

EDINBORO STATE

CROSS COUNTRY & TRACK
1973-1974

"Running Scots"—Depth, Talent, Desire 1974 Track Outlook

Graduation claimed ESC's most prolific point scorer in David Antognoli—a 1972 Olympic Trials Finalist in the 10,000 meters; six-time ALL AMERICAN; and a two-time National Champion. However, a solid nucleus of lettermen return to bolster the Scots' chances of repeating the District and State Team Championships they claimed last season.

Senior John Walker returns intent on improving his 4th place National finish in the 440 Intermediate Hurdles and in lowering his school record in the Highs. Last season's frosh sensation, Mike Drozin, the Kentucky Relays winner in the High jump, and a 5th place National finisher, hopes to conquer the 7'0" barrier this time around. 1972 Pa. State sprint champions William Waros (100) and Dan Swanson (220) return to give their team considerable depth in the shorter races.

Mark Roche begins his second real year of running and will be pointing to lower his two school standards in the mile and 880 yd. runs. Depth is evident in the middle distance runners as a fine group of freshmen should handle their responsibilities more than adequately aided by a seasoned group of upperclassmen. Frosh Lou Champney, Kevin Foley, Joe Come, Pat Maher, Mark Ladika, Dennis Packard, and a lot of others should be tough. Experienced personnel counted upon include Gary Gotsch, Steve Turk, and John Foreman.

The field events, always an Edinboro weakpoint, are definitely upgraded with the addition of some fine personnel. School record holder Kim Oddi returns to action after a year's absense. State H.S. javelin champ Bob Staab and 3rd place finisher Mike Pancerov could prove out as the squad's best recruits. Sophomore pole vaulter Rick Motter also is looking to improve his standard by June, as triple jumper Chuck Jones zeroes in on the ESC barrier.

"I know we have good experienced Trackmen, and they should be supported admirably by the newcomers," explained Coach Watts. "If the freshmen recruits live up to their potentials, I think we can be pretty tough. Our squad's team spirit is the key to our success, and right now, I see no reason to question the continuance of that tradition of excellence."

Fighting Scot Facts

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	Red and White
	try Coach Doug Watts
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Track and Cross Country Roster

