

Sports Communications

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2006 CROSS COUNTRY

BIG EAST Conference Championships									
Meet Facts	Meet 7								
Date:	Friday Oct. 27, 2006								
	M:11:00a.m.								
	W:11:50a.m.								
Site:	Boston, Mass.								
	BIG EAST Conference								
Results:	GoBEARCATS.com								

Quick Facts CINCINNATI

Location:	Cincinnati, Ohio
Founded:	1819
President:	Dr. Nancy L. Zimpher
Athletic Director:	Mike Thomas
Enrollment:	35, 244
Conference:	BIG EAST
Nickname:	Bearcats
Colors:	Red and Black
Home Course:	Mount Airy Forest
Head Coach:	Bill Schnier
Asst. Coach:	Jim Schnur
Asst. Coach:	Susan Seaton

2006 Schedule/Results

Sept.	
Fri. 1	at Virginia Military InstituteM: 1st
	Lexington, Va W: 1st
Fri. 15	QUEEN CITY INVITATIONALM: 1st
Sat. 16	MT. AIRY FOREST W: 1st at Mel Brodt Invitational
Jat. 10	Bowling Green, Ohio M: 2nd
Fri. 29	at Notre Dame Invitational
	South Bend, Ind W: 13th
Oct.	
Fri. 6	at All-Ohio Championships M:2nd
	Delaware, Ohio W: 9th
Sat. 14	at Brooks Pre-Nationals M: 26th
	Terre Haute, Ind W:7th
Fri. 27	BIG EAST Championships
	Boston, MassAll Day
Nov.	
Sat. 11	NCAA Great Lakes Regionals
	Bowling Green, Ohio All Day
Mon. 20	NCAA Championships

Terre Haute, Ind. All Day

BIG EAST CONFERENCE RUN: In their second ever BIG EAST Championship run, the University of Cincinnati cross country team will be going to Franklin Park in Boston, Mass. to take on the best in the conference on Friday, Oct. 27.

GOING EAST: Both the men's and women's teams will face BIG EAST rivalry in Boston. The BIG EAST conference is one of the toughest cross country conferences in the nation. At Pre-Nationals the BIG EAST conference took on the competition with three BIG EAST teams finishing in the top five. Notre Dame men's team, Providence women's team, and Georgetown men's team were the top teams for BIG EAST at the Pre-Nationals competition, and now BIG EAST teams will use the BIG EAST Championships to determine BIG EAST supremacy.

CHALLENGE AT PRE-NATIONALS: The Bearcats took on the tough competition in Terre Haute, Ind. at the Brooks Pre-National Championships on Saturday, Oct. 14. The meet featured 25 of the top 30 teams in the nation and also the 2005 NCAA champions, Colorado, so the competition was no easy task for UC.

The men competed in the White division and finished 26th. Junior John Dixon was there to lead the Bearcats pack and finish 74th out of more than 200 runners. On the women's side, UC placed in the open division and were able produced a 7th place finish. Megan Knapp was the first Bearcat to cross the finish line for the women placing 11th, with Jennifer Hannen, and Nichole Leslie close behind finishing 16th and 19th, respectively.

MEN CLIMBING THE POLLS: The men's University of Cincinnati cross country team has moved up the polls from 13th last week to 11th place in the Great Lakes Region in the current USCCCA polls.

TOP BEARCATS: This season has brought out some suprising leaders within the Bearcats teams. On both the men's and women's sides the young Bearcats have been stepping up and leading the packs. For the men's team Freshman Solomon Kessio has been quite impressive all season and even received his first collegiate win at the Queen City Invitational. With no seniors running so far this year Sophomores Megan Knapp and Jennifer Hannen along with Junior Nichole Leslie have really stepped up to the leadership role.

UP NEXT: The Bearcats will be on the move to the NCAA Great Lakes Regionals in Bowling Green, Ohio on Saturday, Nov. 11.

