

36th IAAF WORLD CROSS COUNTRY CHAMPIONSHIPS

EDINBURGH 2008

Biographical Summaries



Junior Women
Junior Men
Senior Women
Senior Men

Junior Women's Race

13:00

66 Entrants

23 Countries

6040m – 1x short lap & 2x long laps
(1x 1905m, 1x 2110m, 1x 2025m)
6 run, 4 score

Age

2	DRICI Barkahoum ALG	19y
	At WXC: 2007-dnfJ ... In 2008: 1 Algerian junior XC	
5	BRICHACEK Emily AUS	17y
	3000 pb: 9:06.41 -06. Holds the Australian under-16 record at 3000m with 9:08.93 in 2005. From Canberra In 2008: 2 Australian World Trial junior XC	
6	CARVOLTH Tamara AUS	17y
	In 2008: 3 Australian World Trial junior XC	
7	CLAYTON Elise AUS	17y
	5000 pb: 16:31.54 -08. 13 World Youth 2000SC 2007. 1 Australian Schools under-16 2000SC 2006 In 2008: 2 Victorian State 5000; 1 Australian World Trial junior XC	
9	McKILLOP Alexis AUS	18y
	1500 pb: 4:25.41 -07 In 2008: 6 Sydney 1500; 3 New South Wales State 3000SC; 6 Australian 3000; 4 Australian World Trial junior XC	
28	CARSON Lindsay CAN	18y
	1500 pb: 4:21.48 -07. ht World Youth 1500 2005; 1 North & Central America and Caribbean junior 1500 2006 & XC 2007. At WXC: 2006-58J, 2007-55J In 2008: 4 North & Central America and Caribbean junior XC	
29	FINDLAY Paula CAN	18y
	5 Canadian junior 5K XC 2007 ... In 2008: 2 Winnipeg 3000	
31	JEWETT Tamara CAN	17y
	8 Canadian junior XC 2007 In 2008: 17 Notre Dame 3000; 8 North & Central America and Caribbean junior XC	
32	LALONDE Genevieve CAN	16y
	10 World Youth 1500 2007; 4 Canadian junior XC 2007 In 2008: 6 North & Central America and Caribbean junior XC	
34	SCHAAF Kendra CAN	17y
	1 Canadian junior XC 2007 ... In 2008: 1 Winnipeg 3000	
36	WOODS Danielle CAN	19y
41	BELOVIC Valentina CRO	17y
	22 World Mountain Running Junior Trophy 2007. At EXC: 2006-90J	
45	MEHARI Kokob ERI	17/18y
	1 Issy-les-Moulineaux 10K 2007	
56	JORDÁN Cristina ESP	18y
	1 Spanish junior XC 2006/2007. At WXC: 2006-17J, 2007-dnfJ. At EXC: 2006-17J, 2007-29J In 2008: 1 Spanish junior XC	
59	MAYOBRE Paula ESP	18y
	In 2008: 3 La Coruña 3000; 3 Spanish junior XC	
61	MOSQUERA Sandra ESP	17y
	ht World Youth 1500 2007. At EXC: 2007-57J In 2008: 1 Vigo 3000; 2 Spanish junior XC	
64	BACHA Emebet ETH	17/18y
	1500 pb: 4:21.24 -07. 1 Istanbul XC 2007 In 2008: 5 Ethiopian junior XC	
66	DIBABA Genzebe ETH	17y
	Younger sister of Ejagayou and Tirunesh ... 5000 pb: 15:53.46 -07. At WXC: 2007-5J. She was one of the group which miscounted the laps at the 2007 World Cross Country Championships but recovered well to placed fifth with a sprint finish In 2008: 2 Ethiopian junior XC	
68	ETA'A Emebet ETH	18y
	Full name-Emebet Eta'a Bedada 2007 African Junior Champion at 1500m & 3000m 1500 pb: 4:08.50 -07. 3000 pb: 8:57.29 -07. 4 WJC 1500 2006; 1 African junior 1500/3000 2007. At WXC: 2006-7J, 2007-19J In 2008: 1 Ethiopian junior XC	
	Good cross country results in late 2007 versus senior opposition: 2nd Dunkirk & Choisy Le Roi, 3rd Brussels	
71	MEMUYE Tigist ETH	17y
	In 2008: 3 Ethiopian junior XC	
73	MOGES Bethlehem ETH	16y
	5000 pb: 15:30.06 -07 ... In 2008: 4 Ethiopian junior XC	
75	YEHUEGNE Bitew ETH	17y
	From the same region in Ethiopia (Amhara) as Meselech Melkamu In 2008: 7 Ethiopian junior XC	
78	CALVIN Clemence FRA	17y
	5 European Youth Olympic Festival 3000 2007. At EXC: 2006-29J, 2007-28J In 2008: 1 French junior XC	
79	CHARAYRON Emmie FRA	18y
	In 2008: 2 French junior XC	
82	HARVEY Joanne GBR	18y
