

Fremont Ross cross country team experiences growth

By BOB MARKER
Staff writer

A dozen boys and eight girls comprise one of the larger Ross High School cross country teams in recent years, according to coaches John Elder and Tracy Lytle.

The boys' team is a blend of experience and youth.

"We have a good corps of freshmen and sophomores," Elder said.

"We have experience in three seniors — Steve Jay, Mark Sheidler and Dave Boda — who give a solid base of experience."

Boda will be a four-year letterman for Elder after this season while his classmates have won two letters apiece.

While Elder likes the leadership of the

group of three, he visualizes a newcomer as possibly sneaking ahead of the group.

"A freshman, Dane Snyder, could be... could be," Elder said, "our best runner this year. He will challenge Mark and Steve for the top spot."

"Also, a couple of sophomores should contribute. Jeff Pasch was our sixth man last year and should move up."

Other sophomores Elder has are Tim Leeth, Rob Swaisgood, Nathan Cox and Matt Henning.

"Hopefully," he said, "our top four will be in the low 17s (minutes for the 3.1-mile cross country distance) or high 16s for the year. That should make us competitive."

Lytle will be coaching her first varsity sport after serving as a junior high coach several years ago.

"We have eight girls," she said. "We have a lot of new ones but we do have three experienced runners."

Only two of them have lettered, however, senior Leah Lomax and sophomore Heather Mears.

Lytle pointed out that she has some runners who have never run competitively before.

"Heather Mears, is running number one because she ran all summer and she has a very strong base," Lytle said. "She ran a lot of road races. After that, it really

hard to tell because they are clumped together."

"It will probably take a few meets to see that (where runners will be in the lineup)."

Lytle has juniors Tonia Dieter, Erika Pickard and Debbie Lilley, sophomore Tina Holland and freshmen Heather Brooks and Jessica Potter on her first squad.

"I don't know what they will do because many of them have not run in a meet," Lytle said. "Our goal is just to work together and see how fast they can run."

Ross will run its home meets at Wolf Creek State Park.

Clyde

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points to 37 for Clyde and 54 for Oak Harbor.

"Huron had three guys come in before our fourth and fifth guys and that hurt," Clyde coach Joe Stickney said. "Oak Harbor pushed us back a bit too."

Clyde's Andy Madell and Jeremy Dennis finished first and second in 17:07 and 17:14, respectively, while Scott Schmidt finished sixth for Oak harbor.

In other cross country action, Sandusky Perkins' girls whipped Fremont Ross 16-70 while the Perkins boys slipped past the

Little Giants 34-39, Fostoria's boys and Seneca East's girls won Meadowlark Invitational titles at Fostoria and Genoa and Woodmore ran a boys triangular at Lakota.

Ross-Perkins

Perkins runners took the first two spots in the boys' race, but Steve Jay, Dane Snyder and Mark Sheidler finished third through fifth.

"Our top three runners ran very well," Ross coach John Elder said.

Heather Mears finished fifth for the Ross girls.

Meadowlark Invitational

Scott Reineck of Fremont St. Joseph Central Catholic won the boys race in 16:37 — 12 seconds

Ross boys 10; Mears 7th

Werner wins individual title; PC finishes second

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TIFFIN — Fremont Ross's boys and girls cross country teams finished 10th and 15th, respectively, Saturday in the Division I-B events at the Tiffin Carnival.

John Elder, the Little Giants' coach, wasn't disappointed.

"Everyone ran well," he said. "They all improved their times, and they gave it their all. We are progressing as I hoped we would.

"This meet is very encouraging."

For the Ross boys, Steve Jay was 29th in 17:43, followed by Dane Snyder (37th) and Mark Sheidler (44th).

In the boys' Division I Open event, Nate Cox of Ross was 93rd in 19:47.

For the Ross girls, Heather Mears took seventh in 21:30.

Fremont St. Joseph Central Catholic's boys finished 14th in the Division III race and the girls were 13th in the Division II-B race at Hedges-Boyer Park.

For the St. Joe boys, Scott Reineck was 13th in 17:33.

Nanci Luc was 37th in 23:03 for

the St. Joe girls.

Clyde's boys finished eighth in Division II, while Lakota was 12th and Oak Harbor 14th.

