

2008 Utah State Cross Country



2005, 2006, 2007 Western Athletic Conference Men's Champions



2006 Western Athletic Conference Women's Champions

Men's & Women's Cross Country Media Guide

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UNIVERSITY QUICK FACTS

Location.....Logan, Utah
 Founded.....1888
 Enrollment.....24,421
 President.....Stan Albrecht
 Director of Athletics.....Scott Barnes
 Conference.....Western Athletic (WAC)
 Nickname.....Aggies
 Colors.....Navy Blue and White



Ben Kessen

TEAM QUICK FACTS

2007 WAC Champions

Men's Cross Country Team..... 1st / 7
 Women's Cross Country Team..... 3rd / 8

Returning Runners

Nick Bolinder	Caroline Berry
Jared Glenn	Kira Datwyler
Jason Holt	Vanessa Gledhill
Ben Kessen	Alicia Holt
Eric Larson	Lexie Meyer
Nate Lloyd	Kim Quinn
Chio Lopez	Erin Stratton
Brian McKenna	Allison Taylor
Hunter Nelson	
Casey Snider	
Steve Strickland	
Heath Wing	

COACHING QUICK FACTS

Head Coach.....Gregg Gensel
 Alma Mater: Utah State, '88
 22nd Season at USU
 2006 WAC Men's & Women's Coach of the Year
 Distance Coach.....Steve Reeder

ON THE COVER

Men's Team - Front Row (L-R): Brian McKenna, Nate Lloyd, Heath Wing, Ben Kessen, Todd Griffith, Jason Holt, Jared Glenn. **Back Row (L-R):** Daniel Howell, Nick Bolinder, Mike Bills, Eric Larson, Hunter Nelson, Chio Lopez, Steve Strickland. **Not pictured:** Casey Snider.

Women's Team - Front Row (L-R): Jessie Chugg, Amber Rasmussen, Alicia Holt, Caroline Berry, Lexie Meyer, Brittini Hopkin, Alyson Goates, Aimee Haertel. **Back Row (L-R):** Kira Datwyler, Vanessa Gledhill, Justine Baugh, Erin Stratton, Allison Taylor, Ashley Johnson, Ruth Hilton, Amanda Fordham, Kim Quinn.

2008 SCHEDULE

Date	Event	Location	Time
Aug. 30	Utah State Open American West Heritage Center	Logan, Utah	9 a.m.
Sept. 20	Montana State Invitational	Bozeman, Mont.	9 a.m.
Oct. 03	Notre Dame Invitational	South Bend, Ind.	9 a.m.
Oct. 18	Pre-Nationals	Terre Haute, Ind.	9 a.m.
Nov. 1	WAC Championships	Las Cruces, N.M.	10 a.m.
Nov. 15	NCAA Mountain Regionals	Fort Collins, Colo.	9 a.m.
Nov. 24	NCAA Championships	Terre Haute, Ind.	9 a.m.



2008 MEN'S ROSTER

NAME	YEAR	EXP	HOMETOWN/HIGH SCHOOL
Mike Bills	FR	HS	Orem, Utah / Timpanogos HS
Nick Bolinder	SO	1L	Boise, Idaho / Boise HS
Jared Glenn	JR	2L	Salt Lake City, Utah / Cottonwood HS
Todd Griffith	SO	1L	Longmont, Colo. / Niwot HS
Jason Holt	JR	2L	Fort Collins, Colo. / Fort Collins HS
Daniel Howell	FR	HS	Manti, Utah / Manti HS
Ben Kessen	SR	3L	La Crescenta, Calif. / Crescenta Valley HS
Eric Larson	SO	1L	Missoula, Mont. / Big Sky HS
Nate Lloyd	SO	1L	Salt Lak City, Utah / Skyline HS
Chio Lopez	SO	1L	Pocatello, Idaho / Century HS
Brian McKenna	FR	HS	Farmington, Utah / Viewmont HS
Hunter Nelson	SO	1L	Lolo, Mont. / Big Sky HS
Casey Snider	SO	1L	Pleasant View, Utah / Weber HS
Steve Strickland	JR	2L	Orem, Utah / Mountain View HS
Heath Wing	SR	3L	Ralls, Texas / Ralls HS

