

McQuaid's Koller in Front Again

Chris Koller led the pack last month in the City-Catholic League cross country meet at Cobbs Hill, so it's only natural he should lead the field in the 1977 All-Star Team selected by the coaches.

Koller, a 6-4, 160-pound junior from McQuaid, helped the Knights extend their win streak to 50 straight dual meets and six straight team championships. He ran the fastest time of the year, a 15:28 at Cobbs Hill and also took a fourth place out of 150 runners at the Hannibal Invitational.

Joining him on the team are McQuaid teammates Jim Malley, Andy Huggins and Steve Burnett; Madison's Darrell Leslie; Charlotte's Mike Malone, and Mooney's Bob Acker.

The coaches also picked All-Catholic, All-City Division I and All-City Division II teams. Here is the breakdown:

All-Catholic

The team includes Kearney's Ed Bizari, McQuaid's Pete Glavin, Koller, Malley, Huggins, Burnett and Acker.

Bizari, a 5-9, 115-junior, was a very respectable third in his team's dual meet against McQuaid and finished 26th in Sectionals, 15th in the Genesee Community College Invitational and eighth in the City-Catholic individual run.

Glavin was sixth at the City-Catholic meet despite being only a 130-pound sophomore. He ran a 15:53 at Cobbs Hill that day. He won the Sarah Coventry J.V. Invitational at Newark to earn his berth on the varsity. He plans to attend Notre Dame.

Huggins didn't run in the C-C championship meet, but the 5-11 junior took two firsts in dual meets during the season. Burnett, a 125-pound junior, ran a 15:49 to finish fourth in the City-Catholic meet.

Malley, third in the C-C meet, is a 115-pound junior who ran third or fourth on his team. Acker, who made the first All-Star team last year as well, is a 5-9, 125-pound senior who will attend either U of Buffalo or St. Bonaventure. He won the Bossert Trophy given to the best City-Catholic finisher in Sectionals.

How They Line Up

Catholic Division

Runner	School	Ht.	Wt.	Class
Chris Koller	McQuaid	6-4	160	Jr.
Andy Huggins	McQuaid	5-11	145	Jr.
Steve Burnett	McQuaid	5-8	125	Jr.
Jim Malley	McQuaid	5-8	115	Jr.
Pete Glavin	McQuaid	5-7	130	Soph.
Bob Acker	Mooney	5-9	125	Sr.
Ed Bizari	Kearney	5-9	115	Jr.

Division

Darrell Leslie	Madison	5-6	126	Sr.
Jerome Taylor	Madison	5-4	110	Fr.
Dalton Dixon	Franklin	5-5	135	Jr.
Charles Griffin	Franklin	6-0	155	Sr.
Paul Dengler	Edison	5-7	136	Jr.
Phil Oien	Edison	5-7	140	Sr.
Jim Senger	Edison	5-5	106	Soph.

Division II

Mike Malone	Charlotte	5-11	137	Sr.
Joe Phillips	Charlotte	5-8	125	Sr.
Brett Schirmer	Charlotte	5-11	126	Sr.
Brian Spall	Charlotte	6-0	135	Sr.
Ed Sherman	Charlotte	5-6	110	Sr.
Tony Davis	Marshall	5-11	155	Sr.
Don Curran	Marshall	5-6	143	Sr.

Junior Runners Lead McQuaid Cross-Country

A strong contingent of seven juniors will form the nucleus of this year's McQuaid Jesuit cross-country squad, which opens its season this Saturday at the New Hartford Invitational.

"Our juniors will be carrying us, at least at the beginning of the season," says coach Bob Bradley, heading into his 16th year with Knight runners. "My senior co-captains, Jon Horton and Nate Peck, are hobbled with injuries right now, but they could be ready by mid-season."

Five of those juniors are returning lettermen from the '76 team which won a fifth straight City-Catholic Championship and two invitationals but finished a disappointing seventh in the Sectionals.

That group, consisting of Chris Koller, Steve Burnett, Jim Malley, Rob Starkweather, and Chris Rimlinger, will be joined by

John Scott, a J.V. graduate, and Andy Huggins, a transfer from Honeoye Falls-Lima, who's been running at the front with Koller.

Seniors Dennis Cushman and George Moore and sophomore George Sallaway will give Bradley three more strong runners from which to choose a top seven, and the Knights depth will come from senior Brendan Byrne, ~~Tommy Conway~~, junior Kevin Cummins, and John Heneghan, and sophs Pete Glavin, Jim Dunn, Dave Hoak, and Gunther Peck.

McQuaid's new freshman coach, Joe Contario, has a group of 20 eighth and ninth graders preparing for their opener at the Sarah Coventry Invitational in Newark, Sept. 24. Contario, an outstanding college runner at Genesee State, joins the history faculty after a teaching-coaching stint at Honeoye Falls-Lima.