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FOUR TIME CHAMPION--Cascia Hall's Natalie Gray crosses the finish line triumphantly for her fourth straight state 3A cross country title in Tulsa, October 30th at Oral Roberts University. Gray became the first Oklahoma runner to accomplish this feat and only the tenth in the nation to do the same. Story and full results on the state championships in this issue. Photo by John Reid, The Delaware County Journal

OSSAA Cross Country State Championships By John Hoke

Editor

TULSA--Cascia Hall's Natalie Gray turned in a red-hot performance on a blustery cold day at the OSSAA Cross Country State Championships held here at Oral Roberts University October 30th. Gray claimed her fourth state 3A cross country championship, the first ever by an Oklahoman and only the 10th high school athlete nationally to accomplish that feat. She avenged her only 3A loss of the season and clocked the fastest time of the day by defeating Plainview's Sarah Harvey, runnerup to Gray last year, by a margin of 12:05 to 12:22 for the two-mile circuit.

Gray, who is being recruited by two of the nation's top colleges, Georgetown and Villanova, and aspires to be a cardiovscular surgeon said she loved the cold weather and "didn't have any trouble getting motivated" to reclaim to top spot from sophomore Harvey.

Temperatures were in the mid-20's at the beginning of the first race with gusty winds and snow still on the ground from the previous night's brief snow storm. The frigid temperatures took their toll on many of the runners who suffered from asthma with over a half dozen top runners significantly impaired and at least two hospitalized.

Gray was joined by the two other defending champions in repeating their 1992 championships. Senior Brian Young of Jenks and sophomore Jessica Hoke of McGuinness both posted individual wins while leading their respective teams to repeat titles as well.

Young, second in the state as a sophomore, led his Trojan teammates to their sixth straight state title, the longest running streak since the 1950's when Tulsa Central last dominated the state cross country scene. Coach John McGinnis' team was a slight underdog to Norman after a lackluster regional performance but a raceweek lineup change and an inspired home-course performance gave the Trojans the strength they needed to pull off the victory.

It was Hoke's first win of the season after missing the first half due to a stress fracture and tearing a rib cartilage ten days before the regional. She sat out the regional and came into the state meet with only 100 miles on her legs for the season. She edged freshman teammate Ashley Boothe by only two seconds for the gold medal. Coach David Morton's Fighting Irish became only the third school to repeat as both boys and girls champions in winning the 4A divisions. Guthrie finished second to McGuinness in both races with the closest margin

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By John Hoke, Editor

State Championships

What a cross country season! It reached its zenith two weeks ago at the OSSAA State Championships in Tulsa where runners from over 150 different teams lined-up in freezing weather to decide who was the best and when it was all over there were eight champions and eight championship teams crowned "State Champions." Meet director, Roger Brown, did a great job of coordinating this huge event and all of the officials and volunteers are to be commended for performances above and beyond the call of duty.

All-State

In the past, the top ten finishers in the state meet have been honored with All-State status regardless of class year. Now, there is a move under way by the Oklahoma Coaches Association (not the <u>Track</u> Coaches Association) to grant this award to seniors only as is done in most team sports. I know this doesn't make sense to those of us involved in individual sports--how do you tell the state champion that they aren't "All-State" just because they happen to not be a senior?--but it doesn't seem to be clear to the football, basketball, baseball, etc. coaches how really unfair this is. Their real concern seems to be the number of All-State jackets in circulation rather than the true achievement of being the top athlete, regardless of class, in the state.

Cross country and track coaches <u>must make</u> their feelings known to their fellow coaches and particularly their athletic directors if we want to stop this movement in its tracks.

Track Season

This is the last issue until February 28, 1994, which will cover the indoor track season and preview the outdoor season. The Track Coaches Association Winter Clinic is set for the first weekend in February but the site is yet to be determined. Doc Kreis of the University of Colorado will be the featured speaker and the cross country coaches of the year will be announced at this meeting.