2008 WOMEN'S ROSTER

NAME	YEAR	EXP	HOMETOWN/HIGH SCHOOL
Justine Baugh	FR	HS	Bear River, Utah / Box Elder HS
Caroline Berry	SR	3L	Sandy, Utah / Skyline HS
Jessie Chugg	FR	HS	Plain City, Utah / Fremont HS
Kira Datwyler	FR	HS	Hyrum, Utah / Mountain Crest HS
Amanda Fordam	FR	HS	Provo, Utah/ Provo HS
Vanessa Gledhill	SR	3L	Orem, Utah / Timpanogas HS
Alyson Goates	FS	HS	Englewood, Colo / Englewood HS
Aimee Haertel	FR	HS	Sandy, Utah / West Jordan HS
Ruth Hilton	FR	HS	St. George, Utah / Pine View HS
Alicia Holt	SO	1L	Fort Collins, Colo. / Fort Collins HS
Brittini Hopkin	FR	HS	Lewisville, Texas / Lewisville HS
Ashley Johnson	JR	2L	Hyrum, Utah / Mountain Crest HS
Lexie Meyer	SO	1L	Plain City, Utah / Fremont HS
Kim Quinn	SO	1L	South Jordan, Utah / Bingham HS
Ambr Rasmussen	FR	HS	Farmington, Utah / Viewmont HS
Erin Stratton	JR	2L	Aurora, Colo. / Smoky Hill HS
Allison Taylor	SR	3L	Salt Lake City, Utah / Skyline HS

COACHES

Gregg Gensel - Head Coach

Steve Reeder - Distance Coach

MEET THE AGGIE MEN

High School: Academic all-region for cross country and track... Finished sixth in state in cross country.

Personal: Born Michael Theodore Bills on December 13, 1989... One of six children of Michael and Kenna Bills... Majoring in accounting.



MIKE BILLS
FRESHMAN
Orem, Utah
(Timpanogos HS)



TODD GRIFFITH
SOPHOMORE
Longmont, Colo.
(Niwot HS)

Personal: Born Todd Gardner Griffith on September 24, 1986... One of six children of Kevin and Susan Griffith... Majoring in economics.



NICK BOLINDER
SOPHOMORE
Boise, Idaho
(Boise HS)

2007 (Fr.): Earned first-team all-WAC honors... Finished fifth at WAC Championships in 23:47.44

High School: Four-year letterwinner in cross country and four-year letterwinner in track and field at Boise HS in Boise, Idaho... A member of the 2005 state championship team... State champion in 1600m and 3200m in 2006.

Personal: Full name is Nicholas Reed Bolinder... Born on Oct. 15, 1988... Son of Clint and Jennifer Bolinder... Has two brothers and three sisters... Major is undeclared.



JASON HOLT
JUNIOR
Fort Collins, Colo.
(Fort Collins HS)

2007 (So.): Earned second-team all-WAC honors... Finished ninth at WAC Championships in 24:09.76.

High School: Three-year letterwinner at Fort Collins High School in Fort Collins, Colo. ... Placed ninth at state and received all-state honors as a senior... Placed third at state in the two-mile in track.

Personal: Full name is Jason Scott Holt... Born June 23, 1986... Son of Scott and Loralee Holt... Has three sisters, Lori, Alicia and Heather... Sister, Alicia, runs on the women's cross country team for Utah State... Served an LDS Church Mission to the West Indies from 2005-2007... Majoring in business administration and hopes to become a hospital administrator.

2007 (Fr.): Earned second-team all- WAC honors as he finished 14th at WAC Championships in 24:16.85... Named academic all-conference in track... First-team all-WAC in steeplechase in 2007... Second-team all-WAC in 5000-meters in 2007... Earned Joe E. and Elma Whitesides Scholar-Athlete honors.

