

HARRIERS IN THE RUNNING

The oft-run paths of Forest Park will be trod upon by a flock of familiar feet, as the SLUH Cross Country team will feature a number of returning lettermen this year.

For Coach Aylward and the team, this year marks the beginning of change and success. After two weeks of training, the team is gradually starting to take shape. When asked about SLUH's outlook on the coming season, Coach Aylward seemed optimistic in his view. "As a team, we hope to place first in more than half the meets, especially with the Seniors placing in the top five.

This year, the varsity will consist mainly of Gerry Glynn, Pete Palumbo, Matt Ebeling, Mike Holderle, and John Ferrara. "Our Varsity and C-teams should be strong, but we're sort of weak at the Junior and Sophomore levels," explained Glynn.

Ebeling added, "We need more runners for the B and JV teams to cement the team together.

Difficult meets throughout the season will be at the Hancock and DeSmet Invitationals, along with the Chaminade Tri-Meet. Cross country is a demanding sport that does not get much recognition, so take time out and pay respect to these fine athletes by watching them give their best.

-----John Ferrara