

1960 District Meet...

District Cross Country Slated

Coach John Ihnat is taking eight Ross high boys to Lima Saturday to compete in the District cross country meet.

Gun starts the harriers off at 10 a.m. Saturday.

Competing for Ross will be Tom Koebel, Ken Koebel, Chuck Hufford, Roger Patton, Jim Davis, Carl Hufford, Willey Schwenzfeier and Clarence Nieset.

Northwest District meet will be run over an all grass two-mile course located at Lost Creek golf course, Route 30-S, east edge of Lima.

School may enter up to 10 runners but not more than seven shall start. In determining the team standing, only five boys can score for each school; and the school failing to finish less than five boys cannot win a place in the team standings.

Competing from this area are Fremont Ross, Clyde, Sandusky and Bowling Green.

Clyde Runner Goes To State

Tom Koebel of Ross just missed making a trip to the state in cross country running.

However, Jim Burkett of Clyde will be making the trip to Columbus this week for the state cross country meet.

Marion Harding, with 102 points, won the District cross country event Saturday at Lima, running on the Lost Creek Country Club course. Toledo Libbey was second. Both teams advance to the state.

The top seven individuals also will compete in the state. Three of them broke the Lima course record of 10:22.7 including winner Mike Gallagher, Libbey, 10:07.5; Ora Vermillion, McGuffey, 10:12; and John Murphy, Toledo Central, 10:17.2.

Fourth was Paul Wertz, Ashland, 10:23; fifth, Burkett of Clyde, 10:30; sixth, Gene Lovridge, Upper Sandusky, 10:34; seventh, Hershel Collins, Marion, 10:34.5.

Koebel was eighth, 10:35. Ross finished sixteenth in the meet with 329 points. Sandusky was fifth, 193 and Clyde sixth, 198.

Gold medals went to the first ten boys and silver medals to the second ten.

Clarence Nieset of Ross placed 52nd, Ken Loebel 77th, Willey Schwenzfeier 92nd and Jim Davis 100th.

Chuck Hufford of Ross was taken to Lima hospital for examination after it was believed he had something lodged in his throat — a spike, mud or wood.