

XC team named to SAC honors

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The Brevard College Cross Country team is proud to announce that it had four members finish their season with All SAC Honors! The South Atlantic Conference Championship! The final race was held in Morristown Tennessee, at the Carson Newman course. From the men's team, Joshua Mower earned a place in the Second Team All-SAC, placing 11th overall

with an 8k time of 27:20, with an average mile pace of 5:30. Shortly behind was Bart Merkel, who finished 19th overall, with his best finish of the season at 27:35. Merkel finished 3rd overall among the SAC Freshmen competing, earning him a spot among the All-Freshman Team Honors!

The women's team also had two members earn All-SAC Honors. Freshman Madison Hill was the first Brevard College student to become the SAC Freshman of the Year honors. Finishing with a time of 19:38, Madison also earned All-SAC Freshman team and All-SAC

First Team. With this being her first year at Brevard College, hopefully we will see more stellar finishes from Hill. Sophomore Angela Canale also earned All-SAC Honors for her second consecutive year. Canale finished 11th overall, earning her a place, along with Joshua Mower, as a part of the Second Team All-SAC!

Brevard College was one of five schools to have multiple runners in the All-SAC Honors. Looks like all their training with renowned coach, Jack Daniels as well as their dedication and passion for running is finally paying off.



(left to right) Bart Merkel, Angela Canale, Madison Hill, and Joshua Mower



Kate Weisenfluh stands on the second place podium for Collegiate Nationals in the downhill race.