

FSU women win in cross country meet

The Florida Gators carried home the honors for the men and the Florida State Lady Seminoles dominated the women in this morning's sixth annual running of the Florida State University Cross Country Invitational at the Seminole Golf Course Saturday.

The Gators grabbed the first four places for a 21-point finish which easily beat Auburn's second place total of 66. Gators John Rogers and Westley Mayo crossed the finish line at a 25:22 clip over the five-mile course. Teammates Harry Vaughn and Derb Brown were next at 25:44 and 25:50, respectively, while Valdosta State's Joe Germand was fifth at 25:53. The only Seminole to crack the top ten was Donnie Cook at 8th place with a 26:00 clocking.

Rounding out the top five finishers in the university men's division were Valdosta State (68), Georgia (110) and Troy State (125).

The FSU women had an easy time of it as the Lady Seminoles claimed eight of the first ten finish spots. Freshman Kathy Moore of Miami came away with individual honors with her 17:28 time over the three mile course. Other Lady Seminoles placing in the Top 10 were Laura Ledbetter of the Florida State Track Club (18:10), Rose Giampalmo (18:23), Nancy McCormac (18:29), Lisa Kinch (18:54), Kerri Heffernan (18:59), Nancy Jaquish (19:07) and Pam Ledbetter (19:16).

The women's team scores showed FSU first with 19 points, followed by the FSU Track Club with 57, University of Florida (85), University of Alabama (88) and Hillsborough Community College (108).

Herb Wills of Leon took first in the high school men's division for the second consecutive year with a 14:53 three mile time.