High School: Won seven letters in cross country and track and field at Cottonwood High School in Salt Lake City, Utah... Named region champ and all-state in cross country and track... Member of 2002 and 2003 Region III cross country team.

Personal: Full name is Jared William Glenn... Born Aug. 13, 1985... Son of Don and Rachelle Glenn... Has four sisters and three brothers... Served an LDS Church Mission to Anaheim, Calif., from 2004-2006... Majoring in exercise science with a minor in Spanish... Enjoys playing the piano and spending time with friends.



JARED GLENN
JUNIOR
Salt Lake City, Utah
(Cottonwood HS)

High School: Graduated with 4.0 GPA... State champion junior and senior years in cross country, 1600m and 3200m.

Personal: Full name is Daniel A. Howell... Born June 19, 1990... Major is undecided.



DANIEL HOWELL
FRESHMAN
Manti, Utah
(Manti HS)



BEN KESSEN
SENIOR
La Crescenta, Calif.
(Crescenta Valley HS)

2007 Season (Sr.): Redshirted during the cross country season.

2006 Season (Jr.): Earned first-team all-WAC honors as he finished fourth individually at the WAC Championships as he helped USU win its second-straight team championship... Also had top 10 finishes at the Montana State Invitational (fourth) and Weber State Open (fifth)... Concluded his season with a 46th-place finish at the NCAA Regional meet.

2005 Season (So.): Competed in three meets during the season, finishing 10th at the Montana State Invitational and 74th at the NCAA Regional meet.

Personal: Full name is Ben Ulysses Kessen... Born Dec. 16, 1985... Son of Kirn and Joanne Kessen... Majoring in exercise science.

2007 (Fr.): Finished 21st at WAC Championships with a time of 24:56.99.

High School: Four-year letterwinner at Big Sky High School in Missoula, Mont. ... Placed third in state in 2006... Named first-team all-state in 2006.

Personal: Full name is Eric Brian Larson... Born March 8, 1989... Son of Richard and Emily Larson... Has one sister... Majoring in biology... Hobbies include snowboarding, swimming and hunting.



ERIC LARSON
SOPHOMORE
Missoula, Mont.
(Big Sky HS)



NATE LLOYD
SOPHOMORE
Salt Lake City, Utah
(Skyline HS)

High School: 5A Region III Champion... Placed fifth at Footlocker West Senior Race... Team placed second in region in 2003... Also participated in track and football.

Personal: Full name is Nathan Spencer Lloyd... Born Nov. 22, 1985... Son of Kimball and Elaine Lloyd... Has two brothers and three sisters... Served an LDS Church Mission in Guadalajara, Mexico from 2005-2007... Majoring in international studies and minoring in Spanish... Academic awards include Dean's list... Enjoys playing the trumpet and piano.

2007 (Fr.): Earned first-team all-WAC honors... Named WAC Freshman of the Year... Finished fourth at WAC Championships with a time of 23:39.29... Had two other top 20 finishes.

High School: Four-year letterwinner at Century High School in Pocatello, Idaho... State champion in 3200 and 1600 meters (2007)... Team placed third in state in 2006 and fourth in state in 2007.

Personal: Full name is Cesario Phileman Lopez... Born on Dec. 15, 1988... Son of Richard and Guadalupe Lopez... Has three sisters, Jessica, Donna and Felicia... Major is undeclared.



CHIO LOPEZ
SOPHOMORE
Pocatello, Idaho
(Century HS)



BRIAN MCKENNA
RS FRESHMAN
Farmington, Utah
(Viewmont HS)

2007 (Fr.): Earned second-team all-WAC honors... Finished 10th at WAC Championships with a time of 24:10.41.

High School: Four-year letterwinner at Big Sky High School in Lolo, Mont.... Montana state champion in 2006... Team placed third at state in 2006.

Personal: Full name is Hunter Glenn Nelson... Born Aug. 28, 1988... Son of Glenn and Becky Nelson... An engineering major.



