

# 1972 FINAL CROSS COUNTRY RUN RESULTS

## UPPER PENINSULA

On Saturday, October 21, 1972, the A-B and C-D sections of the Upper Peninsula Cross Country Finals were held at Northern Michigan University, Marquette, Michigan. With ten entries in the A-B Run, Ishpeming was crowned champion with a total of 40 points. Menominee was runner-up with 58 points. Lloyd Hooper of Ishpeming was the winner with a time of 16:49.4. Hooper's teammate, Glenn Santti was second, with Dan Leskela of Calumet finishing third.

Twenty-four teams and 155 participants filled out the C-D section. Pickford High School was the winner with 66 points. Second place was captured by Chassell with Perkins gaining the third spot. Pierre Suomis of Chassell crossed the line first with a time of 16:41.8. He was followed in order by Jim Skinner of Pickford and Terry Verbrigghe of Perkins.

## LOWER PENINSULA

The 1972 Cross Country Finals were held on Saturday, November 4, 1972. They were conducted at three separate sites. Class A was hosted by Detroit-Redford Union High School. Class B traveled to Vicksburg High School, while Class C-D went to Jackson-Vandercook Lake High School. There were nine Regionals for Class A and B with a total of eighteen teams qualifying for the State Finals. Class C-D had twelve qualifiers representing six Regionals.

The Class A team championship was won by Flint-Kearsley with a team total of 116 points. Livonia-Stevenson finished second with 127 points. Dearborn and Portage-Northern shared the third spot with 140 points each. The winning time of 15:52 was posted by Tom Hammer, Grosse Pointe Woods-North, with Dave Mathia of Livonia-Stevenson second and Tom Ellsperman of St. Joseph finishing third. The Class A Individual winner was Walter Nowak of Wayne-Memorial with a time of 15:56. Mike McGuire of Farmington and Dan Henry of South-

field finished close behind with 16:02.2 and 16:09.2 respectively.

The Team Championship in Class B was won by Auburn Heights-Avondale with 41 points followed by Linden with 78 points and Muskegon-Catholic Central with 147 points. Gregory Meyer, Grand Rapids-West Catholic, finished first with a time of 15:20.6. Devon Hind and Tony Luttrell, Avondale, finished second and third.

Tom Duits of Hastings was the Class B Individual winner. His time for three miles was 15:47.6. Robert Frost, Allegan, finished second with 15:55 and Lorenzo Alcantar was third with 16:02.

Wyoming-Lee successfully defended their crown in Class C-D with 91 points. Carson City-Crystal placed second with 95 points and Rogers City third with 110 points. The winner of the team race was Dale Darling of Dansville with a time of 16:25. Second was Bill Wilson of Addison with 16:38 and third was Roger LaPratt of Fairgrove-Akron-Fairgrove with 16:46.

Reed City High School is the home of the Individual C-D winner. Herb Lindsey posted the best time of the day for Class C-D with 15:36.3. Second place went to Jeff Pullen from LeRoy-Pine River with a time of 16:23. Justin Wilson of Muskegon-Western Michigan Christian finished third with a time of 16:31.