Woodmore was fifth in the girls' Division II-B race, while Lakota was seventh, Clyde ninth, Bettsville 14th and Port Clinton 15th.

Genoa senior Bill Werner, a state runner-up last season, remained unbeaten this season, winning Saturday's Division II event.

Werner finished in 16:07 to lead the Comets to a seventh-place finish.

Port Clinton was second Division I-B with 130. Defiance won with 75.

Craig Thomas was fourth in 17:02 for Port Clinton.

Clyde's Andy Madell was eighth in 16:45 and Jeremy Dennis finished 16th in 17:13.

Lakota's Tracy Tahy was 34th in 17:47.

In the boys' Division III Open race, Old Fort's Howard Webb and Jason Lykens finished first and second, respectively, in 18:06 and 18:08. Chris Rogier of Lakota was 20th.

Becky Magers of Old Fort was 14th (22:42) in the girls' Division II Open event.

Julie Harrison led the Lakota girls, finishing eighth in 21:02. Teammate Traci Artiaga was 13th in 21:41.

For Clyde, Sarin Wiedle was 10th in 21:30.

Bettsville's Beth Riley was 22nd in 22:11.

Scott Schmidt had the top finish for Oak Harbor, taking 33rd in 17:46.

Woodmore sophomore Stacy Heins was third 20:29.

Margaretta was third in the girls' Division II-A race, while Oak Harbor took 17th.

Ross's junior high boys and girls teams each finished 20th out of 37 teams. Jeremiah Wagner took eighth in the boys' event, running a school record 12:01.

Woodmore's junior high girls team, behind the seventh-place finish by Lindsey Hamilton (13:54), captured its second straight Carnival championship.

Mandy Opfer was eighth for Woodmore in 14:01.

Ross runners fall twice; Cly

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Bowling Green runners slipped past Fremont Ross 27-28 in a boys meet Tuesday, while the BG girls eased to a 19-42 victory.

Ross's Steve Jay was first across the finish line in 17:57, while Heather Mears was second for the Ross girls in 22:56.

In other action, Sandusky Perkins ran past the Clyde boys and girls 26-31 and 22-38; Genoa's boys dominated a triangular at Otsego while Otsego's girls beat Genoa; Lakota's boys and girls beat Elmwood 20-39 and 15-50; Woodmore's boys won a triangular over Lake and Eastwood, while the Wildcat girls edged the Eagles 26-29; New Riegel's boys and the girls of Fostoria St. Wendelin were best among five teams in a meet at Bettsville; and Sandusky St. Mary's Central Catholic defeated Port Clinton and Oak Harbor in both a boys and girls meet.

Perkins-Clyde 31

Clyde's Sarin Weidle, who set a Commu-

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nity Park course record of 21:54, and Andy Madell won races for the Fliers but it wasn't enough as the Pirates stole both meets.

Otsego triangular

Genoa's Bill Werner finished one second ahead of teammate John Elmers as the Comets beat Otsego 22-45 and Gibsonburg 22-93 while Otsego beat Gibsonburg 45-93.

Gibsonburg's Chad Seem finished 12th. The Golden Bears did not field a full girls squad, but Laura Haslinger and Beth Bal-sizer finished ninth and 10th, respectively.

Otsego's girls took the top three spots and defeated Genoa 17-44. Melissa Wyse was fourth for the Comets.

Lakota-Elmwood

Lakota's Tracy Tahy and Aaron Szabo finished first and second in 17:08 and

Madell runs third for Clyde

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Clyde's Andy Madell finished third overall as Clyde placed fourth among Division II boys teams at the Galion Invitational cross country meet Saturday at Ammans Park.

Madell finished in 16 minutes and 46 seconds, 10 seconds behind the winning time of Shelby's Kevin McFadden.

Port Clinton's Craig Thomas placed fifth in 17:00, while Clyde's Jeremy Dennis was sixth in 17:03 and PC's Tony Trevino was ninth in 17:17.

River Valley won the meet with 64 points, Port Clinton placed third with 79 and the Fliers finished with 127.

In Division I, Heather Mears finished 10th for Fremont Ross in the girls meet and Steve Jay placed 25th for the Ross boys.

The Little Giants finished fourth among girls' teams with 133 points, while the boys were seventh with 180. Lincoln Ga-

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hana with 41 points won the girls team championship, while Ashland won the boys title with 31 points.

