



# Northwest Missouri State University

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Cross Country Release

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## 2007 Roster

Women	Year	Hometown (Previous School)
Anna Benedict	So.	St. Joseph, Mo. (Central)
Jane Bowness	So.	Steelville, Mo. (Steelville)
Jennifer Dittburner	So.	Scottsdale, Ariz (Desert Mt.)
Kim Eversgerd	So.	Wathena, Kan. (Wathena)
Amanda Gray	Jr.	Rockport, Mo. (Rock Port)
Kayli Hardlicka	Fr.	Pella, Iowa. (Pella)
Chelsea Humphries	Fr.	Clinton, Mo. (Clinton)
Mary Jantz	Fr.	Beatrice, Neb. (Beatrice)
Crystal Kearney	Fr.	Marshall, Mo. (Marshall)
Madison Marshman	Fr.	Marshall, Mo. (Marshall)
Megan McElroy	Fr.	Burke, Va. (Robinson)
Maggie McManigal	Jr.	Colorado Springs, Co. (Wasson)
Jessica Nichols	Fr.	Louisiana, Mo. (Louisiana)
Anna O'Brien	Jr.	Easton, Mo. (East Buchanan)
Blair Sample	So.	St. Joseph, Mo. (Benton)
Tennille Shearer	So.	Liberty, Mo. (Liberty)
Karah Spader	Sr.	Waco, Ne York)
Megan Tinsley	Jr.	Liberty, Mo. (Liberty)

## Men

Ben Chappell	So.	St. Joseph, Mo (West Valley)
Brandon Dart	Sr.	Fremont, Neb. (Fremont)
Anthony Davidson	Jr.	Grant City, Mo. (Worth County)
David Franz	Jr.	Belton, Mo. (Johnson County)
Ryan Gates	So.	Neosha, Mo. (Neosha)
German Guerrero	Jr.	Oxford, Mich. (Oakland)
Chris King	Fr.	Redding, Iowa. (Mt. Ayr)
Kaden Myers	Fr.	Sedalia, Mo. (Sedalia)
Terol Pursell	Fr.	Peoria, Ill. (Limestone)
Brad Sorensen	Jr.	Clarinda, Iowa (Essex)
Harry Whitaker	Fr.	Eldon, Mo. (School of the Osage)

## Bearcats Head to Memphis, Tennessee.

### This Week

The Northwest Missouri State men's and women's cross country teams will both be traveling to Memphis, Tenn., for the Brooks Memphis Twilight Classic scheduled to start at 10:10 a.m. The meet will be held at the Mike Rose Soccer Complex.

### Men's Notes

The Bearcats competed last week in the Sean Earl Loyola Lakefront run against 25 teams and 159 total participants, finishing 5th overall with 150 team points. Sophomore **Ben Chappell** led the Bearcats with a ninth place finishing time of 26:34. Chappell has finished first for Northwest for three straight meets this season. Senior **Brandon Dart** finished second for Northwest and 23rd overall with a time of 27:08.

### Women's Notes

The women came away with a 15th place finish in the Roy Griak Invitational last week as they competed against 30 teams and 283 total runners. The women were led by junior **Anna O'Brien** who finished with a mark of 23:30.5 in 14th place. Senior **Karah Spader** came in second for Northwest and 28th overall with a time of 24:05.5. O'Brien and Spader have finished first and second, respectively, for Northwest every meet this year.

### Next Week

The Bearcats will take a week off as they prepare to compete in the Mid-America Intercollegiate Athletics Association (MIAA) Championships, which will be held in Kirksville, Mo., at 10:30 a.m.

## 2007 Schedule

Date	Meet	Location	Result / Time
Sept. 1	Northwest All-Umni (Men)	Maryville, Mo	N/A
Sept. 8	Bearcat/Spoofhound Cross Country Open	Maryville, Mo	M - 1st of 2 ; W - 1st of 3
Sept. 15	UNL/Woody Greeno Invitational	Lincoln, Neb.	M- 14th of 21; W - 8th of 21
Sept. 29	Roy Griak Invitational (Women)	Minneapolis, Minn.	15th of 30
Sept. 29	Sean Earl Loyola Lakefront Run (Men)	Chicago, Ill.	5th of 25
Oct. 6	Brooks Memphis Twilight Classic	Memphis, Tenn.	10:10 a.m.
Oct. 20	MIAA Championships	Kirksville, Mo.	10:30 a.m.
Nov. 3	NCAA South Central Regional	Joplin, Mo.	9:30 a.m.

