

1965 MSHSL NORDIC SKI RACING STATE MEET

4 mile (6.4km) Classic Results*

Location:	Chester Park	Date:	February 20th, 1965
Snow conditions:	Duluth had close to 20 inches of snow and teens to twenties temperatures in the ten days of February leading up to the state meet.	High Temperature:	After a chilly negative eleven degrees Fahrenheit overnight, the race time temperature quickly climbed in the upper 30Fs making it a difficult wax day.

Rank	Name	Grade	Team	Time
1	Ron Jacobson	12	North	27:41
2	Bruce Wakefield	12	Duluth Central	28:35
3	Laurel Gulbrandson	11	North	28:38
4	George Rounds	12	Richfield	29:19
5	Doug Edmonson	11	Richfield	29:46
6	Dave Quinn	11	Cloquet	30:15
7	Greg Jerich	10	Ely	30:16
8	Greg Fisher		Duluth East	30:36
9	Dave Cherne	10	Ely	31:34
10	Don Quinn	11	Cloquet	31:34
11	Rick Collins		North St. Paul	31:43
12	Gary Heinrich	12	Richfield	31:54
13	Doug Carlson		Minneapolis Washburn	32:09
14	Jerry Bird		Ely	32:14
15	Ronald Stoesz	11	North St. Paul	32:20
16	Bill Surla		Aurora	32:27
17	Dean Moland		Duluth East	33:17
18	Jett Mattila		St. Louis Park	33:22
19	Jeff Kessel	11	Minneapolis North	33:24
20	Steve Frykman		Bloomington	33:59
21	Ron Berry	11	St. Louis Park	34:00
22	Orin Pierce	11	St. Louis Park	34:21
23	John Stangl		Coleraine	34:29
24	Dennis Nelson	9	Cloquet	34:52
25	Paul Ryder		Bloomington	35:00

*Top Ten Results from the Duluth News Tribune, dated February 21st, 1965

Stories of 1965 winner found in Amazon book "Norm Oakvik: The Inconspicuous Coach"

www.amazon.com/dp/B0DX7JZ9SK

Cross Country Teams (top two)		
1	Minneapolis North	56:19
2	Richfield	59:05
3	Ely	61:50
4	Cloquet	61:51
5	Duluth East	63:53
6	North St. Paul	64:03
7	St. Louis Park	67:22
8	Bloomington	68:59
9	Minneapolis Washburn	70:44
10	Minnetonka	71:59
11	Aurora	74:00
12	Edina-Morningside	75:10
13	Coleraine	77:02
14	Hibbing	78:01
15	Grand Marais	78:35
16	Duluth Denfeld	82:07
17	Minneapolis Edison	86:49
18	Robbinsdale	84:14
19	Duluth Morgan Park	87:34
20	Minneapolis West	98:34
21	Minneapolis South	101:14
22	Minneapolis Roosevelt	166:37



Jacobson, coached by Minneapolis North coach Lars Kindem, was also greatly assisted by the CUSSA Nordic coach, Norm Oakvik, who ran an annual holiday training camp at Michigan Tech University. Jacobson was the second of thirteen Minneapolis-based skiers to win a state Nordic ski title between 1964 and 1976.

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