Mears ran a 22:03, while Leah Lomax (25th), Deb Lilley (28th), Heather Brooks (29th), Carey Gill (41st) and Tina Holland (49th) all finished in the top 50.

Gill, a freshman, was running her first 3.1-mile cross country race, Ross coach Tracy Lytle said.

"The girls ran well overall," Lytle said. "They are progressing nicely."

Jay, who clocked in at 17:43, was followed by teammates Jeff Pasch (32nd), Dane Snyder (37th), Mark Sheidler (38th), Doug Jibilian (43rd), David Boda (44th) and Rob Swaisgood (47th).

"We are still improving," Ross coach John Elder said. "Jeff Pasch ran a great race; Steve

Jay is running super as he has all season.

In the Division II girls meet, Port Clinton placed fourth with 117 points. Western Reserve won the team title with 57 points.

Perrysburg Invitational

Fremont St. Joseph Central Catholic's boys placed 13th out of 24 teams, while the St. Joe girls finished 16th out of 20.

Antwerp with 86 points and Blissfield (Mich.) with 51 won the boys and girls team championships.

Jason Yerkes was 38th for the St. Joe boys in 18:56. Brad Logsdon (67th), Quinn Logsdon (73), Greg Michael (93) and Eric Branda (97th) followed Yerkes to the finish line.

Nanci Luc's time of 23:13 was good for 32nd among girls Class A runners. St. Joe also placed Julie Nieset (57th), Abby Reineck (65th), Heather Luc (72nd) and Chris Branda (80th) among the top 80 runners.

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St. Wendelin 22-39, while the Clyde girls fell to St. Wendelin 24-31; Otsego and Lakota ran a triangular at Eastwood; Gibsonburg and Elmwood ran at Woodmore; and Sandusky Perkins was better than Oak Harbor and Edison in a tri-meet.

Webb finished in 18 minutes and 10 seconds for Old Fort, while Lykens ran 18:32 and St. Joe's Jason Yerkes also ran 18:32 for third place.

Magers' 22:01 was 44 seconds better than Havens' time. St. Joe's Julie Nieset placed sixth.

Napoleon triangular

Toledo Whitmer defeated the Ross boys 15-51, while Napoleon topped the Little Giants 20-40. Whitmer also beat the Ross girls 18-60, while Napoleon did not have enough runners finish for a team score.

Heather Mears of Ross placed third, 1:01 behind the winner. In the boys race, Steve Jay finished eighth for Ross.

Clyde-St. Wendelin

Clyde's Sarin Wiedle lowered her own Community Park course record but it wasn't enough to lead the Flier's past the St. Wendelin's girls team.

Wiedle, who ran 21:54 Sept. 10, lowered that time by almost a minute — running 20:59 Tuesday.

The Fliers' Andy Madell won the boys race in 17:07.

Eastwood triangular

Traci Artiaga finished second for the Lakota girls, four seconds behind Eastwood's Marcy Fleagle. Tracy Tahy was third for the Lakota boys.

Woodmore triangular

Charlie Gerwin finished second and teammate Ben Stebing was third, leading the Woodmore boys.

Clyde's Madell wins Maumee Invitational; Ross 5th

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Clyde's Andy Madell took first place overall in the Division II boys meet Saturday at the Maumee Invitational cross country meet Saturday.

Elsewhere, Margaretta's girls won the title at the Lake Invitational.

Madell finished in 16 minutes, 17 seconds. Teammate Jeremy Dennis was 11th in 17:06 as the Flyers took fourth as a team.

Port Clinton won the Division

II title with 68 and Bellevue was third with 78.

Port Clinton's Craig Thomas took eighth in 16:58 seconds.

Ross's boys recorded 121 to finish fifth in the Division I meet. Bedford won with 44.

Steve Jay had the top time for the Little Giants, finishing 14th in 17:20. Mark Sheidler was 21st (17:38).

The Ross girls also finished fifth in Division I with 178. Amherst Steele won with 17 while

Whitmer was second with 72.

Heather Mears was 12th for Ross in 20:53. Leah Lomas finished 32nd in 212:59.

In the junior high boys race, Fremont's Jeremiah Wagner took first with a school record 12:01. Andy Hague was fifth in 13:00 as Fremont took second.

