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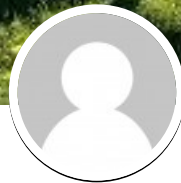
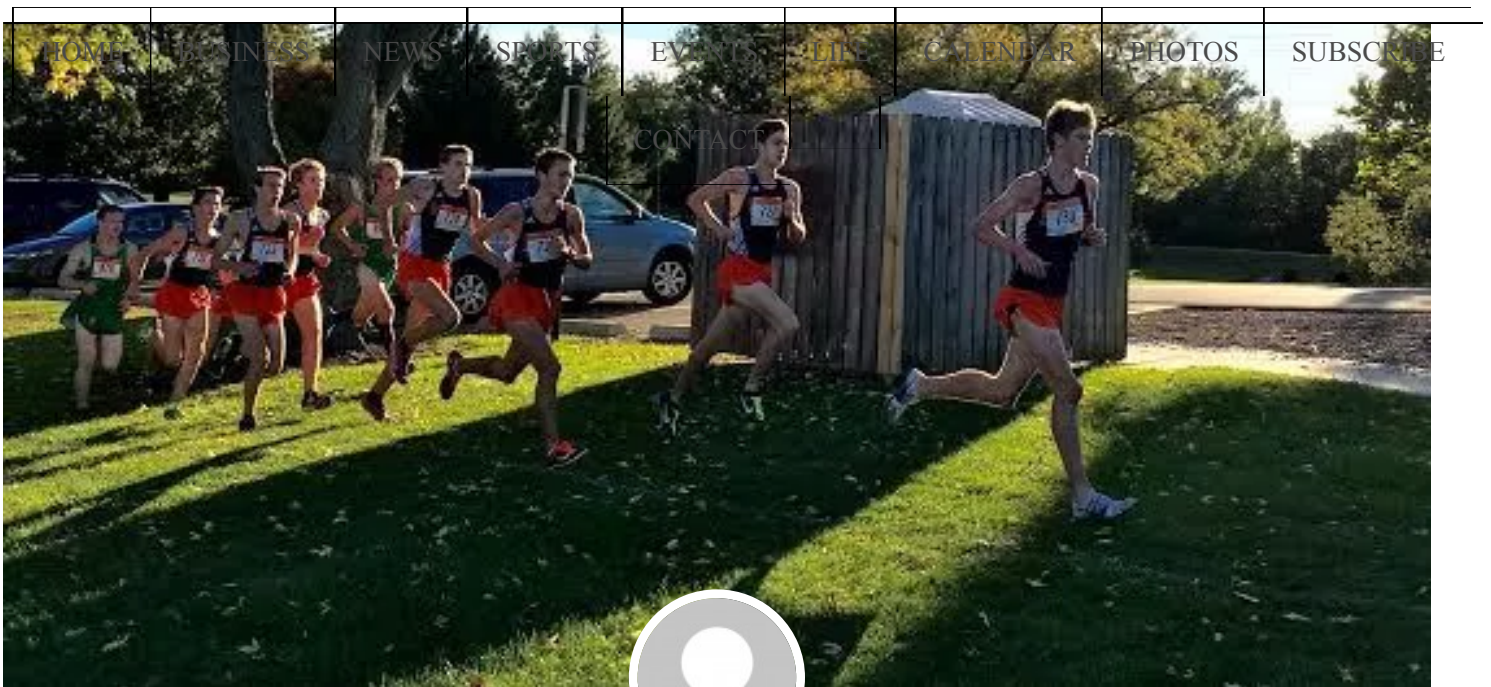
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# Cross Country Cornbelt Champs, Football loses to BCC, Sims siblings at State

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## **MSHS Boys' Cross Country**

The #1 ranked Bulldogs claimed the Cornbelt Conference Championship Thursday as they beat the #2 ranked Normal U-High.

The Bulldogs won the meet with 17 points, which is the lowest team score ever in the Cornbelt Conference meet. This is the fourth year in a row the Bulldogs have been named Cornbelt Conference Champions.

Gabe Pommier came in first place, followed directly by Riley Fortune and Andrew Walmer. Brian Butcher took 5th, Ryan Hodge 6th, Mathias Powell 7th and Ben Crow came finished in 9th place.

## MSHS Football

Mahomet-Seymour fell to Bloomington Central Catholic 14-6 in Cornbelt Conference play Friday. With the win, BCC captured the Cornbelt Conference title.

On a 70-yard drive, Quarterback Connor Thomas threw a 22-yard touchdown pass to Joshua



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Matthew and Elizabeth Sims captured the spirit and intensity of the Mahomet-Seymour community Saturday as they competed in the IESA State Cross Country meet.

Elizabeth ran her lifetime personal best at 12:22, earning 56th place out of 236 runners. She just missed being in the top 50 runners by 2 seconds.

Matthew ran his fastest time at Parkside in his career at 11:57. That time is 2 seconds off his lifetime record. Matthew placed 147 out of 225 runners.

“Matthew has grown so much as a runner and a leader,” Coach Lisa Martin said. “In fact, he has cut his time almost in half since he started in 6th grade. This shows what hard work, determination, and help from some really strong teammates can do.”

Martin also said the siblings had a large cheering section at the State meet.

“Matthew and Elizabeth had the largest cheering section that I have ever seen two individuals have,” she said. “The families that drove over and the teammates that ran around the course to cheer on their friends just shows how wonderful it is to be a Bulldog.”

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