## Mount Mercy runners claim titles

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BAKERSFIELD, Calif. - Both of the Mount Mercy cross country teams captured top honors at the Bakersfield College Invitational Friday in California.

James Lindstrom and Aaron Goldin of Mount Mercy finished 1-2 in the men's competition to lead the Mustangs to the team championship. Lindstrom won the four-mile race in 22 minutes, 6 seconds.

McKenna Johnson of Mount Mercy placed third in the women's race to pace the Mustangs to the overall crown. She covered the 5 kilometer race in 20 minutes, 37 seconds.

There were five teams in both events.

## **MEN'S TEAM STANDINGS**

1. Mount Mercy 22, 2. Clovis Community College 43, 3. Bakersfield 87, 4. Ventura 93, 5. Canyons 112.

**Mount Mercy -** 1. James Lindstrom 22:06, 2. Aaron Golding 22:32, 5. Colton Forster 22:50, 6. Michael Marshall 22:52, 8. Jacob Blackmon 23:07.

## **WOMEN'S TEAM STANDINGS**

1. Mount Mercy 33, 2. Ventura 53, 3. Bakersfield 84, 4. Canyons 96, 5. Clovis Community College 108.

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**Mount Mercy -** 3. McKenna Johnson 20:37, 6. Andrea Ertz 21:22, 7. Vanessa Cortes 21:34, 8. Samantha Croghan 21:45, 9. Alexa Zamora 21:57.