

## 1974 NCS Meet of Champions Cross Country Championships

Saint Mary's College, Berkeley

No distance listed

November 16, 1974

01	Redwood	06	07	09	17	23	45	64	062
02	San Rafael	03	14	24	27	33	62	78	101
03	Castro Valley	04	05	30	32	47	56	60	118
04	Ygnacio Valley	08	16	29	36	37	46	70	126
05	San Ramon Valley	01	20	25	41	49	54	69	136
06	Miramonte	12	22	26	38	55	59	66	153
07	Alameda	13	18	19	53	57	68	73	160
08	Petaluma	02	11	44	52	76	80		185
09	Livermore	15	31	43	50	51	61	71	190
10	Newark Memorial	28	34	35	40	58	63	75	195
11	Bishop O'Dowd	10	21	39	65	67	72		202
12	Sir Francis Drake	42	48	74	77	79	81		320

01	Redwood	15:34	15:39	15:43	15:54	16:03	16:35	17:13	1:18:53
02	San Rafael	15:23	15:51	16:04	16:10	16:18	17:05	17:58	1:19:46
03	Castro Valley	15:28	15:32	16:16	16:17	16:37	16:51	17:00	1:20:10
04	Ygnacio Valley	15:40	15:54	16:15	16:21	16:22	16:36	17:20	1:20:32
05	San Ramon Valley	14:54	15:58	16:05	16:31	16:43	16:48	17:19	1:20:11
06	Miramonte	15:49	16:00	16:07	16:26	16:50	16:55	17:16	1:21:12
07	Alameda	15:50	15:56	15:57	16:47	16:52	17:18	17:27	1:21:22
08	Petaluma	15:21	15:48	16:34	16:46	17:34	18:17		1:22:03
09	Livermore	15:53	16:16	16:33	16:46	16:45	17:02	17:23	1:22:13
10	Newark Memorial	16:14	16:19	16:20	16:30	16:54	17:08	17:32	1:22:17
11	Bishop O'Dowd	15:47	15:59	16:28	17:14	17:17	17:24		1:22:45
12	Sir Francis Drake	16:32	16:42	17:29	17:40	18:11	18:27		1:26:34

Place	Team Place	Last Name	First Name	School	Time
01	01	Kissin	Roy	San Ramon Valley	14:54
02		Patterson	Dan	Del Valle	15:15
03		Criner	Ron	Mount Diablo	15:17
04	02	Aldridge	Dan	Petaluma	15:21
05	03	Green	Ray	San Rafael	15:23
06		Searls	Kevin	College Park	15:25
07		Harvey	Dan	Dublin	15:26
08	04	Rudy	Kevin	Castro Valley	15:28
09	05	Hornig	Phil	Castro Valley	15:32
10	06	Schulz	Hal	Redwood	15:34
11		Locey	Steve	Tamalpais	15:38
12	07	Mihailoff	Dave	Redwood	15:39
13	08	Turney	Rob	Ygnacio Valley	15:40
14	09	Berry	Rod	Redwood	15:43
15		Smith	Tom	Mission San Jose	15:44
16	10	Collins	Mike	Bishop O'Dowd	15:47
17	11	Brandner	Mike	Petaluma	15:48
18	12	Lund	Eric	Miramonte	15:49
19	13	Acosta	David	Alameda	15:50
20	14	O'Reilly	Tom	San Rafael	15:51
21	15	Tarin	Boyd	Livermore	15:53
22	16	Bell	Alan	Ygnacio Valley	15:54
23	17	McMillan	Chuck	Redwood	15:54
24	18	Sabo	Dave	Alameda	15:56
25	19	Sigmon	Mike	Alameda	15:57
26	20	Calvin	Tim	San Ramon Valley	15:58
27	21	Rowe	Dale	Bishop O'Dowd	15:59
28	22	Barbera	Jon	Miramonte	16:00
29		Gray	Steve	Tennyson	16:02

