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AIA SECTIONAL
CROSS COUNTRY CHAMPIONSHIPS
WEDNESDAY, October 23, 2024

For the following Sections:

Division 1:	Southeast
Division 1:	Southwest
Division 2:	East
Division 2:	Metro
Division 3:	East
Division 4:	East

There will be no coaches meeting. Get packet and BIBs at coaches' check in.



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Location:

Crossroads Park, Gilbert, Arizona. Crossroads Park is located at Greenfield Road and Knox between Ray and Warner Road.

Directions:

From Tucson: Take I-10 to loop 202 east bound. Exit at San Tan Village Road and turn left (heading north-west) Travel approximately 2.5 miles. The park entrance will be on your left, at the light for Knox Road.

From Phoenix: Take the Superstition (US60) Freeway east bound. Exit Greenfield Road and turn right (heading south). Head south approximately 3 miles. Park entrance will be on your right, at the light for Knox Road.

Awards:

Medals will be awarded to the top fourteen (14) individuals in each sectional race.
The top team will receive a Sectional Championship Plaque.



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Time Schedule:

6:00 am	Course open for warm up.
7:45 am	Girls Division 1 Southeast
8:15 am	Boys Division 1 Southeast
8:40 am	Girls Division 2 Metro
9:10 am	Boys Division 2 Metro / Awards Division 1 Southeast
9:40 am	Girls Division 2 East
10:10 am	Boys Division 2 East / Awards Division 2 Metro
10:40 am	Girls Division 1 Southwest
11:05 am	Boys Division 1 Southwest / Awards Division 2 East
11:50 am	Awards Division 1 Southwest
11:45 am	Course reopens for walk through
1:00 pm	Girls Division 3 East
1:30 pm	Boys Division 3 East
2:00 pm	Girls Division 4 East
2:30 pm	Boys Division 4 East / Awards Division 3 East
3:10 pm	Awards Division 4 East

This will be a full day of racing. Athletes need to report to the starting line check in as a full team. Athletes also must be race ready. Check in begins 20 minutes before the start of each race.



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Course:

The course is grass, granite, dirt and some concrete and asphalt. Copy of the map is at the end of this packet. Make copies of the map as there will be none at the coaches meeting or in the coaches' packet. **NO SPIKES are allowed to be worn. NOR are bikes allowed to be ridden by coaches or those affiliated with a team.**

AIA Bylaws state that NO team or individual may practice on the championship course within seven (7) days of the meet. With the exception being if the course is a home course for a team.

Section Entry Procedure:

Each team must designate up to seven runners. Entries are to be submitted online at www.athletic.net

Entry deadline is Sunday, October 20, 2024 by 2:00 PM. Changes to your entries will be allowed at check in.

State Qualification:

The top 1/2 of full teams scores will advance to the state meet. Thus, if ten (10) teams have a team score, then five (5) teams will advance to state. IF there is an odd number, the next number up for advancement will go. Thus, if eleven (11) teams have a team score then six (6) teams will advance.

The top seven (7) individuals from the teams NOT advancing will advance to state. Thus every section will have seven individuals that will advance to the state meet.

State Entries:

All entries for the AIA State Cross Country championships are to be made online at www.athletic.net. Deadline for entries is **Monday October 28, 2024 by 2:00 PM.** For time schedule and more information on the state meet go to www.aiaonline.org and go to Sports→Cross Country and find State Tournament Guide. This is the official site for information about the state cross country meet.

Games Committee



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(Members subject to change)

Jeff Guy	Site Director	
Joe Hajak	Tucson	Referee
Shawn Hardt	Queen Creek	Division One
Chris Hanson	Desert Vista	Division One
Jason Anderton	Basha	Division One
Josh Applebach	Campo Verde	Division Two
Mike Gleason	Horizon	Division Two
Michael Garcia	Alhambra	Division Two

Afternoon Session

Jeff Guy	Site Director	
Joe Hajak	Tucson	Referee
Joe Williams	Poston Butte	Division Three
Dean Ouellette	Seton Catholic	Division Three
Eric Dall	Scottsdale Christian	Division Four
Terry Antonio	San Carlos	Division Four

Post Race Meals:

If you need eating establishments, the San Tan Village has countless restaurants—both sit down and fast service. Restaurants are located on both sides of Williams Field Road.

Contact Information

Email questions of concerns to Dave Shapiro shapdave5@gmail.com
Cell phone is (602) 918-6479.



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Starting Line Assignments:

