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SPORTS NEWS RELEASE

from Cedarville College Yellow Jackets

SPORTS INFORMATION CEDARVILLE COLLEGE CEDARVILLE, OH 45314 MARK WOMACK, DIRECTOR 513/766-2211 ext. 505

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For immediate release:

Craig Slater, a former standout runner and 1980 graduate of Lincoln High School, is in his senior year as a member of the Cedarville (OH) College cross country team. An accounting major at the college, Craig is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Slater of 2412 Highway 42 in Manitowoc.

Slater returned to the squad after experiencing a profitable junior year at Cedarville. He was the 1982 Yellow Jacket "Most Valuable Runner" and now he is a cocaptain of the team. Craig is still trying to reach his top competitive form following an off-season operation he had over the summer. Coach Elvin King stated, "We hope Craig can make a turnaround for us here in the final three weeks of the season and run his best races of the year."

The Yellow Jackets possess the best cross country team in the school's history this year. Cedarville has already won two invitationals and finished second in two others. For the sixth straight year, the Jackets will host the national meet for the National Christian College Athletic Association on November 12. The team is also expected to qualify for the NAIA Nationals which will be run a week later in Kenosha, Wisconsin.

Cedarville is a Baptist, liberal arts college located in southwestern Ohio, 25 miles east of Dayton. The school has an enrollment of approximately 1800 students.

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