## Montrose Cross Country - Team Handbook

## Earning A Varsity Letter

- Varsity letter winners must earn 25 points.
- Letter points are earned based on a percentage calculated by dividing the athletes finishing place by the total number of runners in that race.
- Junior Varsity athletes may earn letter points by comparing their time with the varsity race.
- Athletes who qualify for the State Meet are eligible for a Varsity letter. This does not mean an athlete automatically receives the Varsity letter.
- The coaching staff reserves the right to letter or deny a letter based on merit and conduct during or out of season situations.
- Percentage:
- 6 points = Top 10\%
- $\mathbf{5}$ points = 25\%
- $\mathbf{4}$ points = 50\%
- $\mathbf{3}$ points = 62\%
- 2 points = 75\%
- 1 point $=$ If the athlete finished the race
- $\mathbf{1}$ points $=$ Personal record in that race or in the season
- 2 points = Qualifying to the Regional Meet
- $\mathbf{4}$ points $=$ Qualifying to the State Meet