	800 pb: 2:09.66 -05. 1500 pb: 4:21.15 -07. At WXC: 2006-50J. At EXC: 2007-8J. 1 English Schools junior 800 2004 & senior XC 2008; 1 AAA under-15 1500 2004. Coach-Craig Winrow In 2008: 1 Lisbon junior XC; 2 English under-20 XC; 1 English Schools XC	
87	PALLANT Emma GBR	18y
	Fourth in 2007 European Juniors ... 1500 pb: 4:13.38 -07. ht World Youth 1500 2005; 4 EJC 1500 2007. 1 English junior 1500 2007. Attends Brunel University In 2008: 1 Hampshire junior XC; 3 Elgoibar XC; 4 South of England under-20 XC; 7 British Universities XC; 9 UK indoor 1500; 1 Inter-Varsity indoor 3000; 2 English under-20 XC; 2 UK Inter-County junior XC; 7 British Universities XC	
88	PARK Laura GBR	16y
	3000 pb: 9:47.37 -06. At EXC: 2007-27J. dnf World Mountain Running Junior Trophy. 1 English National under-15 XC 2007. Coach-Brian Taylor In 2008: 3 Lisbon junior XC; 1 English under-17 XC; 1 English Schools intermediate XC; 1 UK Inter-County junior XC	
89	PARTRIDGE Lily GBR	17y
	1 Surrey under-17 1500 2007. Coach-Martin McCarthy In 2008: 1 Surrey under-17 XC; 1 Seville junior XC; 2 South of England under-17 XC; 8 English under-17 XC; 3 UK Inter-County junior XC	
90	PIDGEON Emily GBR	18y
	2005 European Junior Champion at 5000m ... British steeplechase junior record holder ... voted Britain's top junior woman athlete of 2005 5000 pb: 15:41.00 -06. 3000 pb: 9:06.87 -06. 3000SC pb: 10:06.12 -05. 1 EJC 5000 2005 (2007-3). At WXC: 2005-20J, 2007-17J. At EXC: 2005-2J, 2006-4J, 2007-6J. Winner of five English Schools XC titles. Won AAA under-17 indoor 1500 title in 2002 as a 12 year-old ... born-Cheltenham ... coach-John Nuttall In 2008: 19 Edinburgh XC; 3 Midland XC; 2 British Universities XC; 3 Bourton-on-the-Water 10K	
91	PURDUE Charlotte GBR	16y
	Third in 2007 European Junior Cross Country Championships ... 3000 pb: 9:37.01 -06. 5000 pb: 16:09.44 -07. 10 EJC 5000 2007. At WXC: 2007-15J. At EXC: 2007-3J. 1 English Schools junior XC 2005; 1 English under-15 XC 2006 & under-17 XC 2007; 1 AAA under-17 3000 2006. Coach-Mick Woods In 2008: 2 English under-17 XC; 2 English Schools XC	
100	BARRY Patricia IRL	19y
	2 Irish junior 5000 2007 ... In 2008: 5 Irish Clubs junior XC	
108	TREACY Sara Louise IRL	18y
	At WXC: 2006-69J. At EXC: 2006-47J, 2007-34J In 2008: 1 Inter-Varsity indoor; 3 Irish junior XC	
109	INGLESE Veronica ITA	17y
	At EXC: 2007-75J ... In 2008: 1 European Clubs junior XC	
111	ROFFINO Valeria ITA	17y
	3000 pb: 9:58.49 -07. 11 World Youth 2000SC 2007. At EXC: 2006-36J, 2007-45J. Born-Biella ... coach-Clelia Zola	
113	AWADALLAH Baraah JOR	16y
	ht World Youth 800 2007	
114	KHALIFAH Ala JOR	16y
115	ABE Yukari JPN	18y
	In 2008: 6 Chiba junior XC; 7 Fukuoka junior XC	
117	KATO Asami JPN	17y
	In 2008: 4 Chiba 5K XC; 6 Fukuoka XC	
120	MATSUMURA Atsuko JPN	17y
	At WXC: 2007-18J ... In 2008: 3 Chiba junior XC; 1 Fukuoka junior XC	
121	MORI Ayaka JPN	17y
	3000 pb: 9:13.07 -07. 5 World Youth 3000 2007 In 2008: 1 Chiba junior XC; 12 Fukuoka junior XC	
122	NINOMIYA Yukino JPN	17y
	5000 pb: 16:21.91 -06 ... In 2008: 3 Fukuoka junior XC	
125	TAKENAKA Risa JPN	18y
	3000 pb: 9:11.40 -07 In 2008: 2 Chiba junior XC; 2 Fukuoka junior XC	
128	CHEBII Jackline KEN	15y
	She is the youngest athlete competing in Edinburgh In 2008: 8 Kenyan junior XC	
130	CHEPTAI Irene KEN	16y
	Full name-Irene Chebet Cheptai (sometimes she gets called Chebet Cheptai) 7 World Youth 3000 2007. 3 Kenyan World XC junior trial 2007, but too young then to compete at the World Cross Country Championships In 2008: 2 Kenyan North Rift junior XC; 2 Kenyan junior XC	

