2026 OHSAA Cross Country State Championships

Approved Media List as of Thursday, November 5, 12:31 p.m.

* All approved media applicants will receive a confirmation email with instructions including parking, credential pick-up location, media work space, etc.

Media Outlet	First Name	Last Name	2026
419 Broadcasting	Mike	Maag	1
419 Broadcasting	Chase	Maag	1
AloNovus			
Ashtabula Star Beacon	Warren	Dillaway	1
Athens Messenger			
Bellbrook	Henry	Conte	1
Bexley Magazine	Michael	Nolan	1
Bowling Green Sentinel-Tribune			
Caimbridge Daily Jeffersonian	Kevin	Sutton	
Caldwell Journal-Leader	Julie	LaFollette	1
Caldwell Journal-Leader	Tars	Estadt	1
Canton/Akron/Kent/Ravenna	Mike	Popovich	1
Canton/Akron/Kent/Ravenna	Mike	Leonard	1
Canton/Akron/Kent/Ravenna	Jonah	Levin-Rosenblum	1
Canton/Akron/Kent/Ravenna	Lisa	Scalfaro	1
Carey Progressor-Times	Lori	Musgrave	1
CBUSsports	Kevin	Rouch	1
CBUSsports	Steve	Blackledge	1
Central Ohio High School Showcase	Maurice	Fisher	1
Central Ohio High School Showcase	Derrick	Owens	1
Celina Daily Standard	Gary	Rasberry	1
Celina Daily Standard	Joe	Schatz	1
Celina Daily Standard	Don	Speck	1
Celina Daily Standard	Paige	Sutter	1
Chillicothe Gazette	Jack	Gleckler	1
Cincinnati Enquirer	Geoff	Blankenship	1
Cincinnati Enquirer	Kori	Stewart	1
Circleville Herald			
Clermont Sun	Jake	Dowling	1
Cleveland.com / The Plain Dealer	John	Kuntz	
Clintonville Spotlight	Cliff	Wiltshire	1
Clockwork 9	Patrick	Fitzgerald	1
Columbus Dispatch	Frank	DiRenna	1
Columbus WBNS-TV			
Columbus WCMH-TV			
Columbus WSYX/WTTE-TV			
Crawford County Now/WQEl	Tim	Klontz	1
Crestline Advocate	Kari	Pfeifer	1
Crestline	Ryan	Niemiec	1
Darke County Now	Dale	Barger	1
Dayton Daily News	Steven	Wright	1
Defiance Crescent-News	Shayne	Nissen	1
Delaware Gazette	Ben	Stroup	1
Delphos Herald	Brandon	Unverferth	1
Eaton Register-Herald	Eddie	Mowen Jr.	1
Eaton Register-Herald	Ron	Nunnari	1
Elyria Chronicle-Telegram	Paul	Heyse	1
Findlay Courier			
Galion Inquirer			
Gallipolis Daily Tribune			
Garrettsville Weekly Villager	Daniel	Sherriff	1
Geauga County Maple Leaf	Alan	Kornspan	1
Greater Columbus Sports Commission			
Greenville Daily Advocate	Drew	Terhall	1
Highland County Press			
Hills./Washington CH/Wilm.	Chris	Hoppes	1

Ironton Tribune	Paul	Boggs	1
Ironton WIRO	Kevin	Richardson	1
Jordan Miller News	Lito	Espinosa	1
Kenton Times	Sean	Blevins	1
Lancaster Eagle-Gazette	Tom	Wilson	1
Lima News	Mark	Alstaetter	1
Lima News	Jackelyn	Johnson	1
Lima WLIO-TV	Dewayne	Scott	1
Lima WTLW/WOSN TV-44	Jennifer	Beck	1
Lisbon Morning Journal	Ron	Firth	1
Little Miami	Doug	McKinley	1
Lorain Morning Journal	Joe	Magill	1
Mansfield News Journal	Jake	Furr	1
Mansfield News Journal	Zachary	Holden	1
Mansfield WMFD-TV			
Marietta Times			
Marion Star	Rob	McCurdy	1
Martins Ferry Times Leader	Kim	North	1
Marysville Journal-Tribune	Tim	Miller	1
Marysville Journal-Tribune	Bob	Putman	1
Marysville Journal-Tribune	Randi	Campos	1
Medina Gazette	Aaron	Josefczyk	1
Miami Valley Newspapers	Skip	Weaver	1
Miami Valley Today	Rob	Kiser	1
Millersburg WKLM	Scot	Mellor	1
Minster Community Post			
Montpelier Village Reporter			
Monroe County Beacon	Kreg	Robinson	1
Morgan County Herald			
Morrow County Sentinel	Rob	Hamilton	1
Mount Vernon	Eva	McKenzie	1
Napoleon WNDH	Jeff	Ressler	1
Napoleon WNDH	Cara	Ressler	1
Newark Advocate	Kurt	Snyder	1
Newark Advocate	Dave	Weidig	1
Northwest Signal	Jeff	Ratliff	1
Northwest Signal	Mason	Jones	1
Oakwood Register	Leon	Chuck	1
OATCCC	Carson	Cheek	1
OHSAA Guest	Earle	Wise	1
OHSAA Guest	Dave	Kirk	1
OHSAA Photography	Andy	Wilhelm	1
OHSAA Photography	Tony	Coles	1
OHSAA Photography	Robert	McGraw	1
OHSAA Photography	Dave	Thompson	1
Ottawa-Glandorf	Missy	Fortman	1
Pike County News Watchman	Julie	Billings	1
Portsmouth Daily Times	Kevin	Colley	1
Putnam County Sentinel	Charlie	Warnimont	1
Richland Source	Logan	Adams	1
Richland Source	Alex	Hopkins	1
Richland Source	Curt	Conrad	1
River Cities News	Colton	Jeffries	1
Run Ohio	Tom	Tuohy	1
Sandusky Register	Brian	Decker	1
Scioto Voice	Ruth	Boll	1
Sidney Daily News	Luke	Gronneberg	1
Steubenville WTOV 9	Rob	Metzger	1
St. Marys Evening Leader			

Sugarcreek Budget			
Tiffin Advertiser-Tribune	Matt	Nye	1
Toledo BCSN/13 ABC			
Toledo Blade	Caleb	Jones	1
Toledo Blade	Doug	Hise	1
Toledo WNWO-TV			
Toledo WTOL-TV	Tyler	Seggerman	1
Toledo WTOL-TV	Chase	Bachman	1
Upper Sandusky Daily Chief-Union	Danny	Schwartz	1
Urbana Daily Citizen	John	Coffman	1
Van Wert Independent	Wyatt	Richardson	1
Versailles Policy	JD	Nye	1
Kevin Walsh	Kevin	Walsh	1
Warren Tribune Chronicle/Vindicator			
Washington C.H. Record-Herald	Tyer	Flora	1
Western Ohio Athletic Conference	Jim	Freeman	1
Willard Times Junction			
Willoughby News-Herald	Ben	Hercik	1
Wilmington News Journal	Mark	Huber	1
Wilmington News Journal	Elizabeth	Huber	1
Wooster Daily Record	James	Simpson II	1
Worthington Christian	Brian	Shindle	1
Zanesville Time Recorder	Sam	Blackburn	1
Zanesville WHIZ Media Group	Steven	Wasserman	1