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In boys' cross-country

→ **At Chrisman.** Paxton-Buckley-Loda's **Ryder James** captured the Class 1A Chrisman Regional individual title, clocking a 3-mile time of 15 minutes, 45.3 seconds at Chrisman High en route to an easy win. He held off runner-up **Eli Mojonier** of Bismarck-Henning/Rossville-Alvin (16:20.1) and third-place **Henry Laufenberg** of Uni High (16:26.2). St. Joseph-Ogden was the team champion, paced by a quintet of top-10 finishers: **Charlie Mabry** (fourth, 16:33.0), **Luke Stegall** (fifth, 16:34.0), **Elijah Mock** (sixth, 16:50.4), **Payton Wendell** (eighth, 16:56.6) and **Ethan Blackburn** (10th, 17:03.0). Other teams to advance to the 1A St. Teresa Sectional on Oct. 30 were PBL, BHRA, La Salette, Uni High, Unity and Heritage. Local individuals to advance were Judah Christian's **Tucker Bailey**, Cissna Park's **Malaki Verkler**, Chrisman/Georgetown-Ridge Farm's **John Phipps** and Champaign Academy's **Ian Weible**.

→ **At Eureka.** Prairie Central ranked sixth in the Class 1A Eureka Regional at Lower Lake Park, qualifying for the Oct. 30 1A Elmwood Sectional. **Alexavier Kaufman** led Prairie Central with a 15th-place time of 16 minutes, 33.4 seconds over 3 miles.

→ **At Kankakee.** Iroquois West's **Bryson Grant** advanced from the Class 1A Bishop McNamara Regional at Kankakee Community College, running to second place overall with a 3-mile time of 15 minutes, 58 seconds and qualifying for the Oct. 30 1A Lisle Sectional.

→ **At Olney.** Mahomet-Seymour landed the Class 2A Richland County Regional championship at Olney Central College, keyed by top-10 finishes over 3 miles from **Joseph Scheele** (second, 15 minutes, 32.95 seconds), **Kyle Nofziger** (third, 15:44.57) and **Jonah Singer** (fifth, 15:59.62). Other local programs advancing to the Oct. 30 2A Decatur MacArthur Sectional were Champaign Central and Urbana. Additional local athletes moving on individually were Centennial's **Aaron Hendron** and Rantoul's **Aiden Pacunas** and **Nathan Kelley**.