- 132 CHEPCHIRCHIR Dorcas KEN 17y**
Full name-Dorcas Chepchirchir Kiptarus
In 2008: 3 Kenyan North Rift junior XC; 6 Kenyan junior XC
- 133 KOSGEI Mercy KEN 18y**
Full name-Mercy Chelimo Kosgei
World Junior Cross Country silver in 2007 and bronze in 2006
1500 pb: 4:11.7 -06. 3000SC pb: 10:09.78 -05. 2 African junior 3000SC 2005 & 1500 2007; 2 WJC 1500 2006. At WXC: 2006-3J, 2007-2J

Did not compete in Kenyan Trials but given "wildcard" selection on the basis of her experience at the World Cross Country Championship
- 135 MAYANGA Christine KEN 17y**
Full name-Christine Kambua Muyanga
2007 World Youth Steeplechase silver
2 World Youth 2000SC 2007
In 2008: 1 Kenyan Prisons XC; 1 Kenyan junior XC
- 136 MERINGOR Delvin KEN 15y**
Full name-Delvin Relin Meringor
In 2008: 1 Kenyan North Rift junior XC; 3 Kenyan junior XC
- 140 MASAILE Makampong LES 16y**
At WXC: 2007-62J ... In 2008: 25 South of Africa junior XC
- 151 THOLE Miriam MAW 18y**
In 2008: 1 South of Africa junior XC
- 154 CROFT Ruth NZL 19y**
3000SC pb: 10:36.14 -07. ht WJC 3000SC 2006. 5 World Junior Mountain Running Trophy 2007
- 155 WASZAK Karolina POL 19y**
3000 pb: 9:30.62 -07. 9 EJC 3000 2007. At EXC: 2007-26J. 1 Polish junior 3000 2007
In 2008: 1 Polish junior XC
- 158 CUNHA Daniela POR 17y**
At EXC: 2007-48J. 1 Portuguese junior 1500 2007
In 2008: 1 Portuguese junior XC; 6 Portuguese short course XC
- 164 DYWILI Nandipha RSA 16y**
10K pb: 34:35 -07. 1 East London Half Mar 2007
In 2008: 8 South of Africa junior XC
- 168 FURKALO Darya RUS 19y**
2 Russian youth 2000SC 2006
In 2008: 1 Ural junior indoor champs 2000SC
- 169 GORDEYEVA Marina RUS 18y**
1500 pb: 4:17.73 -07. 3000 pb: 9:17.65 -07. 2 Russian junior 1500/3000 2007. At EXC: 2007-10J
In 2008: 4 Russian indoor 3000 'B'
- 170 IVANOVA Snezhana RUS 18y**
3 Russian junior 5000 2007
In 2008: 1 Ural junior indoor champs 3000
- 171 LEBEDEVA Lyudmila RUS 17y**
15 World Youth 2000SC 2007
- 172 PROROKOVA Tatiana RUS 17y**
- 189 JUMENIYAZOVA Govher TKM 16y**
- 191 CHETELAT Laurynne USA 18y**
(Laurynne pronounced Lo-REEN) ... Born-Davis, California ... coach-Bill Gregg
In 2008: 7 US junior XC
- 192 GITS Alex USA 18y**
5000 pb: 16:29.14 -07. 53 NCAA XC 2007. Attends Stanford University .. born-Edina, Minnesota ... coach-Peter Tegen
In 2008: 3 Seattle 5000; 2 US junior XC
- 198 REESE Emily USA 17y**
3000 pb: 9:51.20 -07. 1 US youth 2000SC 2005/2006. Fluent in German .. will attend Harvard University from autumn 2008 ... Born- Atlanta, Georgia ... coach-Walter Pinion
In 2008: 3 US junior XC; 2 North & Central America and Caribbean junior XC
- 199 SAYLOR Lauren USA 18y**
5000 pb: 16:45.96i -08. Student of business & psychology at the University of Washington ... born-Orange County, Calif ... coach-Greg Metcalf
In 2008: 6 US junior XC
- 200 SCHWITZER Emily USA 18y**
3000 pb: 9:45.37i -08. Member of Minnesota State Nordic ski Championship-winning team ... born-Minneapolis, Minnesota ... coach-Kevin Jermyn
In 2008: 5 US junior XC
- 201 TREECE Marissa USA 18y**
5000 pb: 16:36.34 -07. 3 US junior 5000 2007. Student of Marketing at The University of Notre Dame ... born-Traverse City, Michigan ... coach-Tim Connelly
In 2008: 5 Notre Dame 3000; 4 US junior XC; 6 "Big East" indoor 3000

Junior Men's Race

13:30

109 Entrants

30 Countries

7905m – 2x short laps & 2x long laps
(1x 1905m, 1x 1865m, 1x 2110m, 1x 2025m)
6 run, 4 score

