February 2023

| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
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| *Phase 2 begins | 30 <br> -Long run $-3 \times 6: 00$ tempo -Strength | 31 <br> -Easy run <br> -Mile strides | 1 <br> -Hill sprints (10 x 10 sec ) -Strength | 2 <br> -1.5 mile fast finish -Strides | 3 <br> -Easy run <br> -Strength | 4 <br> -Normal mileage -Strides |
| 5 | 6 <br> -Long run (5-10) <br> -3 x 7:00 tempo <br> -Strength | $\begin{array}{\|l} 7 \\ \text {-Easy miles } \\ -8 \times 200 \mathrm{w} / 200 \\ \text { jog (1600 pace }) \end{array}$ | 8 <br> -Hill sprints (12 x 10 sec ) -Strength | 9 <br> -Fast finish <br> -Strides | $\begin{array}{\|l} \hline 10 \\ -3-6 \text { easy miles } \\ -150 \text { s } \\ \text { acceleration } \\ \text { workout }(6 \times 150) \\ - \text { Strength } \end{array}$ | 11 <br> -Normal mileage -Strides |
| 12 | $13$ <br> -Long run (5-10) -4 x 6:00 tempo -Strength | 14 <br> -Easy miles <br> $-10 \times 200$ <br> (1600) | 15 <br> -Hill sprints <br> (12 x 12 sec ) <br> -Strength | $16$ <br> -Fast finish -Strides | 17 <br> -3-6 easy miles -150s acceleration workout (8x150) -Strength | $18$ <br> -Normal mileage -Strides |
| 19 | 20 <br> -Long run (5-10) <br> -3 x 8:00 tempo <br> -Strength | $21$ <br> -Mileage $-12 \times 200$ (1600) | 22 <br> -Hill sprints <br> (12 x 12 sec ) <br> -Strength | 23 <br> -Fast finish <br> -Strides | 24 <br> -3-6 easy miles <br> -150s <br> acceleration <br> workout (8x 150) <br> -Strength | 25 <br> -Normal mileage -Strides |

## March 2023

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| 26 | 27 <br> -Long run (5-10) <br> $-3 \times 8: 00$ tempo -Strength | $\begin{array}{\|l} \hline 28 \\ -2 \times 200(1600) \\ -5 \times 400(1600) \\ -2 \times 200(800) \end{array}$ | 1 <br> -Hill sprints <br> ( $14 \times 12 \mathrm{sec}$ ) <br> -Strength | 2 <br> -Fast finish <br> -Strides | 3 <br> -Mini Meet (CHS) -Everyone runs (make sure to get in full mileage at meets) | 4 <br> -Normal mileage -Strength |
| 5 | 6 <br> -Long run (5-10) <br> -Fast finish -Strength | 7 <br> Hurric. JV or -Short run $-2 \times 200(1600$ pace) $\begin{aligned} & -6 \times 400(1600) \\ & -2 \times 200(800) \end{aligned}$ | 8 <br> -Hill sprints <br> ( $14 \times 12 \mathrm{sec}$ ) <br> -Strength | 9 <br> -Easy pace run $-4 \times 150$ pickups (about 800m pace) | 10 <br> Snow Canyon Inv. 3:00 pm <br> Or workout from Tues | 11 <br> Snow Canyon Inv. 9:00 am <br> Or normal miles w/ 3 miles tempo |
| $12$ <br> *Phase 3 Begins | 13 <br> -Warmup $-5 \times 3: 00$ (CV) On track or road -Cooldown -Strength | 14 <br> Cedar vs CV <br> Dual @ CHS | $15$ <br> -Easy run <br> -Strength | 16 $\begin{aligned} & -2 \times 200(1600 \\ & \text { pace }) \\ & -8 \times 300(800) \text { or } \\ & -8 \times 400(1600) \\ & -2 \times 200(800) \end{aligned}$ | 17 <br> -Shorter run <br> -Kick workout (100-200m) or 150s | $18$ <br> -Normal mileage -Strides |
| 19 | 20 <br> -CV Workout -Strength | $\begin{array}{\|l\|} \hline 21 \\ -2 \times 200(1600) \\ -6 \times 500(1600) \\ -2 \times 200(800) \end{array}$ <br> Or PV Relays | 22 <br> -Easy run <br> -Kick workout <br> -Strength | 23 <br> -Easy pace run $-4 \times 150$ pickups (about 800m pace) | 24 <br> Pine View Inv. <br> 1:00 pm <br> Or Tues. workout | 25 <br> Pine View Inv. 9:00 am <br> Or normal miles and strength |
| 26 | 27 <br> -Warmup <br> -CV workout <br> -Strength | 28 <br> Snow Canyon JV or $\begin{aligned} & -2 \times 200(1600), 2 \\ & \times 200(800), 500, \\ & 3 \times 400(800) \\ & \text { or } 400,3 \times 600 \\ & (1600), 2 \times 200 \end{aligned}$ | 29 <br> -Easy run <br> -Kick workout <br> -Strength | 30 <br> -Easy pace run $-4 \times 150$ pickups (about 800m pace) | 31 <br> Desert Hills Inv. 3:00 pm <br> Or Tues workout | 1 <br> Desert Hills Inv. 9:00 am <br> Or normal miles and strength |