Name	Class	Hometown	Event
*Andrews, Doug	Jr.	Greenville, Pa.	Middle Distances
Bach, Brian	Fr.	Erie, Pa.	Middle Distances
*Beckett, Ron	So.	Elyria, Ohio	H. Jump, Long Sprin
* * * Champ, Rolandxxx	xSr.	Pittsburgh, Pa.	Distances
Champney, Loux	Fr.	Columbiana, Ohio	Middle Distances
Come, Joex	Fr.	Edinboro, Pa.	Distances
*Constantine, Ed	So.	Greensburg, Pa.	Long Jump
DeJesus, Louis	Fr.	Geneva, Ohio	Long Sprints
*Drozin, Mike	So.	Cleveland, Ohio	High Jump
Flanick, Mark	So.	Pittsburgh, Pa.	Middle Distances
Foley, Kevinx	Fr.	Willowick, Ohio	Distances
*Foreman, Johnxx	So.	Altoona, Pa.	Middle Distances
Goodman, Doug	Fr.	Freeport, Pa.	Javelin
* Gotsch, Garyxxxx	Sr.	Parma, Ohio	Distances
Griffin, Dale	So.	Elyria, Ohio	Shot, Discus
***Grynuck, Ray	Sr.	Butler, Pa.	High Jump
Herman, Williamxx		Pittsburgh, Pa.	Distances
Hornack, Davidx	Fr.	Monroeville, Pa.	Distances
Johnson, Greg	Fr.	Aurora, Ohio	Middle Distances
*Jones, Charlie	Sr.	Meadville, Pa.	Horizontal Jumps
Jones, Rodmond	So.	Johnstown, Pa.	Horizontal Jumps
Klinger, Keith	Fr.	Perry, Ohio	Long Sprints
*Kowal, Roger	So.	Ambridge, Pa.	High Jump
Ladika, Mark	Fr.	Corry, Pa.	Middle Distances
*Lawrence, Robert	So.	Irwin, Pa.	Discus
Linder, Markx	Fr.	Cincinnati, Ohio	Distances
*Logue, Patxx	So.	Montoursville, Pa.	Middle Distances
Lubecki, Chet	Fr.	Wilkesboro, Pa.	Distances
Maher, Patx	Fr.	Binghampton, N.Y.	Middle Distances
Moder, Williamx	Sr.	Hickory, Pa.	Middle Distances
*Motter, Rick	So.	Oil City, Pa.	Pole Vault
*Oddi, Kim	Sr.	Mercer, Pa.	Discus, Shot
Pancerov, Mike	Fr.	Waterford, Pa.	Javelin
Packard, Dennisx	Fr.	Buffalo, N.Y.	Middle Distances
*Penney, Craig	So.	Mars, Pa.	Hurdles
Philley, Pete	Sr.	Conneaut, Ohio	Middle Distances
*Pipitone, Dan	So.	Akron, Ohio	Pole Vault
Plyer, Steve	So.	New Castle, Pa.	Shot-Hammer
*Post, Gary	So.	Brockport, N.Y.	Int. Hurdles
Rapuse, Bruce	Fr.	Conneaut, Ohio	Distances
*Roche, Markxx	Jr.	Cochranton, Pa.	Distances
Roehm, Dan	Fr.	McMurray, Pa.	Middle Distances
**Rusek, Mike	Jr.	Parma, Ohio	440
Schleicher, Len	Fr.	Erie, Pa.	Long Jump, Sprints
* *Smith, Greg	Sr.	Philadelphia, Pa.	Triple Jump
Smith, Jeff	Fr.	Ambridge, Pa.	Distances
Staab, Robert	Fr.	Erie, Pa.	Javelin
Starkey, Bradx	Fr.	Seville, Ohio	Distances
Sullivan, Joe	Fr.	Pittsburgh, Pa.	Sprints, Long Jump
***Swanson, Dan	Jr.	Warren, Pa.	Sprints, Long Junit
Turk, Stevexx	Sr.	Parma, Ohio	Distances
***Walker, John	Sr.	Rochester, N.Y.	Hurdles
***Waros, William		Kiski Area, Pa.	
wards, william	Sr.	NISKI AIEd, Fd.	Sprints

^{*}Denotes number of letters won in track xDenotes number of letters won in cross country







Dan Swanson

ESC Varsity Track and Field Records

Event		Time, Height, or Distance	Year
440 Relay	J. Amore, R. Beckett,		
140 Holdy	D. Swanson, W. Waros	42.3	1973
Mile	Mark Roche	4:12.3	1973
440	Ron Stewart	48.4	1972
100	Bill Waros	9.8	1972
120 H. Hurdles		3, 14.2(w)	1973
	Mike Lipscomb	14.3	1973
880	Mark Roche	1:55.0	1973
220	Ron Hess	21.9(s)	1967
	Dan Swanson	22.0(c)	1973
Int. Hurdles	John Walker	52.1	1973
Mile Relay	D. Genger, D. Tandy,	5	
,,,,,,	W. Nesgoda, R. Stewart	3:22.2	1971
Shot	Kim Oddi	45'8 34"	1972
Discus	J. Gillette	158' ½"	1971
Javelin	Ron Fehlman, (Tie)	189'4 ½"	1963
	John Anderson	189'4 ½"	1971
Long Jump	Darryl Meachem	23'8"	1967
Triple Jump	Darryl Meachem	46'4''	1967
High Jump	Mike Drozin	6'9"	1973
Pole Vault	Rick Motter	14'0"	1973
Steeplechase	Steve Turk	9:40.5	1973
6 Mile	Dave Antognoli	28:24.7	1972
3 Mile	Dave Antognoli	13:40.4	1972
2 Mile	Dave Antognoli	9:02.1(i)	
Marathon	Dave Antognoli	2:30:43.1	
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(c) curve — (w) wind — (s) straight — (i) indoor

