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1988 NAIA WOMEN'S OUTDOOR TRACK AND FIELD PREVIEW

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NAIA, 1221 Baltimore Ave., Kansas City, Missouri 64105.						
INSTITUTION Cedarville Coll	ege		LOCATION Cedarville, Ohio			
FINISH IN 1987 NAIA POSTSEASON COMPETITION 4th in District 22						
NICKNAME Yellow Jackets		HEAI	COACH Elvin King			
NUMBER OF RETURNING LETTERMEN FOR 1988 SEASON 8 RETURNING STARTERS FOR 1988 6						
TOP RETURNING ATHLETES:	CLASS	EVENTS	ATHLETIC HONORS/RECORDS HELD/COMMENTS			
Shelly Fratus	_JR_	Hurdles	NAIA Semifinalist in 400 IH			
Jody Eckert	SR	Sprints	·			
Cindy Collier	SR	<u>Hurdle</u> s				
TOP NEWCOMERS: NAME	CLASS	EVENTS	COMMENTS			
Lynn Strickland	JR	_HJ				
Laura Whaley	JR	TJ				
Linda Whaley	JR	800				
SIGNIFICANT LOSSES: NAME	EVENTS	. <u>F</u>	REASON LOST (GRAD, TRANSFER, ETC.)			
Esther Mahr	400,	800	Graduation			
Beth McGillivray	HJ		Graduation			
Lynn Clark	150		Graduation			

Below or on the back of this sheet please give a brief outlook for your team in 1988 indicating strengths, weaknesses and overall analysis of the players. Include a head and shoulder photo of the head coach and a top player if available (please label back of pictures with name, sport and institution). Return this form to Mary Beth Brutton, NAIA department of communications. DEADLINE: FEBRUARY 19, 1988.

1988 Season Outlook

The Cedarville women will be seeking their fifth straight Western Buckeye Collegiate Conference title in '88. Coach Elvin King says there seems to be a balance of talent in all events and that the Lady Jackets will be competitive. Junior hurdler Shelly Fratus is expected to be the top athlete this spring. She qualified for the semifinals in the 400 meter hurdles last year at the NAIA Nationals.

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NICKNAME Yellow Jackets		HEA	D COACHElvin King			
NUMBER OF RETURNING LETTERMEN FOR 1988 SEASON 12 RETURNING STARTERS FOR 1988 8						
TOP RETURNING ATHLETES:	CLASS	EVENTS	ATHLETIC HONORS/RECORDS HELD/COMMENTS			
Eric Fillinger		_10K	H.M. NAIA All-American; placed 7th			
John Oswald	SR	_10K	Dist. 22 Champion			
Steve Seymour	<u> </u>	SP-D				
TOP NEWCOMERS:	CLASS	EVENTS	COMMENTS			
Corey Woods	FR	1500				
Loren Tucker	JR	Sprint	S			
Derek Whalen	JR	400				
SIGNIFICANT LOSSES: NAME	EVENTS		REASON LOST (GRAD, TRANSFER, ETC.)			
Rob Moore	1500		Graduation			
Tom Hill	1500		Graduation			
Tim Walters	Hurdl	es	Graduation			

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Cedarville Coach Elvin King expects some excellent individual performances again this spring, especially in the long distances where the Yellow Jackets will be strongest. One major weakness will be the lack of depth in other events.

Sophomore Eric Fillinger and senior John Oswald, both specializing in the 10,000 meters, will be the best bets to succeed. Fillinger placed 7th in the NAIA national meet while Oswald won the event in District 22 in 1987. Both runners were NAIA All-Americans in cross country this past fall.