## Dick McKichan Platteville Invitational Cross Country Meet 2016 49th Annual Dick McKichan Platteville F

Date: Saturday, October 1st, 2016

Location: UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN PLATTEVILLE VETERANS PARK

We are excited to be running at UWP Veterans Memorial Park. The Course is changed slightly because of some damage that we received early in the summer. Please see the map.

#### **Schedule of Events:**

8:30 JUNIOR HIGH OPEN 1.5 miles (8th grade and younger)

9:00 Boys Varsity Race (Divisions Run Together – Split for Scoring)

9:40 Girls Varsity Race (Divisions Run Together – Split for Scoring)

10:20 Boys Jr. Varsity Race (No Divisions)

11:00 Girls Jr. Varsity Race (No Divisions)

11:40 Open Race for ANYONE (5k)

12:15 Awards

- \* Coaches please note the Platteville Jr. High Open. Please advise your Jr. High programs of the race. It is open to any runner, 8th grade or under. The distance will be 1.5 miles. There is No entry fee, No team scores will be kept. Times will be recorded. Trophy for the 1st place male and female finisher, and ribbons to all finishers. Your MS programs are not being contacted other than this mailing.
- \*\* NOTICE: All teams in the High School Races will run together. Teams will then be separated into small and large divisions for team scoring and for all awards in the VARSITY COMPETITION ONLY.
- \*In the four Varsity Races run seven and count five. In the two Junior Varsity Races, there is unlimited entries, and your first five runners will be your counters.

In the **Open Race**, no team scores or times will be kept. We will have a large Race Clock to aid the athletes and coaches in obtaining times. There is also **no** entry fee.

**Jury of Appeals:** Starter = (WIAA Official), Rob Serres (Meet Manager), Bill Fischer = McFarland (Boys' Team Coach), Allie Klein – Prairie duChien (Girls' Team Coach)

Division Breakdown: There are 27 Schools entered this year, with 14 in the Small School and 13 in the Large Schools (Pop. are from WIAA Directory of Member Schools 2016-17 combined teams have combined populations)

Small School Division: St. Ambrose Academy 50, Cassville 75, Wauzeka-Steuben 105, Albany 110, Madison Country Day School/Abundant Life Christian 166, Darlington 216, Fennimore 218, Pecatonica/Argyl 221, Belleville 267, Iowa Grant/Highland 278, Lancaster 300, Prairie duChien 335, New Glarus/Monticello 337, Wisconsin Heights/Barneveld 340

<u>Large School Division:</u> Brodhead/Juda 411, Wisconsin Dells 415, River Valley 421, Platteville 443, Lodi 508, Southwestern/Benton/Cuba City 522, Madison Edgewood 544, Evansville 554, Dodgeville/Mineral Point 626, Monroe 690, McFarland 698, Mount Horeb 728, Sauk Prairie 813

#### Awards:

<u>Varsity Divisions:</u> 1st and 2nd place Team trophies in each Varsity Division (large and small) as well as Medals for the top seven runners on each divisional championship team. Individual Trophy for 1st place finisher. Medals 2nd through 10th. Ribbons 11th through 30th in EACH division.

Junior Varsity Divisions: 1st and 2nd place Team trophies. Trophy for 1st Place finisher, Medals 2nd through 10th. Ribbons 11-40th. (Ribbons handed out to runners as they finish)

"Fastest Freshmen" Trophy to the best time of the Freshmen Girl and Freshmen Boy finisher in the competitions.

**Junior High Open:** 1st Place Trophy to the top girl and boy finisher. Ribbons to all finishers.

COURSE RECORDS: (This year, there will be NEW Records created because of the course change.)

Girls (4K): 14:09 by Amy Davis of Edgewood High School (2013)

Girls (5K): 19:05 by Noelle Maire of Belleville High School (2015)

Boys (5K): 15:29 by Ryan McCoy of New Glarus/Monticello (2012)

### **NOTES:**

- Be reminded that the course is located at the UWP VETERANS MEMORIAL PARK -
- Course Maps will be mailed out at a later date.
- There will be Port-o-Potties available by the Start of the Race
- \* A Trainer will be available at the meet.

Medical Emergencies will be handled through Southwest Health Services.

- \*Athletes should stay within 6' of any blue flags.
- \*Remind your athletes about all WIAA rules concerning conduct and clothing.
- \*The meet will be computer scored again this year through Direct Athletics. Athletes will be wearing bib numbers, and will receive them the day of the meet.

#### **Bus Parking and General Parking:**

+Buses and team vans may park in the lower parking lot near the start/finish. All Spectators will need to park in the upper parking lots. OR, in the Parking area that is SouthWest of the Limestone Loop. See Map.

#### **Team Tent Set Up:**

+Tents should <u>NOT</u> be set up anywhere in the middle of the course where the Start and Finish run through. Tents may be set up to the South of the start area, or any where that is to the outside of the course. If there is a problem, we would appreciate your teams cooperation in moving if need be.

#### T -Shirts:

\*\*There will once again a **CLASSIC Short** *Sleeve* **Platteville Invitational T-Shirt** available to your athletes at the meet. This is a fun one again! It will cost \$20.00 – REALLY COOL. It's sure to be a collectors item among Southwest Wisconsin CC Runners!!

\*\*\*\*This is sure to be a GREAT shirt, once again!!! This one is awesome! Cost WILL be \$20.00.

## **Entry Fee:**

\$150.00 per School - \$75.00 for individual Girl's or Boy's Teams.

Make Checks payable to: Platteville High School, and send to: Mike Foley, Activities Director.

\*\*Please check with your AD and get this sent ASAP if you haven't already.

## **ENTRIES:**

Coaches will need to make their entries using **DirectAthletics** by logging into **www.directathletics.com**. Under the **Platteville Dick McKichan Invitational**.

All entries must be received by 12:00 PM – NOON, on Thursday, September 29th. (no faxed entries, no emailed entries, etc).

If you have any questions, please call 608-342-4020 Ext. 2240 or E-Mail: serres@platteville.k12.wi.us We look forward to seeing you on Saturday, October 1st!!!! It will be one of the premier meets of the year!

Sincerely - Rob Serres - Platteville High School

# **2016** Platteville Invitational Cross County Meet Lane Assignments (lanes drawn by random # generator)

Lane	School	Lane	School	Lane	School
1	Wauzeka-Steuben	10	River Valley	19	Wi. Hghts/Barnev
2	SW/Benton/CC	11	New Glarus/Mont	20	Lodi
3	Cassville	12	Belleville	21	Prairie duChien
4	St. Ambrose Acad	13	Pecatonica/Argyl	22	Mount Horeb
5	Fennimore	14	Platteville	23	Evansville
6	Wisconsin Dells	15	Albany	24	Madison Edge
7	McFarland	16	Monroe	25	Lancaster
8	Sauk Prairie	17	Iowa Grant/High	26	Ctry Day/Abu Life
9	Dodgeville/MP	18	Darlington	27	Brodhead/Juda