HUNTER NELSON
SOPHOMORE
Lolo, Mont.
(Big Sky HS)



HEATH WING
SENIOR
Ralls, Texas
(Ralls HS)

2007 (Fr.): Only saw action in the Utah State Open, finishing 32nd with a time of 29:31.9.

High School: Four-year letterwinner at Ralls High School in Ralls, Texas... Was a member of two state championship teams in 2001 and 2002... Team was district champions and regional qualifier... Also played basketball for two years.

Personal: Born Dec. 29, 1984... Son of Kelly and Cheryl Wing... Has two brothers and two sisters... Served an LDS Church Mission in Argentina from 2004-2006... Majoring in Spanish with a minor in business... Enjoys wakeboarding and snowboarding.



CASEY SNIDER
SOPHOMORE
Pleasant View, Utah
(Weber HS)

2007 (Fr.): Was a member of the team but did not compete in any meets.

High School: Two-year letterwinner at Weber High School in Pleasant View, Utah.

Personal: Full name is Casey David Snider... Born Nov. 26, 1985... Son of Earl and Tami Snider... Has one sister, Chantel... Served an LDS Church Mission to Yekaterinburg, Russia... Majoring in law and constitutions and restoration ecology with a minor in Russian... Plans on being a lawyer... Hobbies include biking, hiking, rock climbing and reading.

2007 (So.): Earned CoSID academic second-team all-District VIII honors.... Earned first-team all-WAC honors as he finished third at WAC Championship with a time of 23:34.78.... Was a Joe E. and Elma Whitesides scholar-athlete award recipient... Named academic all-WAC.

High School: Four-year letterwinner at Mountain View High School in Orem, Utah... Was a state champion in 2004... Placed ninth in Footlocker West Senior Race... Earned all-region and all-state honors... Member of two-time national champion and four-time state champion team.

Personal: Full name is Steven Pratt Strickland... Born July 4, 1985... Son of Jerry and Marilyn Strickland... Has six sisters and three brothers... Sister Bridgette plays tennis for Utah State... Served an LDS Church Mission to Louisville, Ky., from 2005-2007... Majoring in Spanish and hopes to attend medical school... Enjoys horse racing and demolition derbies.



STEVE STRICKLAND
JUNIOR
Orem, Utah
(Mountain View HS)



Jason Holt

MEET THE AGGIE WOMEN



JUSTINE BAUGH
FRESHMAN
Bear River, Utah
(Box Elder HS)



KIRA DATWYLER
FRESHMAN
Hyrum, Utah
(Mountain Crest HS)

2007 (Fr.): Named Joe E. and Elma Whitesides scholar-athlete award recipient.

High School: Four-year letterwinner at Mountain Crest High School in Hyrum, Utah... Received all-state honors in 2005 and 2006... Region Champion in 2003... A member of the 2005 and 2006 state championship team.

Personal: Born Sept 29, 1988... Daughter of Todd and Kim Datwyler... One of three children... Majoring in communicative disorders.



CAROLINE BERRY
SENIOR
Sandy, Utah
(Skyline HS)

2007 (Jr.): Named academic all-WAC... Finished 16th at WAC Championships... Had two other top 20 finishes.

High School: Earned all-region honors her senior year at Skyline High School in Salt Lake City, Utah... Also participated in track.

Personal: Born on April 17, 1985... Daughter of Bryce and Janell Berry... One of four children... Majoring in family and consumer science education.

High School: Cross country MVP at Provo HS as a senior.

Personal: Born Amanda Myrene Fordham on March 1, 1990... One of seven children of Jeffery and Michelle Fordham... Majoring in elementary education with a minor in photography.



AMANDA FORDHAM
FRESHMAN
Provo, Utah
(Provo HS)

High School: Named all-state for three years... Graduated with a 3.9 GPA.

Personal: Born Jessie Geniel Chugg on February 13, 1990... One of six girls of John and Molly Chugg... Majoring in nutrition science.



