

July 16, 2011

**RAY WHERLEY CROSS COUNTRY INVITATIONAL
PRESCOTT HIGH SCHOOL**

Dear Athletic Director/Coach,

Your Cross Country team is cordially invited to attend the 34th annual Ray Wherley Cross Country Invitational in Prescott. Featuring unique race and scoring formats, cool temperatures, and a challenging elevation, the Ray Wherley XC Invitational is one of the premier XC invitationals in Arizona.

Date of meet: Saturday, September 10, 2011

Location: Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University Campus in Prescott.
Driving directions will be sent upon request.

Entry Fee: \$125.00 per team. (\$250.00 for both a Boys and a Girls team)

Registration: Instructions will be sent for entering your runners PLUS their ranking on your team (#1 to #7). This info will be due by September 8.

Time: Novice Race 9:30 (Freshmen & Sophomores only).
Junior/Senior Race (for those not in your top 7) after finish of Novice Race
Varsity Races (4 flights) begin at 10:50

Coaches meeting: 8:45 in the hospitality ramada

VARSITY FORMAT: Scored according to the fastest cumulative team time. To be eligible for the team championship, a team must have seven runners.

NOVICE AND JR/SR: Two races, one for the Freshman and Sophomore runners only and the other for the Junior and Senior runners.

The Varsity meet will be run in four separate flights. Flight one will have runners 7 and 6, flight two will have runners 5 and 4, flight three will have runners 3 and 2, and flight four will have each team's #1 runner. Each boys' and girls' race will run concurrently. Any non-finishers will be given a time of 59 minutes for team scoring purposes.

AWARDS:

Varsity Races: Medals will be awarded to the top eight finishers in each level. A team championship and runner-up trophy will also be given.

Novice & Jr/Sr: Medals to the top 16 boys and girls in each race.

The best way to contact me is by email clark.tenney@prescottschools.com To reach me by phone, it is usually best to try between 2:15 and 3:00 p.m. Phone number 928-445-2322 ext 211.

We hope you can join us,

Clark Tenney
RWXCI Race Director