In the junior high girls race, Lynne Grossman was fourth in 16:02 and Corrinne Petersen finished fifth in 16:15 for Fremont.

Lake Invitational

Woodmore's girls came in third with 73. Lakota finished fifth with 110, Oak Harbor seventh with 199 and Genoa ninth with 246.

Margaretta's Andrea Lindsley was second in 20:17 while Leslie Bales was seventh.

Stacy Heins of Woodmore was third in 20:19 and Laurie Crispen finished 12th in 21:42.

For Lakota, Julie Harrison took fourth (20:27) and Traci Artiaga was fifth (20:36).

Oak Harbor's Michelle Gladieux was 17th in 22:07 and Betsy Verb finished 25th in 22:30.

Lakota's boys took second place with 73, while Oak Harbor's was fourth with 137. Woodmore was fifth with 150 and Margaretta had 153 to take sixth.

Otsego won with 60.

Scott Schmidt was Oak Harbor's top finisher, finishing third in 17:09. Ben Wood was 27th and Bill Walker was 28th.

Lakota's Tracy Tahy was sixth (17:22) and Aaron Szabo was ninth (17:36).

Woodmore's Ben Stebing was 16th (18:00) and Sam Fitzpatrick took 18th place (18:02).

Margaretta's Matt O'Rourke finished second in 16:52.

Jay runs first for Ross

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Steve Jay of Fremont Ross edged Findlay's Bill Van Atta by one second in a boys high school cross country race Tuesday, but the Trojans defeated the Little Giants 25-31.

Jay crossed the finish line in 17 minutes, 11 seconds at Riverbend Park in Findlay.

In the girls meet, Findlay defeated Ross 21-34. Findlay's Heidi Guehl and Jenny Piper finished first and second, respectively, and Heather Mears of Ross placed third in 21:30.

In other cross country action reported, St. Joe's boys defeated Gibsonburg 22-34 and Port Clinton's boys ran past Clyde and Edison while the PC girls topped Clyde 23-35 in a tri-meet.

St. Joe-Gibsonburg

St. Joe's Scott Reineck won the boys race in 18:20 at Wolf Creek Park and was followed to the finish line by teammates Jason Yerkes and Brad Logsdon.

Don Huffman, Chad Seem and Josh Egbert placed fourth, fifth and sixth for Gibsonburg.

Nanci Luc was first for St. Joe in the girls' race in 22:58. Julie

Nieset of St. Joe was second Gibsonburg's Amber Picco was third.

Clyde tri-meet

Port Clinton's 28 points Community Park were eight better than Clyde, while Edison 74.

Andy Madell and Jeremy Denis finished first and second Clyde in 17:15 and 17:32, respectively. Tony Trevino paced with a third-place finish. Clyde's Sarin Wiedle won girls' race in 20:57, and Heather Britt placed fourth for PC.



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Port Clinton boys win Clay Invitational

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The Port Clinton boys cross country team won the Clay Eagle Invitational Division II team title Saturday at Pearson Park, while Genoa's Bill Werner was the top overall finisher.

Werner won with a time of 16 minutes, six seconds.

The Redskins finished with 103 points, which was nine fewer than Napoleon.

Craig Thomas led PC with a seventh place finish in 16:44.

Tony Tervino, Pete Coppeler and Joachim Salokorpi finished 15th, 16th and 17th, respectively. Tony Dracka and Eric Kummero placed 48th and 49th.

Gabe DeRose missed the meet with an illness, and Jason McCann was ineligible this week.

Genoa placed fifth with 143 points, Lakota was eighth with

216 and Oak Harbor finished ninth of 19 teams with 225.

Oak Harbor's Scott Schmidt finished 20th with a time of 17:25, while Lakota was led by Aaron Szabo in 23rd place.

Szabo ran 17:27 and was followed by teammates Sam Windom (41st), Dave Coutcher (42nd) and Sam Weaver (44th).

Toledo Whitmer won the boys Division I title with 45 points, and Fremont Ross was 12th of 19 teams with 321.

Steve Jay led the Little Giants, finishing 31st in 17:20. Other Ross finishers were Dane Snyder (58th), Mark Sheidler (60th), David Boda (82nd), Doug Jibilian (93rd), Tim Leeth (108th) and Jeff Pasch (114th).