Running's Loss

The running world was saddened by the news that Dr. George Sheehan died November first, four days short of his 75th birthday after an eight-year battle with cancer. Sheehan was our sport's preeminent philosopher who loved the discipline and creativity of preparation, the pain and challenge of competition and the joy of post-race parties.

He was an inspiration to me personally and his writings have been an often sought guide through some of my life's toughest times. It was only a couple of weeks ago when the McGuinness cross country team was eating at my house that their coach, David Morton, read to them from his latest book "Personal Best" about the need to be "above normal" which speaks to the ability in us all to exceed what is expected and become the best we can be.

I will miss Dr. Sheehan but his thoughts will live on through his words forever.

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State Championships

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of the day, only one point, separating the boys and the largest margin, 48 points, sepa-

rating the girls.

The Bartlesville girls added another trophy to their case in winning the 5A title, giving coach Mike Adair his 11th win this season without a loss, putting four runners in the top ten while easily outpointing runnerup Jenks, 39-86. Plainview took the 3A girls title again, as expected, with all five of coach Jerry Naylor's point scorers in the top ten.

The Marlow boys won their third consecutive title in 3A but it took an outstanding team performance from coach Jimmy Brackeen's Outlaws to stave off a serious challenge by upstart Little Axe who placed three runners in the top five, including first and second. The Outlaws put four of their runners in the top seven and outpointed coach Barry Klein's Indians 34-41.

In the 2A division the Beaver girls notched the victory for coach Ed Hercock by two points over Velma-Alma with both teams glad that Laverne couldn't find a fifth runner to go with their one-two individual punch. The Tahlequah Sequoyah boys came back from a second place east regional finish and gave coach Sam Horsechief a first place finish and the state championship trophy.

Other individual winners included Jenks' junior Carissa Nix, the top-ranked 5A girl, who pulled away from Shawnee's senior Natalie Mann over the last half mile to clock the second-fastest time of the day with a 12:07. Northeast's only entrant, junior Cornelius Mason, won the 4A boys title by ten seconds over Noble's senior Chad Weaver with Little Axe's Craig Blanchard taking the 3A title. Laverne's freshmen, Ashlee Barby and Kim Whitehead, finished 1-2 in the 2A girls division and Buffalo's sophomore Mark Levings climbed back to the top of the 2A boys with a 15 second win over Lindsay's sophomore Charles Cameron.

The top three teams and top 15 individuals in each class will get a chance to compete against each other in the Meet of Champions November 6th at Oklahoma State University.

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2A GIRLS

TEAM SCORING: 1. Beaver (Sara Kee, Amy Herchock, Frankle Cash, Jody Wrangham, Sandy Jenkins, Elizabeth Lynch, Megan Gregg, Coach Ed Herchock) 69: 2. Velma-Alma 71: 3. Tahlequah Sequoyah 93; 4. Lexington 111; 5. Oaks 136: 6. Konawa 146: 7. Chicholm 165: 8. Forgan, 219: 9. Keyes 223: 10. Tishomingo 225: 11. Turpin 249: 12. Wynnewood 288.

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3A GIRLS

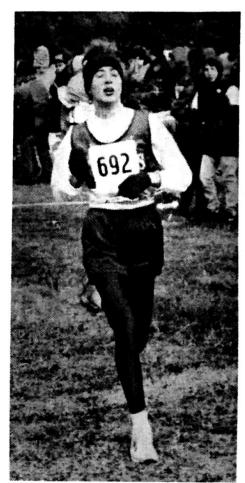
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4A GIRLS

TEAM SCORING: 1. McGuinness (Jessica Hoke, Ashley Boothe, Lori Greenlee, Kim Keaton, Jolie Airington, Renee Conway, Laura Imel, Coach David Morton) 31; 2. Guthrie 79; 3. Edmond North 111; 4. Durant 125; 5. Elk City 143; 6. Carl Albert 149; 7. John Marshall 162; 8. Duncan 177; 9. Guymon 210; 10. Webster 220; 11. Kelley 244.

