

1983 MSHSLGIRLS NORDIC SKI RACING STATE MEET

5 Km Classic Results*

Location:	Sugar Hills, Grand Rapids Mn	Date:	2/11/1983
Snow conditions:	Grand Rapids was blessed with nearly 20 inches of snow in January and another 4 inches by race day.	High Temperature:	According to the Star Tribune article, a light snow fell during the meet, which was run in temperatures near 30 degrees. The relatively mild weather kept times fairly slow.

Rank	Name	Grade	Team	Time
1	Ann Jones	8	Stillwater	21:43
2	Sheri Winter	12	Coon Rapids	21:55
3	Darnel Johnson	12	Burnsville	22:14
4	Mary Weber	12	Minneapolis Washburn	22:28
5	Bonnie Bidlow	10	Edina	22:33
6	Theresa Fulton	12	Grand Rapids	22:35
7	Jeanne Larson	12	Aurora-Hoyt Lakes	22:46
8	Kathy Lundberg	11	Bemidji	22:49
9	Sonya Stoklosa	9	Stillwater	22:50
10	Kristin Swenson	11	Duluth East	23:01
11	Angie Morebitz	10	Robbinsdale Armstrong	23:07
12	Margaret Borchers	10	Bemidji	23:16
13	Connie Hayden	12	Minnnetonka	23:18
14	Leslie Hale	12	Blake	23:21
15	Ann Arneson	10	Stillwater	23:25
16	Maren Saeferen	12	Stillwater	23:26
17	Sue Otto	10	Minneapolis Henry	23:31
18	Patty Swanson	11	Edina	23:35
19	Angie Robinson	10	Bloomington Jefferson	23:35
T-20	Celeste Jibben	12	Minneapolis Washburn	23:39
T-20	Molly Myers	10	Robbinsdale Armstrong	23:39
22	Hillary Wackman	12	Mounds View	23:45
T-23	Kim Bradley	9	Bemidji	23:51
T-23	Kelly Burke	8	Prior Lake	23:51
25	Jenny Ryan	11	Burnsville	23:54
T-26	Angela Johnston	12	Mora	24:05
T-26	Delilah Poupore	10	Duluth East	24:05
28	Terese Malone	12	Burnsville	24:07
29	Ann Rosenquist	11	Grand Marais	24:19
30	Emily Park	11	Minneapolis Washburn	24:31
31	Sara Welshons	10	Stillwater	24:39
32	Kari Clothier	12	Grand Marais	24:53
33	Becky Mayer	12	Richfield	25:05
34	Wendy Gamradt	11	Mounds View	25:28
35	Jennifer Sahlin	12	St. Paul Academy	25:31
36	Tara Beutelspacher	11	Mounds View	25:43

37	Sarah Robinson	11	Mounds View	25:56
38	Ellen Heck	12	Robbinsdale Armstrong	26:38
T-39	Holly Thiede	11	Robbinsdale Armstrong	27:25
T-39	Noelle Palmer	12	Minneapolis Washburn	27:25

Corrections or additions, please email Doug Edmonson at edmonsondm@outlook.com

*Results from Minnesota State High School League 1983-84 Handbook

Stories of winners prior to 1981 can be found in Amazon book "Norm Oakvik: The Inconspicuous Coach"

www.amazon.com/dp/B0DX7JZ9SK

Cross Country Teams Results		
1	Stillwater	168
2	Bemidji	147
3	Robbinsdale Armstrong	130.5
4	Burnsville	129
5	Edina	124.5
6	Duluth East	120
7	Minneapolis Washburn	116.5
8	Mounds View	79.5



An eighth-grader, Ann Jones, came out of nowhere to win the 1983 state Nordic ski title and lead Stillwater Girls to a second state team championship in two years. Jeanne Larson, the 1982 state champ, was sidelined by mononucleosis for part of the season and could only manage a seventh-place finish. Sheri Winter, fourth in 1982, and Mary Weber, seventh last year, finished second and fourth to improve on their past performances.

Stillwater was packed with young, fresh faces, products of the Bill Koch League and highly active Nordic ski community of Stillwater and Marine-on-the-St. Croix. The Ponies, coached by Bill Simpson, would continue their success with these young skiers for several years to come. Over 100 Stillwater boys and girls made up their teams and Simpson would never turn