April 2023

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| 2 | 3 <br> -Warmup <br> -CV workout <br> -Cooldown and Strength | $\begin{array}{\|l} 4 \\ -2 \times 200(1600) \\ -2 \times \text { "Broken" } \\ 800 \text { or } 1600 \\ -2 \times 200(800) \end{array}$ | 5 <br> -Easy pace run $-4 \times 150$ pickups (about 800m pace) -JV- Strength | 6 <br> Hurricane Inv. 2:00 <br> Or Mileage w/ fast finish | 7 <br> -Easy miles <br> -Strength | 8 <br> -Normal mileage <br> -Strides |
| 9 | $\begin{aligned} & 10 \\ & \text {-Warm-up } \\ & -6 \times 3: 15 \text { (CV } \\ & \text { pace) } \\ & \text {-Strength } \end{aligned}$ | 11 <br> -Easy paced run -Strides | $\begin{array}{\|l} 12 \\ -2 \times 200(1600) \\ -8 \times 400 \text { short rest } \\ (1600) \\ -2 \times 200(800) \\ -S t r e n g t h \end{array}$ | 13 <br> -JV- easy run and 150s <br> -Varsity- easy run and kick workout (200-300m) | $14$ <br> Crimson JV <br> Or easy miles and 150s | 15 <br> Crimson Inv <br> -or Tempo run (25 minutes) on your own |
| 16 | 17 <br> -Warm-up <br> -CV workout <br> -Strength | $18$ <br> -Easy pace -Strides | $\begin{array}{\|l} 19 \\ -2 \times 200(1600) \\ -2 \times \text { "Broken" } 800 \\ \text { or } 1600 \\ -2 \times 200(800) \\ - \text { Strength } \end{array}$ | 20 <br> -Shorter run <br> - JV- Kick workout (200-300m) -Varsity-150s | 21 <br> Dixie Inv 3:00 <br> -or Easy pace $-4 \times 150$ pickups | 22 <br> Dixie Inv. <br> 9:00 am <br> -or Tempo run (25 minutes) on your own |
| 23 | 24 <br> -Warm-up <br> -CV workout <br> -Strength | 25 <br> -Easy pace <br> -Strides | $\begin{array}{\|l} 26 \\ -2 \times 200(1600) \\ -8 \times 400 \text { short rest } \\ (1600) \\ -2 \times 200(800) \\ -S t r e n g t h \end{array}$ | 27 <br> -Easy pace run <br> -JV- $4 \times 150$ <br> -Varisty- Kick <br> workout | 28 JV Cedar <br> Or easy run and $4 \times 150$ | 29 <br> Cedar Inv. <br> 9:00 am <br> -or Tempo run (25 minutes) on your own |

May 2023

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| $30$ <br> *Phase 4 Begins | 1 <br> -JV: Easy run $4 \times 150$ <br> -Var: $5 \times 3: 00$ <br> CV <br> -Strength | $\begin{aligned} & 2 \\ & \text { JV Region @ } \\ & \text { Desert Hills } \\ & \quad \text { or } \\ & -2 \times 200(1600) \\ & -5-6 \times 400 \\ & (1600) \\ & -2 \times 200(800) \end{aligned}$ | 3 <br> -Easy run <br> -Strength | 4 <br> -Easy pace run $-4 \times 150$ pickups | 5 <br> BYU Invite 9:00 am | 6 <br> BYU Invite 8:00 am |
| 7 | 8 $-2 \times 200$ <br> (1600) <br> -Short 800 or 1600 pace workout | 9 <br> -Easy pace run $-4 \times 150$ pickups | 10 <br> Region @ Dixie 4:00 pm | 11 <br> Region @ Dixie 4:00 pm | 12 <br> -Easy run <br> -Strides | 13 <br> -Easy run with pickups |
| 14 | 15 <br> -Easy run with pickups -Strides | $\begin{aligned} & 16 \\ & -3 \times 400(1600) \\ & -4 \times 200(800) \end{aligned}$ | 17 <br> -Easy run <br> -Strides | 18 <br> -Easy pace <br> $-4 \times 150$ pickups | $19$ <br> State @ BYU | $20$ <br> State @ BYU |
| 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 |