	Age		
7 KHENDUS Abdelkader ALG In 2008: 3 Algerian junior XC	18y	109 DURAN Guillem ESP At WXC: 2007-84J ... In 2008: 2 Spanish junior XC	19y
8 MAHCENE Mohamed ALG 7 World Youth 2000SC 2007 ... In 2008: 1 Algerian junior XC	17y	113 GONZÁLEZ José M. ESP In 2008: 6 Spanish junior XC	18y
12 ROUABHI Housssem ALG In 2008: 2 Algerian junior XC	18/19y	117 MARTOS Sebastian ESP At WXC: 2007-102J. At EXC: 2007-40J In 2008: 2 Spanish junior indoor 3000; 3 Spanish junior XC	18y
13 TOUIL Abdelmadjed ALG At WXC: 2007-50J ... In 2008: 5 Algerian junior XC	19y	118 MATEO Daniel ESP 5000 pb: 14:42.31 -07 In 2008: 3 Spanish junior indoor 3000; 4 Spanish junior XC	18y
14 ZIANI Moussa ALG In 2008: 4 Algerian junior XC	17y	123 ABSHERO Ayele ETH 4 Great Ethiopian Run 10K 2007 ... In 2008: 2 Ethiopian junior XC	17y
21 EVEREST Richard AUS 6 World Youth 2000SC 2007 In 2008: 5 Australian 3000SC; 2 Australian World Trial junior XC	18y	129 GEBREMESKEL Dejen ETH 5000 pb: 13:21.05 -07 In 2008: 3 Fuensalida XC; 2 Maliaño XC; 4 Ethiopian junior XC	18/19y
22 GREGSON Ryan AUS 1500 pb: 3:43.84 -07. 3000 pb: 8:01.26 -07. 5 World Youth 1500 2007. Australian Junior Mountain Running Champion 2007. Coach-Ian Hatfield In 2008: 11 Sydney 1500; 9 Melbourne 1500; 1 Australian World Trial junior XC	17y	130 HUMEGAW Mesfin ETH 2 African junior 10,000 2007 ... In 2008: 3 Ethiopian junior XC	19y
28 WATSON Ashley AUS In 2008: 3 Australian World Trial junior XC	18y	131 JEYLAN Ibrahim ETH Full name-Ibrahim Jeylan Gashu 2006 World Junior Champion at 10,000m ... holds world age-16 best for 10,000m 10,000 pb: 27:02.81 -06. 5000 pb: 13:09.38 -06. 2 World Youth 3000 2005; 1 WJC 10,000 2006. At WXC: 2006-5J, 2007-dnfJ. 1 Ethiopian junior XC 2006/2007/2008 In 2008: 1 Ethiopian junior XC	18y
29 YOA Duer AUS Came to Australian from Sudan in 2002 In 2008: 4 Australian World Trial junior XC	18y	132 KENDE Yetwale ETH 2 Ethiopian junior 5000 2007. From the same region (Amhara) as Meselech Melkamu In 2008: 7 Ethiopian junior XC	17y
46 CARVALHO Paulo Sergio BRA In 2008: dnf South American junior XC	17y	133 LIESA Feyisa ETH 3 Great Ethiopian Run 10K 2007 (29:21) In 2008: 5 Ethiopian junior XC	18y
47 da SILVA José Marcio BRA In 2008: 5 South American junior XC	17y	138 BAUMAL Anthony FRA In 2008: 6 French junior XC	17y
53 LOPES Gilberto BRA 2008 South American Junior Cross Country Champion In 2008: 1 Brazilian junior XC; 1 South American junior XC	18y	139 BOUALLAGUI Houssam FRA 1500 pb: 3:48.60 -07 ... In 2008: 1 Bordeaux 3000; 4 French junior XC	18y
55 PEREIRA Éderson BRA In 2008: 3 South American junior XC	17y	140 CALANDREAU Benoit FRA 1500 pb: 3:49.8 -07 ... In 2008: 5 French junior XC	19y
65 AHMED Mohammed CAN 4 Canadian junior XC 2007 In 2008: 6 North & Central American and Caribbean junior XC	17y	141 CHAHDI Hassan FRA 1 World Schools Games 3000 2006. At WXC: 2007-61J. At EXC: 2007-8J In 2008: 1 French junior XC	18y
68 CORRIGAN Peter CAN 6 Canadian junior XC 2007 In 2008: 3 Montréal 3000; 7 North & Central America and Caribbean junior XC	19y	142 DENISSEL Simon FRA In 2008: 7 French junior XC	17y
71 HUGHES Matthew CAN At WXC: 2007-81J. 3 North & Central American and Caribbean XC junior 2007; 3 Canadian junior XC 2007 In 2008: 3 Montréal 3000; 7 North & Central America and Caribbean junior XC	18y	143 LEPROVOST François FRA In 2008: 3 French junior XC	18y
73 KUTERNIN Aleksandr CAN 2008 North & Central America and Caribbean XC Champion ... originally from Estonia, emigrated to Canada in 2004 5 Canadian junior XC 2007. Lives-Toronto In 2008: 1 North & Central American and Caribbean junior XC	17y	146 BERNTSEN Phillip GBR 3000 pb: 8:43.83 -07. Coach-Nick Anderson In 2008: 1 Hampshire under-20 XC; 3 South of England under-20 XC; 7 English under-20 XC; 3 UK Inter-County junior XC	18y
74 LEEDER Matt CAN At WXC: 2007-64J. 2 North & Central America and Caribbean junior XC 2007. 1 Canadian junior XC 2007 In 2008: 4 Lincoln 3000; 2 Fayetteville 3000 'B'	18y	147 FORRESTER David GBR 2007 English Schools Champion at 1500m ... 1500 pb: 3:47.96 -07. At WXC: 2007-89J. At EXC: 2007-4J. 1 AAA under-17 1500 2006; 1 English under-17 XC 2007; 1 English Schools 1500 2007. Coach-Ray Vose In 2008: 1 Belfast junior XC; 5 Merseyside under-17 XC; 38 North of England under-17 XC; 3 English under-20 XC; 1 UK Inter-County junior XC	18y
75 MAJOCK Nyial CAN 8 Canadian junior XC 2007 In 2008: 4 North & Central America and Caribbean junior XC	18y	149 GOOSE Mitch GBR 2007 English Schools Champion at Cross Country and 3000m ... 1500 pb: 3:50.55 -07. 3000 pb: 8:39.02 -07. 5000 pb: 14:52.11 -07. At EXC: 2007-27J. 1 English Schools XC & 3000 2007. Suffered a fractured skull in 2006 after colliding with another athlete in training ... coaches-Tim & Pauline Ash In 2008: 3 Belfast junior XC; 6 English under-20 XC; 6 UK Inter-County junior XC	19y
80 ARAVENA Victor CHI 1 South American youth XC 2006	18y	150 GRIFFITHS Dewi GBR 1 Welsh under-15 XC 2006 & under-17 XC 2008. Coach-Kevin Evans In 2008: 6 Welsh indoor 3000; 1 Welsh under-17 XC; 4 UK Inter-County junior XC	16y
86 SPANIC Sven CRO At EXC: 2006-93J	17y	151 HORSFIELD Simon GBR 2007 World Youth finalist at 1500m ... 1500 pb: 3:50.67 -07. 3000 pb: 8:17.04 -07. 7 World Youth 1500 2007. 1 English Schools intermediate 3000 2006. Father-Steve was a Rugby player, mother-Dale was a sprinter ... his great uncle is the actor Bill Tarmey who plays "Jack Duckworth" in Coronation Street ... coach-Harry Kelly In 2008: 17 English under-20 XC; 4 English Schools XC; 2 UK Inter-County junior XC	17y
95 MESEL Amanuel ERI 5000 pb: 13:39.13 -07. 11 African Games 5000 2007. At WXC: 2007-16J	17y	157 MURRAY Ross GBR 1500 pb: 3:54.21 -07. At EXC: 2007-43J. 1 English Schools (intermediate) XC & 1500 2007; 1 UK Inter-Counties under-17 XC 2007. Lives-Wallsend .. Coach-John Stephenson In 2008: 2 English under-17 XC; 5 UK Inter-County junior XC	17y
96 SIBHATU Issak ERI 5 World Youth 3000 2005. At WXC: 2006-7J	19y	173 FLYNN David IRL In 2008: 4 Irish Clubs junior XC	18y
101 TEWELDE Tsegai ERI 1500 pb: 3:42.10 -06. 5 WJC 1500 2006. At WXC: 2007-17J	18y		
104 ALONSO Carlos ESP 3000SC pb: 8:50.95 -07. 3 WJC 3000SC 2007 In 2008: 5 Spanish junior XC	18y		
107 CORRALES Victor ESP 1500 pb: 3:44.85 -07. 2 EJC 1500 2007. At EXC: 2007-49J. 1 Spanish junior XC 2008 In 2008: 1 Spanish junior XC	19y		