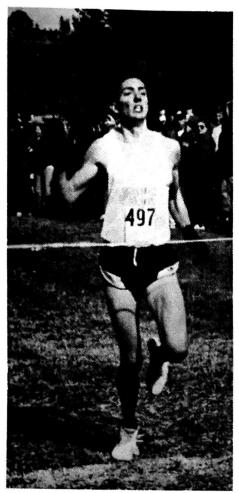
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LAVERNE FRESHMAN Ashley Barby crosses the line ahead of freshman teammate Kim Whitehead to win the 2A girls' race at the state meet. Photo by John Hoke



MCGUINNESS' JESSICA HOKE sprints for the finish and her second straight 4A girl's title just ahead of teammate Ashley Boothe (left) and Claremore's Annie Forsberg who finished 2nd and 3rd. Photo by Dean Imel



DEFENDING 5A BOYS Champion, senior Brian Young of Jenks, picks up his second state championship. Photo by John Hoke

14:16: 28. Stephanie Smith. Guthrie. 14:16: 29. Andi Lute, Edmond North, 14:17: 30. Beverly Casteel, Duncan, 14:17.

5A GIRLS

TEAM SCORING: 1. Bartlesville (Jennifer Christie, Stephanie Webb, Kim Lakey, Dana Baughman, Jocelyn Cannon, Annie Thompson, Emily Corbett, Coach Mike Adair) 39; 2. Jenks 86; 3. Moore 114; 4. Westmoore 136; 5. Stillwater 152; 6. Sapulpa 164; 7. Shawnee 184; 8. Union 198; 9. Tahlequah 203; 10. Norman 211; 11. Edmond Memortal 228; 12. Eisenhower 306.

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2A BOYS

TEAM SCORING: 1. Tahlequah Sequoyah (Dan Hummingbird. Scott Lowe. Dusty Bunner. Willie Wacoche, Levi Wacoche, Charles Billie, Wes Procter, Coach Sam Horsechief) 50; 2. Lindsay 69; 3. Tishomingo 97; 4. Glencoe 104; 5. Keyes 126; 6. Alva 156; 7. Riverside 162; 8. Hydro 172; 9. Chisholm 208; 10. Geary 251.

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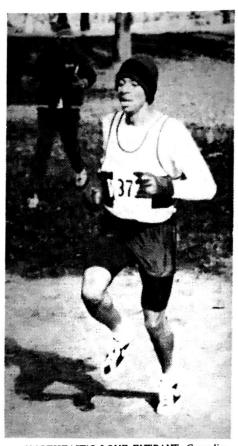
3A BOYS

TEAM SCORING: 1. Marlow (Junior Minson, Clint Loyd, Jared Lovett, Zach Minson, Michael Johnson, Jody Woods, Rodney Pipkin, Coach Jimmy Brackeen) 34; 2. Little Axe 41; 3. Plainview 110; 4. Dickson 131; 5. Grove 133; 6. Santa Fe 134; 7. Glenpool 162; 8. Byng 205; 9. Millwood 236.

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LITTLE AXE'S CRIAG BLANCHARD breaks the tape to win the 3A boys race at the state meet in Tulsa Oct. 30. Photo by John Hoke



NORTHEAST'S LONE ENTRANT, Cornelius Mason, won the 4A boys title by ten seconds over runnerup, Chad Weaver, of Noble. Photo by John Hoke

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4A BOYS

TEAM SCORING: 1. McGuinness (Mike Connolly, Matt Stuart, Clay Axton, Eric Calder, Chris Strecker, Brian Corff, Paul Pierce, Coach David Morton) 39: 2. Guthrie 40: 3. Noble 87: 4. Duncan 109: 5. Kelley 148: 6. Edmond North 209: 7. Claremore 215: 8. Durant 243: 9. Weatherford 245: 10. John Marshall 245: 11. Elk City 265: 12. Webster 295.

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- 3. Sara Kee
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- 4. Becki Johson
 Big Pasture
- 5. Jennifer Dodson Lindsay
- 6. Amy Herchock

 Beaver
- 7. Cindy West Fairview
- 8. Misty Ahhaitty
 Carnegie
- 9. Anita Rameriz
 Oaks
- 10. Kaysha Headrick
 Turpin
 HONORABLE MENTION: 11.

