coach: Don Greenfield

36. John Munk, Sr.
37. Jim Hoekstra, So.
38. David Vandervele, Jr.
39. Tim Loerop, Fr.
40. Mark Nordman, So.
41. Bob Bollow, Jr.
42. Phil Woldman, Jr.

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## ELMWOOD — 5th

Coach: Tom Meyer

43. Daryl Dorch, Jr.
44. Mark Kisse, So.
45. Rod Andrews, Fr.
46. Brian McAlister, Sr.
47. Steve Shissler, So.
48. Dan Morland, Sr.
49. Dan Wolschlag, Jr.

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## FAIRFIELD — 1st

Coach: Tom Wickhan

50. John Simpson, Fr.
51. Jim Gifford, Sr.
52. Russel Scott, Sr.
53. Steve Bolding, Sr.
54. Tim Wiser, Jr.
55. Don Meeks, So.
56. Dwayne Parrent, Sr.

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## FARMINGTON (EAST) — 2nd

Coach: Rick Putnam

57. Brian Elam, Jr.
58. Howey Ludington, So.
59. Dave Johns, Sr.
60. Lloyd Wolford, Sr.
61. Timm Roberts, Sr.
62. Dave Ludington, So.
63. Scott Turbett, Sr.

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## GREENFIELD — 2nd

Coach: Richard H. Tucker

64. Rich Tucker, So.
65. Rich Young, So.
66. Randy Margeson, Jr.
67. Steve Pembroke, Jr.
68. Steve Decker, Jr.
69. Rick Dowland, Fr.
70. Harry Garnes, Fr.

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## LEBANON — 1st

Coach: Ira Price

71. Victor Burns, Jr.
72. Greg Hogg, Sr.
73. Jeff Lee, Jr.
74. Terry Grunden, So.
75. Chuck Rutherford, Jr.
76. Vic Dagner, Fr.
77. Harvey Thomas, Sr.

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## MARISSA — 4th

Coach: Art Frazier

78. Mike Root, Sr.
79. Stewart Milam, Jr.
80. Bill Davis, So.
81. Jeff Lloyd, Jr.
82. Bill Lloyd, Fr.
83. Gerald Walkington, So.
84. Jeff Launbattus, So.

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## METROPOLIS — 4th

Coach: Steve Woodworth

85. Steve Jennings, Sr.
86. Randy Johnston, Sr.
87. Gary Bremer, Fr.
88. Stan Oliver, Sr.
89. Frank Welsh, So.
90. Shawn Williams, Fr.
91. Todd Foster, So.

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## MINONK (M.-Dana-Rutland) — 1st

Coach: Van Peters

92. John Riley, Sr.
93. Mark Weers, So.
94. Noel Bell, Sr.
95. Brian Folkerts, Jr.
96. Mitch Hobbs, Sr.
97. Jim Riley, Fr.
98. Lowell Ioeberger, Fr.

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## PLANO — 3rd

Coach: Vaughn Rice

99. Steve Jent, Jr.
100. Scott Griter, So.
101. Bob McQuade, Sr.
102. James Huettd, Sr.
103. Mike Hubbard, Jr.
104. Kevin Albright, Sr.
105. Tim Crump, Jr.

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## PROPHETSTOWN — 3rd

Coach: Irv Sanderson

106. Randy Sharer, Sr.
107. Larry Karn, Sr.
108. Dan Eyrich, Sr.
109. Tom Shipp, So.
110. Don Shipp, Jr.
111. John Hill, Fr.
112. John Zade, Jr.

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## ROBINSON — 5th

Coach: Jim Fox

113. Don Weber, Jr.
114. Jeff Montgomery, Jr.
115. Mike Bachelor, Jr.
116. Bob Bulla, Jr.
117. Richard Andrus, So.

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## ST. ANNE — 4th

Coach: Mike Rebello

118. Tim Rattin, Sr.
119. Dave Statler, So.
120. Gale Donton, So.
121. Joe BeNoyer, Jr.
122. John Meltzer, Jr.
123. Todd Lafond, Jr.

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ST. JACOB (TRIAD) — 3rd

Coach: Tal Fisk

- 124. Jim Taylor, So.
- 125. Kevin Take, So.
- 126. Steve Touchette, Jr.
- 127. Tod May, So.
- 128. Gene Weis, Fr.
- 129. Bob Sobiech, Jr.

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WINNEBAGO — 1st

- Coach: Roger Schmidt
- 130. Doug Drogemuller, Sr.
- 131. Greg Barker, Sr.
- 132. Mike Eickman, So.
- 133. Brad Stouffer, So.
- 134. Rich McLaughlin, Jr.
- 135. Bruce Johnson, Fr.
- 136. Steve Larson, Jr.

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INDIVIDUAL ENTRIES

- 402. Brad Maue, Breese (Mater Dei), So.
- 403. Terry Snider, Chester, Sr.
- 404. Peter Lortie, Chicago (University of Chicago), Jr.
- 405. Bill Wasson, Glasford (Illini Bluffs), Jr.
- 406. Mark Capelle, Highland (St. Paul), Jr.
- 407. Terry Donahue, Lombard (Montini), Sr.
- 408. Tom Clennon, Minooka, Jr.
- 409. Kelly Egger, Monmouth (H.S.), Jr.
- 410. Scott Swengl, Neoga, Jr.
- 411. Joel McKinney, Niantic-Harristown, So.

- 412. Mike Burger, Noble (West Richland), Jr.
- 413. John Hoekstra, Palos Heights (Chicago Christian), Jr.
- 414. Jeff Lounsberry, Petersburg-Porta, Jr.
- 415. Dave James, Pleasant Plains, Sr.
- 416. Bill Hostetler, Roanoke-Benson, Sr.
- 417. Mike Kapp, Sterling (Newman Central Catholic), Sr.
- 418. Greg Grubb, Stillman Valley, So.
- 419. Rich Heaton, Taylor Ridge (Rockridge), Jr.
- 420. John Plummer, Toledo-Cumberland, Jr.
- 421. Roger Hundley, Warrensburg-Latham, Jr.