174	HOGAN Patrick IRL		18y	258	ZALEWSKI Krystian POL	18y
179	MULHARE Michael IRL At EXC: 2007-58J ... In 2008: 1 Irish Clubs junior XC		19y		3000SC pb: 9:01.74 -07. 8 EJC 3000SC 2007. At EXC: 2007-44J In 2008: 1 Polish junior XC	
181	MURPHY Craig IRL In 2008: 2 Irish Clubs junior XC		18y	259	ALBUQUERQUE Bruno POR	19y
184	TREMBLE Liam IRL In 2008: 5 Irish Clubs junior XC		19y	267	PINHEIRO Paulo POR	18y
185	WARD Ian IRL In 2008: 5 Allston; 4 Ithaca 1000; 3 Irish Clubs junior XC		19y	272	SANTA-CRUZ Jorge POR	18y
188	EL MAZOURY Ahmed ITA In 2008: 1 San Giorgio su Legnano junior		18y	277	KOECH Charles Bett QAT	18y
192	AKKAWI Motasem JOR		18y		TRANSFEE: Formerly KEN but definitely not the 3:37.04 1500m runner Charles Kiplangat Bett who was born in 1984	
194	CHIBA Kenta JPN In 2008: 4 Chiba junior XC; 3 Fukuoka junior XC		17y		Half Mar pb: 61:27 -07. 5000 pb: 13:24.26 -07. 1 Asian Indoor Games 3000 2007; ht WCH 5000 2007. Paced Berlin & Eindhoven Marathons in 2007	
196	KASHIWABARA Ryuji JPN In 2008: 6 Chiba junior XC; 5 Fukuoka junior XC		18y	286	DIKO Sityhilo RSA	16y
198	KURIHARA Shun JPN At WXC: 2007-53J ... In 2008: 3 Chiba junior XC; 6 Fukuoka junior XC		18y		14 World Youth 3000 2007 In 2008: 3 Potchefstroom 3000 'B'; 7 South of Africa junior XC	
199	MURASAWA Akinobu JPN 13 World Youth 3000 2007 In 2008: 1 Chiba junior XC; 1 Fukuoka junior XC		17y	289	NGWENYA Sydney RSA	18y
201	SASAKI Hiroyuki JPN In 2008: 5 Chiba junior XC		17y	290	NKOSI Senzo RSA	18y
204	TAMURA Hirotaka JPN In 2008: 7 Chiba junior XC; 2 Fukuoka junior XC		16y	293	KHITROV Ivan RUS	18y
208	KIBET Charles KEN Full name-Charles Kibet Chepkurui (formerly known as Charles Chebet) 5000 pb: 14:04.73 -07 In 2008: 2 Kenyan North Rift junior XC; 3 Kenyan junior XC		16y	295	RYZHOV Yevgeniy RUS	18y
213	KISORIO Mathew KEN Full name-Mathew Kipkoech Kisorio Third in junior race at 2007 World Cross Country Championships, his father was third as a senior in the championships 24 years earlier 5000 pb: 13:28.43 -07. 10,000 pb: 28:50.1 -06. 1 African junior 5000/10,000 2007. At WXC: 2007-3J. Won the 2007 Kenyan junior trial for the World Cross Country Championships		18y	296	SHALAMOV Vyacheslav RUS	18y
	He is the fourth of seven children of the late Some Moge, who was Kenya's first medalist at the World Cross Country Championships with a bronze in Gateshead 1983			297	TOLSTIKHIN Mark RUS	18y
	In 2008: 2 Kenyan junior XC; 3 Cinque Mulini XC			298	YAKOVLEV Anatoliy RUS	18y
217	MBISHEI Titus KEN Full name- Titus Kipjumba Mbishei In 2008: 5 Kenyan junior XC			299	ZUBKOV Dmitry RUS	19y
219	OMARI Levi KEN Full name-Levi Matebo Omari 2008 Kenyan Junior Cross Country Champion 5000 pb: 13:55.1 -07. 10 Kenyan 5000 2007 In 2008: 1 Kenyan junior XC			326	GONEN Vedat TUR	20y
220	ROTICH Lucas KEN Full name-Lucas Kimeli Rotich 3000 pb: 7:59.67 -07. 2 World Youth 3000 2007 In 2008: 1 Kenyan North Rift junior XC; 4 Kenyan junior XC			327	PAK Hasan TUR	18y
221	SOME Peter KEN Full name-Peter Kimeli Some ... Not to be confused with the much older Peter Kimeli Chemeli (born 24 Feb 72) who ran a 2:12:44 marathon in 2005 In 2008: 8 Kenyan junior XC		17y	328	ULUS Cihat TUR	18y
229	AIT BAHMAD Abdelghani MAR 2005 World Youth & 2006 World Junior Steeplechase bronzes ... 3000SC pb: 8:20.05 -06. 3 World Youth 2000SC 2005; 3 WJC 3000SC 2006; 5 African junior 3000SC 2007. At WXC: 2005-54J, 2006-44J, 2007-63J. Was the youngest male athlete entered for the 2005 World Cross Country Championships (when he was only 15) In 2008: 14 Rovereto XC; 1 Modena 12.4K		18y	330	TAHER Ahmed UAE	18y
235	DACHA Abdellah MAR 3 World Youth 2000SC 2007		16y	335	KIPLAGAT Benjamin UGA	19y
236	EL AMRANI Hicham MAR 3 World Youth 3000 2007. At WXC: 2007-30J In 2008: 1 Moroccan junior XC		17y		5000 pb: 13:22.67 -07. 3000SC pb: 8:21.73 -07. 6 WJC 3000SC 2006; 7 African Games 3000SC 2007. ht WCH 3000SC 2007. At WXC: 2006-50 short, 2007-5J In 2008: 2 Ugandan junior XC	
241	MEKKAOUI Mohamed MAR		18y	336	KIPLIMO Abraham UGA	18y
242	NACER Youssef MAR In 2008: 2 Moroccan junior XC		18y	340	KIPROTICH Stephen UGA	19y
243	RACHED Adil MAR At WXC: 2007-35J		17y	342	KUSURO Geoffrey UGA	19y
252	MOEN Sondre Nordstad NOR 5000 pb: 14:41.65 -07. At EXC: 2007-6J. 1 Nordic junior XC In 2008: 14 Hannut XC; 2 Norwegian indoor 3000		17y		2007 World Junior Mountain Running Champion ... 5000 pb: 13:56.7 -06. 9 WJC 5000 2006, At WXC: 2005-49J, 2006-14J, 2007-10J. 1 World Junior Mountain Running Trophy 2007 In 2008: 1 Ugandan junior XC	
253	BEAMISH Hugo NZL 5 Australian youth XC 2005		19y	343	SIWA Ben UGA	18y
255	CHANNON Dominic NZL In 2008: 1 Wellington 3000		19y	348	FERNANDEZ German USA	17y
					(German pronounced HER-Monn) ... 1 US High School West Regional XC 2007; 1 US junior XC 2008. Born-Watsonville, California ... coach-Bruce Edwards In 2008: 1 US junior XC	
				349	HEINEKING Emil USA	18y
					56 NCAA XC 2007. Attends the University of Virginia. Born-Akron, Ohio .. coach-Jason Dunn In 2008: 1 Lynchburg 3000; 3 US junior XC	
				350	JOHNSON Benjamin USA	18y
					6 US High School XC 2006. Born-Albuquerque, New Mexico ... coach-Adam Kedge In 2008: 6 US junior XC	
				352	MOLDOVAN Bobby USA	19y
					5000 pb: 14:43.87i -08. Born-Fort Wayne, Indiana ... coach-Rollie Geiger In 2008: 19 New York 3000; 4 US junior XC; 8 Chapel Hill 5000	
				356	SHERIDAN Ryan USA	18y
					2 North & Central American and Caribbean junior XC 2008. Born-Long Island, New York ... coach-Mick Byrne In 2008: 5 Boston 5000; 2 US junior XC; 2 North & Central American and Caribbean junior XC	

