

SAN JOSE STATE CROSS COUNTRY ALL-AMERICANS

Charlie Clark	1961
Ron Davis	1961, 1962
Darold Dent	1967
Jeff Fishback	1961, 1962, 1963
Danny Murphy	1962, 1963, 1964
Ben Tucker	1963

SPARTAN NCAA CHAMPIONSHIP FINISHES

1961	2nd
1962	1st
1963	1st
1968	7th

SPARTAN PCAA CHAMPIONSHIP FINISHES

1969 - 4th	1976 - 4th
1970 - 3rd	1977 - 5th
1971 - 3rd	1978 - 5th
1972 - 3rd	1979 - 4th
1973 - 3rd	1980 - 5th
1974 - 4th	1981 - 3rd
1975 - 2nd	1982 - 5th
	1983 - 7th

SAN JOSE STATE UNIVERSITY FAST FACTS

Location	San Jose, CA
Enrollment	25,000
Founded	1857
Nickname	Spartans
Uniform Colors	Royal Blue, Gold & White
Conference	Pacific Coast Athletic Association
President	Dr. Gail Fullerton
Associate Athletic Director	Vern Wagner
Athletic Department Phone	(408) 277-3065
Cross Country Coach	Marshall Clark
Cross Country Office Phone	(408) 277-2195
Sports Information Director	Lawrence Fan
Sports Information Phone	(408) 277-3296
Supervisor of Training	Charlie Miller
Supervisor of Equipment	Lawry Jasper

SAN JOSE STATE UNIVERSITY



Situated in the heart of downtown San Jose's thriving commercial district, San Jose State University continues to provide the same full-spectrum in quality education as it has for more than 125 years to Northern California and Bay Area residents.

With a current enrollment of 24,000 students representing every state in the United States and more than 40 countries, San Jose State is one of the largest of the 19 campus in the California State University

and Colleges system. The 134-acre campus is composed of eight distinct schools and 70 different departments, staffed by an outstanding faculty of 1900, 75 percent of whom hold doctoral degrees.

San Jose State, now covering 20 city blocks, plus a south campus facility, aeronautics site and Moss Landing Marine Laboratories, began in 1857 as Minn's Evening Normal School in San Francisco. SJSU is the oldest public-supported institution of higher education in California.

In 1921, San Jose State became a teacher's college. The school awarded its first bachelor's degree in teaching in 1923. Today, SJSU still trains more teachers than any other California institution.

In 1935, the school was renamed San Jose State College. University status was granted in 1971. Presently, SJSU offers undergraduate degrees in 154 disciplines and master's degrees in 95 fields. It also offers accredited professional programs in 20 fields, more than any other campus in the state system.

An integral part of the fastest growing metropolitan area in the country, San Jose State has kept pace with San Jose's phenomenal growth. Among the University's nationally ranked schools, programs and departments are Business, Engineering, Health Sciences, Industrial Technology, Art, Music, Journalism and Nuclear Science. The Graduate Meteorology Facility and Occupational Therapy programs are unique in the state system.

Two hundred-year-old San Jose was California's first civil settlement and later became the state's first capital. A pioneer of the future, the largest city in the Santa Clara Valley is a pulsating electronics and high technology center with industry giants Hewlett-Packard, IBM and Memorex.

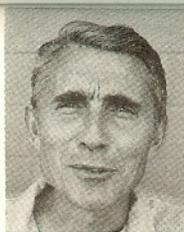
Cultural activities include fine art galleries, symphonies, opera, ballet and the live theatre abound in San Jose. Other entertainment forms from the many amusement park facilities to the wealth of sporting events from the prep to professional levels are readily available to all.

Compatibly coexisting in a dynamic environment—San Jose and San Jose State University.



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**CROSS COUNTRY
1984**



MARSHALL CLARK HEAD COACH

Responsible for the entire San Jose State University track and field program, Marshall Clark begins his fifth season as the Spartans' cross country coach. The cross country coach the past four seasons was named the head track and field coach in June, 1984.

Since joining the Spartan staff in July, 1980, he has developed competitive cross country teams while simultaneously enhancing individual skills. His teams have finished as high as third at the conference championship meet and two of his runners have competed at the NCAA Championships in individual competition.