# Class A Meet Scorecard

## INDIVIDUAL RESULTS

FINISH NO.	NAME	School	TIME
1.	Doug Drogenmuller	- Winnebago	14:46.5
2.	Terry Donahue	- Montini	14:49
3.	Tom Clennon	- Minooka	14:54
4.	Mark Capelle	- St. Paul	14:56
5.	Don Weber	- Robinson	14:58
6.	Tim Rattin	- St. Anne	15:01
7.	John Riley	- Minonk-Deno-Rutland	15:04
8.	Victor Burns	- Lebanon	15:08
9.	Tom Tack	- Marmion Military	15:09
10.	Greg Baker	- Winnebago	15:11
11.	Dave James	- Pleasant Plains	15:12
12.	Brian Elam	- Farmington	15:12
13.	Rich Tucker	- Greenfield	15:13
14.	Greg Hogg	- Lebanon	15:14
15.	Kelly Egger	- Monmouth	15:21
16.	Peter Kortie	- U of Chicago M.S	15:22
17.	Mike Kopp	- Newman C.C.	15:23
18.	Bill Horseter	- Roanoke-Benson	15:25
19.	Scott Gritter	- Plano	15:25
20.	Rich Heaton	- Rockridge	15:28
21.	Steve Tent	- Plano	15:29
22.	Jeff Lee	- Lebanon	15:31
23.	Mike Jackson	- Blue Mound	15:32
24.	Greg Grubb	- Stillman Valley	15:34
25.	Dave Johns	- Farmington	15:35

## FINAL TEAM RESULTS

SCHOOL (Places)	PTS.	SCHOOL (Places)	PTS.
1. Lebanon	96	15. Timothy Christian	331
( 5 10 13 27 41 )		( 22 35 66 100 108 )	
2. Winnebago	139	16. St. Anthony	375
( 1 7 40 44 47 )		( 33 73 78 79 112 )	
3. Farmington	153	17. Robinson	377
( 8 15 18 32 80 )		( 2 52 90 109 124 )	
4. Plano	157	18. Prophetstown	378
( 11 12 29 51 54 )		( 36 49 93 94 106 )	
5. Marmion Military	212	19. Metropolis	384
( 6 16 39 55 96 )		( 21 45 76 120 122 )	
6. Fairfield	223	20. Triad	461
( 28 34 37 57 67 )		( 58 91 98 99 115 )	
7. Elmwood	231	21.	
( 20 23 61 62 65 )			
8. Minonk-Deno-Rutland	235	22.	
( 4 30 31 69 101 )			
9. St. Anne	236	23.	
( 3 24 60 63 86 )			
10. Glenwood	255	24.	
( 25 26 48 64 92 )			
11. Blue Mound	257	25.	
( 14 38 56 74 75 )			
12. Greenfield	275	26.	
( 9 42 70 71 83 )			
13. Marietta	277	27.	
( 19 50 59 72 77 )			
14. Beecher	278	28.	
( 17 43 53 68 77 )			



# Class AA Meet Scorecard

## INDIVIDUAL RESULTS

FINISH NO.	NAME	School	TIME
1.	Tom Graves	- Sandburg	14:08.5
2.	Jim Spivky	- Fenton	:16
3.	Randy Adler	- Alton	:17
4.	Dave Bensema	- Richards	:18
5.	Tom Wuchte	- Dekalb	:19
6.	Terry Bauer	- Bloom	:20
7.	Ray Cardinal	- Wewconda	:23
8.	John Oszewski	- Gordon Tech	:24
9.	Mike Matteson	- Aurora West	:27
10.	Steve Sent	- Maine South	:28
11.	Darryl Robinson	- Forrest View	:28
12.	Bob Hicks	- Sandburg	:30
13.	Tom Johnson	- Palatine	:30
14.	Gene Payne	- Brother Rice	:30
15.	Keith Hampton	- <del>Dekalb</del> <sup>Deerfield</sup>	:33
16.	Doug Diekema	- Wheaton North	:35
17.	Jay Avery	- Wheaton North	:36
18.	Larry Schuldt	- Rock Falls	:37
19.	Rod Willems	- Moline	:38
20.	Jim Galen	- Thornridge	:39
21.	Todd McCallister	- Deerfield	:39
22.	Mark McCallister	- Deerfield	:40
23.	Chris Dremean	- D.G. North	:41
24.	Kevin Millon	- York	:41
25.	Jeff Bridges	- Maine west	:41

## FINAL TEAM RESULTS

SCHOOL (Places)	PTS.	SCHOOL (Places)	PTS.
1. Deerfield	- 111	15. Oswego	- 389
( 8 13 14 34 42 )		( 30 46 73 119 121 )	
2. Wheaton North	- 142	16. Dekalb	- 400
( 12 19 25 41 57 )		( 3 43 69 142 143 )	
3. York	- 176	17. East Moline	- 430
( 15 36 37 39 49 )		( 18 77 85 87 163 )	
4. Maine West	- 186	18. Aurora West	- 488
( 16 26 29 56 59 )		( 5 67 112 115 184 )	
5. Moline	- 220	19. Proviso West	- 455
( 11 20 44 71 74 )		( 52 68 75 125 135 )	
6. Fremd	- 236	20. Woodruff	- 457
( 31 40 48 51 66 )		( 23 24 95 147 168 )	
7. Alton	- 270	21. Thornton	- 471
( 2 53 61 65 85 )		( 22 82 96 104 177 )	
8. Thornridge	- 271	22. Belkville West	- 475
( 12 17 58 90 94 )		( 19 83 98 127 148 )	
9. Glenbard West	- 301	23. Metamora	- 482
( 35 47 62 76 81 )		( 70 72 96 120 124 )	
10. Gordon Tech	- 322	24. Springfield Lanphier	- 500
( 4 33 80 100 105 )		( 45 88 91 130 146 )	
11. Palatine	- 337	25. Lane Tech	- 588
( 7 21 64 117 128 )		( 63 84 138 145 158 )	
12. Sandburg	- 356	26. Granite City North	- 613
( 1 6 109 114 126 )		( 28 102 139 160 184 )	
13. Peoria High	- 381	27. Centralia	- 646
( 27 38 54 110 152 )		( 78 92 154 155 167 )	
14. Maine East	- 387	28. Kennedy	- 814
( 32 55 93 101 106 )		( 113 156 170 185 190 )	



# Presenting the 1976 Class AA Entries

Note: Large, bold number beside team roster indicates team starting position.

## ALTON (SR.) – 1st

Coach: James Wigger  
 201. Randy Adler, Sr.  
 202. Alex Lambie, Sr.  
 203. Brad Wigger, Sr.  
 204. Dave Lambie, Sr.  
 205. Doug White, Sr.  
 206. Rick Adler, Jr.  
 207. Dale Edwards, Jr.

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## CHICAGO (LANE TECH) – 1st

Coach:  
 243. Richard Ochioa  
 244. Mike Pellikan  
 245. Andrew Calzimantes  
 246. James Noumiec  
 247. Brian Rowland  
 248. Brian Vick  
 249. Mario Rodriquez

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## ELMHURST (YORK) – 2nd

Coach: Joe Newton  
 285. Todd Peterson, Jr.  
 286. Kevin Millon, Sr.  
 287. Tim Dunham, Sr.  
 288. Bob Bradshaw, Sr.  
 289. Larry Gorman, Sr.  
 290. Mike Garcia, Sr.  
 291. Jeff Snow, Sr.

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## AURORA (WEST) – 5th

Coach: Lee Gleasman  
 208. Mike Matteson, Sr.  
 209. Steve Gramsch, So.  
 210. Brad Lyon, Jr.  
 211. Pat Higgins, Sr.  
 212. Craig Richmond, Jr.  
 213. Bob Brenkus, So.  
 214. Jim Molloy, Sr.

