

# MICHIGAN MEET OF CHAMPIONS

Rouge Park, Michigan, October 25: Lipke TC coach, Joe Smetanka, devised an interestingly different approach for a cross country contest, grouping competitors into states rather than local AAU teams. With the addition of Canada, Ohio and Michigan grouped for a three-way competition. In the women's division, despite the fact that the Ohio Vettors took 1st and 3rd, they could not overcome the Michigan and Canadian depth in a close team battle. Michigan took team honors with 75, Canada 76, and Ohio 85.

The Results:

Women's Division: 1-Debbie Vetter(O) 17:17, 2-Debbie Mitchell(C) 17:26, 3-Diane Vetter(O) 17:38, 4-Lil Warnes (M) 17:43, 5-Karen McKeachie(M) 17:50, 6-Brenda Webb(O) 17:56, 7-Kay Richards(M) 17:56, 8-Gayle Olined(C) 18:04, 9-Ellen Rochefort(C) 18:14, 10-Ginny Schook(M) 18:15.

TEAM SCORES: 1-Michigan 75, 2-Canada 76, 3-Ohio 85.

24 finishers, Course: 3.0 miles.

14-15 Division: 1-Anne Marie Malone(C) 14:08, 2-Janet Wood (C) 14:11, 3-Cathy Clark(C) 14:16, 4-Kathy Leeder(C) 14:16, 5-Debbie Schulte(C) 14:24, 6-Angela Schmidt(C) 14:29, 7-Gale Grant(C) 14:32. TEAM SCORES: 1-Canada 28 (1,2,3,4,5,6,7), 2-Michigan 123, 3-Ohio(did not have 7 members). 22 finishers, Course: 2.5 miles.

12-13 Division: 1-JoAnn Graves(C) 11:39, 2-Shannon Cline 11:43(O), 3-Sandy Hoffman(O) 11:45, 4-Beth Huff(M) 11:53, 5-Lindy Yeager(O) 11:57. TEAM SCORES: 1-Ohio 51(2,3,5,6, 8,13,14), 2-Canada 72, 3-Michigan 129. 29 finishers. Course: 2.0 miles.

10-11 Division: 1-Rachel Danduran(O) 9:13, 2-Lisa Renner (O) 9:39, 3-Ann Danduran(O). TEAM SCORES: 1-Ohio 40, 2-Michigan 65. 15 finishers. Course: 1.5 miles.

9/Under Division: 1-Michelle Collins(M) 5:47, 2-Jill Waters (M) 5:48, 3-Lori Vultaggio(M) 5:50. TEAM SCORES: 1-Michigan 44, 2-Ohio 63. 20 finishers. Course: 1 mile.