HONORABLE MENTION: 11. Brandi Cruse, Velma-Alma; 12. Ami Taylor, Lindsay; 13. Tara Overstreet, Pioneer-Pleasant Vale; 14. Frankie Cash, Beaver; 15. Tosha Calswell, Lexington.

3A

- 1. Natalie Gray Cascia Hall
- 2. Sarah Harvey Plainview
- 3. Chrissy Guild

 Marlow
- 4. Lacey Sanford Plainview
- 5. Emily McCulloh Plainview
- 6. Halee Lackey
 Plainview
- 7. Amy Norton Plainview
- 8. Kelleigh Sanders Elgin
- 9. Melinda Krieg Cascia Hall
- 10. Marisa Fields
 Grove
 HONORABLE MENTION: 11.

Dena Dial, Marlow; 12. Leah Norton, Plainview; 13. Melanie Lemons, Marlow; 14. Anndria Love, Dickson; 15. Mitzi Moore, Sulphur.

4A

- 1. Jessica Hoke
 McGuinness
- 2. Ashley Boothe McGuinness
- 3. Annie Forsberg Claremore
- 4. Nicole Monroe Guthrie
- 5. Jameka Roberts

 John Marshall
- 6. Lori Greenlee McGuinness
- 7. Brandi Woodard Guthrie
- 8. Valerie Smith Elk City
- 9. Summer Lamons Edmond North
- 10. Courtney Moody

 Durant

HONORABLE MENTION: 11. Kelli Cowan, Guthrie; 12. Kim Keaton, McGuinness; 13. Shanna Hainline, Noble; 14. Jolie Airington, McGuinness; 15. Natalie Krieger, Durant.

5A

- 1. Carissa Nix Jenks
- 2. Natalie Mann Shawnee
- 3. Misty Moore Tahlequah
- 4. Jennifer Christie

 Bartlesville
- 5. Stephanie Webb Bartlesville
- 6. Andrea Haley Stillwater
- 7. Kim Lakey
 Bartlesville
- 8. Tara Schiffelbein Edmond Memorial
- 9. Jamie Chambers Tulsa Washington
- 10. Dana Baughman

 Bartlesville

HONORABLE MENTION: 11. Lindsay Nickens, Jenks; 12. Debbie Dearman, Sapulpa; 13. Jaime McClain, Union; 14. Naomi Ramos, Moore; 15. Jocelyn Cannon, Bartlesville.

1993 BOYS ALL STATE CROSS COUNTRY

2A

- 1. Mark Levings
 Buffalo
- 2. Charles Cameron Lindsay
- 3. Ray Coomer Glencoe
- 4. Dan Hummingbird Sequoyah Tahlequah
- 5. Vincent McClain Tishomingo
- 6. Zac Cazzelle Glencoe
- 7. Ted Sutton
 Beaver
- 8. Michael Longhat Carnegie
- 9. Casey Langdon Elmore City-Pernell
- 10. Zac Johnson Velma-Alma

HONORABLE MENTION: 11. Cody Daukei, Watonga; 12. Michael Simmons, Cement; 13. Cade Baird, Hydro; 14. Daniel McKinney, Davenport; 15. Matt Holcomb, Lindsay.

3A

- 1. Craig Blanchard Little Axe
- 2. Jeremy Johnson Little Axe
- 3. Junior Minson Marlow
- 4. Clint Loyd

 Marlow
- 5. Shawn Myers Little Axe
- 6. Jared Lovett

 Marlow
- 7. Zach Minson Marlow
- 8. Jason Jones Santa Fe
- 9. Marc Lampkin Dickson
- 10. Blake Jackson Dickson

HONORABLE MENTION: 11. Bailey Stanphill, Grove; 12. Jason Dodd, Glenpool; 13. Jasn Humphrey, Plainview; 14. Michael Johnson, Marlow; 15. Daniel York, Plainview.