30	23	Killeen	Tim	Redwood	16:03
31	24	Hoffman	Bill	San Rafael	16:04
32	25	Morrow	Jed	San Ramon Valley	16:05
33	26	Thibodeaux	Win	Miramonte	16:07
34	27	Roberts	Steve	San Rafael	16:10
35	28	Smith	Mike	Newark Memorial	16:14
36	29	Vasquez	Rich	Ygnacio Valley	16:15
37	30	Roberts	Steve	Castro Valley	16:16
38	31	Aguayo	Victor	Livermore	16:16
39	32	Trimble	Terry	Castro Valley	16:17
40	33	Chestnut	Brooke	San Rafael	16:18
41	34	Starkey	Barry	Newark Memorial	16:19
42	35	Walker	Lyn	Newark Memorial	16:20
43	36	Simons	Jeff	Ygnacio Valley	16:21
44	37	Turney	Dick	Ygnacio Valley	16:22
45	38	Haas	Steve	Miramonte	16:26
46	39	Bushy	Ron	Bishop O'Dowd	16:28
47	40	Plummer	Mike	Newark Memorial	16:30
48	41	James	Marty	San Ramon Valley	16:31
49	42	Kunst	Ron	Sir Francis Drake	16:32
50	43	Nixon	Jeff	Livermore	16:33
51	44	Hensen	Dave	Petaluma	16:34
52	45	Main	Bob	Redwood	16:35
53	46	Winger	Chuck	Ygnacio Valley	16:36
54	47	Arzino	Phil	Castro Valley	16:37
55	48	Ryanes	Mike	Sir Francis Drake	16:42
56	49	Swenson	Paul	San Ramon Valley	16:43
57	50	Nagel	Mike	Livermore	16:46
58	51	Sinchak	Steve	Livermore	16:45
59	52	Curtis	Steve	Petaluma	16:46
60	53	Kindle	Ray	Alameda	16:47
61	54	Morris	Brian	San Ramon Valley	16:48
62	55	Jones	Dave	Miramonte	16:50
63	56	Behning	Mark	Castro Valley	16:51
64	57	Mills	Dan	Alameda	16:52
65	58	Martinez	Dan	Newark Memorial	16:54
66	59	Williams	Gael	Miramonte	16:55
67	60	Serodtbeck	David	Castro Valley	17:00
68	61	Williams	Curtis	Livermore	17:02
69	62	Coughlin	Jim	San Rafael	17:05
70	63	Martinez	Rich	Newark Memorial	17:08
71	64	Louis	Augie	Redwood	17:13
72	65	Cumming	Rob	Bishop O'Dowd	17:14
73	66	Watson	Bill	Miramonte	17:16
74	67	Scannell	Pat	Bishop O'Dowd	17:17
75	68	Warren	Chris	Alameda	17:18
76	69	Robertson	Dave	San Ramon Valley	17:19
77	70	Knopf	Bryan	Ygnacio Valley	17:20
78	71	Loyd	Dave	Livermore	17:23
79	72	Knight	Emmett	Bishop O'Dowd	17:24
80	73	Reitz	Steve	Alameda	17:27
81	74	Berrottri	Tom	Sir Francis Drake	17:29
82	75	Bailey	Steve	Newark Memorial	17:32
83	76	Burleson	Chris	Petaluma	17:34
84	77	Jonsen	Rick	Sir Francis Drake	17:40
85	78	McGuire	Brian	San Rafael	17:58
86	79	Gilbert	Carl	Sir Francis Drake	18:11
87	80	Shields	Randy	Petaluma	18:17
88	81	Eriksson	Stan	Sir Francis Drake	18:27

# Aldridge Fourth Trojans Seventh In NCS

By JOHN JACKSON  
Sports Editor

MORAGA — Petaluma High's Trojans ran exhausted to the end of the cross country season Tuesday afternoon.

Dan Aldridge made history and Mike Brandner achieved personal gratification to highlight Troy efforts in the 1974 version of the North Coast Section finals, hosted with dignity by the Catholic Athletic League on the St. Mary's campus.

As a team Petaluma, the North Bay League champion and Division III third best entrant was seventh in possibly the toughest distance section in the state.

Redwood, the Marin County Athletic League champion, roared back with determination to win the overall championship, avenging a division loss to league-rival San Rafael.

The Giants, with three runners in the top 20, totaled 69 points, easily besting the division champion Bulldogs, who finished with 110.

Castro Valley (126), Ygnacio Valley (135), San Ramon (144), Miramonte (163) and Alameda (170) also bettered the Trojans' 194 total.

Following Troy in team tabulation were Livermore (200), Newark (205), Bishop O'Dowd (212) and Drake (330).

Roy Kisson, San Ramon's leather-lunged strider ran away from the pack early and never looked back to record a 14:55 winning time over the scenic and flat three-mile (just under actually) course that winds around and through the St. Mary's campus.

Aldridge, continuing his run toward state distance recognition, was fourth, becoming the first Petaluman ever to earn an NCS cross country medal.

Brandner, a senior in his final

Trojan cross country run, came up with his best effort ever, finishing 17th and beating season-long rival Tom O'Reilly of San Rafael.

Kisson was unreal as he ran away from the best runners from Eureka to Fremont. The San Ramon dasher took the lead less than a quarter mile from the start and never faltered, finishing almost 20 seconds in front of runner-up Dan Patterson of DelValle.

"He just took off at will," noted Aldridge at the end. "He led all the way."

Patterson, another of the state's well reputed distance men, lived up to his billing with a second place finish, hitting the line just in front of Mt. Diablo standout Tom Kiner.

Patterson was clocked in 15:16, while Kiner was recorded in 15:22.

Then came Aldridge, Bay Green of San Rafael and Kevin Sears of College Park almost simultaneously with the Trojan the first in 15:22.

The fourth-place effort climaxed a super Aldridge season that had taken the blonde splinter leg to an unbeaten dual season and championships in both the league and division finals.

Green, who was fourth in the division meet, dogged Aldridge most of the way, providing a bright note in the gloom of the San Rafael team loss.