## UPPER PENINSULA FINAL RUN (Marquette)

### CLASS A-B

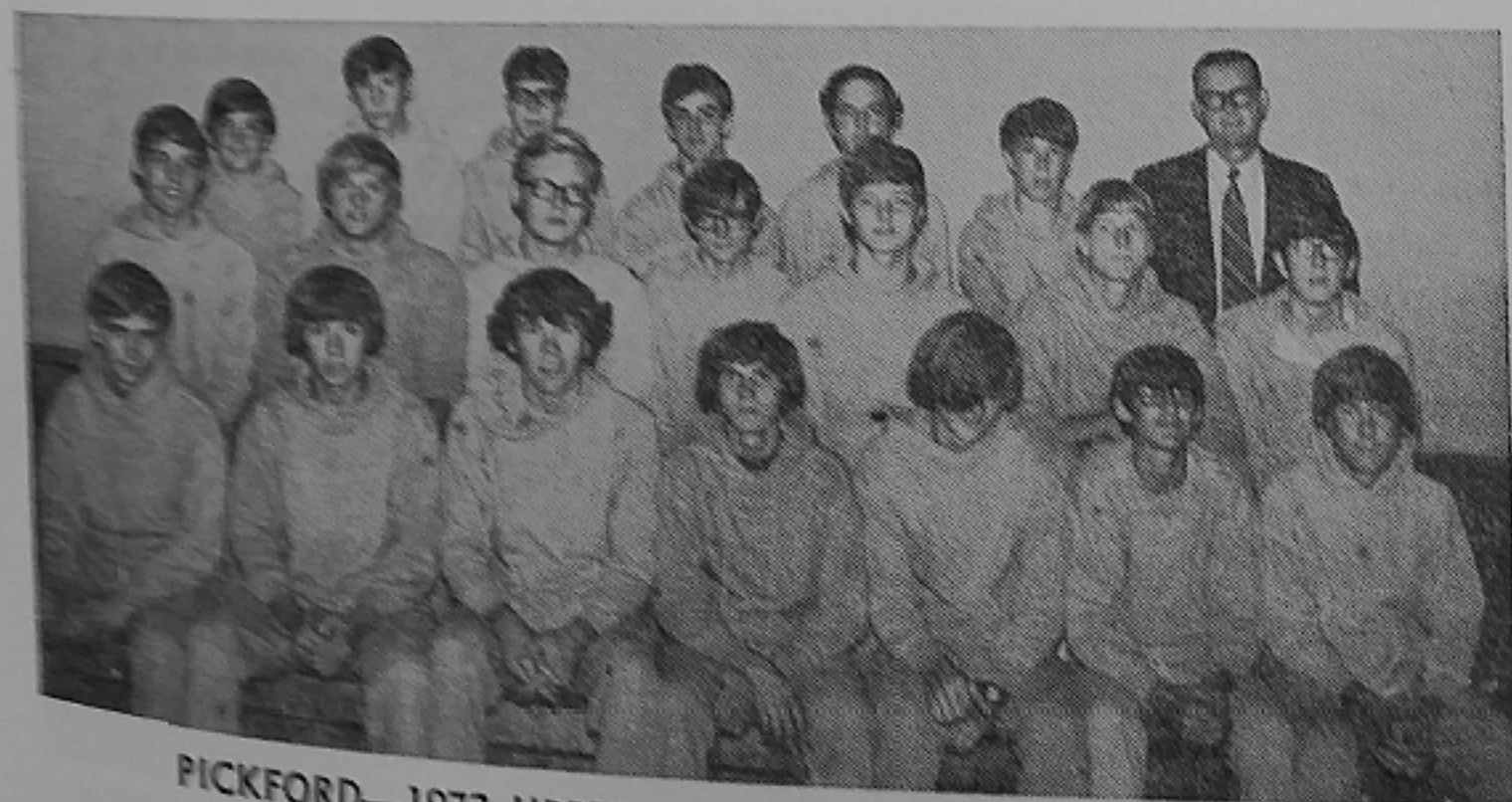
School	Score
Ishpeming	40
Menominee	58
Calumet	91
Sault Ste. Marie-Sault Area	107
Escanaba	150
Ironwood-Wright	173
Marquette	185
Gladstone	203
Kingsford	215
Iron River-West	
Iron County	222



ISHPEMING—1972 UPPER PENINSULA CLASS A-B CROSS COUNTRY CHAMPIONS

CLASS C-D

School	Score	School	Score
Pickford	66	National Mine	311
Chassell	92	Trenary	335
Perkins	136	De'Tour Village-De'Tour	346
Ruhsard	150	Stephenson	351
Crystal Falls-Forest Park	162	Brimley	352
Bergland	177	Ironwood-Catholic	376
Norway	204	Baraga	390
L'Anse	251	Eben Junction-Eben	467
Munising-Mather	266	Cooks-Big Bay de Noc	476
Watersmeet	304	Painesdale-Jeffers	520
		Newberry	575
		Cedarville-Les Cheneaux	578
		Rock	686
		Champion	710



PICKFORD—1972 UPPER PENINSULA CLASS C-D CROSS COUNTRY CHAMPIONS

LOWER PENINSULA FINAL RUN  
CLASS A  
(Detroit)

School	Score
Flint-Kearsley	116
Livonia-Stuyvesant	127
Warren	140
Warren-Torchburg	140
Oakland-Lake West-Bloomfield	153
Grosse Pointe Woods-North	154

Ann Arbor-Pioneer	160
St. Joseph	169
Mt. Clemens	183
Royal Oak-Kimball	201
Grand Blanc	257
Grand Ledge	309
Detroit-Bishop Borgess	333
East Lansing	341
Birmingham-Brother Rice	353
Bay City-Handy	370
Warren-Cousino	373
Wyandotte-Roosevelt	430