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## DEERFIELD – 1st

Coach: Len Kisellus  
 250. Todd McCallister, Jr.  
 251. Keith Hampton, Jr.  
 252. Mark McCallister, Jr.  
 253. Greg Less, Jr.  
 254. Bruce Gilbert, Sr.  
 255. Bill Hayward, Sr.  
 256. Dana Rutstin, Jr.

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## GLEN ELLYN (GLENBARD WEST) – 3rd

Coach: Jim Arnold  
 292. Jeff Hill, So.  
 293. Tom Eller, Sr.  
 294. Jay Rutherford, Jr.  
 295. Steve Pugsley, So.  
 296. Bryan Webster, Jr.  
 297. Dan Harris, Sr.  
 298. Mike Arenberg, Sr.

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## BELLEVILLE (WEST) – 3rd

Coach: Norm Armstrong  
 215. Bob Weilmuenster, Jr.  
 216. Jim Bartelsmeyer, Sr.  
 217. Keith Kniepkamp, Sr.  
 218. Kenneth Huffman, Sr.  
 219. Chuck Hollis, Jr.  
 220. Mark Walz, Sr.  
 221. Mark Collins, Sr.

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## DE KALB – 2nd

Coach: John Birkett  
 257. Tom Wuchte, Jr.  
 258. Brad Rongey, Jr.  
 259. John Vaughn, Sr.  
 260. Brian Sullivan, Jr.  
 261. Ted Ledbetter, Sr.  
 262. Dave Christianson, Sr.  
 263. Paul Grosklags, Jr.

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## GRANITE CITY (NORTH) – 5th

Coach: Merlin Robinson  
 299. Robert Baker, Jr.  
 300. David Ebrecht, Sr.  
 301. Gregory Stout, Jr.  
 302. Donald Lucy, Sr.  
 303. Aaron Hikam, So.  
 304. Ed Futch, So.  
 305. Royce Meyenburg, Jr.

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## CENTRALIA – 4th

Coach: Rod White  
 222. Rob Gardner, Jr.  
 223. Rusty Sherman, Jr.  
 224. Doug Laws, Jr.  
 225. Chris Dehn, Jr.  
 226. Mike Houstra, Sr.  
 227. Dean Morris, Jr.  
 228. Scott Doetsch, Jr.

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## DES PLAINES (MAINE WEST) – 5th

Coach: Bill Barringer  
 264. Gary Paul, Sr.  
 265. Jeff Bridges, Sr.  
 266. Perry Walters, Jr.  
 267. Brian Tolan, Sr.  
 268. Mark Caras, Sr.  
 269. Don Murray, Sr.  
 270. Morris Danielson, Jr.

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## HARVEY (THORNTON) – 3rd

Coach: Ed Fredette  
 306. Bill Moran, Jr.  
 307. Richard White, So.  
 308. Ray Lane, Sr.  
 309. Mike Sokolewicz, Fr.  
 310. Paul Gutierrez, So.  
 311. Rich Lane, Jr.  
 312. Tom Campbell, Jr.

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## CHICAGO (GORDON TECH) – 4th

Coach: Doug Berger  
 229. John Olszewski, Sr.  
 230. Tom Maloney, Jr.  
 231. Dave Wilson, Jr.  
 232. John Swiech, Sr.  
 233. George Stasinos, Sr.  
 234. Jerry Tabat, Jr.  
 235. Mark Nannini, Sr.

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## DOLTON (THORNTRIDGE) – 4th

Coach: Skip Stolley  
 271. Jim Galen, Jr.  
 272. Steve Asauskas, Sr.  
 273. John Sullivan, Jr.  
 274. Jeff Hall, Sr.  
 275. Jeff Heath, So.  
 276. Mike Marshall, Sr.  
 277. Bob Wagner, So.

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## HILLSIDE (PROVISO WEST) – 5th

Coach: Larry Wiezorek  
 313. Burt Becker, Sr.  
 314. Robert Mileski, So.  
 315. Mike Backer, Jr.  
 316. Mike Knitter, Jr.  
 317. Robert Popp, Sr.  
 318. Mike Laubsted, Sr.  
 319. Dave Dratnol, Sr.

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## CHICAGO (KENNEDY) – 2nd

Coach:  
 236. Larry Coyle  
 237. Dave Czuba  
 238. Ken Schick  
 239. Joseph Kuchta  
 240. James Kuchta  
 241. Mike Urzendowski  
 242. Mike Parker

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## EAST MOLINE (UNITED) – 5th TIE

Coach: Gary Phillips  
 278. Bob Feller, Sr.  
 279. Daren Evans, Jr.  
 280. John Orewiler, Sr.  
 281. Brian Kinman, Jr.  
 282. Mike Morris, So.  
 284. Bruce Bell

**4**

## METAMORA – 3rd TIE

Coach: Gene Jones  
 320. Keith Zobrist, Sr.  
 321. Brian Johnson, Jr.  
 322. Steve Kamm  
 323. Ric Miller, So.  
 324. Mike Davis, Jr.  
 325. Curtis Nelson, Jr.  
 326. Dan Driscoll, Jr.

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MOLINE — 1st  
Coach: Gene Shipley  
327. Rod Willems, Sr.  
328. Jerry Bellmyer, Sr.  
329. Rick Edlund, Jr.  
330. Dave Strom, Sr.  
331. Steve Hansen, Sr.  
332. Bill Barth

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ORLAND PARK (SANDBURG) — 1st  
Coach: John Wilson  
333. Tom Graves, Jr.  
334. Bob Hicks, Sr.  
335. Mike Keane, So.  
336. Mike Choffin, So.  
337. Tom Smith, Jr.  
338. Dale Michalak, Sr.  
339. Jim Sunta, So.

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OSWEGO — 2nd  
Coach: John Sammons  
340. Tracy Cahill, Jr.  
341. Tom Benson, Sr.  
342. Dan Gray, Jr.  
343. John Snooke, Jr.  
344. Tom Utsch, So.  
345. Tom Kaetzer, Sr.  
346. Steve Behnke, Sr.

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PALATINE (FREMD) — 2nd  
Coach: Roy Hascup  
347. John Filosa, Sr.  
348. Dan Inbody, Jr.  
349. Dan Tischler, Sr.  
350. Tom Ross, So.  
351. Matt Filosa, So.  
352. Ed Martinez, So.  
353. Bob Ratcliff, Jr.

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PALATINE (H.S.) — 3rd  
Coach: Joe Johnson  
354. Tom Johnson, Jr.  
355. Charles Elliott, Jr.  
356. Kevin Mikolai, Jr.  
357. Tony Vargas, Sr.  
358. John Dahlgren, Jr.  
359. Devin Koy, Sr.  
360. Dave Imig, Sr.

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PARK RIDGE (MAINE EAST) — 4th  
Coach: John Coghlan  
361. Bill Feid, Sr.  
362. Pat Donahue, Sr.  
363. Ken Struck, Sr.  
364. Jeff Mattes, Sr.  
365. Dan Phalen, So.  
366. Gary Mattes, Sr.  
367. Bob Kirby, Sr.

