**CROSS COUNTRY**

**Week 1 – September 6, 2016**

**NORTHEAST-10 CONFERENCE MEN’S ATHLETE OF THE WEEK**

**Leakey Kipkosgei, American International**  
*(So., Kapsabet, Kenya)*

Kipkosgei emerged victorious with a time of 24:58.4 at the Northeast-10 Preview Meet on Saturday hosted by Stonehill. The sophomore helped lead his team to a third-place finish at the meet.

**NORTHEAST-10 CONFERENCE WOMEN’S ATHLETE OF THE WEEK**

**Nicole Borofski, Stonehill**  
*(Sr., Plymouth, Mass.)*

Borofski crossed the finish line first at the Northeast-10 Preview Meet with a time of 18:04 against 94 other runners. The senior helped Stonehill capture its first title of the season.

**NORTHEAST-10 CONFERENCE MEN’S ROOKIE OF THE WEEK**

**Aidan Gilbride, Franklin Pierce**  
*(Fr., East Kilbride, Scotland)*

Gilbride ran a 5K time of 16:10.0 on Friday to finish 19th at the Mount St. Mary’s 5K Duals. The event was his first as a collegiate runner, and was made up of mostly Division I competitors.

**NORTHEAST-10 CONFERENCE WOMEN’S ROOKIE OF THE WEEK**

**Dannika Wayss, Stonehill**  
*(Fr., Warwick, R.I.)*

Wayss helped Stonehill to its first title of the season while at the Skyhawk Preview Meet. She crossed the finish line at 19:19 for a 10th-place finish.

**AROUND THE NE-10**

- In his first race since 2013, Bentley senior **Tim Bolick** posted a winning effort in the Shacklette Invitational at Saint Anselm, finishing the 8K in 27:09 to prevail by 33 seconds. Last fall, he was studying abroad in Australia.

- The 2016 NE-10 Cross Country Championships will take place on Saturday, October 22nd and will be hosted by Stonehill College.
Sean Grady, Adelphi
(Gr., East Meadow, N.Y.)
Grady led Adelphi at the Skyhawk Invitational to a second place finish with a clocking of 26:25.2 to claim eighth place overall on the 8k course.

Pascaline Jerotich, American International
(Sr., Eldoret, Kenya)
Jerotich finished third at the Stonehill NE-10 Preview Meet on Saturday with a time of 18:46.7, just ahead of sophomore teammate Ivy Chepyegon, who finished fourth.

Antonia Pagliuca, Assumption
(Jr., Peabody, Mass.)
The junior led Assumption to a second place finish at Stonehill on Saturday as the team’s top finisher. Pagliuca placed second overall in the event with a time of 18:27.5.

Tim Bolick, Bentley
(Sr., Hopkinton, Mass.)
Running his first cross country race in three years, Bolick outran the field at Saint Anselm’s Shacklette Invitational, covering the 8,000-meter course in 27:09. He finished a full 33 seconds ahead of the number two runner.

Jon Holmes, Franklin Pierce
(Sr., Albany, N.Y.)
Holmes finished ninth on Friday, with 5K time of 15:53.7, to place ninth at the Mount St. Mary’s 5K Duals.

Niall Coughlin, Merrimack
(Jr., Castleton, N.Y.)
Coughlin posted the second-best finish for the Warriors at the 2016-opening NE-10 Preview Meet, placing 16th in the 8K at a time of 26:48.3.

Keith Steinbrecher, Merrimack
(Jr., Wading River, N.Y.)
Steinbrecher finished 5th out of 91 runners at Merrimack’s first meet of 2016 in the NE-10 Preview Meet. He ran the 8K race in 26:09 as the Warriors’ top-finisher.

Shannon Conley, Saint Anselm
(Jr., South Portland, Maine)
Conley helped lead Saint Anselm to a second place finish at the Shacklette Invitational on Sunday afternoon. Conley took home first place in the race, finishing the 5k in 19:30.

Abby French, Saint Michael’s
(Fr., Nashua, N.H.)
French made her college debut with a second-place performance of 19:33 at the Shacklette Invitational, falling just three seconds shy of the winner. French’s showing helped the Purple Knights win the four-team meet.

Joe Santo, Stonehill
(Sr., Newburyport, Mass.)
Santo helped Stonehill capture its first title of the season at its own Skyhawk Preview Meet. He crossed the finish in third against 91 other male runners with a time of 25:42 in the 8k.