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- 1. Cornelius Mason Northeast
- 2. Chad Weaver Noble
- 3. Justin Bumgardner Guthrie
- 4. Mike Connolly McGuinness
- 5. William Nelson Guthrie
- 6. Jeremy Cleek
 Guthrie
- 7. Peter Schultz
 Kelley
- 8. Matt Stuart

 McGuinness
- 9. Clay Axton

 McGuinness
- 10. Toby Filener Duncan

HONORABLE MENTION: 11. Eric Calder, McGuinness; 12. Chris Strecker, McGuinness; 13. Mike Johnson, Noble; 14. Ryan Phillips, Duncan; 15. Paul Lowery, Carl Albert.

5A

- 1. Brian Young Jenks
- 2. Chance Rush Enid
- 3. Brian Crow
 Broken Arrow
- 4. Joey Donnelly Norman
- 5. Jonathon Pillow Tulsa Memorial
- 6. Larry Digby
 Putnam City North
- 7. Jeff Reid Jenks
- 8. Jeff Baer Norman
- 9. Eric Hatcher
- Eisenhower

 10. Brian Powell

Eisenhower

HONORABLE MENTION: 11. Gary Porter, Eisenhower; 12. Tom Bennett, Jenks; 13. John Cottrill, Union; 14. Ryan Suchala, Edmond Memorial; 15. Jason Wolfe, Enid.



JENKS' CARISSA NIX cruises along alone in first with less than a mile to go in the 5A state meet in Tulsa. Nix was one of only two top-seeded runners to win state titles. Photo by John Hoke



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STATE TEAM PLACERS

2A BOYS

- 1. Tahlequah Sequoyah
- 2. Lindsay
- 3. Tishomingo
- 4. Glencoe
- 5. Keyes
- 6. Alva
- 7. Riverside
- 8. Hydro
- 9. Chisholm
- 10. Geary

3A BOYS

- 1. Marlow
- 2. Little Axe
- 3. Plainview
- 4. Dickson
- 5. Grove
- 6. Santa Fe
- 7. Glenpool
- 8. Byng
- 9. Millwood

4A BOYS

- 1. McGuinness
- 2. Guthrie
- 3. Noble
- 4. Duncan
- 5. Kelley
- 6. Edmond North
- 7. Claremore
- 8. Durant
- 9. Weatherford
- 10. John Marshall

5A BOYS

- 1. Jenks
- 2. Norman
- 3. Sapulpa
- 4. Eisenhower
- 5. Edmond Memorial
- 6. Union
- 7. Enid
- 8. Midwest City
- 9. Altus
- 10. Stillwater

2A GIRLS

- 1. Beaver
- 2. Velma-Alma
- 3. Tahlequah Sequoyah
- 4. Lexington
- 5. Oaks
- 6. Konawa
- 7. Chisholm
- 8. Forgan
- 9. Keyes
- 10. Tishomingo

3A GIRLS

- 1. Plainview
- 2. Marlow
- 3. Cascia Hall
- 4. Grove
- 5. Purcell
- 6. Locust Grove
- 7. Glenpool
- 8. Jay
- 9. Iones
- 10. Santa Fe

4A GIRLS

- 1. McGuinness
- 2. Guthrie
- 3. Edmond North
- 4. Durant
- 5. Elk City
- 6. Carl Albert
- 7. John Marshall
- 8. Duncan
- 9. Guymon
- 10. Webster

5A GIRLS

- 1. Bartlesville
- 2. Jenks
- 3. Moore
- 4. Westmoore
- 5. Stillwater
- 6. Sapulpa
- 7. Shawnee
- 8. Union
- 9. Tahlequah
- 10. Norman

Meet of Champions Oklahoma State University

STILLWATER--It was another cold, windy day but the sun was out and the inaugural Meet of Champions was a great race that brought together the top teams and individuals in one single boys and girls division with the Marlow boys and Bartlesville girls walking away with top team honors.

Jenks' Carissa Nix took top honors in the girls' race over Shawnee's Natalie Mann while Enid's Chance Rush won the boys' race over Norman's Joey Donnelly.

