

Middle School

Mountain Biking

Mountain Biking - Varsity (0 - 0 - 0)

(H) Coach	Michael Fitzgerald
Coach	Alexander Gray
Athletes	Biela, Justin '15 Freidberg, Bennett '15 Gray, Emery '14 Gray, Seth '16 Kreuzburg, James (JR) '14 Marciano, Benjamin '14 McKeen, Jack '14 Milton, John (Jack) '14 Noel, Andrew '16 Parker, Nicholas (Nick) '14 Peters, Jacob (Jake) '14 Roth, Patrick (Pat) '14 Rymer, Robert (Ro-Ro) '14

Total # Players:13

Date	Opponent/Title	Location	Won/Loss	Score	League
9/18/2013	Kennett High School	Away			Yes
9/21/2013	@ Rutland	Away			Yes
9/25/2013	Proctor Academy	Away			Yes
10/2/2013	Vermont Academy	Away			Yes
10/5/2013	Eaglebrook School	Home			Yes
10/9/2013	Fryeburg Academy	Away			Yes
10/16/2013	LRML	Home			Yes
10/23/2013	Dublin School	Away	Canceled		Yes
10/30/2013	New Hampton School	Away			Yes

Team Description: N/A

Accolades: N/A

Highlights:

10/31/2013 Cougars Cap Season with Great Race at New Hampton

On Wednesday, 10/30, the Varsity mountain biking team competed at New Hampton School against more than a dozen secondary and high-school teams. The Cougars raced on a 1.8-mile course. The A's rode four laps; the B's rode three laps and the C's rode two laps.

In the A race, Pat Roth finished 13th in the field of 25 riders. In the B race, JR Kreuzburg was third, Nick Parker finished fifth and Justin Biela finished ninth out of nearly forty racers. In the C race, Jack Milton just missed the podium, finishing fourth; Ro Ro Rymer finished 11th and Emery Gray was 13th followed by Jack McKeen, Jake Peters, Ben Marciano, Andrew Noel, Bennett Freidberg, Seth Gray and nearly 20 other riders.

10/28/2013 Cougars Ride Well at Home

On Wednesday, Cardigan hosted the Northern New England High School Mountain Bike Race Series, over 14 Secondary and high school teams from Maine, New Hampshire, and Vermont.

In the C class, Jack Milton won the race and Ro Ro Rymer earned a podium with his second-place finish. In the B race, JR Kreuzburg finished second.

All of the teams enjoyed the course and conveyed kudos to Coach Fitzgerald for his dedication to the trail system. The team would like to thank the course volunteers, the EMTs, Trainer Angelli and Coach Frost, all of whom supported the race with their time and energy.

10/17/2013 Strong Showing for Cougars at Fryeburg

Varsity mountain biking headed to Fryeburg, ME for a Lakes Region race against more than ten high-school teams and over 125 cyclists. The Cougars earned three podiums, with Emery Gray winning the C race and Ro Ro Rymer third in the C's.

J.R. Kreuzburg took second in the B class and Nick Parker raced to a fifth in the B's. Pat Roth battled for a top twenty finish in the A class. Other riders with strong efforts included Jack Milton and Ben Marciano in the C class.

10/8/2013 Cougars Sweep Podium

The Varsity and JV Mountain Bike teams hosted Eaglebrook on Saturday, October 5. The fall foliage, vistas and panoply of patient parents made for a festive day. Thanks to Mr. Fitzgerald, the course was ribboned and blown clear of leaves. The cyclists participated in three speed classifications: an A and B Varsity race and a JV race. Pat Roth won the Varsity A race. J.R. Kreuzburg, Justin Biela and Emery Gray took the next three spots. In the Varsity B race, Jake Peters won, Jack McKeen took second place with Jack Milton earning a podium position in third. In the JV race, Alex Richardson won, Charlie Ma took second and Oren Buchler placed third.

Good sportsmanship was evident from both teams. The Varsity team will race at Fryeburg on Wednesday and host a Lakes Region High School race on October 16.

10/3/2013 Cougars Race Hard at Vermont Academy

The Varsity mountain biking team competed at Vermont Academy, Wednesday. The Cougars made 2, 3 or 4 laps of the 2.3-mile circuit, depending on their classification as a C, B or A rider.

In the 63-rider C class, Emery Gray earned an eighth place finish, while Jake Peters, Ro-Ro Rymer, and Jack Milton rode to top-twenty finishes. In the B class, J.R Kreuzburg finished eighth and Nick Parker was 11th. Riding in the A class, Pat Roth finished inside the top 20 at 19th.

9/25/2013 Cougars Race Well at Proctor

Race three of the Northern New England High School Mountain Bike Series featured 13 Varsity CMS Cougars and three JV Cougars racing against a record number of cyclists at Proctor Academy.

No No Qiu won the Development, one-lap race. Charlie Ma finished second and Alex Richardson finished third. Pat Roth earned a spot on the podium finishing third in the B class. Ro-Ro Rymer showed new strength and was the first Cougar in the C class to cross the finish line.

9/25/2013 Three in Top 10 at Rutland

Varsity mountain biking had their second race of the season. The 2013 Quarry Crusher had three Cougars in the B class top ten. Justin Biela finished fourth, Pat Roth finished fifth, and J.R. Kreuzburg 10th. Jack Milton, Emery Gray, Ben Marciano, and Jack McKeen all cracked the top 20 in the C class.

9/19/2013 Mountain Biking Opens Season at Kennett

Varsity mountain biking opened their cross-country race season with a big race at Kennett High School in Conway, NH. The team did not earn any podiums, but they raced hard. Four boys finished in the top 20 of the B class and three boys finished in the top 20 in C division. Justin Biela, JR Kreuzburg, Ro Ro Rhymer and Emery Gray worked particularly hard. Bennett Friedberg showed pluck after he flatted early in the race, but forged ahead, running with his bike and finishing!