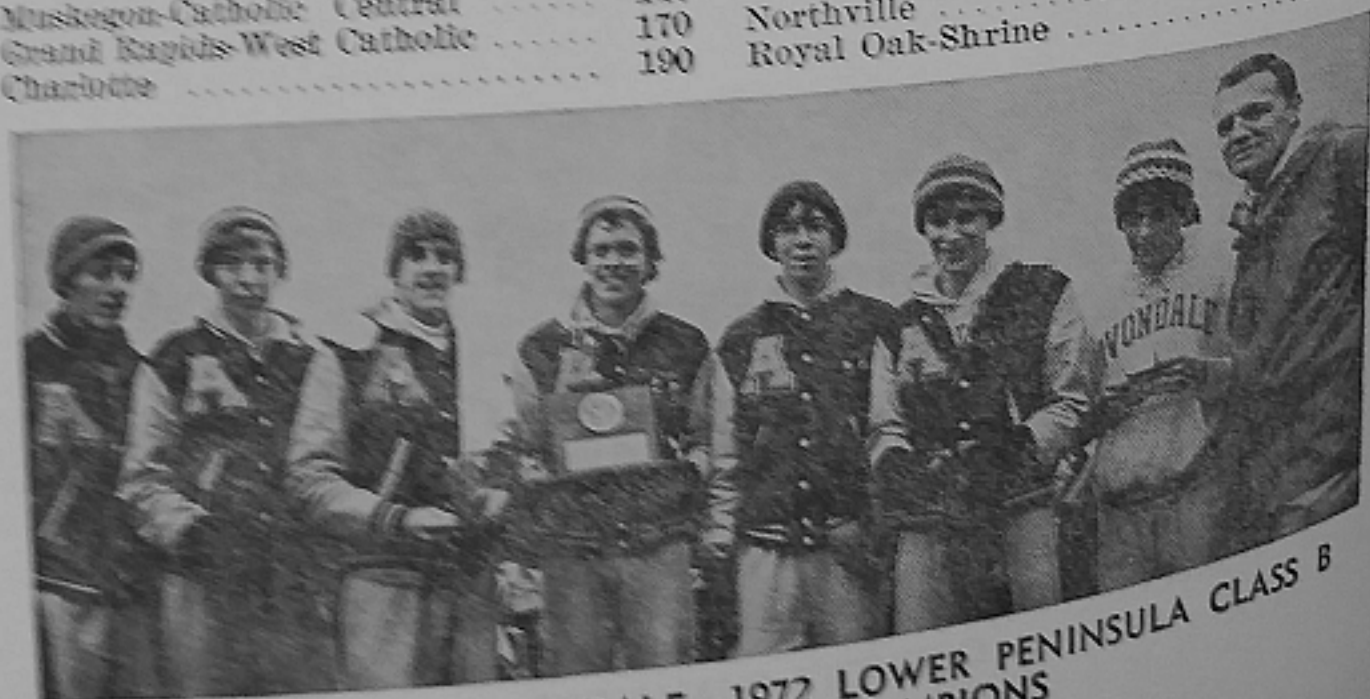


FLINT-KEARSLEY—1972 LOWER PENINSULA CLASS A CROSS COUNTRY CHAMPIONS

CLASS B  
(Vicksburg)

School	Score
Auburn Heights-Avondale	41
Linden	78
Muskegon-Catholic Central	147
Grand Rapids-West Catholic	170
Charlotte	190

Monroe-Catholic Central	196
Grosse Ile	237
Battle Creek-Harper Creek	245
Vassar	250
Alma	256
Grand Rapids-East Grand Rapids	266
Pinconning	273
Northville	312
Royal Oak-Shrine	326



AUBURN HEIGHTS-AVONDALE—1972 LOWER PENINSULA CLASS B CROSS COUNTRY CHAMPIONS

Sturgis .....	332
Vicksburg .....	336
Whitehall .....	342
Flint-Powers .....	385

### CLASS C-D

(Jackson)

School	Score
Wyoming-Lee .....	91
Carson City-Crystal .....	95

Rogers City .....	110
Watervliet .....	111
Kalamazoo-Christian .....	132
Dansville .....	138
Fairgrove—Akron-Fairgrove .....	157
Scottville-Mason County Central ..	165
Addison .....	178
Harper Woods-Lutheran East .....	213
Concord .....	222
Mayville .....	287



WYOMING-LEE—1972 LOWER PENINSULA CLASS C-D  
CROSS COUNTRY CHAMPIONS