TEAM SCORING: 1. Bartlesville 51; 2. Plainview 52; 3. McGuinness 91; 4. Moore 116; 5. Jenks 119;

6. Marlow 126: 7. Guthrie 127; 8. Tahlequah Sequoyah 216.

INDIVIDUALS: 1. Cariss Nix, Jenks, 11:55; 2. Natalie Mann, Shawnee, 12:05; 3. Jennifer Christie, Bartlesville, 12:06; 4. Chrissy Guild, Marlow, 12:07; 5. Jessica Hoke, McGuinness, 12:09; 6. Sarah Harvey, Plainview, 12:12; 7. Emily McCulloh, Plainview, 12:14; 8. Ashley Boothe, McGuinness, 12:14; 9. Stephanie Webb. Bartlesville, 12: 18; 10. Nicole Monroe, Guthrie, 12:23; 11. Valerie smith, Elk City, 12:23; 12. Brandi Woodard, Guthrie, 12:26; 13. Kim Lakey, Bartlesville, 12:29; 15. Andrea Haley, Stillwater, 12:32; 16. Misty Moore, Tahlequah, 12:34; 17. Ashlee Barby, Laverne, 12:34; 18. Jamie Chambers, Tulsa Washington. 12:35; 19. Dana Baughman, Bartlesville, 12:48; 20. Halee Lackey, Plainview, 12:37; 21. Amy Norton. Plainview, 12:37; 22. Lort Greenlee, McGuinness, 12:37; 23. Jaime McClain, Union, 12:38; 24. Jocelyn Cannon, Bartlesville, 12:48: 25. Kim Day, Moore, 12:48: 26. Leah Norton, Plainview, 12:51; 27. Kelli Cowan, Guthrie, 12:52; 28. Debbie Dearman, Sapulpa, 12:54; 29. Naomi Ramos, Moore, 12:57; 30. Melinda Kriegh, Cascia Hall, 13:00.

BOYS

TEAM SCORING: 1. Marlow 75; 2. Jenks 78; 3. McGuinness 85; 4. Guthrie 87; 5. Sapulpa 107; 6.

Norman 116: 7. Little Axe 175; 8. Tahlequah Sequoyah 179; 9. Plainview 205.

INDIVIDUALS: 1. Chance Rush, Enid, 16:13; 2. Joey Donnelly, Norman, 12:29; 3. Jonathan Pillow. Tuka Memorial. 16:38; 4. Justin Bumgardner, Guthrie, 16:47; 5. Jeff Reid, Jenks, 16:50; 6. Craig Blanchard, Little Axe, 16:53; 7. Mark Levings, Buffalo, 16:54; 8. Jeff Baer, Norman, 16:55; 9. Eric Hatcher, Eisenhower, 16:56; 10. Tom Bennett, Jenks, 16:57; 11. William Nelson, Guthrie, 17:07; 12. Matt Stuart, McGinness, 17:14; 13. Junior Minson, Marlow, 17:14; 14. Jason Wolfe, Enid, 17:15; 15. Clay Axton, McGuinness, 17:15: 16. Clay Porter, Eisenhower, 17:22: 17. Mike Connolly, McGuinness, 17:24: 18. Mark Hildebrand, Jenks, 17:27: 19. Ray Coomer, Glencoe, 17:29: 20. Jeremy Cleek, Guthrie, 17:29: 21. Zach Minson, Marlow, 17:34: 22. Mike Crook, Sapulpa, 17:40: 23. Jared Lovett, Marlow, 17:40: 24. John Cottrill, Union, 17:41: 25. Michael Johnson, Marlow, 17:42: 26. Jason Dodd, Glenpool, 17:42: 27. Toby Filener, Duncan, 17:44: 28. Dan Hummingbird, Tahlequah Sequoyah, 17:48; 29. Clint Loyd, Marlow, 17:48; 30. Eric Calder, McGuinness, 17:49.

