

2026 Gale Johnson Cross Country Kick-Off

Saturday, August 29, 2025

Maple Grove Venues – West Salem, WI

W4142 CTH B West Salem, WI 54669

GREETINGS! We are excited to host your team for the 2026 Gale Johnson Cross Country Kick-Off. Please read the information below. If you have any questions, please contact me at

schauf.hana@onalaskaschools.com See you on the 29th - Coach Schauf

RACE SCHEDULE:

8:30 am – Course Opens For Review

10:00 am – Girls Race

10:45 am – Boys Race

11:30 am – Awards

ENTRY INFORMATION: Entries will be through *MileSplit WI* at: <https://wi.milesplit.com/> Follow the instructions for claiming your team, editing your roster, and registering for the meet. **ENTRY DEADLINE NOON AUGUST 27TH**

TIMING: AccuRace Timing. Results will be posted on <http://www accuracetiming.com/> after the meet.

COURSE MAP: A course map is included with this meet information.

BUS PARKING: Buses will be directed to where to drop off athletes and where to park.

SPECTATOR PARKING: There is plenty of onsite parking in the upper lot at Maple Grove Venues and in the overflow parking area below. Spectators will be guided to parking areas once they arrive. **ABSOLUTELY NO PARKING ON COUNTY ROAD B.**

PARKING FEE: THERE WILL BE A \$6.00 PARKING FEE PER VEHICLE. THE PARKING PASS NEEDS TO BE PURCHASED ON BOUND AT FOLLOWING LINK: [AT FOLLOWING LINK:](#) **_ COACHES, MAKE SURE YOUR PARENTS GET THE PARKING PASS LINK.**

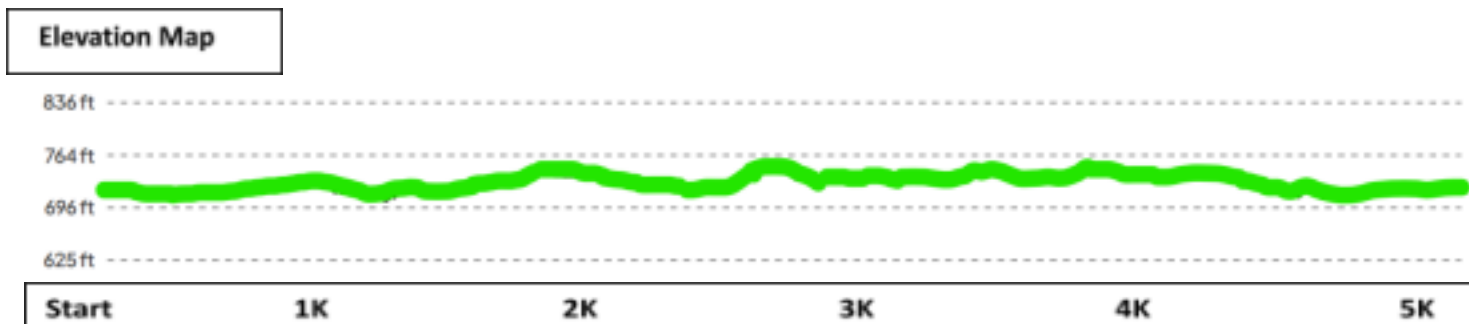
Meet Shirts- Pre Order at this [Link](#)

PACKET PICKUP: Coaches can pick up their team packets at the packet pickup tent next to the bus parking area.

AWARDS: Trophy for first-place boys and girls teams. Medals for the top ten finishers in boys and girls races.

T-SHIRTS: Available online through Games People Play. Orders will be ready for you to pick up at the meet. **ALL ORDERS MUST BE DONE ONLINE BY AUGUST 21st AT MIDNIGHT AT THE FOLLOWING LINK:** [AT THE FOLLOWING LINK:](#) **_ COACHES, MAKE SURE YOUR ATHLETES AND PARENTS GET THE T-SHIRT LINK**

CONCESSIONS: The Onalaska Athletic Booster Club will host a concessions area at the meet site.



Course Description: The start is fair and flat with a slight move to the right at 500 meters. Right turns bring the runners around a pond and back towards the starting area, and a left turn takes the runners by the main building to the 1600 mark. The course transitions over the gravel road, takes a left turn with a downhill slope to the 2k mark. From the second kilometer mark to just before the 4k mark, the course has a series of hills, some longer slopes, some shorter slopes. The runners transition back across the gravel road and past the main building to the 4 K mark, then run in reverse, passing through a small section back to the pond. A right-hand turn breaks the runners off onto a 300-meter straight to the finish.

Course Records: Boys 14:40.3 Manny Putz, Onalaska 2024 Girls 17:28.5 Kora Malecek, Onalaska 2020