In the Division II girls meet, Lakota placed fourth with 100 points behind Otsego (82), Cardi-

nal Strieth (83) and Sandusky St. Mary's Central Catholic (89).

Oak Harbor (190), Port Clinton (213) and Ross (224) placed seventh through ninth, respectively, while Genoa was 11th of 13 teams with 289.

Lakota was led by the fourth and sixth place finishes of Julie Harrison and Traci Artiaga. Harrison's time of 20:09 was 1:10 behind the winning time posted by Beth Staszak of Strieth.

Stephanie Cooper (17th) and Erin Swaisgood (30th) also placed high for the Raiders.

Heather Mears placed ninth for Ross, running 21:03. Other Ross finishers were Leah Lomax (37th), Carrie Gill (46th), Heather Brooks (52nd), Tina Holland (83rd), Janet Weidel (86th) and Jessica Potter (87th).

Oak Harbor was led by Betsy

Verb, who finished 18th in 21:38; Port Clinton's Heather Britt ran 22:27 for 32nd place; and Genoa's Melissa Wyse ran a 23:06, which was good for 42nd.

Western Reserve Invitational

The Fremont St. Joseph Central Catholic boys placed sixth out of 14 teams with 186 points. New London was the team champion with 47.

Scott Reineck finished seventh for the Crimson Streaks, clocking in at 17:18.

Jason Yerkes and Brad Logsdon finished 32nd and 35th, respectively, for the Streaks.

The St. Joe girls were seventh of seven teams with 175 points. Western Reserve won the title with 39 points.

Nanci Luc finished 11th in 21:36, and Julie Nieset was 38th.

Maumee tops Ross; St. Joe runs third

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Maumee ran past Fremont twice Thursday, while Fremont St. Joseph Central Catholic's runners finished third in a tri-meet with Sandusky St. Mary's Central Catholic and Seneca East.

The Ross boys lost 26-33 despite the 1-2 finish of Steve Jay and Dane Snyder. Jay finished in 17 minutes, 25 seconds and Snyder ran a 17:47.

Ross coach John Elder said Jeff Pasch and Tim Leeth did not run because of injury but that he expected them to be ready for the Fremont Invitational Saturday.

Maumee beat the Fremont girls 20-44. Heather Mears was second for the Little Giants.

Mears ran a 21:56, which was 29 seconds behind Maumee's Lina Meyer, and Carey Gill

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placed sixth for Ross.

St. Joe's 65 points trailed Seneca East's 43 and St. Mary's 24 in the boys meet at Osborne Park in Sandusky.

Jason Mindera of St. Mary's won the race in 17:21, while St. Joe's Scott Reineck and Jason Yerkes finished fourth and 10th, respectively.

Reineck finished with a time of 17:49, while Yerkes was clocked in at 18:13.

St. Mary's girls totaled 25 points, finishing with five fewer than Seneca East. St. Joe, which got a 12th-place finish from Nanci Luc, finished with 82 points.

Luc crossed the finish line in 23:24. Betsy Legando of St. Mary's won the race in 20:19.

Central boys, girls win Fremont meet

By BOB MARKER

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Toledo Central Catholic dominated the first Fremont Invitational Cross Country Meet Saturday at windy Wolf Creek Park.

The Irish won both the boys and girls varsity divisions handily. The TCC boys had 19 points while sweeping the top four spots and the Irish girls were charged with 27 points in the girls race. Low score in cross country wins.

The meet was a cooperative effort by Fremont Ross and St. Joseph Central Catholic. Teams entered in the race had either purple or red as their main colors. In prior years, the race had been the Purple Invitational hosted by Ross.

"I think the future of this meet is good," Ross coach John Elder said. "I think if we get on to a different course that can accommodate more teams, I think it can grow. The question is can we get other teams with the right colored uniforms down here."

The meet had originally been slated for a new course on the Widman property on Morrison Road but the course has not been completed.

St. Joe coach Gary Logsdon said, "As far as I know, this is the first time that Ross and St. Joe have combined their efforts for a tournament. It turned out excellent."

Elder added, "We (Ross, and St. Joe) worked well together. Gary handled a lot of the organizational awards; we handled the correspondence — it worked out well. We'll do it again."