## Season Phases

-Our season can be divided into four phases. During each phase, the focus of the training/racing changes. Below is an explanation of the four phases.

1. Phase 1 (Mid-December- January): Foundation and Injury Prevention Training. A lot of steady, easy paced runs with strides at least 2-3 times per week. This is the time to increase your mileage up to what you plan your maximum to be for the season. Also, make sure you are completing strength workouts at least 2 times per week to build strength and prevent injuries.
2. Phase 2 (February- mid March): Early Quality Training. During this phase, we will continue to hold the mileage built in phase 1 and still include strides and strength drills as well. We will also introduce workouts such as 200 m reps at 1600 m pace, tempo runs, fast finishes, 150 m accelerations, and kick workouts. This training will help us with our high end endurance, running mechanics, and also some high end finishing speed. The workouts in this phase should be medium difficulty and never leave you laying on the track gasping for air.
3. Phase $\mathbf{3}$ (Mid March-late April): Racing and Quality Training. This phase is the most difficult because we introduce tougher workouts and racing to our training. We keep some of the workouts and maintain the endurance gained in phase 2 while adding in more anaerobic training that is specific to the races you will be running. During this phase, your overall mileage might drop by a few miles and we might cut back on strength as well. You should begin this phase at about $90 \%$ race fitness and end close to $100 \%$.
4. Phase 4 (May): Final Quality Training and Championship Racing. During this phase, we will drop mileage a bit more and the workouts will get easier. You are not going to gain much more fitness during this phase, but resting up will allow your body to be able to peak and perform at its best during the championship races.

## Paces (Slow to Fast)

-Below is an explanation of the paces that we will use in our training this season.

1. Easy pace- this should be a pace that you could maintain for well over an hour if you had to. It helps to build endurance, but also allows our muscles to recover from more strenuous workouts and weights. Used in all four phases.
2. Tempo pace- this is a pace that you should be able to maintain for $40-60$ minutes if you had to. We will only be using it for 20-30 minutes total during workouts in phases 2-3. It is a higher end aerobic/endurance pace that is used to better buffer lactic acid during races.
3. CV (Critical Velocity) pace- this pace should be slightly slower than your 5 k race pace, but faster than tempo pace. This pace allows us to train the highest end of our aerobic capacity. We used this pace for repetitions of $800 \mathrm{~m}-1200 \mathrm{~m}$ on a specified loop or during a road distance run. It is important to not race these workouts. Stay at the pace you are supposed to. We use this pace in phases 2-3.
4. 1600 m pace- This should be your current mile race pace. We use this pace in phase 2 to get you used to running more efficiently in less demanding workouts. We also use it in phase 3 during more demanding workouts to get you used to the rigors of racing.
5. 800 m pace- This is a faster pace that is used in phases $3-4$ in more demanding workouts on the track. This will help you get used to and improve your 800 m pace.
6. 150s and Kick Workout- these workouts will work on strength and developing that all-out finishing speed that we need for the end of races.

## *REMINDER*

As we get ready to start Phase 2, it becomes important to do everything necessary to stay healthy and recover from day to day. Remember, that being a distance runner involves more than just your 1-2 hours at practice. It is a lifestyle that you must commit to.
Some of the things you may need to do or start doing again:
1-Stretching
2- Rolling
3 - Icing
4- Hydrating and eating enough
5- Sleeping 8+ hours a day
6 - Lifting weights
7- Rotate and buy new shoes
Other than the above items, CONSISTENCY and STRIVING FOR GOALS are the most important things to have success. Write down your goals below that you would like to hit this season. Keep this in an area that will be a daily reminder for you.

## Goal \#1

## Goal \#2

## Goal \#3