- 359 WILLIAMS Kevin USA 17y**
Born-Denver, Colorado ... coach-Micah Porter
In 2008: 5 US junior XC; 5 North & Central American and Caribbean junior XC
- 360 AL-LATHAA Yousef YEM 17/18y**
ht World Youth 3000 2007
- 361 WAMULWA Tonny ZAM 18y**
2008 South of Africa Junior Cross Country Champion ... 5000 pb: 13:40.78
-06. 10 World Youth 3000 2005; 10 COM 5000 2006; 7 WJC 5000 2006; ht
WCH 5000 2007. At WXC: 2007-9J (the only athlete from outside East Africa
in the top 25 finishers)
In 2008: 1 South of Africa junior XC
- 366 TOUIL Imad ALG 19y**

Women's Race

14:05

97 Entrants

32 Countries

7905m – 2x short laps & 2x long laps
(1x 1905m, 1x 1865m, 1x 2110m, 1x 2025m)
6 run, 4 score

Age

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| 1 | DAHMANI Kenza ALG | 27y | Half Mar pb: 74:10 -07. 2 Arab Half Mar 2007; 3 African Games Half Mar 2007. At WXC: 97-58J, 99-44J
In 2008: 10 Diekirch XC; 1 Algerian XC |
| 8 | JOHNSON Benita AUS | 28y | Former World Cross Country Champion ... Oceanian record holder at 5000m, 10,000m & Marathon
(Née Willis) ... Half Mar pb: 67:55 -04. Mar pb: 2:22:36 -06. 10,000 pb: 30:37.68 -03. 5000 pb: 14:47.60 -02. 1500 pb: 4:07.05 -00. 3000 pb: 8:38.06 -03. 7 WJC 1500 98; 5 WSG 1500 99; ht OLY 5000 2000; 6 WIC 3000 2001 (2003-7); 12 WCH 5000 2001; 6 COM 5000 2002; 4 WCP 5000 2002; 8 WCH 10,000 2003 (2005-19, 2007-17); 3 World Half Mar 2003; 24 OLY 10,000 2004; 1 Great North Run 2004 (2006-2); 14 New York 2004 (marathon debut); 6 London 2005 (2007-7); 4 COM 10,000 2006; 3 Chicago 2006. At WXC: 2001-6 short, 2002-4 short, 2003-5 short, 2004-1 long, 2005 -7 long, 2006-4 long & 4 short. Was an under-20 hockey international (position: striker, she scored five goals for her country in seven matches) ... born-Mackay (same as Cathy Freeman), lives-Melbourne ... married Cameron Johnson on February 2, 2002 ... coach-Nic Bideau
In 2008: 5 Australian World Trial XC |
| 10 | MITCHELL Victoria AUS | 25y | 2005 US Collegiate Steeplechase Champion ... 5000 pb: 15:36.15 -06. 2 WSG 3000SC 2005; 4 COM 3000SC 2006; 4 WCP 3000SC 2006; 14 New York 2004 (marathon debut); 6 London 2005 (2007-7); 4 COM 10,000 2006; 3 Chicago 2006. At WXC: 2006-34 long & 33 short (team bronze), 2007-37. 1 NCAA 3000SC 2005. 1 Australian 3000SC 2003. Was at Butler University in Indianapolis ... born-Melbourne, lives-Albury ... coach-Nic Bideau
In 2008: 1 Victorian State 3000SC; 4 Melbourne 3000SC; 3 Australian 3000SC; 3 Australian World Trial XC |
| 11 | ROLLISON Melissa AUS | 24y | Commonwealth Games Steeplechase silver in 2006 after epic race with Dorcus Inzikuru
3000SC pb: 9:24.29 -06 (9:50.59 -08). 3000 pb: 8:54.86 -06. 8 WJC 1500 2000; 2 COM 3000SC 2006. At WXC: 2001-14J, 2002-9J. 1 Goodwill Games 3000SC 2001. 1 Australian 3000SC 99/2000/2001/2002/2006 ... born-Adelaide, lives-Tweed Heads South ... coach-Nic Bideau
In 2008: 2 Australian 3000SC; 2 Australian World Trial XC |
| 12 | THOMPSON Anna AUS | 31y | Top 20 finisher in both races at 2005 World Cross Country Championships and again in 2007
Mar pb: 2:33:20 -05. 10,000 pb: 32:27.74 -06. 5000 pb: 15:42.31 -04. 9 COM 5000 2002; 5 COM 10,000 2006. 1 Australian 3000 2003; 1 Gold Coast 2004; 4 Rotterdam 2005; 18 World Road 20K 2006; dnf Berlin 2007. 1 Australian XC 2002/2004. At WXC: 2002-15 short, 2003-26 short, 2004-26 long & 33 short, 2005-16 long & 19 short, 2006-27 long & 25 short, 2007-18. Graduated as a Occupational Therapist ... born/lives-Melbourne ... coach-Dave Bullock
In 2008: 7 Sydney 5000 |
| 13 | VERNON Melinda AUS | 22y | 5000 pb: 16:55.15 -06
In 2008: 1 Sydney 1500; 4 Australian World Trial XC

