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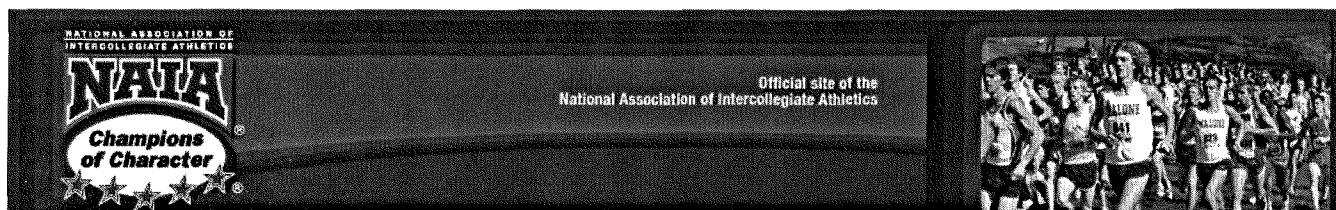
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**Men's Cross Country**

**Malone (Ohio) Spends Third Week at No. 1 in NAIA Men's Cross Country Coaches' Top 25**

**A trio of teams breaks into this week's poll**

Sept. 23, 2009

**KANSAS CITY, Mo.** - Malone University (Ohio) will spend its 25th-straight week as the nation's top-ranked squad. The Pioneers earned 622 points and tallied 21-of-22 possible first-place votes in the second installment of the Men's Cross Country Coaches' Top 25 poll, the NAIA announced on Wednesday. Staying put at No. 2 is Aquinas College (Mich.) and Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University (Fla.) held steady at No. 3. Fourth-ranked Concordia University (Neb.) moves up one spot and Oklahoma Christian propelled from No. 23 to No. 5.

New to this week's poll is sixth-ranked British of Columbia, No. 15 Oklahoma Baptist and No. 20 McKendree (Ill.). British Columbia was unranked a week ago, while Oklahoma Baptist and McKendree were both receiving votes.

The American Midwest Conference boasts three ranked teams in Malone, No. 9 Shawnee State (Ohio) and No. 13 Cedarville (Ohio).

Aquinas earned one first-place vote, but maintains its spot at No. 2 with 596 points. Embry-Riddle is hot on the heels of Aquinas at No. 3 with 585 points. Moving up from No. 5 a week ago, Concordia was awarded 542 points. Oklahoma Christian made a huge stride to No. 5, a leap of 18 spots, with 532 points.

The poll was voted upon by a panel of head coaches representing each of the conferences. The next poll will be released on Sept. 30.



Concordia (Neb.) moves up one spot in this week's poll to No. 4

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RANK	LAST WEEK	SCHOOL (1 <sup>ST</sup> PLACE VOTES)	TOTAL POINTS
1	1	Malone University (Ohio) (21)	622
2	2	Aquinas College (Mich.) (1)	596
3	3	Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University (Fla.)	585
4	5	Concordia University (Neb.)	542
5	23	Oklahoma Christian University	532
6	NR	University of British Columbia	515
7	9	Southern Oregon University	513
8	7	California State University-San Marcos	477
9	12	Shawnee State University (Ohio)	444
10	8	Olivet Nazarene University (Ill.)	443
11	16	Cornerstone University (Mich.)	427
12	5	Simon Fraser University (B.C.)	418
13	11	Cedarville University (Ohio)	351
14	15	Doane College (Neb.)	317
15	RV	Oklahoma Baptist University	312
16	17	Lewis-Clark State College (Idaho)	294
17	18	Bryan College (Tenn.)	289
18	19	Vanguard University (Calif.)	288
19	10	Black Hills State University (S.D.)	287
20	RV	McKendree University (Ill.)	276
21	21	Azusa Pacific University (Calif.)	195
22	13	Southwestern College (Kan.)	180
23	24	Taylor University (Ind.)	179
24	20	Lindenwood University (Mo.)	158
25	20	Shorter College (Ga.)	157

**Others receiving votes:** College of Idaho 153; Indiana Wesleyan University 80; Eastern Oregon University 61; University of Great Falls (Mont.) 36; University of Rio Grande (Ohio) 35; Lee University (Tenn.) 34; Kansas Wesleyan University 28; Westmont College (Calif.) 19; Concordia University (Ore.) 19; Dana College (Neb.) 18; Marian College (Ind.) 8; Wayland Baptist University (Texas) 7; William Woods University (Mo.) 4; Dakota State University (S.D.) 4; Siena Heights University (Mich.) 1; Milligan College (Tenn.) 1; University of St. Francis (Ill.) 1; Hastings College (Neb.) 1; Huntington University (Ind.) 1; Friends University (Kan.) 1.