JESSIE CHUGG
FRESHMAN
Plain City, Utah
(Fremont HS)



VANESSA GLEDHILL
SENIOR
Orem, Utah
(Timpanogos HS)

2007 (Jr.): Finished 26th at WAC Championships.

2006 (So.): Participated in the WAC Championships and NCAA Regionals... Earned academic all-WAC honors.

2005 (Fr.): Named WAC Freshman of the Year... Placed ninth at the WAC championships to earn second-team all-WAC honors... Participated in the NCAA Mountain Regionals.

High School: Four-year letterwinner in cross country and three-year letterwinner in track at Timpanogos High School in Orem, Utah... State Champion in 2005... Received all-region and MVP honors in 2004 and 2005... Team placed third in the state in 2002.

Personal: Full name is Vanessa Kay Hawkins Gledhill... Born Mar. 10, 1987... Daughter of Vance and Lisa Hawkins... One of four children... Married to Jeremy Gledhill... Majoring in elementary education with an emphasis in fine arts.



High School: Graduated with a 3.8 GPA.

Personal: Born Alyson Claire Goates on May 30, 1990... Daughter of Jeff and Brenda Goates... Has one brother Nick.... Major is undecided.

ALYSON GOATES
FRESHMAN
Englewood, Colo.
(Englewood HS)

High School: Named all-region three years... Graduated with a 3.9 GPA.

Personal: Born Aimee Lynn Haertel on May 3, 1990... One of five children of Rob and Ann Haertel... Majoring in chemistry teaching... Sister Jennifer and brother-in-law Vance Twitchell both ran cross country for the Aggies.



AIMEE HAERTEL
FRESHMAN
Sandy, Utah
(West Jordan HS)

2007 (Fr.): Named second-team all-WAC... Finished 14th at WAC Championships.

High School: Four-year letterwinner at Fort Collins High School in Fort Collins, Co... Received all-state honors... Team captain... Team won regionals.

Personal: Full name is Alicia Jenae Holt... Born on July 28, 1989... Daughter of Scott and Lorelee... Has two sisters and one brother... Brother Jason runs cross country for Utah State... Major is undeclared.



ALICIA HOLT
SOPHOMORE
Fort Collins, Colo.
(Fort Collins HS)



High School: Named all-district two times... Earned academic all-state honors in cross country and track as a senior.

Personal: Born Brittani Anne Hopkin on February 10, 1990... Oldest of six children of Rick and Stacey Hopkin... Majoring in physical education – coaching and minoring in photography.

BRITNI HOPKIN
FRESHMAN
Lewisville, Texas
(Lewisville HS)

High School: Named all-state in cross country and track.

Personal: Born Ashley Serene Johnson on January 13, 1985... One of 10 children of Andy and Tally Johnson... Majoring in exercise science... Enjoys hiking and water sports...Served an LDS Church mission in Chile.



ASHLEY JOHNSON
JUNIOR
Hyrum, Utah
(Mountain Crest HS)



High School: Named all- region three years and named all- state junior and senior years... Was named academic all-state in cross country and track at Pine View HS.

Personal: Born Ruth Elizabeth Hilton on February 6, 1990... Youngest of eight children of Allen and Randalin Hilton... Majoring in mechanical engineering.

RUTH HILTON
FRESHMAN
St. George, Utah
(Pine View HS)

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LEXIE MEYER
SOPHOMORE
Plain City, Utah
(Fremont HS)

2007 (Fr.): Finished 42nd at WAC Championships.

High School: Four-year letterwinner for cross country and three-year letterwinner in track at Fremont High School in Plain City, Utah... Named the state MVP... Member of 5A state championship team... Individual 5A state champion in 1600-meters and state champion in 4x400 relay in 2005... Nike Team Nationals Qualifier in 2004 and 2005... Also played softball.

Personal: Born on Sept. 30, 1987... Daughter of Phil and Lorna Myer... Has one brother and two sisters... Majoring in speech pathology with a minor in psychology.