Logsdon said, ideally, a goal is to have a two-division (big school, little school) race.

"We are definitely going to keep the colors — that is a unique item," the St. Joe coach said.

Maumee was second in the boys race with 86 points. Keystone was next at 100 while Ross was fourth with 107. Huron, Ashland Crestview and St. Joe finished sixth through seventh. Toledo Waite and Vermilion did not have full teams.

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Jake O'Leary won the individual race for the Irish, running the 3.1-mile course, which was plagued by a strong wind out of the west, in 16 minutes and 42 seconds. Second through fourth were teammates Aaron Staszak, Mike McManus and Chris Heinrichs.

"The wind doesn't bother people on this course," Elder said. "It is an enclosed course because of the trees; the surface was more of a factor because of the wet leaves and it being slick."

Steve Jay of Ross was seventh in 17:23 and Scott Reineck of St. Joe was 10th in 17:36.

Keystone was second in the girls race with 65. Maumee was next at 91 with Huron fourth at 118. Ross was fifth at 119, followed by Waite and St. Joe.

Gretchen Weiher, Kristin Avery and Cathy Blondo of the TCC finished 1-2-3. Weiher recorded a 19:40 while Avery finished in 20:11.

Heather Mears of Ross was ninth in 21:37 while Nanci Luc in 21st was St. Joe's top finisher.

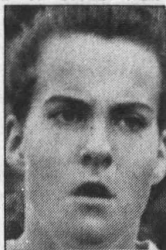
In the varsity open races, Suzie Harraman of Ashland Crestview was first in the girls race in 22:32 LUC while Chris Athey of Vermilion won the boys open race in 17:35.

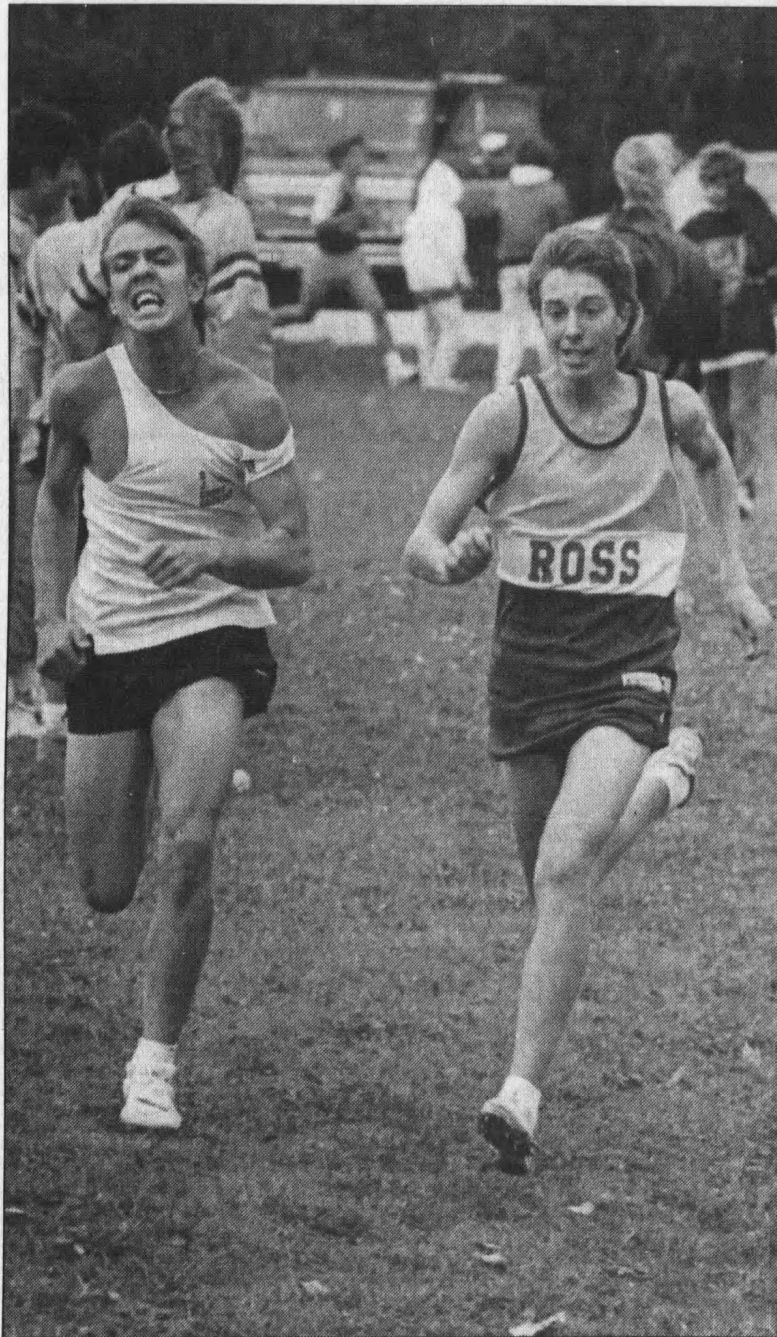
Fremont Junior High School won the junior high boys race with 48 points, six ahead of runner-up Maumee. Keystone was third with St. Joe fourth and Huron fifth.

