

FLORIDA STATE UNIVERSITY  
1970 CROSS COUNTRY PROSPECTUS

LOCATION: Tallahassee, Florida 32306  
ENROLLMENT: 18,000  
PRESIDENT: Stanley Marshall  
ATHLETIC DIRECTOR: Vaughn Mancha  
CROSS COUNTRY COACH: Dick Roberts

NICKNAME: Seminoles  
COLORS: Garnet and Gold  
CONFERENCE: Independent  
SID: Lonnie Burt (904) 599-2095  
HEAD TRACK COACH: Mike Long

THE 1970 OUTLOOK

Cross Country Coach Dick Roberts has a problem, but one most coaches in any sport would be willing to accept. The Seminole cross country team in 1970 is potentially one of the school's best. Never has there been as much talent out in the fall. But most of it is untried and herein lies Roberts' problem.

"We have to prove ourselves," says the assistant track coach and distance expert. "Our top five runners are all former state high school cross country champions. That is quite an accomplishment, but there is such a difference between the two-miles that they run in high school and the four to six miles they grind out in college.

"And for several of our kids we don't know if they can cut the new distance or not. They have never run for us before." Two of the Seminole runners are freshman, one is a junior transfer and two are back from last season.

The two returnees are senior Ken Misner and sophomore Del Ramers, who ran one-two a year ago. Misner gained All-America honors last fall and Ramers made a respectable showing for a freshman in the last collegiate championship run. Both are dedicated runners and give the Seminoles a strong nucleus to build around. Each was the Florida State cross country champion his senior year in high school.

Jack Wise was the Alabama State cross country champion before he started his collegiate running at Alabama. He became disenchanted with the Crimson Tide program, however, and transferred to Florida State last year. During his year of probation, he looked extremely good and should play an important part in the Seminole meets this fall.

Last year's state cross country champion, Bobby Brooks from St. Petersburg Northeast High will be wearing the Seminole colors this fall also. He will be joined by Mark O'Brien who finished second to Brooks in last year's state meet. A former state champion in Massachusetts, O'Brien transferred to Tallahassee Leon for his senior year.

Jim Dobson, who was the Seminoles' number six man last season is back and battling for a spot as well. Rounding out the squad will be freshman Danny Clark from Columbus, Ga. Last year he was one of the Peach State's top distance men.

"We know what we could do," says Roberts, "if everyone comes up to his potential. But with so many freshmen and new faces it is hard to say how they will react under pressure. I don't think there is too much question they want to do well, they all came back to school in good shape after working out all summer. We are just going to have to wait and see."

1970 CROSS COUNTRY ROSTER

NAME	CLASS	HT.	WT.	AGE	HOMETOWN
Bobby Brooks	Frosh	5-10	140	18	St. Petersburg
Danny Clark	Frosh	5-10	146	18	Columbus, Ga.
Jim Dobson	Junior	6-5	190	21	Orlando
Ken Misner	Senior	6-0	145	22	St. Petersburg
Mark O'Brien	Frosh	5-10	144	18	Tallahassee
Del Ramers	Soph	5-11	140	19	Dunedin
Jack Wise	Junior	5-10	145	20	Montgomery, Ala.

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CROSS COUNTRY SCHEDULE

DATE	OPPONENT	SITE	
Sept. 26	UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH FLORIDA	TALLAHASSEE	21-36 FSU
Oct. 3	Open		
Oct. 10	Daytona Beach Invitational	Daytona	11:00 A.M.
Oct. 17	University of South Florida	Tampa	11:00 A.M.
Oct. 24	Calloway Gardens Invitational	Pine Mountain, Ga.	11:00 A.M.
Oct. 31	NCAA Regional	Atlanta, Ga.	11:00 A.M.
Nov. 7	Open		
Nov. 9	UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA	TALLAHASSEE	4:00 P.M.
Nov. 14	Georgia Tech	Atlanta, Ga.	11:00 A.M.
Nov. 20	STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS	TALLAHASSEE	11:00 A.M.
Nov. 23	NCAA Championships	Williamsburg, Va.	11:00 A.M.

Cross Country results-- Sept. 26, 1970

Florida State 21 South Florida 36

1. Ken Wisner (FSU) 21:02
2. Bobby Brooks (FSU) 21:10
- ~~2~~ 3. Mike Godey (USF) 21:15
4. Del Ramers (FSU) 21:22
5. Goswell DeTeize (USF) 21:28
6. Mark O'Brien (FSU) 21:48
7. Bob Brost (USF) 22 :06
8. Jack Wise (FSU) 22:17
9. Danny Clark (USF) 22:20
10. Mike Ogle (USF) 23:09
11. Mark Stevens (USF) 23:29
12. Ray Croteau (USF) 23:39

VF

18-37

4 mile

Jim McQuinn  
Roy Benjamin  
Benny Vaughn  
George Bridge  
Dave Heitkamp  
Bob Burn  
Jack Stewart  
Eamonn O'Kearra  
Bill Hicks  
Dennis Bruce  
Ron Nabors  
Dave Harrison

Ken	
1 Misner	20:16.8
2 Del	28
3 Kamas	
3 Bob	34
Brooks	
4 Mark	55
O'Brien	
5 Roy Benjamin	25:09
6 Ken Burnard	
7 Jim McQuinn	
8 Jack Wise	21:25
9 Geo. Bridges	
10 Jack Stewart	
11 Heitkamp	

29 together

Misner separated mile  $\frac{1}{2}$

First effort as a team  
really got together.

everybody did good job.

Tech Atlanta

Florida State's cross-country

1	5
2	6
3	7

MEET: \_\_\_\_\_ PLACE \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

DIVISION \_\_\_\_\_ WEATHER \_\_\_\_\_

WON BY: \_\_\_\_\_ 2nd \_\_\_\_\_ 3rd \_\_\_\_\_

NO.	NAME	TIME	SCHOOL	NO.	NAME	TIME	SCHOOL
1.	Ken (3rd yr)			21.			
2.	Bobby			22.			
3.	Del			23.			
4.	Coswell			24.			
5.	Roy			25.			
6.	Mank			26.			
7.	Mike			27.			
8.	Ron			28.			
9.	Jack			29.			
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Course Record: 20:16 Held by: \_\_\_\_\_ Winning Time: \_\_\_\_\_

Record to date: \_\_\_\_\_; Next meet vs. \_\_\_\_\_

WON

LOST

PLACE