

“Racing Saints” Cross Country 2007 Prospectus

Quick Facts

General Information

Location: Helena, MT
Founded: 1909
Enrolment: 1410
Nickname: Fighting Saints
Affiliation: NAIA
Conference: Frontier
President: Dr. Tom Trebon
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Cross Country Information

Head Coach: Bill Ballinger
Alma Mater/Year: Montana/'92

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2007 Schedule

Date	Day	Event	Location
Sept. 8	Sat.	UM Opem	Missoula, MT
Sept. 15	Sat.	MSU Open	Bozeman, MT
Sept. 29	Sat.	Carroll Open	Helena, MT
Oct. 13	Sat.	Bigfoot Invite	Spokane, WA
Oct 20.	Sat.	LCSC Invite	Lewiston, ID
Oct 27.	Sat.	Yellowjacket Invite	Billings, MT
Nov 3.	Sat.	NAIA Regionals	Olympia, WA
Nov 17.	Sat.	NAIA Nationals	Kenosha, WI

Tentative Roster

Men		Women	
Name	Hometown	Name	Hometown
Taylor Bergmann	Portland, OR	Elysia Andrews	Kalispell, MT
Andrew Burns	Bozeman, MT	Hannah Bauthues	Everson, WA
Fred Collins	Helena, MT	Lena-Ashley Black	Tacoma, WA
Peter Fey	Portland, OR	Kate Gebhardt	Everett, WA
Taylor Gregory	Spokane, WA	Nicole Hetlage	Broomfield, CO
Tim Meagher	Townsend, MT	Amy Nistler	Helena, MT
T.J. Murgel	Helena, MT	Jessica Sargent	Helena, MT
John Wills	Missoula, MT	Katie Sides	Spokane, WA
Tommy Sullivan	Tacoma, WA		

Head Coach Bill Ballinger

Bill Ballinger begins his first season as Head Coach for both the men's and women's cross-country teams at Carroll. Ballinger graduated from the University of Montana in 1992 with a Bachelor's degree in Biology/Chemistry with secondary science teaching endorsements, and earned his Master's of Education degree in Curriculum and Instruction in 2004.

Cross-country will be the newest addition to the Fighting Saint's athletic program, beginning competition this fall. "I am honored and thrilled to have the opportunity to help build Carroll College's inaugural men's and women's cross-country teams," Ballinger said. "Cross-country is a great sport and we intend to carry on the tradition of Carroll's excellence in athletics by being competitive at the Regional and National levels."



Ballinger ran competitively at NCAA Division 1 University of Montana from 1986 to 1991, and has over 10 years high school coaching experience in Montana. Coach Ballinger was the Head Cross Country and Distance Coach at Hellgate High School in Missoula before coming to Carroll in the spring of 2006.

Bill is currently an Assistant Professor of Military Science at Carroll and is the Officer in Charge of the Carroll Army ROTC program.