Clark came to San Jose State after serving a two year stint at the University of Montana. During that period, he was a cross country and track coach and the school's assistant athletic director.

Familiar with the San Francisco Bay Area collegiate sports scene, the 51-year old Clark coached the Stanford University cross country teams from 1968 through 1977. At Stanford, he led the Cardinal to a second place finish at the 1968 NCAA cross country championships. Among his many Stanford athletes were Olympians Duncan MacDonald and Don Kardong, who was fourth in the 1976 Olympic marathon.

The 1972 United States international AAU track coach began his coaching career at the prep level at Los Altos and Seaside High Schools. In ten years, his teams won six conference championships and one southern section California Interscholastic Federation title.

A three year track and cross country letterman at the University of Southern California, he was a half-miler on the 1955 Trojan NCAA championship track team. His daughter, Shannon, is a top distance runner at the prep level competing for Mountain View (Calif.) High School.

1984 SAN JOSE STATE UNIVERSITY CROSS COUNTRY ROSTER

NAME	HT.	WT.	CLASS	HOMETOWN
Archer, Michael	5-11	150	JR	Santa Cruz, CA
Becerra, Chris	5-8	125	FR	Burlingame, CA
Birgisson, Gunnar	6-0	150	SO	Reykjavik, Iceland
Carroll, James	5-10	140	JR	Daly City, CA
Gonzalez, Danny	5-9	130	SR	Mountain View, CA
Jewett, Frank	6-5	150	JR	San Bernardino, CA
LaPlante, David	5-11	170	FR	San Jose, CA
Legan, Tom	6-0	145	FR	San Jose, CA
Lotz, Matthew	6-0	140	SO	Fremont, CA
Marion, Scott	6-0	135	JR	San Jose, CA
Martin, Jerry	5-6	120	JR	Glendora, CA
Masino, Rich	5-10	135	JR	San Jose, CA
Niles, Rodney	5-11	135	SR	Los Angeles, CA
Ream, Andy	6-1	155	JR	Kensington, CA
Rivera, Steve	5-7	150	JR	Los Angeles, CA
Rossner, Peter	6-1	165	JR	Orchard Lake, MI
Vega, Rudy	6-1	145	SR	San Jose, CA
Wagner, Chris	5-10	135	JR	Ridgecrest, CA

HEAD COACH: Marshall Clark

1984 CROSS COUNTRY SCHEDULE

Date	Event	Location
Sept. 8	Team Trials	San Jose, CA
Sept. 15	Sacramento State Invitational	Sacramento, CA
Sept. 22	Fresno State Invitational	Fresno, CA
Oct. 6	Stanford Invitational	Stanford, CA
Oct. 13	UC-Santa Barbara Invitational	Santa Barbara, CA
Oct. 20	Cal Poly-San Luis Obispo Invitational	San Luis Obispo, CA
Oct. 27	PCAA Championships	Santa Barbara, CA
Nov. 10	NCAA District 8 Championships	Tucson, AZ
Nov. 19	NCAA Championships	TBA

SEASON OUTLOOK

The 1984 San Jose State University cross country team will have a completely new look for the upcoming season. Glenn Lee, the team's top runner the past two years and the PCAA's 1984 5000 meter champion, is gone along with the squad's other top four runners of a year ago.

Despite the devastating losses, fifth year coach Marshall Clark is optimistic about the team's overall chances and its ability to improve on last year's seventh place finish at the conference meet.

Redshirt Dan Gonzalez is expected to lead the Spartan contingent this year. He has lifetime bests of 14:11 in the 5000 and 29:40 in the 10,000 meters. Clark has filled out his roster with a combination of transfers, junior college additions and incoming freshmen, Brian Bergstrom, from San Diego State; Jerry Martin, Pete Rossner and Scott Marion, all JC transfers; and Tom Legan and Chris Becerra are some of the new faces who could be a part of the San Jose State top five.

Holdovers from last year's team include juniors Ron Green, Rich Masino, Rudy Vega, Steve Rivera and Andy Ream.

1983 TEAM RESULTS

Hayward Invitational—1st (of 4 teams)
 Fresno State Invitational—5th (of 8 teams)
 Stanford Invitational—15th (of 29 teams)
 Cal Invitational—6th (of 9 teams)
 PCAA Championships—7th (of 9 teams)