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PEORIA (H.S.) — 5th TIE  
Coach: Robert LaCroix  
368. Rich Parker, Sr.  
369. Shawn Stever, Sr.  
370. Dave Ayoub, Sr.  
371. Pete Halter, Sr.  
372. Charles Conibear, Jr.  
373. Rod Phillips, Sr.  
374. Mike Markley, Jr.

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PEORIA (WOODRUFF) — 3rd TIE  
Coach: Howard Morgan  
375. Mark McIntosh, Sr.  
376. Bob Schaefer, Sr.  
377. Robert Hill, Sr.  
378. Rick McIntosh, So.  
379. John Hedeman, So.  
380. Ron McIntosh, So.  
381. Mike Burcick

**3**

SPRINGFIELD (LANPHIER) — 2nd  
Coach: Lee Halberg  
382. Kevin Zardnt, Jr.  
383. Keith Boyd, Sr.  
384. Keith Zardnt, Jr.  
385. Roy Taraba, Sr.  
386. Mike Bailey, So.  
387. Duncan Weathers, So.  
388. John Sgro, So.

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WHEATON (NORTH) — 1st  
Coach: Rolland Eckman  
389. Doug Diekema, Sr.  
390. Jay Avery, Sr.  
391. Pat Carney, Jr.  
392. Ken Davison, Sr.  
393. Tim Maret, Jr.  
394. Jim Lovern, Sr.  
395. Andy Reed, So.

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## INDIVIDUAL ENTRIES

451. Darryl Robinson, Arlington Heights (Forest View), Sr.  
452. Don Volke, Belvidere, Fr.  
453. Jim Spivey, Bensenville (Fenton), Jr.  
454. Frank Reilly, Champaign (Central), Sr.  
455. Gene Payne, Chicago (Brother Rice), Jr.  
456. Kenneth Perkins, Chicago (DuSable)  
457. Maurice Street, Chicago (Farragut)  
458. Edward Key, Chicago (Kenwood)  
459. Alberto Sopena, Chicago (Lake View)  
460. John Haberkorn, Chicago (Marist), Sr.  
461. Terry Bauer, Chicago Heights (Bloom), Sr.  
462. Kent Martin, Collinsville, Sr.  
463. Chris Dremann, Downers Grove (North), Sr.  
464. Bill Horn, Mattoon, Sr.  
465. Dan Skarda, Mundelein (H.S.), Sr.

466. Bob Savage, Northfield (New Trier West), Sr.  
467. Glenn Urbaniak, Northlake (West Leyden), Sr.  
468. Dave Bensema, Oak Lawn (Richards), Sr.  
469. Paul Lunecki, Oak Park (Fenwick), Sr.  
470. Perry Sager, Olney (East Richland), Jr.  
471. Bruce Merriman, Park Forest (Rich East), Sr.  
472. Steve Senf, Park Ridge (Maine South), Sr.  
473. Steve Arch, Princeton, Jr.  
474. Larry Schuldt, Rock Falls, Sr.  
475. Peter Ffitch, Rock Island (Alleman), Sr.  
476. Jim Scrutton, Springfield (Griffin), Sr.  
477. Rich Humphrey, Springfields (Southeast), Sr.  
478. Ray Cardinal, Wauconda, Sr.  
479. Jim Wolfe, Zion (Zion-Benton), Sr.



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Until 1940, the role of the Association was supervision and control of only athletic programs. Then, following the first recodification of the Constitution and By-laws, the jurisdiction of the IHSA was extended to non-athletic activities. The privileges of participation in high school athletics in Illinois were expanded, while additional teeth were put into the penalty process for violation of the rules, under a new Constitution and By-laws which became effective July 1, 1976. For only the second time in the long history of the IHSA, the rules and regulations governing interscholastic activities were completely reviewed and reshaped to expand the rights of the students served by the IHSA schools, as well as to provide the schools with the tools to build a modern, thriving statewide interscholastic activity program.

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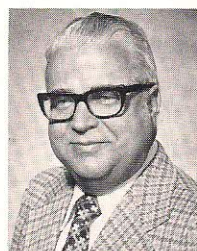
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DANIEL TRAHEY  
Chicago (Kennedy)  
District 2



CLYDE WATSON  
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District 3



WILLIAM RIDER  
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District 4



DONALD TRIMBLE  
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District 5



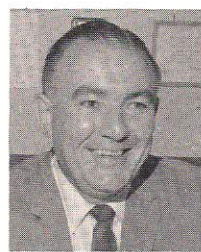
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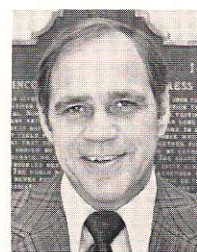
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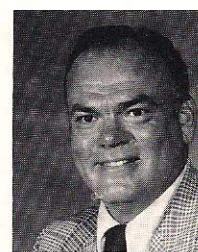
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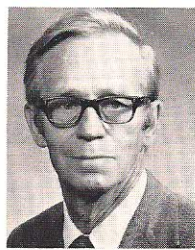
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STANLEY DAVIS  
Pana  
District 14



JERRY TURNER  
Belleville (West)  
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CHARLES SWINNEY  
DuQuoin  
District 17





## All-Time Team Data

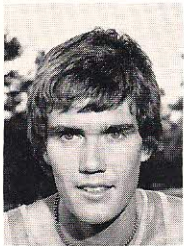
YEAR	CHAMPION	COACH	PTS.	RUNNER-UP	PTS.
1946	Paris	Ernie Eveland	90	Chicago (Lane Tech)	102
1947	Paris	Ernie Eveland	30	DesPlaines (Maine Twp.)	89
1948	Paris	Ernie Eveland	23	Washburn	73
			(2, 3, 4, 16, 17)		
1949	Paris	H.D. "Deac" Sweeley	36	Evanston	72
1950	Chicago Hts. (Bloom)	E.R. Nelson	49	Paris	70
1951	Urbana	Gene Armer	21	LaGrange (Lyons)	61
			(2, 4, 6, 12, 16)		
1952	Peoria (Woodruff)	Roy Gummerson	37	Urbana	80
1953	Evanston	Emil Schultz	111	Cumberland	119
1954	Maywood (Proviso)	Harold Monilaw	71	Peoria (Woodruff)	121
1955	LaGrange (Lyons)	Max Armer	95	Chicago (Englewood)	122
1956	LaGrange (Lyons)	Max Armer	102	Rock Falls	113
1957	Maywood (Proviso)	Harold Monilaw	63	Edwardsville	133
1958	Alton	Neal Schmelzel	95	Glen Ellyn (Glenbard)	100
1959	Winnetka (New Trier)	Ben Almaguer	67	Glen Ellyn (Glenbard West)	96
1960	Glen Ellyn (Glenbard West)	C.A.R. Johnson	80	Winnetka (New Trier)	85
1961	Highland Park	Dick Ault	96	Glen Ellyn (Glenbard West)	97
				(Evanston 98)	
1962	Elmhurst (York)	Joe Newton	61	Evanston	98
1963	Chicago (Lane Tech)	Leonard Jareczek	69	Glen Ellyn (Glenbard West)	126
1964	Hillside (Proviso West)	Dick McCallister	46	Elmhurst (York)	68
1965	Elmhurst (York)	Joe Newton	61	Rockford (Guilford)	125
1966	Evanston	Jim Nelson	117	Naperville	124
1967	Arlington Hts. (Arlington)	Bruce Samoore	73	Hillside (Proviso West)	74
1968	Elmhurst (York)	Joe Newton	121	Evanston	129
1969	Palatine (Fremd)	Ron Menely	86	Elmhurst (York)	129
1970	Park Ridge (Maine East)	John Coughlan	129	Palatine (Fremd)	139
1971	Elmhurst (York)	Joe Newton	67	Centralia	136
1972	Elmhurst (York)	Joe Newton	84	Arlington Hts. (Hersey)	164
1973	Elmhurst (York)	Joe Newton	64	Riverside (R.-Brookfield)	159
1974	Chicago Hts. (Bloom)	Don Slota	91	Elmhurst (York)	96
1975	Chicago Hts. (Bloom)	Don Slota	128	Elmhurst (York)	132