2007 (Fr.): Named Joe E. and Elma Whitesides scholar-athlete award recipient.

High School: Four-year letterwinner in cross country and three-year letterwinner in track and field at Bingham High School in South Jordan, Utah... Named second-team all-west in 2006... Earned MVP honors in 2006.

Personal: Full name is Kimberly Tu Quinn... Born on Dec. 14, 1988... Daughter of Joel and Hoa Quinn... Has one brother... Majoring in environmental studies with a minor in political science.



KIM QUINN
SOPHOMORE
South Jordan, Utah
(Bingham HS)

High School: Named HS MVP three years... Graduated with 3.98 GPA.

Personal: Born Amber Lin Rasmussen on January 5, 1990... One of six children of Derk and Linda Rasmussen... Majoring in physical education, pre-physical therapy... Enjoys hiking, cliff-jumping, reading, art and snowboarding.



AMBER RASMUSSEN
FRESHMAN
Farmington, Utah.
(Viewmont HS)

2007 (Fr.): Named Joe E. and Elma Whitesides scholar-athlete award recipient... Finished 22nd at WAC Championships.

High School: Four-year letterwinner in cross country and four-year letterwinner in track and field at Smoky Hill High School in Aurora, Co... Earned all-state honors in 2006... Member of state champion team from in 2002-2004... Earned all-state honors in 3200-meters and 1600-meter relay... Two-year letterwinner in soccer.

Personal: Born on Aug. 18, 1988... Daughter of Brad and Mary... Has one brother and one sister... Majoring in exercise science.



ERIN STRATTON
JUNIOR
Aurora, Colo.
(Smokey Hill HS)

2007 (Fr.): Named Joe E. and Elma Whitesides scholar-athlete award recipient... Finished 19th at WAC Championships.

High School: Two-year letterwinner at Skyline High School in Salt Lake City, Utah... Earned all-state honors... Team placed third at state in 2002 and 2003.

Personal: Full name is Alison Dee Taylor... Born on June 3, 1986... Daughter of Mark and Mary Jane Taylor... Has two sisters and two brothers... Is a biology major.



ALISON TAYLOR
SENIOR
Salt Lake City, Utah
(Skyline HS)



GREGG GENSEL

Head Coach

Gregg Gensel is in his 28th year of coaching track & field, and cross country at Utah State. He is in his 21st season as head coach of the men's program and his 16th year at the helm of the women's team.

Prior to being named head coach in 1988, the 52-year-old Gensel was an assistant coach for five years and a graduate assistant coach for one year. As an assistant, he worked with all field events and with the sprinters. Currently Gensel works specifically with cross country, distance athletes and high jumpers along with his head coaching responsibilities.

During his tenure at USU, Gensel has coached the Aggies to 25 conference championships in both men's and women's cross country and track & field, including both the men and women winning the 2006 WAC Cross Country championships and the men winning the 2007 WAC Outdoor Championship and the 2008 WAC Indoor Championship. The Aggie women have won seven of the last 16 track titles while the men have won nine of the last 15 championships. He has coached 156 conference individual champions and 29 All-Americans.

In the 1998-99 school year, Gensel guided both the men's and women's track teams to Big West Conference Championships along with a first-ever women's crown in cross country.

Gensel has been named the Conference Coach of the Year 22 times during his career, including WAC Men's Cross Country each of the last three years.

He earned coach of the year honors in the Mountain Pacific Sports Federation after the men's team won the indoor title in 1993.

Athletes to earn NCAA All-America status under Gensel include: LaDonna Antoine (400), Shane Bingham (1,500, mile), Mark Calvin (pole vault), Craig Carter (hammer throw, 35-pound weight), Shae Bair (pole vault), John Kelly (javelin), Corey Murdock (400 outdoor hurdles, 400 indoor hurdles), James Parker (hammer throw, 35-pound weight, discus), Lance White (pole vault), Dave Hoffman (high jump), Brett Guyman (400 outdoor hurdles), Rebekah Thornley (1500), and Trever Ball (cross country).