Following Sears were Dan Harvey of Dublin (15:27), Kevin Rush of Castro Valley (15:29) and Phil Horning of the same team (15:33).

Redwood's Hal Schultz, who had pushed Aldridge in the Division run, was a somewhat disappointing 10th in 15:37, although teammates Dave Mihaloff, 12th in 15:40 and Rod Berry, 14th in 15:41, picked up the slack enough to give the Giants the championship.

Steve Locey of Tamalpais, third in division was 11th.

For Brandner, his finish was just dessert after a gutty season slowed in both league (where he was second) and division (where he was 14th) finals by a muscle pull.

"I didn't even feel the leg today," he noted after completing the fast grind. "I just wanted to go out and beat O'Reilly."

O'Reilly, a talented runner from San Rafael, had beaten Brandner every time the two had faced in invitational competition this season and ran off and left the Trojan in the division meet, finishing fifth.

In Tuesday's section finals he was 20th, three seconds off Brandner's 15:47 clocking.

The rest of the Trojans found the section pace a bit swift.

Dave Hansen, eighth in league and 16th in division, was 51st in a field of 89.

Steve Curtis, who already had achieved section status as a swimmer, added cross country to his experience and was an impressive 59th in the culmination of his single year of distance running.

Sophomore Chris Bursleson was 83rd and junior Randy Shields 87th.

Tamalpais, just as it had done in the division meet, dominated NCS frosh-sop competition, putting three runners in the top 20 to win with 67 points.

Pleasant Hill was second (88) with El Cerrito third (132).

Ukiah from the North Bay league was 12th with 273.

Glen Borland from Del Norte was individual champion, winning the two-plus mile run in 10:08.

Bruce Greeg of Redwood, who was second in division to teammate Rob Berry was second in 10:12. Berry ran for the varsity Giants, finishing 14th among the big boys.

Ukiah super freshman Nathan Garrad was 28th.

Tamalpais also dominated girls competition, totaling 66 points to finish ahead of Los Lomas (83) and Pleasant Hill.

Pleasant Hill's Cathy Costello, the state half mile champion was easy individual winner.

Ukiah's Jody Garrad had a strong 10th-place finish.

## Varsity

Redwood 69, San Rafael 110, Castro Valley 126, Ygnacio Valley 135, San Ramon 144, Miramonte 163, Alameda 170, Petaluma 194, Livermore 200, Newark 205, Bishop O'Dowd 212, Drake 330.

## TOP 20

1. Roy Kisson (San Ramon) 14:55. 2. Dan Patterson (DelValle) 15:16. 3. Tom Riner (Mt. Diablo) 15:17. 4. DAN ALDRIDGE (PETALUMA) 15:22. 5. Ray Green (San Rafael) 15:24. 6. Kevin Sears (College Park) 15:25. 7. Dan Harvey (Dublin) 15:27. 8. Kevin Rush (Castro Valley) 15:29. 9. Phil Horning (Castro Valley) 15:33. 10. Hal Schultz (Redwood) 15:37. 11. Steve Locey (Tamalpais) 15:34. 12. Dave Mihaloff (Redwood). 13. Bob Turney (Ygnacio Valley) 15:40. 14. Rod Berry (Redwood) 15:41. 15. Tom Smith (Mission San Jose) 15:44. 16. Mike Collins (Bishop O'Dowd) 15:45. 17. MIKE BRANDNER (PETALUMA) 15:47. 18. Eric Lund (Miramonte) 15:48. 19. David Acolta (Alameda) 15:49. 20. Tom Reilly (San Rafael) 15:50.

## JUNIOR VARSITY

Tamalpais 67, Pleasant Hill 88, El Cerrito 132, Mt. Diablo 150, Campolindo 157, Moreau 174, Mission San Jose 175, San Rafael 183, San Ramon 186, Washington 181, Redwood 215, Ukiah 273.

## TOP 20

1. Glen Borland (Del Norte) 10:08. 2. Bruce Gregg (Redwood) 10:13. 3. Dan Smith (Eureka) 10:16. 4. Aran Collier (Tamalpais) 10:20. 5. Tom Hussey (Washington) 10:21. 6. Paul Burke (DeLaSalle) 10:33. 7. Bruce Hiler (Washington) 10:34. 8. Jeff Cowling (Granada) 10:35. 9. James Endo (El Cerrito) 10:38. 10. Pat Croft (Pleasant Hill) 10:38. 11. Mike O'Reilly (San Rafael) 10:38. 12. Richard Carlsen (Tamalpais) 10:38. 13. Rich Harbaugh (Piedmont) 10:40. 14. Vince Capurron (Moreau) 10:41. 15. Jeff Van-Buskirk (Pleasant Hill) 10:42. 16. Jason Preece (San Ramon) 10:42. 17. Marc O'Hara (Tamalpais) 10:43. 18. Juan Gomez (Mt. Diablo) 10:43. 19. Jim Harfinger (Pleasant Hill) 10:50. 20. Steve Endo (El Cerrito) 10:51.