

## DAKOTA CROSS COUNTRY

Race Planning Sheet

Name: $\qquad$
Race: Jackson Invitational
If you ran this race last year, what was your Place? $\qquad$ What was Your Time? $\qquad$
What is your Personal Record time for cross country? $\qquad$
This is the challenging course. What are your pre-race expectations leading into the $2^{\text {nd }}$ half of the season?

What's one word you would like someone to use to describe your race in this meet?

Amazing Focused Strong Excellent Bold Fast Determined Powerful Grit Awesome Brave Skillful Epic Outstanding Fearless Competitive Smart Hardworking Relaxed Great Exquisite Talented Vibrant Bold Elite Enjoyable Electrified Fascinating Refute Happy Breakout Confident Fabulous Boundless Daring

How do you plan to have your race reflect the word that you selected.

What is one thing that you did in practice this week that you can use to benefit your racing?

What is your plan for the first lap of the course (1.5mi)?

What is the one thing you will FOCUS on during the second lap of the course? $\qquad$

As you enter the final stretch for the last 400m, what will be your POSITIVE PHRASE?

## PRE-RACE SCHEDULE

| Minutes Before Race | What To Do |
| :---: | :--- |
| At Home or on the bus | Adjust spikes |
| Upon arrival | Set up tent/ Find Bathrooms |
| $\mathbf{1 0}$ Minutes after arrival | Meet w/ Coaches (Put race \# on Uniform) <br> Get additional instruction |
| $\mathbf{6 0} \mathbf{~ m i n}$ | 5 min light jog on course (w/ training groups) |
| $\mathbf{5 5} \mathbf{~ m i n}$ | Leg swings, foam roll, Stretch / restroom |
| $\mathbf{4 0} \mathbf{~ m i n}$ | 10 min Progressive run |
| $\mathbf{3 0} \mathbf{~ m i n}$ | Ind. Dynamic Stretching / restroom |
| $\mathbf{2 5} \mathbf{~ m i n}$ | Change shoes/put jersey on |
| $\mathbf{2 0} \mathbf{~ m i n}$ | 2-minute jog to starting line |
| $\mathbf{1 8} \mathbf{~ m i n}$ | Arrive at Starting Line |
| $\mathbf{1 0} \mathbf{~ m i n}$ | Team Huddle |
| $\mathbf{2 ~ m i n}$ | Strip down to Uniform |
| $\mathbf{0} \mathbf{~ m i n}$ | Bang!!!! |

## POST-RACE SCHEDULE

| Minutes after Race | What To Do |
| :---: | :--- |
| 0 min | Catch breath, cheer on team, get water, |
| 10 min | Meet with Coach at predetermined point on course |
| 15 min | Return to tent, change shoes/clothes |
| 15 min | Check in with family/friends |
| 25 min | Cool Down w/ groups (5-20 min) |
| 45 min | Static Stretching, Rolling (10 minutes minimum) |
| 55 min | Clean up Tent /Garbage |
|  | Depart from the area |
| At home | Abs / core strength /lower leg exercises |
|  | Complete post-race analysis form |

## Note: Your race is not finished until you exit the chute.




