Kyle Lang LaSalle High School

This senior is one of Cincinnati's finest runners who, at the Don Mitchell Roosevelt Memorial Invitational at Dayton Welcome Stadium, won the 2,000 meter steeplechase in 6:16.00, the fastest time recorded in Ohio high school history. He also helped his Lancers' track team last season break a 30-year old Cincinnati record in the 3,200 relay, besting the time recorded by a 1976 Colerain team that included his current head coach Frank Russo. Kyle is the defending GCL mile champion and last year was 1st team all-city, all-district and all-region. Kyle also led the cross country team to back-to-back Ohio state champi-

> onships and twice has been named GCL cross country Runner of the Year and 1st team all-state. Active in community service, Kyle will run next year at the University of Cincinnati. His favorite entertainer is Jerry Seinfeld, favorite athlete is Dathan Ritzenhein, and his favorite movies are Coach Carter and Glory Road.

> > COACH'S QUOTE --- "Kyle was an integral part of our cross country team's back to back state championships. He is a fierce competitor and has displayed outstanding leadership." --- Frank Russo, Track Coach

LaRosa's MVP of the Week

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Kyle Lang LaSalle High School SPORT(S): Track-Cross Country

GRADUATING YR.: 2007

GREATEST ACHIEVEMENT: Back to back

tate championships.

BIRTHDATE: 6-9-88

RESIDENCE: Harrison

PARENTS: Doug & Kathi

BIGGEST INFLUENCE: "My cousin Johnny."

FUTURE GOAL: "Professional Marathoner."



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