

# 1980 MSHSLGIRLS NORDIC SKI RACING STATE MEET

## Five Km Classic Results\*

<b>Location:</b>	Sugar Hills, Grand Rapids, Mn	<b>Date:</b>	2/8/1980
<b>Snow conditions:</b>	Conditions were ideal for the 1980 state meet with nearly twenty inches of snow in January and another three inches of fresh snow prior to state with temperatures in the 20s.	<b>High Temperature:</b>	Temperatures at race time were in the mid-twenties on dry snow.

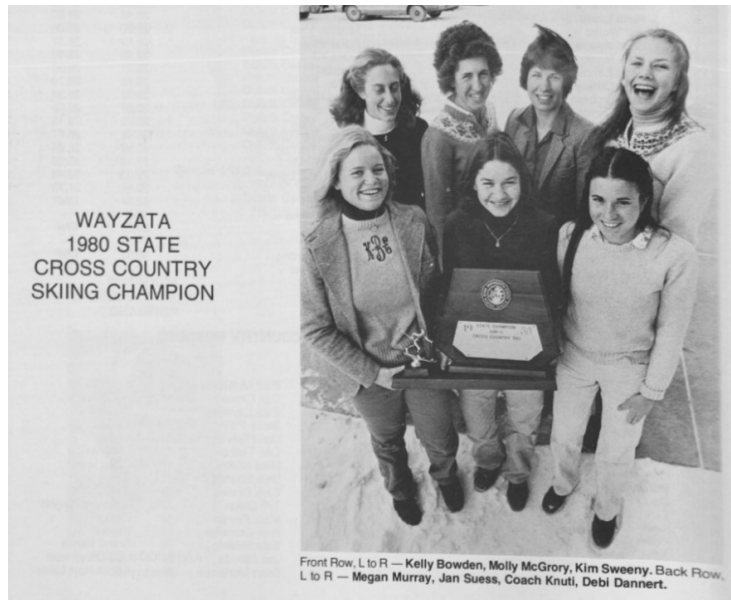
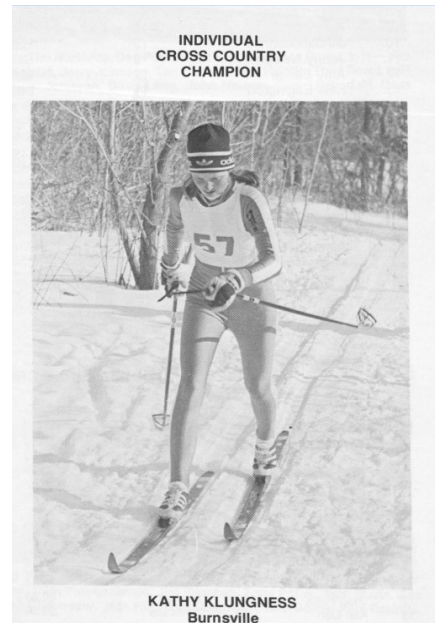
Rank	Name	Grade	Team	Time
1	Kathy Klungness	11	Burnsville	19:36
2	Ellen Anderson	12	Stillwater	19:52
3	Kelly Kimball	11	Blaine	19:54
4	Debi Dannet	12	Wayzata	19:57
5	Barb Unzen	11	Cloquet	20:05
6	Karen Hammond	11	Lakeville	20:07
7	Megan Murray	11	Wayzata	20:20
8	Carol Glazer	11	Burnsville	20:27
9	Jane Karien	11	Blaine	20:36
10	Carol Warnert	10	Minnetonka	20:43
11	Kim Sweeney	11	Wayzata	20:44
12	Joan Funk	11	Blaine	20:53
13	Kari Olin	10	Stillwater	20:54
14	Kelly Lawrence	11	Grand Rapids	20:56
15	Chris Olin	12	Stillwater	21:03
16	Lisa Koellgan	10	Robbinsdale Armstrong	21:06
17	Cathy Brock	12	Lakeville	21:16
18	Lindy Gawboy	11	Aurora Hoyt Lakes	21:17
19	Tammy Beer	12	Grand Rapids	21:30
20	Martha Brown	9	Bemidji	21:47
21	Irene Beer	10	Grand Rapids	22:08
22	Jill Bradford	10	Cloquet	22:19
23	Jan Woodard	12	Coon Rapids	22:34
24	Wendy Tanner	12	Minneapolis Edison	22:35
25	Gail Emsberger	12	Blake	22:41
26	Laura Crosby	10	Blake	23:44
27	Mary Brown	12	Minneapolis Roosevelt	24:46
28	Vicki Jung	11	Hastings	24:52

\*Results from Minnesota State High School League 1966-67 Handbook

Stories of 1966 Co-winners found in Amazon book "Norm Oakvik: The Inconspicuous Coach"

[www.amazon.com/dp/B0DX7JZ9SK](http://www.amazon.com/dp/B0DX7JZ9SK)

Nordic Girls Teams (top two)		
1	Wayzata	155
2	Stillwater	152
3	Burnsville	146
4	Blaine	146
5	Grand Rapids	127
6	Lakeville	116
7	Blake	68.5
8	Aurora Hoyt Lakes	55



## Wayzata - 1980 Nordic Team Champion

**Kathy Klungness (#57 above and right) - 1980 State Nordic Champ** When Kathy Klungness won the Girls state Nordic title in 1980. She and Todd Boonstra became the first pair from the same school to win the boys and girls titles in the same year. Like Boonstra, Kathy was coached by Phil Lundin, future Gopher Men's track coach, but her early success was due to Minneaota Valley Ski club coaches, Ben Brown and father, Bob Klungness, who had been tutored by CUSSA coach Norm Oakvik. Kathy was from a long line of Minneapolis-based skiers who learned their ski skills from the quiet, unassuming Oakvik.

State Champions from the same school in both Girls and Boys races were a first and a feat that Hopkins and Duluth East would also accomplish twenty years later. Both Burnsville athletes were coached by Phil Lundin, a young teacher at Burnsville who took up the sport in 1975 after his father took a sabbatical in Sweden and learned to cross-country ski. The younger Lundin quickly learned the ins and outs of Nordic skiing, eventually moving on to coach the University of Minnesota Gopher track and field teams to multiple Big Ten championships, both indoors and outdoors.