BOX	Div 1 Southeast	Div 1- Southwest	Div 2- East
1	Basha	Apollo	
2	Higley	Tolleson	Cactus Shadows
3	Corona del Sol	Brophy	Desert Mountain
4	South Mountain	Marana	Tempe
5	Chandler	Rincon University	North Canyon
6			
7	Desert Vista	Cibola	Arcadia
8	Maryvale	Liberty	Campo Verde
9	Hamilton	Tucson	
10			
11	Williams Field	Valley Vista	Casa Grande
12	Cesar Chavez	Gila Ridge	Horizon
13	Camelback	Queen Creek	Maricopa
14	Perry	West Pointe	Paradise Valley
15			
16	Trevor Browne	Shadow Ridge	Arizona College Prep
17	Casteel	San Luis	Vista Grande
18	Sunnyside	Sunnyslope	McClintock
19	Trevor Browne	Kofa	
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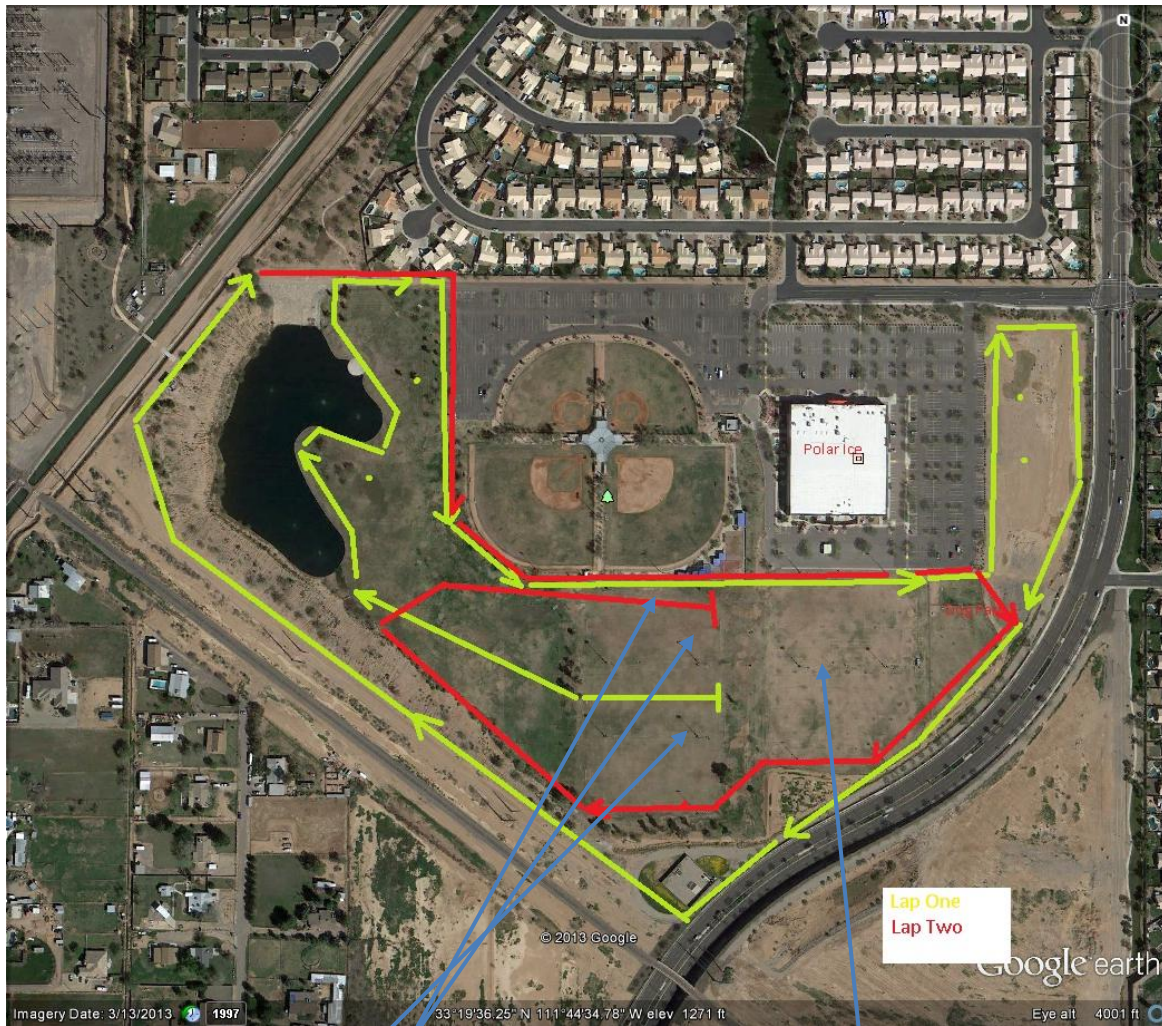


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BOX	Div 2- Metro	Div 3- East	Div 4- East
1	Agua Fria	Yuma Catholic	Miami
2	Copper Canyon	ALA Ironwood	Gilbert Classical
3	Desert Edge	Benjamin Franklin	Horizon Honors
4	Alhambra	Eastmark	Madison Highland
5		Combs	
6	Betty Fairfax	ALA Queen Creek	Chandler Prep
7	Buckeye	Marcos de Niza	Arete Prep
8	La Joya	Gilbert Christian	Rancho Solano
9	Mountain Pointe	Coolidge	
10	Youngker	Florence	San Carlos
11	Lake Havasu	Payson	Leading Edge
12	Centennial	Saguaro	Scottsdale Christian
13	Metro Tech	Crismon	Fountain Hills
14		ALA Gilbert North	
15	North	Valley Christian	Lincoln prep
16	Deer Valley	Globe	Scottsdale Prep
17	Chaparral	Mesquite	ALA Mesa North
18	Central	Poston Butte	Tempe Prep
19	Sierra Linda	Seton Catholic	
20	Verrado	San Tan Foothills	
21	Carl Hayden	Desert Sunrise	
22		Yuma	
23		Somerton	

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Course Map and Team Camp area:



Start Line
Finish Line
Check In

Team Camps

