



**50th McDANIEL-BAXTER CROSS COUNTY INVITATIONAL
@ CHENANGO VALLEY HIGH SCHOOL
SEPTEMBER 16th, 2017**

RACE DAY ITINERARY

8:30 am	Coaches Meeting		<i>Warrior Stadium (midfield)</i>
9:00 am	Modified Boys Scrimmage	2.1K	<i>Unlimited Entries</i>
9:15 am	Modified Girls Scrimmage	2.1K	<i>Unlimited Entries</i>
9:35 am	Varsity Boys Race	4K	<i>10 Runners Max</i>
9:55 am	Varsity Girls Race	4K	<i>10 Runners Max</i>
10:20 am	JV Boys Race	4K	<i>Unlimited Entries</i>
10:45 am	JV Girls Race	4K	<i>Unlimited Entries</i>
11:15 am	<i>The XC Warrior Challenge</i>	4K	PUBLIC RACE
11:40 am	<i>The XC Warrior Fun Run</i>	600M	PUBLIC KIDS RACE
			<i>(finishes inside Warrior Stadium)</i>
11:45 am	Awards Ceremony		<i>Warrior Stadium</i>

The 50th McDaniel-Baxter XC Invite

We hope you are able to join us for what should be a great day of racing as we return home to Chenango Valley High School to celebrate the 50th McDaniel-Baxter Invitational (previously known as the McDaniel Invitational and originally known as the CV Invitational). We will also be launching our first Warrior Challenge, a 4K public race, as part of our race day events. Coaches are encouraged to enter the Warrior Challenge, and will be charged no entry fee. We would also like to honor any past varsity boys and girls individual champions from the history of our invite by covering their entry fee for those who can join us for this 50th anniversary celebration.

POINTS OF EMPHASIS

1. The courses at CVHS have a new layout. The start line will now be up on the "Plateau" above the football field. The finish line will remain where it has been in recent years. The course is now arranged to make use of virtually every piece of trail we have on our campus while still passing three times through a spectator-friendly area.
2. This year we have moved to a 4K format. This seems an appropriate distance for a course as uniquely strenuous as ours at such an early date in the schedule. It is also a nod to the history of cross country at CVHS; the 1966 NYSPHSAA Championship was held here and run on a similar distance (2.5 miles).
3. Varsity races have a maximum of 10 entrants and a minimum of 7 (unless your program does not have 7 athletes who are competitive at the varsity level).
4. With the 4K format, there will be no Rookie races this year. To accommodate the increased number of participants this will add to the JV races, we are allowing teams to enter up to 10 runners in the varsity races.
5. Individual awards will be handed out in chute.
6. The Warrior Fun Run will finish on the track immediately preceding the Awards Ceremony. This should give young future distance runners an opportunity to finish in front of the crowd gathering for the Awards ceremony. The Fun Run is a free 600M XC run for kids under age 12.

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AWARDS

Team:

1. Varsity Races: the top 3 large schools and top 3 small schools will receive a team plaque.
2. JV Races: the top 2 large schools and top 2 small schools will receive a team plaque.
3. Modified Races: are a scrimmage; no awards will be given

Individual:

1. Varsity Races: Plaques for the top 25 finishers; T-shirts for places 1-10.
2. JV Races: Plaques for the top 20 finishers; T-shirts for places 1-5.

Special:

1. A team award for the school who runs the fastest combined time based on the following:
 - Combined time of your top boy and top girl in the Varsity races
 - Combined time of your top boy and top girl in the JV races
 - Coach's time in the Warrior Challenge public race

NOTES OF INTEREST

1. A concession stand will be available for athletes and spectators.
2. T-shirts will be available for purchase.

QUESTIONS

Please contact Varsity XC Coach Jerid Jones:

E-mail - JeridJones@live.com
Call / Text - (607) 222-9990

EMAIL YOUR INTENT TO ENTER: JeridJones@live.com

Directions for entering participants will be sent via this email address to those who have emailed their intent to enter.

INVITATIONAL ENTRY FEE

The cost of this invitational is \$125.00 per school for all races or \$25.00 per race.

Make checks payable to:

CV Running Club

Mail check to:

Brad Tomm – Athletic Director
Chenango Valley Central Schools
221 Chenango Bridge Road
Binghamton, NY 13901

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The XC WARRIOR CHALLENGE RACE

Join us for the first **XC Warrior Challenge**, a 4K public cross country race that is being run in conjunction with the scholastic races of the 50th McDaniel-Baxter Invitational at Chenango Valley High School (previously known as the McDaniel Invitational and originally known as the CV Invitational). The XC Warrior Challenge is a fundraising and spirit event sponsored by the Chenango Valley Athletic Club. Community members, agencies, and groups are encouraged to join in the challenge as a team or as individual racers. All proceeds go to support Chenango Valley athletics. Registration is \$20 per person and will include an event T-shirt for all who pre-register before 8/30/17. We would also like to honor any past varsity boys and girls McDaniel-Baxter individual champions by covering the entry fee for those who can join us for this 50th anniversary celebration. For more information about the course and how to register please visit our website at www.cvwarriors.com

Team Event: Minimum of 5 racers per team no maximum number per team. The team challenge will follow traditional cross country race scoring; top 5 members score and next 2 displace. \$20 per person until September 13, \$25 after September 13.

Team Categories: All Male All Female Mixed

Awards: Top three teams in each category

Individual Racer: Individuals can race unattached without a team. \$20 per person until September 13, \$25 after September 13.

Awards:

Top three overall male and female finishers

Top age group winner for male and female: 18-29, 30-39, 40-49, 50-59, 60-69, 70+