## All-Time Individual Data

YEAR	WINNER	SCHOOL	RUNNER-UP	SCHOOL	DISTANCE	WINNING TIME	SITE
1946	Warren Druetzler	LaGrange (Lyons)	George Twigg	Paris	2 Mile	10:07.8	Urbana
1947	Bob Lollenberger	Paris	Bob Malmstrom	Moline	2 Mile	9:58	Urbana
1948	Stacy Siders	Buffalo (Tri-City)	Glen Curtis	Paris	2 Mile	9:55.3	Urbana
1949	James Henry	Evanston	Irv Reitz	Rock Island (HS)	1.9 Mile	9:35.1	Urbana
1950	Steve Murphy	Chicago (Calumet)	Chuck Metheny	Paris	2 Mile	9:47.6	Urbana
1951	Charles Metheny	Paris	Verlon Sheuring	Urbana	2 Mile	10:22.4	Urbana
1952	Charles Hakes	Peoria (Woodruff)	Dale Nevel	Marengo	1.9 Mile	10:16.6	Peoria (CC)
1953	Louis Kujawinski	Evanston	John Hitt	Evanston	1.9 Mile	9:21.6	Urbana (CC)
1954	Fred Sandoval	East Moline (United)	Dan Inrie	Joliet	2 Mile	9:34	Urbana (CC)
1955	Jim Bowers	DeKalb	Fred Sandoval	East Moline	1.9 Mile	9:15.2	Urbana (CC)
1956	Brian White	Rockford (East)	Bill Gillingham	Peoria (Woodruff)	1.9 Mile	9:31.8	Urbana (CC)
1957	Ray Ott	Moline	Bob Lindrud	Moline	1.9 Mile	9:31.8	Urbana (CC)
1958	Marvin Silliman	Kankakee	Weymouth Kirkland	Winnetka (New Trier)	1.9 Mile	9:21	Urbana (CC)
1959	Weymouth Kirkland	Winnetka (New Trier)	Allen Carius	Cicero (Morton)	1.9 Mile	9:20.5	Urbana (CC)
1960	Weymouth Kirkland	Winnetka (New Trier)	Wiley Wright	Moline	1.9 Mile	9:15	Urbana (CC)
1961	Jim Weinert	Highland Park	Dave Bartel	Wheaton	2 Mile	10:11.3	Urbana (CC)
1962	Charles Schulz	Evanston	Jim Weinert	Skokie (Niles West)	2 Mile	9:57	Urbana (CC)
1963	Charles Schulz	Evanston	Steve Bakieda	Chicago (Lane Tech)	2 Mile	9:30.9	Urbana (CC)
1964	Bruce Bowman	Hillside (Proviso West)	John Greco	DesPlaines (Maine West)	2 Mile	9:36.8	Urbana (CC)
1965	Mike Collins	Winnetka (New Trier)	Doug Williamson	Libertyville	2 Mile	9:53.4	Urbana (CC)
1966	Jim Press	Riverside (R.-Brookfield)	Dave Calvert	Rockford (Guilford)	1.9 Mile	9:45.4	Urbana (CC)
1967	Lee LaBadie	DesPlaines (Maine West)	Rich Elliott	Hillside (Proviso West)	2 Mile	9:54.4	Urbana (CC)
1968	Ken Popejoy	Glen Ellyn (Glenbard West)	Duane Smith	Moline	2.75 Mile	13:26.3	Savoy
1969	Dave Merrick	New Lenox (Lincoln-Way)	Andy Isla-Rubert	Hillside (Proviso West)	2.75 Mile	13:19.4	Savoy
1970	Dave Merrick	New Lenox (Lincoln-Way)	Dan Pettinger	Palatine (Fremd)	2.67 Mile	12:37.6	Peoria Detweiler
1971	Craig Virgin	Lebanon	Lee Erickson	New Lenox (Lincoln-Way)	3 Mile	13:59.3	Peoria Detweiler
1972	Craig Virgin	Lebanon	Stan Vannier	Centralia	3 Mile	13:50.6	Peoria Detweiler
1973	Dave Walters	New Lenox (Lincoln-Way)	Bill Fritz	Glen Ellyn (Glenbard West)	3 Mile	13:57.7	Peoria Detweiler
1974	Tom Marino	Hillside (Proviso West)	Ron Craker	Elmhurst (York)	3 Mile	14:14.3	Peoria Detweiler
1975	Ron Craker	Elmhurst (York)	Dan Gilchrist	Rockford (East)	3 Mile	14:10.3	Peoria Detweiler





**CRAIG VIRGIN**  
Lebanon



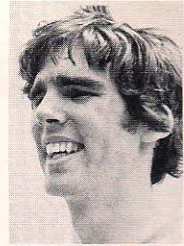
**DAVE WALTERS**  
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(Lincoln-Way)



**BILL FRITZ**  
Glen Ellyn  
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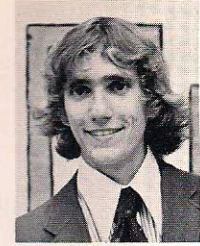
**RON CRAKER**  
Elmhurst  
(York)



**CRAIG YOUNG**  
Stillman Valley



**DAN GILCHRIST**  
Rockford (East)



**TOM MARINO**  
Hillside  
(Proviso West)

## Top Detweiller Course Times

(3-Mile Course)

