

BEARS IN HOME OPENER TODAY

HARRIERS CHALLENGE GUNN-OCEANA-SERRA-CAMPBELL-WESTMOOR IN GIGANTIC MEET AT M-A

VARSIITY FACES TOUGH GUNN, AND OCEANA

For the first time in years, the MA cross country team will not be favored to win its opening meet at home.

The Oceana Dolphins have their best team in history this season and are clear cut favorites to win the varsity meet. Fast improving Gunn will also give MA a stiff test today.

The Bears will be handicapped by the loss of Captain Dan Meub who is suffering from an appendix inflammation.

Starting lineup for the Bears will be:

1. John Barbour (Jr)
2. Doug Yost (Sr)
3. Rick Krengel (Sr)
4. Earl Meneweather (Sr)
5. Harry Wong (Sr)
6. Gordon Bernhard (So)

Barbour and Yost looked good in last week's opening meet at San Carlos. The rest of the team was unimpressive and were no match for Carlmont, San Carlos, and Sequoia.

SERIES RECORDS OF MA AGAINST TODAY'S OPPONENTS

MA Won 6	Oceana	0
MA Won 5	Gunn	0
MA Won 3	Westmoor	0
MA Won 2	Serra	0
MA Won 2	Campbell	0

MA has never lost a meet to any one of today's opponents. Needless to say the Bears hope to keep the win streak going.

NATIONAL RANKING OF MA VARSITY CROSS COUNTRY TEAMS

1965	87th	USA
1966	31st	USA
1967	42nd	USA
1969	36th	USA
1969	41st	USA

BARBOUR LEADS SUMMER MILEAGE

John "the machine" Barbour led all members of the Cross Country team in the amount of mileage put in before participating in the opening meet of the season. John racked up 444 miles in summer workouts. Harry Wong and Doug Yost ran 272 and 230 miles respectively. Dan Meub, Mike Shibata, and Craig Lambert were the only other M-A runners to put in over a 100 miles in summer workouts.

MA CROSS COUNTRY HAS GREAT WINNING TRADITION

Despite dual meet losses to Carlmont, San Carlos, Sequoia, and Pioneer in the first meet of the season, the Bears have a very impressive winning record.

1965	Won 12	lost 2
1966	Won 17	lost 3
1967	Won 12	lost 2
1968	Won 16	lost 2
1969	Won 14	lost 3
1970	Won	lost

Coach Yanicks has hopes that the 1970 team will equal the the great record of past M-A teams.

MA CROSS COUNTRY CAPTAINS

1965	Steve Gavazza
1966	Dan Britts
1967	Bob Mallory
1968	O'Donnell & Krengel
1969	Ron Schloss
1970	Dan Meub

ALL SPAL VARSITY RUNNERS FROM MA

1966	Dan Britts
1967	Bob Mallory
1968	O'Donnell & Krengel
1969	Ron Schloss

LARGE FROSH TURNOUT MAKES MA SQUAD LARGEST IN THE SCHOOL'S HISTORY

A record turnout of 15 freshmen has bolstered the MA Cross Country squad to a record 32 men.

Coach Yanicks feels that the present crop of freshmen may be his best since the 1966 group won the SPAL title.

Leading the freshmen team are Neil Penny and Carl Johnk. Both have outstanding natural ability and have looked good in workouts.

DOUG YOST MOST IMPROVED VARSITY

Doug Yost ran the first cross country race of his career last Monday against two of the strongest high school teams in the country and did surprisingly well. He took 13th in a large field of runners and impressed Coach Yanicks with his competitive spirit.

Doug is a senior, which is rather late to take up any sport, but Doug has made the adjustment easily. Doug was named M-A athlete of the week for his fine performance.

TOP TIMES EVER MADE ON THE MA COURSE BY MA RUNNERS

SENIORS:

1.	10:36.2	Dan Britts	1966
2.	10:55.4	Mike Rountree	1969
3.	10:59.8	Bob Mallory	1967
4.	11:01.1	Jim O'Donnell	1968
5.	11:03.1	John Newton	1966

SOPHOMORES:

1.	11:12.0	Gordon Krengel	1966
2.	11:39.6	John Barbour	1969
3.	11:56.5	Ron Schloss	1967
4.	11:57.0	Jim O'Donnell	1966

JUNIORS:

1.	10:59.3	Walter Mitchell	1969
2.	11:01.0	Bob Mallory	1966
3.	11:04.0	Jim O'Donnell	1967
4.	11:07.2	Gordon Krengel	1967
5.	11:11.0	Mike Rountree	1968

FRESHMEN:

1.	12:01.7	John Barbour	1968
2.	12:22.3	Cedric Thomas	1966