1974 Track Schedule

Kentucky Relays at Lexington, Ky

April 5-6

Sept. 14

/ tpill o o	Romadky Holays at Loxington, ity.
April 13	Akron University at Akron, Ohio
April 20	Akron Invitationals at Akron, Ohio
	Ohio Relays at Columbus, Ohio
April 25	Clarion at Clarion, Pa.
April 27	Indiana Univ. (Pa.) (Sox Harrison Stadium)
	Penn Relays at Philadelphia, Pa.
April 30	Slippery Rock at Slippery Rock, Pa.
May 4	Buffalo Relays at Buffalo, N.Y.
May 7	NAIA District 18 Meet at Slippery Rock, Pa.
May 10-11	Pa. Conference Meet at East Stroudsburg, Pa.
May 18	All-Pennsylvania Meet at Penn State
May 22-24	NAIA National Meet at Arkadelphia, Ark.
May 30-J. 1	NCAA National Meet at East Illinois Univ.

1974 Cross Country Schedule

California State

Sept. 21	Slippery Rock State
Sept. 29	Malone Invitationals at Canton, Ohio
Oct. 5	Lock Haven, Mansfield at Lock Haven, Pa.
Oct. 8	Indiana University of Pa.
Oct. 11	Notre Dame Invitational at South Bend, Ind.
Oct. 16	Mount Union at Alliance, Ohio
Oct. 20	NAIA District 18 Meet at Indiana, Pa.
Oct. 24	Akron University at Akron, Ohio
Oct. 27	Canisius Invitational at Buffalo, N.Y.
Nov. 2	Pa. Conference Meet at California, Pa.
Nov. 9	NCAA National Meet at Springfield, Mo.
Nov. 16	NAIA National Meet at Salina, Kansas



EDINBORO STATE COLLEGE'S CROSS COUNTRY TEAM: First Row (kneeling, L-R): Gary Gotsch (Co-Capt.), Joe Come, Kevin Foley, Dennis Packard, Steve Turk, Brad Starkey and Roland Champ (Co-Capt.). Second Row (L-R): Mark Linder, Billy Herman, Pat Maher, Lou Champney, Brad Bach and Chet Lubecki. Third Row (standing, L-R): John Foreman, Mark Roche, Dan Roehm, Jeff Smith, Dave Hornack, Pat Logue and Coach Watts.



THE WATTS' ERA

Cross Country

1969: 6-3 1970: 9-0 1971: 6-3 1972: 5-2

1973: 10-0

36–8

Track

1970: 3-2-0 1971: 5-1-0

1972: 3-2-1 1973: 6-1-0

17-6-1

Scots Win With Watts

In his fifth year of coaching at Edinboro, Doug Watts continues to bring national distinction to his track and cross country teams.

A collegiate middle distance and cross country runner for the University of Akron, Watts was a vital cog in Zip teams that lost only one dual meet in his four-year span and finished as NCAA college division runners-up in cross country.

After graduate work, Watts launched both his coaching career and Walsh Jesuit High's running sports program. His two year record at the Ohio school showed winning campaigns in track and his cross country team finished unbeaten both years while winning the district title.

In 1969, the youthful coach moved to Edinboro initiating cross country as a varsity sport and began building the track program. In that short span, ESC has become well known for its distance men and outstanding track performers. Coach Watts' career cross country record stands at an outstanding 56 wins and only 9 losses, while his four Edinboro track squads have recorded a 16-6-1 log.

The Scots completed their finest season this past fall as the running Scots went 10-0 in dual meets, captured District and State Championships, and finished third in the NAIA National Meet. The 1973 trackmen boasted a fine 6-1 record, also boasted the District and State titles, and placed three men in the scoring column at the National Championship.

The Edinboro mentor, named district cross country and district track coach of the year this past season, was recently honored by being nominated as an assistant coach for the United States track team at the 1976 Olympics.

Watts, his wife, Susan, and their two children, Wendy, five and Chris, three, reside in Edinboro.