Time	Runner	School	Year	Place
13:50.6	Craig Virgin	Lebanon	1972	1st
13:57.7	Dave Walters	New Lenox (Lincoln-Way)	1973	1st
13:59	Craig Virgin	Lebanon	1971	1st
14:06	Bill Fritz	Glen Ellyn (Glenbard West)	1973	2nd
14:13	Ron Craker	Elmhurst (York)	1975	1st
14:13	Craig Young	Stillman Valley	1973	3rd
14:13	Dan Gilchrist	Rockford (East)	1975	2nd
14:14.3	Tom Marino	Hillside (Proviso West)	1974	1st
14:15	Mike Marks	Riverside-Brookfield	1973	4th
14:18	Arnold Jackson	Schaumburg	1973	5th
14:18	Tom Graves	Orland Park (Sandburg)	1975	3rd
14:19	John Unger	Riverside-Brookfield	1973	6th
14:20	Stan Vannier	Centralia	1972	2nd
14:20	Dean Erdal	Waukegan	1973	7th
14:20	John Capriotti	Chicago Hts. (Bloom)	1973	8th
14:20	Ron Craker	Elmhurst (York)	1974	2nd
14:21	Paul Hansen	Lombard (Glenbard East)	1973	9th
14:22	Paul Sewell	Rockford (Guilford)	1972	3rd
14:22	Dan Gilchrist	Rockford (East)	1974	4th
14:23	Dean Erhard	Deerfield	1972	4th

## Recap of 1975 State Final Meet

### INDIVIDUAL RESULTS

Finish	Runner	Year ('75)	School	Time
1	Ron Craker	Sr.	Elmhurst (York)	14:10.3
2	Dan Gilchrist	Sr.	Rockford (East)	14:13
3	Tom Graves	Jr.	Orland Park (Sandburg)	14:18
4	Dave Finnestad	Sr.	Oswego	14:24
5	Steve Chaplin	Sr.	Glenview (Glenbrook So)	14:25
6	Jim Keen	Sr.	Riverside (R-Brookfield)	14:27
7	Jim McHugh	Sr.	Hillside (Proviso West)	14:28
8	Tom Wuchte	So.	DeKalb	14:32
9	John Herbert	Sr.	Hinsdale (Central)	14:33
10	Dave Erdal	Sr.	Waukegan (East)	14:35
11	Terry Bauer	Jr.	Chicago Hts. (Bloom)	14:36
12	John Creevy	Sr.	Hillside (Proviso West)	14:37
13	Bob Hicks	Jr.	Orland Park (Sandburg)	14:38
14	Reo Rorem	Sr.	Gilman	14:39
15	Mark Tomasik	Sr.	Park Ridge (Maine East)	14:40

### FINAL TEAM RESULTS

Finish	School	Top Five Team Place Finishers	Total
1	Chicago Hts. (Bloom)	5, 8, 12, 37, 66	128
2	Elmhurst (York)	1, 18, 28, 42, 43	132
3	Deerfield	10, 33, 34, 39, 45	161
4	Rockford (East)	2, 32, 35, 61, 68	198
5	Lebanon	13, 24, 26, 63, 74	200
6	Des Plaines (Maine West)	11, 21, 52, 65, 67	216
7	Park Ridge (Maine East)	7, 25, 31, 54, 110	227
8	Woodstock	15, 36, 46, 53, 89	239
9	Harvey (Thornton)	19, 20, 49, 82, 88	249
10	Chicago (Lane Tech)	16, 22, 47, 84, 87	256
11	Hillside (Proviso West)	3, 6, 81, 91, 92	273
12	Downers Grove (North)	17, 38, 49, 70, 105	279
13	Hinsdale (Central)	4, 50, 59, 69, 114	296
14	Alton (Sr.)	9, 41, 72, 80, 107	309
15	Danville (H.S.)	56, 64, 78, 85, 90	373

### How They Got To Detweiller

The top five placing teams and the top five finishing runners who are not members of the qualifying teams advance to the State Final Meet in both Class A and Class AA from the Sectional Meets.

In addition, the first and second place teams and the top 10 individuals who are not members of the first two teams from the Chicago Public League Qualifying Meet advance to Detweiller Park for the Class AA State Final.



# Year-By-Year State Final Point Leaders

## 1946—at URBANA

TEAM	POINTS
1. Paris	90
2. Chicago (Lane Tech)	102
3. LaGrange (Lyons)	115
4. Chicago (Harrison)	147
5. Chicago Hts. (Bloom)	149

## 1947—at URBANA

TEAM	POINTS
1. Paris	30
2. Des Plaines (Maine Twp.)	89
3. Chicago (Lane Tech)	107
4. Chicago (Schurz)	125
5. Rock Island	142

## 1948—at URBANA

TEAM	POINTS
1. Paris	23
2. Washburn	73
3. Elmhurst (York)	105
4. Chicago (Lane Tech)	110
5. Erie	TIE 123
East St. Louis	

## 1949—at URBANA

TEAM	POINTS
1. Paris	36
2. Evanston	72
3. Downers Grove	87
4. Peoria (Woodruff)	103
5. Chicago (Steinmetz)	127

## 1950—at URBANA

TEAM	POINTS
1. Chicago Hts. (Bloom)	49
2. Paris	70
3. Des Plaines (Maine Twp.)	99
4. Peoria (Woodruff)	104
5. Lincoln	117

## 1951—at URBANA

TEAM	POINTS
1. Urbana	21
2. LaGrange (Lyons)	61
3. Peoria (Woodruff)	72
4. Franklin Park (Leyden)	85
5. Dixon	139

## 1952—at PEORIA (CC)

TEAM	POINTS
1. Peoria (Woodruff)	37
2. Urbana	80
3. Evanston	87
4. Geneseo	104
5. Chicago Hts. (Bloom)	109

## 1953—at URBANA (CC)

TEAM	POINTS
1. Evanston	111
2. Toledo (Cumberland)	119
3. Alton	136
4. Peoria (Woodruff)	144
5. Urbana	149

## 1954—at URBANA (CC)

TEAM	POINTS
1. Maywood (Proviso)	71
2. Peoria (Woodruff)	121
3. Alton	140
4. Urbana	155
5. Toledo (Cumberland)	158

## 1955—at URBANA (CC)

TEAM	POINTS
1. LaGrange (Lyons)	95
2. Chicago (Englewood)	122
3. Urbana	139
4. Des Plaines (Maine Twp.)	161
5. Peoria (Central)	163

## 1956—at URBANA (CC)

TEAM	POINTS
1. LaGrange (Lyons)	102
2. Rock Falls	113
3. Chicago (Englewood)	151
4. Maywood (Proviso)	156
5. Alton	171

## 1957—at URBANA (CC)

TEAM	POINTS
1. Maywood (Proviso)	63
2. Edwardsville	133
3. LaGrange (Lyons)	146
4. Urbana	158
5. Franklin Park (Leyden)	186

## 1958—at URBANA (CC)

TEAM	POINTS
1. Alton	95
2. Glen Ellyn (Glenbard)	100
3. Rockford (East)	133
4. Chicago (Lane Tech)	140
5. Edwardsville	145

