

The St. John's Blujays Cross Country teams started their 2019 season and travelled to Concordia on September 5 for the Concordia Cross Country Invitational. Other teams participating included Beloit, Buhler, Clay Center, Concordia, Ellsworth, Minneapolis, and Republic County.

The first varsity race of the day was the girls. Jane Letourneau led the St. John's team in 10th place with a time of 25:19. Amy Lutgen was next in 42nd place, followed by Sarah Gunderson in 47th.

The Blujay boys were led by Caleb Eilert in 3rd place with a time of 18:15. Braden Dameron had a 31st place finish, followed by Ben Thompson in 33rd, Jacob Gengler in 41st, Jady Rosebaugh in 54th and Cabyn Winkel in 64th. The boys placed 6th as a team. Buhler won the team trophy.

The St. John's boys' JV team was made up of Eric Platter, Joe Knappert, Raiden Gilley, and Sergio Lopez.

Next week the Blujays travel to Washington on Thursday September 12th.