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IOWA WOMEN'S CROSS COUNTRY
HAWKEYES PLACE 11TH AT PRE-NATIONALS

WATERLOO, IA – The Iowa women's cross country team finished 28th at the NCAA Pre-Nationals Saturday afternoon on the campus of Northern Iowa. Iowa finished with 725 team points. First place Brigham Young won the 32-team field with 86 points.

Nikki Chapple was the lone Hawkeye to crack the top 100. The freshman ran the 6,000-meter course in 21:25 and finished 67th overall. North Carolina's Shalane Flanagan won the individual title by finishing the course in 19:30. Flanagan was the lone competitor to break the 20-minute mark.

Team Results (top five plus IOWA)

1. BYU	86
2. North Carolina	99
3. Notre Dame	127
4. Michigan	135
5. Northern Arizona	202
28. IOWA	725

Individual Results (top three plus IOWA)

1. Shalane Flanagan, UNC	19:30
2. Michaela Mannova, BYU	20:02
3. Ida Nilsson, Northern Arizona	20:06
67. Nikki Chapple, IOWA	21:45
129. Katie Donlon, IOWA	22:27
153. Georgia Millward, IOWA	22:52
186. Atalie Barber, IOWA	23:36
190. Jenni Capista, IOWA	23:43
199. Shannon Stanley, IOWA	24:03
203. Christine Kotarba, IOWA	24:21