## 1959—at URBANA (CC)

TEAM	POINTS
1. Winnetka (New Trier)	67
2. Glen Ellyn (Glenbard West)	96
3. Chicago (Lane Tech)	126
4. Edwardsville	TIE 145
Moline	

## 1960—at URBANA (CC)

TEAM	POINTS
1. Glen Ellyn (Glenbard West)	80
2. Winnetka (New Trier)	85
3. Chicago (Phillips)	139
4. Moline	143
5. Urbana (H.S.)	197

## 1961—at URBANA (CC)

TEAM	POINTS
1. Highland Park	96
2. Glen Ellyn (Glenbard West)	97
3. Evanston	98
4. Edwardsville	117
5. Peoria Hts. (Richwoods)	179

## 1962—at URBANA (CC)

TEAM	POINTS
1. Elmhurst (York)	61
2. Evanston	98
3. Winnetka (New Trier)	100
4. Glen Ellyn (Glenbard West)	135
5. Urbana (H.S.)	171

## 1963—at URBANA (CC)

TEAM	POINTS
1. Chicago (Lane Tech)	69
2. Glen Ellyn (Glenbard West)	126
3. Evanston (Twp.)	139
4. Oak Park-River Forest	163
5. Winnetka (New Trier)	187

## 1964—at URBANA (CC)

TEAM	POINTS
1. Hillside (Proviso West)	46
2. Elmhurst (York)	68
3. Chicago (Lane Tech)	109
4. Lombard (Glenbard East)	132
5. Evanston (Twp.)	142

## 1965—at URBANA (CC)

TEAM	POINTS
1. Elmhurst (York)	61
2. Rockford (Guilford)	125
3. Lombard (Glenbard East)	153
4. Chicago (Harlan)	175
5. Winnetka (New Trier)	194

## 1966—at URBANA (CC)

TEAM	POINTS
1. Evanston (Twp.)	117
2. Naperville	124
3. Elmhurst (York)	127
4. Chicago (Lane Tech)	133
5. Hillside (Proviso West)	159

## 1967—at URBANA (CC)

TEAM	POINTS
1. Arlington Hts. (Arlington)	73
2. Hillside (Proviso West)	74
3. Elmhurst (York)	101
4. Glen Ellyn (Glenbard West)	190
5. Ottawa (Twp.)	249

## 1968—at SAVOY

TEAM	POINTS
1. Elmhurst (York)	121
2. Evanston (Twp.)	129
3. New Lenox (Lincoln-Way)	153
4. Glen Ellyn (Glenbard West)	156
5. Ottawa (Twp.)	182

## 1969—at SAVOY

TEAM	POINTS
1. Palatine (Fremd)	86
2. Elmhurst (York)	129
3. Mt. Prospect (Prospect Park Ridge (Maine East)	TIED 146
5. Hillside (Proviso West)	157

## 1970—at PEORIA

TEAM	POINTS
1. Park Ridge (Maine East)	129
2. Palatine (Fremd)	139
3. Evanston (Twp.)	183
4. Naperville (Central)	193
5. Hillside (Proviso West)	213

## 1971—at PEORIA

TEAM	POINTS
1. Elmhurst (York)	67
2. Centralia	136
3. Park Ridge (Maine East)	137
4. Riverside-Brookfield	138
5. New Lenox (Lincoln-Way)	171

## 1972—at PEORIA

TEAM	POINTS
1. Elmhurst (York)	84
2. Arlington Hts. (Hersey)	164
3. LaGrange (Lyons)	175
4. Riverside-Brookfield	191
5. Rockford (Guilford)	196

## 1973—at PEORIA

TEAM	POINTS
1. Elmhurst (York)	64
2. Riverside-Brookfield	159
3. Glen Ellyn (Glenbard West)	177
4. Palatine (Fremd)	204
5. Maywood (Proviso East)	205

## 1974—at PEORIA

TEAM	POINTS
1. Chicago Hts. (Bloom)	91
2. Elmhurst (York)	96
3. Palatine (Fremd)	106
4. Hillside (Proviso West)	141
5. DeKalb	155

## 1975—at PEORIA

TEAM	POINTS
1. Chicago Hts. (Bloom)	128
2. Elmhurst (York)	132
3. Deerfield	161
4. Rockford (East)	198
5. Lebanon	200

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## BOYS CROSS COUNTRY — HIGHEST PLACING TEAMS

(Excludes 1976)

School	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
Alton	1		2		1
Arlington Hts. (Arlington)	1				
Arlington Hts. (Hersey)		1			
Centralia		1			
Chicago (Englewood)		1	1		
Chicago (Harlan)				1	
Chicago (Harrison)				1	
Chicago (Lane Tech)	1	1	3	3	
Chicago (Phillips)			1		
Chicago (Schurz)				1	
Chicago (Steinmetz)					2
Chicago Hts. (Bloom)	3				2
Deerfield			3		
DeKalb					1
Des Plaines (Maine Twp.)		1	1	1	
Dixon					1
Downers Grove			1		
East St. Louis (Sr.)					1
Edwardsville		1		1	2
Elmhurst (York)	6	4	3		
Erie					1
Evanston	2	3	4		1
Franklin Park (Leyden)				1	1
Geneseo				1	
Glen Ellyn (Glenbard)		1			
Glen Ellyn (Glenbard West)	1	3	1	3	
Highland Park	1				

School	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
Hillside (Proviso West)	1	1		1	3
LaGrange (Lyons)	2	1	3	3	
Lebanon					1
Lincoln					1
Lombard (Glenbard East)			1	1	
Maywood (Proviso East)	2			1	1
Moline				1	1
Mt. Prospect (Prospect)			1		
Naperville		1		1	
New Lenox (Lincoln-Way)			1		1
Oak Park (O.P.-River Forest)				1	
Ottawa (Twp.)					2
Palatine (Fremd)	1	1	1	1	
Paris	4	1			
Park Ridge (Maine East)	1		2		
Peoria (Central)					1
Peoria (Woodruff)	1	1	1	3	
Peoria Hts. (Richwoods)					1
Riverside (R-Brookfield)		1		2	
Rock Falls		1			
Rockford (East)			1		
Rockford (Guilford)		1			1
Rock Island (H.S.)					1
Toledo (Cumberland)		1			1
Urbana	1	1	1	2	3
Washburn		1			
Winnetka (New Trier)	1	1	1		2



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Boys Athletics

Sport	Place	School	Coach	Score
GOLF Class A	1st	Carmi	Dave Johnson	642
	2nd	Auburn	Anton Dolenc	668
	<b>Individual Champion: John Given, Carmi, So. 75-75—150</b>			
Class AA	1st	Mt. Prospect (Prospect)	George Bork	632
	2nd	Homewood-Flossmoor	Gordon McGregor	637
	<b>Individual Champion: Tom Ferlmann, Peoria (Spalding) 74-78—152</b>			