Oklahoma Girls Track Coaches Association **Cross Country Senior All-Stars Award** 5A **3A**

Katie Kinney, Yukon (Donna Geiger)

Brandy Kappel, Norman

(Pat Lenington)

April Dearman, Sapulpa

(J.B. Lierly) Lisa Martin, Stillwater

(Uwe Gordon)

Suzy Stover, Stillwater

(Uwe Gordon)

Anna Magie, Tahlequah

(Elzy Miller)

Melinda Earl, Tahlequah

(Elzy Miller)

Jackie Barnes, Kelley

(John Heckenkemper)

Jennifer Payne, Duncan

(Mike Gray)

Gina Mackey, Duncan

(Mike Gray)

Tricia Gill, MacArthur

(Jim Hamilton)

Katie Scheirer, Carl Albert

(Mike Pierce)

Bena Lander, Webster

(John Kastner)

Lori Baker, Poteau

(Earl Jobe)

Natalie Gray, Cascia Hall (Jim Frazier)

Michelle Goode, Plainview

(Jerry Naylor)

Leah Norton, Plainview

(Jerry Naylor)

Leslie Matthews, Purcell

(Randy Belicek)

Juleigh Johnson, Purcell

(Randy Belicek) Cindy Shobert, Purcell

(Randy Belicek)

Jennifer Sconyers, Bristow

(Jaime Conine)

2A

Skie Helterberke, Chisholm

(John Pickens)

Lezlie Zielny, Hennessey

(Becky Elmer)

Missy McClure, Konawa

(Don Gallagher)

Amber Schachle, Oaks

(David Schachle)

Julie Roach, Watonga

(Jim Coleman)

Spring Bradford, Watonga

(Jim Coleman)

Jodi Wrangham, Beaver

(Ed Herchock)



ENID'S CHANCE RUSH holds a commanding lead in the Meet of Champions Nov. 6 at Oklahoma State University. Rush won the boys race with a time of 16:13. Photo by John Hoke

5A BOYS

TEAM SCORING: 1. Jenks (Brian Young, Jeff Reid, Tom Bennett, Mark Hildebrand, Parker McAbery, Brent Haynes, Matt Stiger, Coach John McGinnis) 62: 2. Norman 78; 3. Sapulpa 93: 4. Eisenhower 110; 5. Edmond Memorial 121; 6. Union 130; 7. Enid 163; 8. Midwest City 175; 9. Altus 218; 10. Stillwater 277; 11. Putnam City 317; 12. Bartlesville 317

INDIVIDUALS: 1. Brian Young, Jenks, 15:53: 2. Chance Rush, Entd 16:00; 3. Brian Crow, Broken Arrow, 16:18; 4. Joey Donnelly, Norman, 16:25; 5. Jonathon Pillow, Tulsa Memorial. 16:25; 6. Larry Digby, Putnam City North, 16:48; 7. Jeff Reid, Jenks, 16:49; 8. Jeff Baer, Norman, 16:50; 9. Eric Hatcher, Eisenhower, 16:52; 10. Brian Powell, Eisenhower 16:53; 11. Bary Porter, Eisenhower, 16:57; 12. Tom Bennett, Jenks. 16:57; 13. John Cottrill. Union, 16:58; 14. Ryan Suchala, Edmond Memorial 17:02; 15. Jason Wolfe, Enid, 17:08; 16. Joey Dickerson. Spulpa, 17:11: 17. Mark Hildebrand, Jenks. 17:12: 18. Billy Miller, Putnam City, 17:12: 19. Don Holman, Sapulpa, 17:13; 20. Brandon Shultz, Altus, 17:20; 21. Matt Bonner, Norman, 17:22; 22. Mike Crook, Sapulpa. 17:23; 23. Jeremy Thayer. Norman. 17:23; 24. Jason Clark. Edmond Memortal. 17:26; 25. Curt Cilio, Sapulpa, 17:26; 26. Jon Seay. Sapulpa. 17:29: 27. Ricky Schneider, Tahlequah. 17:30; 28. Jeremy Buhl, Edmond Memorial, 17:31; 29. Jammar Starks, Union, 17:31; 30. Shawn Hendrick, Union, 17:31.