She is deaf, so may start in a different pen from the other Australians so that she can get the best view of the starting gun |
| 14 | WEIGHTMAN Lisa-Jane AUS | 29y | Half Mar pb: 72:02 -07. 5000 pb: 16:06.33 -07. 37 World 20K 2006; 33 World Half Mar 2007. At WXC: 2007-42
In 2008: 1 Australian World Trial XC |
| 15 | KHALILOVA Anifa AZE | 20y | |
| 18 | BALDAIA Maria Zeferina BRA | 35y | Mar pb: 2:36:07 -02. 1 Curitiba 2000; 30 World Half Mar 2001; 15 Paris 2001; 2 Campinas 2001; 30 World Half Mar 2001; 1 São Paulo 2002 (2001-2)
In 2008: 2 Cuiaba 10K; 1 Rio de Janeiro 10K; 3 South American XC; 3 San Pablo Half Mar; 1 Aracaju 25K |
| 19 | da SILVA Isabel Cristina BRA | 22y | 3000SC pb: 10:46.7 -06. 2 South American junior 3000SC 2005
In 2008: 6 South American XC |
| 20 | FARIA Rosângela BRA | 33y | 1998 South American Long Course XC Champion ... Mar pb: 2:41:47 -03. 42 World Half Mar 2005. At WXC: 99-58 short & 73 long, 2000-76 long. 1 South American XC 98
In 2008: 5 San Pablo 10K; 10 South American XC |
| 21 | VIEIRA Zenaide BRA | 22y | South American record holder at Steeplechase ... 3000SC pb: 9:46.52 -07. 1500 pb: 4:19.05 -07. 7 WJC 3000SC 2004; 1 Ibero-American 3000SC 2006; 1 South American 3000SC 2007 (3 1500); 3 Pan-American Games 3000SC 2007; ht WCH 3000SC 2007
In 2008: 3 Cuiaba 10K; 3 Rio de Janeiro 10K; 1 Brazilian XC; 2 South American XC |
| 22 | EJJAFINI Nadia BRN | 27y | TRANSFEE – Formerly: MAR ... 5000 pb: 15:22.39 -06. 10,000 pb: 32:29.53 -07. Half Mar pb: 70:38 -07. Mar pb: 2:37:25 -07. 4 WJC 5000 98; 2 Naples 2004; dnf OLY 2004; 41 WCH 2005 (2003-44); 4 Asian Games 5000 2006; 1 Arab 10,000 2007; 4 Milan 2007. At WXC: 98-18J, 99-21J (for Morocco); 2003-30 long & 33 short, 2004-41 long
In 2008: 6 Le Mans XC |
| 24 | JASSEM Karima Saleh BRN | 20y | 2007 Asian Champion at both 5000m & 10,000m ... 5000 pb: 15:52.15 -07. 10,000 pb: 32:17.14 -06. 1 Arab 5000/Half Mar 2005 (1 Half Mar 2007); 13 WJC 3000 2006; 1 Asian Champs 5000/10,000 2007. At WXC: 2006-28 short
In 2008: 1 Marrakech Half Mar |
| 25 | YAQOUB Sara Yusuf BRN | 20y | (Previously known as Sara Bakheet Youssef) ... 5000 pb: 16:29.57 -07. 1500 pb: 4:21.86 -07. 2 Arab Games 1500/5000 2007. 2 Arab Junior 800/1500 2006
In 2008: 3 Asian indoor 1500/3000 |
| 26 | BECKER Alex CAN | 20y | 1500 pb: 4:22.39 -07. 3000 pb: 9:13.80i -08. 1500 pb: 16:00.34 -07. ht WJC 1500 2006. 7 NCAA indoor 3000 & outdoor 5000 2007. 3 Canadian XC 2007
In 2008: 2 Fayetteville Mile; 7 Seattle 3000 |
| 27 | BINNE Suzanne CAN | 34y | At WXC: 2002-dnf long. 13 Canadian XC 2007
In 2008: 15 North & Central America and Caribbean XC |
| 30 | HARVEY Lisa CAN | 38y | First competed in the World Cross Country Championships in 1989 ... Mar pb: 2:48:48 -07. 10,000 pb: 32:39.70 -93. 2 Pan-Am Games 10,000 91; 49 World Half Mar 2005. At WXC: 89-6J, 90-55, 91-62, 92-33, 93-45, 94-95, 2000-85 long, 2001-56 long, 2002-47 long
Marathons: 10 San Francisco 2001; 5 Detroit 2005; 3 Montreal 2006; 6 Ottawa 2007; 9 Toronto 2007
In 2008: 2 Vancouver Half Mar; 9 North & Central America and Caribbean XC |
| 33 | MACLEAN Erin CAN | 23y | 12 Canadian XC 2007