Jeremiah Wagner of the Fremont Junior High was the individual winner in 12:14. Brett Reineck of St. Joe finished third in 12:37.

Maumee was first in the girls junior high event with 30 points. Huron was second with 33 and St. Joe third with 67.

Sarah Yeager of St. Joe was third in 12:30. Star Foos was 19th for Fremont Junior High's best finish.





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Toward the finish line

Brad Logsdon of Fremont St. Joe, far left, and Doug Jibilian of Fremont Ross race toward the finish line Saturday at the Fremont Invitational

at Wolf Creek. At right, Heather Mears of Ross charges up a hill on her way to a ninth place finish. **See story, B3.**

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Fremont Invitational

VARSTIY STANDINGS

Toledo C.C.	19	Huron	110
Maumee	86	Ash. Crestview	137
Keystone	100	St. Joe	140
Ross	107		

(Waite and Vermillion did not have full teams).

Top 25

1-Jake O'Leary (TCC) 16:42, 2-Arron Staszak (TCC) 16:49, 3-Mike McManus (TCC) 16:53, 4-Chris Heinruchs (TCC) 16:54, 5-Troy Gottfried (AC) 17:07;

6-Steve Jay (R) 17:23, 7-Todd Johnson (K) 17:24, 8-Chris Myers (H) 17:26, 9-Abel Quisno (TCC) 17:27, 10-Scott Reineck (SJ) 17:36;

11-Jim Harris (M) 17:41, 12-Rob Johnson (AC) 17:44, 13-Gregg Grovlin (H) 17:45, 14-Brian Holden (H) 17:45, 15-Andy Bartell (M) 17:49;

16-Randy Trouipry (K) 17:49, 17-Joe Lehmann (M) 17:56, 18-John Frankforther (M) 18:03, 19-Ray Anaple (TCC) 18:07, 20-Chris Pakulski (TCC) 18:08;

21-Jason Yerkes (SJ) 18:10, 22-Mark Miles (K) 18:15, 23-Dane Snyder (R) 18:20, 24-Jeff Pasch (R) 18:24, 25-Art Mabrey (M) 18:27.

Other finishes

ROSS: 26-Mark Sheidler 18:27, 30-David Boda 18:49, 33-Doug Jibilian 18:51, 37-Tim Leeth 19:08.

ST. JOE: 32-Brad Logsdon 18:53, 38-Eric Branda 19:09, 39-Quinn Logsdon 19:16, 43-John Devore 19:45, 45-Greg Michael 20:08.

VARSIITY OPEN

Top 10

1-Chris Athey (Vermillion) 17:35, 2-John Griss (Maumee) 18:32, 3-Matt Edwards (Waite) 18:42, 4-Alex Clawson (W) 18:42, 5-Jason Isaacs (W) 18:43;

6-Sean Blakely (M) 19:03, 7-Rob Corron (M) 19:04, 8-Adam Fleischmann (M) 19:05, 9-Erick Maurer (M) 19:06, 10-Rob Swaisgood (Ross) 19:14.

Other finishes

ROSS: 17-Nate Cox 19:49, 18-Ken Kreilick 19:49.

ST. JOE: 26-Jeff Schneider 20:27, 27-Doug Nieset 20:34, 38-Matt Hoffman 22:07, 40-Tad Oxley 22:48.