2006 Bearcats Men Times (Finish)										
ame	Class	Virginia Militar	y Queen City	Mel Brodt	All-OhioP	re-National BIO	G EAST	GL Regional	NCAA	
David Adams	Sr.	16:46 (8)	χ	27:25 (38)	26:46 (27)	25:21 (162)	Χ	Х	χ	
Brad Babiak	So.	16:58 (11)	27:46 (8)	χ	χ	Χ	Χ	Χ	Χ	
Brian Berling	Fr.	Χ	χ	Χ	Χ	Χ	Χ	Χ	Χ	
Ryan Cowan	So.	Χ	χ	χ	Χ	Χ	Χ	Χ	Χ	
John Dixon	Jr.	16:29 (5)	χ	25:07 (3)	26:27 (16)	24:42 (74)	Χ	Χ	Χ	
Kyle Dragan	So.	16:45 (7)	χ	27:00 (30)	Χ	Χ	Χ	Χ	Χ	
Willie Evans	Fr.	Χ	χ	Χ	Χ	Χ	Χ	Χ	Χ	
Robert Ford	Fr.	Χ	χ	Χ	Χ	Χ	Χ	Χ	Χ	
Taylor Garvin	Sr.	17:08(14)	χ	Χ	26:39 (24)	25:05 (126)	Χ	Χ	Χ	
Bill Keckeis	So.	17:29 (21)	27:10 (4)	Χ	Χ	Χ	Χ	Χ	Χ	
Soloman Kessio	Fr.	17:22 (17)	26:37 (1)	Χ	26:36 (22)	25:34 (179)	Χ	Χ	Χ	
Randy King	So.	16:13 (2)	χ	26:28 (21)	26:15 (10)	25:12 (147)	Χ	Χ	Χ	
Rick King	So.	17:04 (13)	26:46 (2)	χ	Χ	25:35 (181)	Χ	Χ	Χ	
Eric Mayhaus	Sr.	Χ	χ	χ	Χ	Χ	Χ	Χ	Χ	
Scott Mindel	Jr.	17:31 (23)	26:50 (3)	χ	Χ	Χ	Χ	Χ	Χ	
Tommy Morgan	Fr.	16:40 (6)	Χ	26:07 (13)	26:47 (29)	χ	Χ	Χ	Χ	
Brad Neumann	Jr.	Х	Χ	26:07 (14)	Х	χ	Χ	Χ	Χ	
Mike Reilman	So.	17:30 (22)	27:57 (10)	Χ	Х	χ	Χ	Χ	Χ	
Kevin Schwarz	Jr.	17:13 (16)	Χ	26:41 (24)	26:27 (15)	25:24 (165)	Χ	Χ	Χ	
Graham Turlington	Fr.	Х	Х	Х	Х	Χ	Χ	Χ	Χ	

2006 Bearcats Women Times (Finish)									
Name	Class	Virginia Milita	ary Queen Cit	ty Notre Dame	All-Ohio	Pre-National	BIG EAST	GL Regional	NCAA
Brie Barbu	Fr.	Х	Χ	χ	Χ	χ	Χ	X	Χ
Emily Chewing	So.	20:38 (19)	25:27 (19)	χ	Χ	χ	Χ	χ	Χ
Cristy Doll	Sr.	Χ	Χ	Χ	Χ	χ	Χ	Χ	Χ
Jocelyn Gibson	Sr.	Χ	Χ	Χ	Χ	χ	Χ	Χ	Χ
Joanne Gribler	Fr.	17:20 (13)	22:22 (14)	20:07 (130)	Χ	Χ	Χ	Χ	Χ
Jennifer Hannen	Jr.	16:04 (3)	19:28 (3)	18:50 (32)	19:17 (22)	22:28 (16)	Χ	Χ	Χ
Courtney Hentz	Fr.	17:30 (14)	20:58 (8)	20:06 (129)	Χ	χ	Χ	Χ	Χ
Chelsea Honigford	Fr.	χ	Χ	Χ	Χ	χ	Χ	Χ	Χ
Julie Horn	So.	18:19 (18)	20:40 (7)	Χ	20:10 (82)	23:18 (51)	Χ	Χ	Χ
Megan Knapp	So.	16:12 4)	19:16 (1)	18:50 (31)	19:30 (36)	22:19 (11)	Χ	Χ	Χ
Ellen Knopf	So.	X	Χ	20:05 (127)	Χ	23:58 (77)	Χ	Χ	Χ
Nichole Leslie	Jr.	15:54 (2)	20:01 (4)	19:10 (62)	19:39 (47)	22:34 (19)	Χ	Χ	Χ
Tamara Masters	Fr.	16:44 (7)	20:28 (6)	Χ	19:52 (59)	23:23 (57)	Χ	Χ	Χ
Kayla Phelps	Fr.	17:07 (11)		19:51 (111)	20:45 (118)		Χ	Χ	Χ
Amy Schoenfeld	Jr.	16:47 (8)	20:17 (5)	19:36 (94)	20:46 (119)		Χ	Χ	Χ
Kris Schuerle	So.	Х	χ	Χ	Χ	Χ	Χ	Χ	Χ
Julia Strombotne	So.	18:11 (17)	21:45 (12)	20:41 (148)	χ	χ	Χ	Χ	Χ
Nicole Waldie	So.	19:12 (19)	24:05 (17)	χ̈́	χ	χ	χ	Χ	Χ