MIDDLE SCHOOL CAVALIER RACERS SPARKLE AGAIN IN DRESDEN MEET; THREE EARN MEDALS



Above: CCMS eighth graders Caleb Ferguson, José Aguirre, and Lucas Morales all finished in the Top 20 to earn medals in Thursday's mile run at Dresden. (Photo by Deanda Manning)

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Three Crockett County eighth-graders earned medals as the Middle School cross-country team competed in a one-mile run meet at Dresden Thursday.

Caleb Ferguson – who finished second overall (of 63 runners) with a time of 5:53 – led the Cavalier trio who placed in the Top 20. José Aguirre (6:07) and Lucas Morales (6:12) joined Ferguson among the medalists in the second race of the season for Coach Deanda Manning's squad.

The finishing times for all of the CCMS runners who participated:

SIXTH GRADE: Levi Gulyas 7:42; Szabi Gulyas 8:42; Mary Reid Hutcherson 11:05; Ja'Riah Byrum 12:49. Total Runners for Sixth Grade: 55 girls and 46 boys.

SEVENTH GRADE: Harrison Duvall 7:01; Reed Eison 7:13; Maria Stewart 9:02; Kamryn Baggett 9:43; Colbie Clement 9:44. Total Runners for Seventh Grade: 45 girls and 60 boys.

EIGHTH GRADE: Caleb Ferguson 5:53 (2nd place overall, medalist); José Aguirre 6:07 (medalist, Top 20); Lucas Morales 6:12 (medalist, Top 20); Gabe Williams 7:10; Davis Manning 7:51; Kenzleigh Gooch 8:35; Kori Hail 8:41; Mason Claybrooks 8:52; Henry Ramos 10:31; Israel Pina 10:32; Lynslee Crews 11:25; Saniyah Walker 11:39.

The team runs again after school Monday in a Milan meet.

HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL: In their final tune-up before opening the official season next Friday night at home against Memphis Middle College, Crockett's Cavaliers fell to Munford 27-14 Friday night in the STAR Physical Therapy / West Tennessee Bone & Joint Jamboree in Dyersburg. The highlight of the performance by the Cav gridders was a long touchdown run by DK Woods, who will be trying to follow up on his 1,000-yard sophomore season.



Above: Cavalier running back DK Woods (32), here following blocker Nolen Turner (54), will be trying for another 1,000-yard season when CCHS officially kicks off its schedule next Friday night against Memphis Middle College. (Photo by Ron Barry)