

Oregon places second

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Coach Tom Heinonen said last week the Oregon women's cross country team would have to have at least five of their runners in the top fifty to win the AIAW championships Saturday in Tallahassee, Fla.

The Ducks did better than that, placing five runners in the top forty but still had to settle for second place as North Carolina State had two runners in the top ten to win the team title.

Oregon's Jody Parker became the first Duck to ever break the top ten at nationals with her ninth place finish. The Duck junior has run exceptionally well since coming back from an early season injury.

Following the ninth-place

Parker were Cheri Williams (28th), Molly Morton (32nd), Eryn Forbes (39th), and Ellen Schmidt (40th).

The Wolfpack's Julie Shea did what was expected of her and captured the individual title with a time of 16:35 for the 5,000-meter course beating Margaret Groos of Virginia by a scant two seconds.

Freshman Betty Jo Springs helped North Carolina State with her seventh place finish while Valerie Ford was 23rd, Sue Oversby 47th, and Ann Henderson 53rd.

The Ducks had the best split from the first to the fifth runners in the meet with only half a minute separating their first and fifth runners.

There are always a lot of ifs in any meet and this one was no exception for the Ducks.

Morton, who won the individual title at the Region 9 meet, Nov. 3, has been troubled by knee problems the past few weeks and her lack of training time put her at a disadvantage Saturday.

Veteran Schmidt was the number one runner for the Ducks before breaking her collarbone midway through the season and probably would have finished much higher for the Ducks had she not been injured.

Heinonen said last week that the Ducks were an unknown quantity and might be able to capitalize on their anonymity to surprise a few people. That won't be true next year as the Ducks have definitely made believers out of the Eastern teams.



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Ducks awaken a sleeping Bruin

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For most of 1979, people had been wondering where the Bruins of UCLA had been hiding. They stumbled to a 4-5 record overall and were about as far out of the Rose Bowl picture as Oregon State.

On Saturday, Oregon — and 40,000-plus fans packed in Autzen Stadium — solved the mystery. The Bruins aren't dead — they've just been hibernating, as the Ducks found out.

UCLA put together one of the most powerful rushing attacks Oregon has seen to rout the Ducks, 35-0. The Bruins completely dominated Oregon's injury-riddled defensive and offensive teams, racking up 23 first downs to the Ducks six, rushing for 446 yards to Oregon's 119 yards, and running off 97 offensive plays as opposed to the Duck's 40.

"The game was won up-front," said a disappointed Rich Brooks in the Oregon locker room following the game. "Their offensive line completely dominated our defensive line and our whole offensive team was just kind of — blah."

The Bruins unleashed their tailback corps on Oregon early in the game and jumped off to a quick 21-0 lead at the end of the first half. Starting tailback Freeman McNeil racked up 57 yards in the first quarter on 14 carries and by halftime he had 109 yards on 25 carries, including a touchdown and a two-point conversion.

UCLA hit two field goals in the first quarter after the Ducks stopped Bruin drives at the Oregon 11- and 31-yard-lines.

The Ducks seemed to be in the game until the Bruins drove from their own 18-yard line early in the second quarter and scored on a McNeil sweep from the 2-yard-line. The Bruins elected to go for a 2-point conversion and called the exact same play — student body left — and McNeil, a junior swept over the left side to put UCLA into a 14-0 lead with 12 minutes left in the second quarter.

While the Bruins' rushing attack ground down an Oregon defensive line that finished the game with one starter — Terry Dion — still able to play. Oregon's offense sputtered and stalled in the wet weather. Without a 47-yard run late in the fourth quarter by tailback Reggie Young — Oregon's leading ground gainer — the Ducks would have been limited to a rushing total of 72 yards.

They had been averaging 227 yards per game going into the UCLA game.

The Bruins tallied three more touchdowns following McNeil's conversion, including a pair of scoring passes by freshman Tom Ramsey, who was the Bruin's third-string quarterback a few weeks ago.

"I don't want to make any excuses," said Brooks. "I was concerned before the game if we would be mentally ready. But that's my job to get them ready."

For the first time this season, Brooks couldn't get his Ducks ready. But unlike last year, Oregon waited until the tenth game of the season to go into a game unprepared. Which is a heck of a difference from last year.

Blazers tip Sonics

PORTLAND, Ore. (AP) — Ron Brewer scored 21 points and Tom Owens added 18 Sunday night to lead the Portland Trail Blazers to a 100-95 National Basketball Association victory over the Seattle SuperSonics.

Seattle trailed by 17 points, 75-58, after T.R. Dunn's steal and stuff shot with 5:00 left in the third quarter.

But Fred Brown's howitzers brought the Sonics back.

Seattle scored 10 straight points at the end of the third quarter but couldn't quite catch the Blazers.

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