

Lewis Fourth as Shadyside Harriers Among OVA C Winners

Senior veteran Ed Lewis finished fourth to help Shadyside win one of three division titles in the annual Ohio Valley Athletic Conference Cross Country Championship Meet held at Brooke High School Saturday.

Marietta won the overall title and 4-A Division honors, while Magnolia captured 3-A laurels. Shadyside won in the combined competition between 2-A and 1-A schools.

Winning conference individual honors for a second straight year was Mike Thomas of Shenandoah High who toured the three-mile course in 15:45 to finish three seconds ahead of Brooke's Jim Chivers.

Although Marietta's top finisher was Scott Kidd who

came in ninth, the down-river school won the overall title with 101 points. Brooke was a close second with 104. Magnolia was next with 121.

Cambridge finished fourth with 132 markers, while defending champion John Marshall finished fifth with 142.

Martins Ferry was sixth with 152 points, followed by Bellaire, 217; Shadyside, 227; Meadowbrook, 249; Wheeling Park, 255; St. Clairsville, 278; Linsly, 316; Shenandoah, 346; Weirton, 348; Oak Glen, 371; Skyvue, 385; Fort Frye, 464; and Buckeye Trail, 494. Two other schools were represented, but not with full squads.

Kermit Cox was third with a time of 16:09, one second ahead

of Lewis. Jeff Blind of Meadowbrook was another two seconds back in fifth place while Mike Chesonis of Martins Ferry was sixth at 16:13.

Then came Bob Seidler of Wheeling Park at 16:15, while rounding out the top 10 were Steve Belcher of Magnolia, 16:16; Scott Kidd of Marietta, 16:17; and Mark Truelove of Wheeling Park, 16:19.

Ed Burda of Oak Glen, timed in 16:24, heads up the next 10 finishers, while rounding out this group were Ted Pauls of Brooke, 16:26; Randy Webb of Ferry, 16:30; Chip Smith of Cambridge, 16:31; Bob Orr of Marietta, 16:32; Mike Jolla of Magnolia, 16:33; Dick Sketel of Bellaire, 16:34; Jay Kissinger of Cambridge, 16:35; Chuck Swartling of Magnolia, 16:36; and Ron Wesel of Marietta, 16:37.

OFFICIAL RESULTS OF THE RACE

1.	Marletta - IIAA Champion and OIA Champion	204
2.	Brooke	205
3.	Maguolia - AAA Champion	206
4.	Cambridge	215
5.	John Marshall	218
6.	Martins Ferry	222
7.	Bellaire	217
8.	Shadyside - AA-A Champion	227
9.	Meadowbrook	249
10.	Wheeling Park	255
11.	St Clairsville	273
12.	Linsly	316
13.	Sherandoah	316
14.	Weir	318
15.	Oak Glen	371
16.	Styvue	385
17.	Fort Frye	464
18.	Buckeye Trail	494
19.	Wheeling Central (Not enough finishers)	
20.	East Liverpool (forfeit)	