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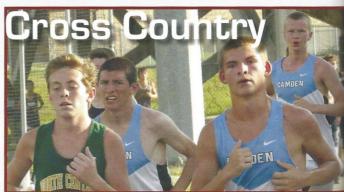
[kar-ik-ter] noun l noun: characte

plural noun: characters

1. An interesting or amusing individual.



The Santee river run was the best race we have competed in so far. We actually ran through the woods the whole race. I had to keep pushing myself to keep going even through I was gasping for air. The hardest part of running cross country is not stopping. You have to tell yourself to keep moving. It is worth the effort when you cross the finish line. You gain pride. - Dantzler Lewin of St. Helena Island, South Carolina



On the sixteenth of September, Camden Military Academy's Cross Country visited Calhoun Academy for a meet on Lake Marion. The course on which was the first trail I've run which was actually through the woods. The trail was along the lake for about half way. There was an orange street cone 1.5 miles the trail where you circle around 180 degrees to finish the race. I started off average pace. Once I passed the cone and turned around to head back, I pici my speed and began passing people. I must have passed fifteen other runner between the half way mark and the finish line. I sprinted for the entire last quile. My ending time at that race was more then five minutes faster than the previous race. It was my new best time. Alex Beasley of Atlanta Georgies



