

Women's 5K race — 3 p.m. | Men's 8k race — 3:45 p.m.

## Saratoga Spa State Park Saratoga Springs, NY

RPI men's and women's cross country will be hosting their annual Harvest Classic Cross Country Meet on Friday September 27<sup>th</sup>, 2024. We welcome your team's participation and hope that you will find the included information helpful with your planning.

The course is over the traditional cross country course that has been raced for decades in NYSPHSAA Section 2. It consists of differing terrain, including trail, grass, cinder and crushed rock with some short stretches of road.

Here is the meet information. Let us know if you have any additional questions.

## **Meet Director:**

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- Team Entry Fee- \$200.00 per gender team, Individual Unattached Entry Fee- \$30.00 per person. All entry fees will be collected via DA. If you cannot do this please let us know ASAP.
- Make sure that your rosters are updated on TFRRS prior to your first meet as per the NCAA.
- Please enter your teams/athletes on DirectAthletics by Tuesday, September 24 at 11:59 p.m.
- Packet pick-up will be available on Friday at 1:30 pm at the start line area under the red administrative tent. The course will not be available the day before the event.
- Please drop off your team on site and have bus drivers park in nearby lots.
- Please help us to ensure that our course remains in good condition by cleaning up your areas and not allowing spray paint, permanent posters and signs to be used.
- finishright.com will handle all the entries, results and scoring.
- The meet will be scored per NCAA rules.
- Certified Officials will be working the meet
- There will be a lead biker.
- Awards will be given to the winning team and the top 10 individuals in each race. There will not be an awards ceremony. Awards can be picked up at the red administrative tent after the races conclude.
- There will be no locker rooms available, portable toilets will be on site. Please discourage your student-athletes from going to the bathroom anywhere else.
- A certified athletic trainer will be on site near the start/finish area; Bring your own supplies.
- Results will be posted within 30 minutes after the conclusion of each race and posted on finishright.com and the RPI athletics website.
- A few days before the event, final information will be sent out with information on tent setup, parking, check in etc.