Girls Athletics

Sport	Place	School	Coach	Score
ARCHERY	1st	Freeburg	Mary Anne Downen	2,545
	2nd	Rolling Meadows (H.S.)	Ken Bates	2,437
	<b>Individual Champion: Maria Recker, Rolling Meadows (H.S.) 660</b>			
GOLF	1st	Quincy (Sr.)	Jerry Carnivale	727
	2nd	Homewood-Flossmoor	Janice Mueller	748
	<b>Individual Champion: Alicia Ogrin, Waukegan (East) 73-75—148 (4 Under Par)</b>			
TENNIS	1st	Hinsdale (Central)	Mary Ann Erickson	14
	2nd (Tie)	Crystal Lake (H.S.)	Judy Elder	9
	<b>Winnetka (New Trier East) Mary Herzog</b>			
<b>Singles: Sue Jaeger, Prairie View (Stevenson), Fr. beat Colette Bennett, Northfield (New Trier West), Sr., 6-4, 6-4.</b>				

**Doubles:** Nancy Nyquist (Sr.)-Susan Whitney (Fr.), Hinsdale (Central) beat Stephanie Frei (Sr.) - Betsy Stogin (So.), Winnetka (New Trier East), 6-0, 6-4.

SWIMMING	1st	Hinsdale (Central)	Nancy Prentice	116
	2nd	Park Ridge (Maine South)	Dawn Butler	96

Tournaments Remaining

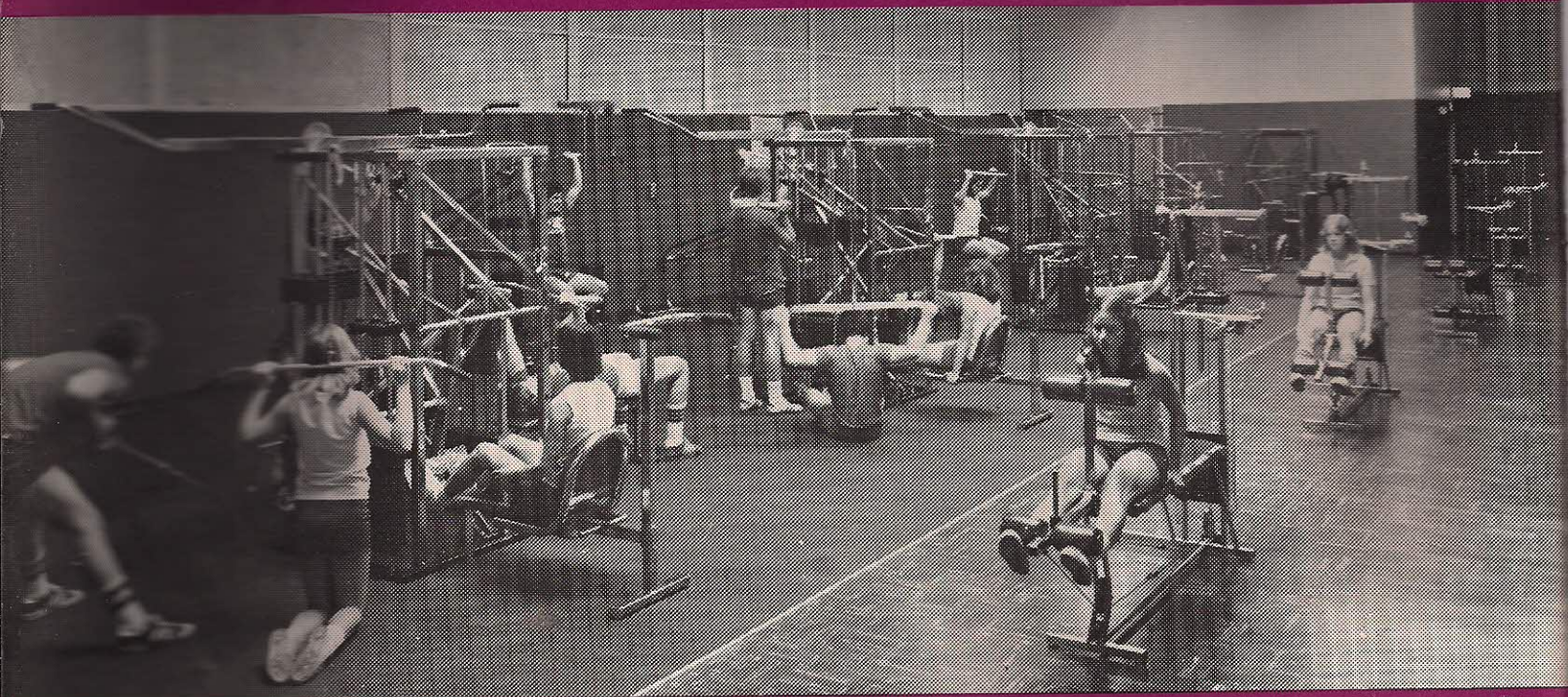
ACTIVITY	DATE	SITE
SOCCER	November 12-13	Park Ridge (Maine East)
CROSS COUNTRY (CLASS A and AA)	November 13	Peoria (Detweiller Park)
FOOTBALL PLAYOFFS (ALL 5 CLASSES)	November 26-27	Normal (Hancock Stadium)
WRESTLING (CLASS A and AA)	February 25-26	Champaign (Assembly Hall)
SWIMMING	February 25-26	Darien (Hinsdale South)
GYMNASTICS	March 4-5	Mt. Prospect (Prospect)
BASKETBALL (CLASS A)	March 11-12	Champaign (Assembly Hall)
BASKETBALL (CLASS AA)	March 18-19	Champaign (Assembly Hall)
TENNIS	May 27-28	Arlington Hts. (Arlington)
TRACK & FIELD (CLASS A and AA)	May 27-28	Charleston (O'Brien Field)
BASEBALL	June 2-3	Peoria (Manual) (Meinen Field)

Tournaments Remaining

ACTIVITY	DATE	SITE
FIELD HOCKEY	November 12-13	Winnetka (New Trier East)
VOLLEYBALL	January 28-29	Normal (Horton Fieldhouse)
BOWLING	February 11-12	Peoria (Town & Country Lanes)
GYMNASTICS	February 11-12	Park Ridge (Maine East)
BASKETBALL	April 1-2	Normal (Horton Fieldhouse)
BADMINTON	April 22-23	Northfield (New Trier West)
TRACK & FIELD	May 20-21	Charleston (O'Brien Field)
SOFTBALL	June 2-3	Pekin (Mineral Springs Park)

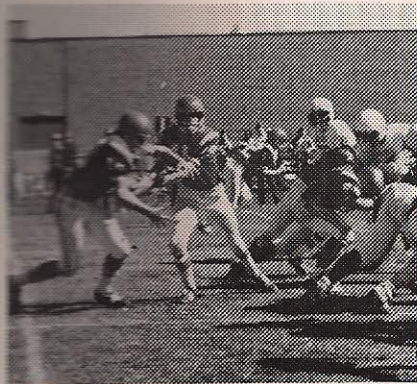


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