## Results

Name	Bearcat/ Spoonhound Open	UNL/Woody Greeno Open	Roy Griak Invitational	Sean Earl Loyola Lakefront Run	Brooks Memphis Twilight Classic	MIAA Championship	NCAA South Central Regional
<b>Women</b>							
	<b>5K</b>	<b>6K</b>	<b>6K</b>				
Anna Benedict	DNC	DNC	DNC				
Jane Bowness	21:52.7, 10th	26:05.00, 131st	26:32.1, 188th				
Jennifer Dittburner	21:01.6, 4th	24:47.90, 77th	25:25.8, 116th				
Kim Eversgerd	22:01.5, 11th	26:21.30, 146th	DNC				
Amanda Gray	22:56.0, 15th	26:55.75, 174th	DNC				
Kayli Hardlicka	22:20.5, 13th	26:51.10, 168th	DNC				
Chelsea Humphries	DNC	DNC	DNC				
Mary Jantz	21:25.0, 7th	25:48.05, 117th	26:18.9, 173rd				
Crystal Kearney	DNC	DNC	DNC				
Madison Marshman	20:58.7, 3rd	25:09.65, 92nd	25:47.4, 140th				
Megan McElroy	23:08.5, 17th	DNC	DNC				
Maggie McManigal	DNC	DNC	26:01.1, 156th				
Jessica Nichols	21:21.6, 6th	25:53.70, 122nd	26:39.2, 191st				
Anna O'Brien	19:36.0, 1st	23:25.55, 30th	23:30.5, 14th				
Blair Sample	21:12.0, 5th	24:48.35, 78th	25:59.3, 153rd				
Tennille Shearer	NF	26:06.00, 132nd	29:00.8, 259th				
Karah Spader	19:58.6, 2nd	24:00.10, 52nd	24:05.5, 29th				
Megan Tinsley	23:18.0, 18th	27:18.85, 179th	DNC				

<b>Men</b>							
	<b>4 Mile</b>	<b>8K</b>		<b>8K</b>			
Ben Chappell	22:31.1, 1st	27:07.35, 66th		26:34, 9th			
Brandon Dart	23:08.3, 3rd	27:54.65, 109th		27:08, 23rd			
Anthony Davidson	24:41.5, 16th	30:36.55, 228th		28:56, 81st			
David Franz	23:17.5, 5th	28:16.85, 127th		28:12, 55th			
Ryan Gates	23:57.1, 10th	29:06.85, 174th		28:20, 61st			
German Guerrero	23:14.4, 4th	27:59.05, 113th		27:46, 42nd			
Chris King	NF	DNC		29:39, 113th			
Kaden Myers	24:35.4, 15th	29:02.50, 170th		29:42, 115th			
Terol Pursell	23:00.3, 2nd	27:19.85, 73rd		27:37, 36th			
Brad Sorensen	23:59.9, 11th	28:42.60, 150th		29:15, 95th			
Harry Whitaker	23:48.6, 8th	28:52.45, 161st		DNC			

### Top Men Team Finishes (Points)

<b>1. Northwest (15)</b>	1. Co. School of Mines (39)	1. Ferris State (55)
2. Southwestern CC (45)	2. Concordia U. NE (89)	2. Calvin (76)
	3. Butler CC (137)	3. William Woods (123)
<b>14. Northwest (322)</b>		<b>5. Northwest (150)</b>

### Top Women Team Finishes (Points)

<b>1. Northwest (15)</b>	1. Neb. Wesleyan (49)	1. Augustana (69)
2. College of St. Mary (59)	2. Neb. Kearney (84)	2. Neb. Kearney (145)
3. Peru State College (66)	3. Butler CC (130)	3. In. Wesleyan (163)
<b>8. Northwest (210)</b>		<b>15. Northwest (395)</b>

## Northwest Quick Facts

City / Zip..... Maryville, Mo. 64468  
 Founded / Enrollment ..... 1905 / 6,500  
 Nickname..... Bearcats  
 School Colors ..... Forest Green and White  
 Affiliation ..... NCAA Division II  
 Conference.....Mid-America Intercollegiate  
 Athletics Association  
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