CLINTON, N.Y. – Cortland senior C. Fred Joslyn (Chenango Forks) finished first in a field of 144 runners at the New York State Collegiate Track Conference (NYSCTC) Cross Country Championships, hosted by Hamilton College. Joslyn's finish helped the Red Dragons place fifth in the 16-team men's field.

Joslyn covered 8,000 meters in 26:02.3, about 12 seconds faster than his nearest competitor and the seventh-fastest time recorded on Hamilton's course. Freshman Shamus Nally (Burnt Hills/Burnt Hills-Ballston Lake) finished ninth in 26:41.9 and freshman Ken Little (Burnt Hills/Burnt Hills-Ballston Lake) was 20th in 27:12.6. Rounding out the Red Dragons' top five were freshman Josh Henry (Truxton/Homer) in 50th place (28:02.4) and junior Tom DeRusso (East Berne/Berne Knox Westerlo) in 52nd place (28:11.6).

Geneseo won the meet with 49 points, followed by Rochester (84), RIT (114), Brockport (127), Cortland (130) and St. Lawrence (135).

Cortland's women finished sixth out of 17 teams with 217 points. Geneseo won the race with 21 points, with Ithaca second at 60 points.

Sophomore Sarah Allen (Scipio Center/Southern Cayuga) was the Red Dragons' top individual with her 27th-place time of 19:09.7 over 5,000 meters. Freshman Ashley Wirges (Hopewell Junction/Arlington) placed 29th (19:11.8), senior Jessie Lynch (West Islip) was 40th (19:35.5), freshman Liz Wolff (Syracuse/Henninger) finished 61st (20:08.0) and freshman Erin McGrath (Oakdale/Connetquot) finished 78th (20:26.3) in the 147-runner field.

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