

## CROSS COUNTRY



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# LEADING THE PACK

## M-S dominates at Charleston Invitational

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The No. 1 2A-ranked boys' cross country team kicked off its season by dominating the Charleston Invitational Saturday.

The Bulldogs placed five

runners in the first eight.

Alex Keeble led the way for the Bulldogs, capturing first with a time of 14:52.

His time was 58 seconds ahead of the next runner, Danville's Carl Way.

The Bulldogs' Andrew Walmer finished five sec-

onds behind Way for third place. Gabe Pommier was fifth in 15:53 and Brian Butcher was sixth.

The team continues its long quest for a state title Saturday when it enters the Springfield Invitational at Lincoln Park in Springfield.

**Top:** The Mahomet-Seymour boys' cross-country team celebrates its first-place finish in Charleston on Saturday. Five of the top eight runners were from MSHS.

**Left:** Juniors Brian Butcher, Gabe Pommier and Andrew Walmer run at the Charleston Invitational on Saturday. Walmer finished in third place, coming in only seconds behind second-place finisher Carl Way of Danville and teammate Alex Keeble, who took first.