A native of Long Beach, Calif., Gensel attended Utah State and was a middle-distance runner for the Aggies, finishing sixth in the 1,500-meters at the Pacific Coast Athletic Association Championships in 1981 (now the Big West Conference).

Gensel earned a bachelor's degree in health in 1981 and earned a master's in physical education with an emphasis in sport psychology in 1988, both from USU. He has been certified as a Level II coach by USA Track & Field, the national track and field governing body, and is also a Level I certified instructor.

He and his wife, Kaye, have four children: Chelsey, Janaea, Morgan and Britton.

AS MEN'S HEAD COACH:

- * WAC Indoor Track Coach of the Year (2008)
- * WAC Indoor Champions (2008)
- * WAC Outdoor Track Coach of the Year (2007)
- * WAC Outdoor Champions (2007)
- * WAC Cross Country Coach of the Year (2005, 2006, 2007)
- * WAC Cross Country Champions (2005, 2006, 2007)
- * Big West Conference Cross Country Coach of the Year (1992, 1993, 1994, 2002)
- * Big West Conference Cross Country Champions (1992, 1993, 1994, 2002)
- * Mountain Pacific Sports Federations Champions (1993)
- * Mountain Pacific Sports Federation Indoor Track Coach of the Year (1993)
- * Big West Conference Outdoor Track Coach of the Year (1994, 1995, 1996, 1998, 1999, 2002, 2003)
- * Big West Conference Outdoor Track Champions (1994, 1995, 1996, 1998, 1999, 2002, 2003)
- * 95 Individual Conference Champions
- * 187 Academic all-Conference selections

AS WOMEN'S HEAD COACH:

- * WAC Cross Country Coach of the Year (2006)
- * WAC Cross Country Champions (2006)
- * Big West Conference Cross Country Coach of the Year (1998)
- * Big West Conference Cross Country Champions (1998)
- * Big West Conference Outdoor Track Coach of the Year (1995, 1997, 1998, 1999)
- * Big West Conference Outdoor Track Champions (1995, 1996, 1997, 1998, 1999)
- * 50 Individual Conference Champions
- * 210 Academic all-Conference selections

TOTALS AS A HEAD COACH:

- * 22-time Conference Coach of the Year
- * 25 Conference Championships
- * 145 Conference Individual Champions
- * 397 Academic All-Conference selections
- * 28 All-Americans



STEVE REEDER
Distance Coach

Steve Reeder enters his 29th year as the Aggie distance coach. He coaches both the indoor and outdoor runners in the 800 and longer distances, as well as working with the cross country team.

Reeder currently teaches physical education at Mount Logan Middle School.

Reeder was a long jumper at Box Elder High School before earning a bachelor's degree at Brigham Young University. He later earned a master's degree at Utah State.

While teaching English at Duchesne High School for one year, Reeder also coached basketball, wrestling and track. He then came to Logan and taught at the junior high level, coaching its track and wrestling teams for two years prior to becoming an assistant coach at Utah State.

Reeder carried the Olympic Torch as it passed through Logan on its way to the Opening Ceremonies in Salt Lake City for the 2002 Winter Olympic Games.

Reeder and his wife, Donna, have five children: Emily, Daisy, Marty, Isaac and Sadie.

2007 CROSS COUNTRY RESULTS

Men's Cross Country Team

- Utah State Open.....2nd/4 Teams
- Montana State Invit.....3rd/11 Teams
- Oregon Invit.....13th/15 Teams
- NCAA Pre-Nationals..... 29th/38 Teams
- WAC Championships.....1st/7 Teams
- NCAA Regionals.....8th/15 Teams

Women's Cross Country Team

- Utah State Open.....4th/5 Teams
- Montana State Invit.....1st/13 Teams
- Oregon Invit.....14th/15Teams
- NCAA Pre-Nationals.....27th/38 Teams
- WAC Championships.....3rd/9 Teams
- NCAA Regionals.....8th/17 Teams