In 2008: 1 Halifax 1500; 12 North & Central America and Caribbean XC |
| 35 | WIGHTMAN Elizabeth CAN | 26y | In 2008: 6 North & Central America and Caribbean XC |
| 37 | JIANG Chengcheng CHN | 21y | 5000 pb: 15:49.79 -03. 10,000 pb: 32:38.66 -05. Mar pb: 2:39:30 -04. 2 Chinese Youth 3000 2002; 8 Chinese 5000 2003. 13 Beijing 2004 (2006-16); 3 Hong Kong 2005; 15 Xiamen 2007. At WXC: 2003-47J, 2004-48J, 2005 -41J, 2006-48 long & 52 short
In 2008: 48 Xiamen (Chinese champs) Marathon; Ran fifth stage for Chinese team which placed 11th in Yokohama Ekiden, clocking 33:42 for 10K; 6 Chinese short course XC (7 long) |
| 39 | CARPINE Mariana COD | 31y | dnf World Half Mar 2007 |
| 40 | NZILAMPA Francine COD | 26y | At WXC: 2004-86 short ... In 2008: 11 French short course XC |
| 43 | ABOU HASSAN Sara EGY | 20y | 2 Arab junior 5000 2004; 56 World 20K 2006. At WXC: 2001-105J (at age 13, apparently), 2002-92J, 2003-83J, 2005-101 short, 2007-43 |
| 44 | GERMIA Chichi ERI | 25y | At WXC: 2005-72 long |
| 47 | BAHTA Meraf ERI | 18/19y | 1500 pb: 4:16.01 -06. 5 WJC 1500 2006. At WXC: 2005-32J, 2006-12J, 2007 -6J
In 2008: 14 Seville XC |
| 48 | SULTAN Simret ERI | 23y | Eritrean record holder at 5000m ... ninth at 2007 World Cross Country Championships
5000 pb: 15:16.33 -07. ht World Youth 1500 2001; 3 African Junior 5000 2001; 7 African Champs 10,000 2002 (8 5000); ht WCH 5000 2003/2007; 5 African Champs 5000 2007. At WXC: 2002-50J, 2002-50J, 2003-15J, 2004 -41 short, 2005-26 short, 2006-17 long & 45 long, 2007-9
In 2008: 4 Elgoibar XC; 1 Huesca XC; 2 San Sebastian XC |
| 54 | AGUILAR Alessandra ESP | 29y | Half Mar pb: 71:34 -07. 10,000 pb: 32:42.49 -02. 5000 pb: 15:42.66 -07. 9 under-23 ECH 5000 99. At WXC: 96-38J, 97-34J, 98-33, 2000-60 long, 2001 -48 long, 2002-35 long, 2003-29 long, 2004-47 long, 2006-63 long. At EXC: 99-33, 2000-27, 2001-35, 2002-28, 2003-21, 2004-31, 2007-17
In 2008: 10 Seville XC; 2 Granollers Half Mar; 4 Spanish Clubs XC; 4 Spanish XC |

- 57 MARTIN Diana ESP 26y**
3000SC pb: 9:47.41 -07. 17 under-23 ECH 3000SC 2001; ht ECH 3000SC 2006; 6 WSG 3000SC 2007; ht WCH 3000SC 2007. At WXC: 2000-109J, 2005-81 short. At EXC: 2000-30J, 2005-80
In 2008: 9 Elgoibar XC; 13 Sevilla XC; 11 European Clubs XC; 3 Valencia de Alcanara XC; 5 Spanish Clubs XC; 5 Spanish XC
- 58 MARTÍN Jacqueline ESP 33y**
Spanish Cross Country Champion at long course in 2004 & short course in 2005
1500 pb: 4:13.22 -96. 3000 pb: 8:59.22 -00. 5000 pb: 15:27.82 -00. ht EIC 3000 2005. At WXC: 95-115, 98-42 short, 99-41 short, 2001-60 short, 2002 -36 short, 2004-58 short. At EXC: 97-21, 99-28, 2000-12, 2001-28, 2003-35, 2004-dnf ... coach-Vicente Egido
In 2008: 5 Jaén 10K; 2 Maliaño XC; 2 Spanish Clubs indoor 3000; 1 Valladolid XC; 2 Spanish Clubs XC; 6 Spanish XC
- 60 MORATÓ Rosa ESP 28y**
2007 European Cross Country bronze ... Spanish record holder & 5x Champion at Steeplechase
3000SC pb: 9:26.23 -07. 10,000 pb: 32:23.61 -07. 2 ECP 3000SC 2006 (2004-3); ht ECH 3000SC 2006; 8 WCH 3000SC 2007 (2005-ht). 1 Spanish 3000SC 2003-2007. At WXC: 97-61J, 98-85J, 2001-54 short, 2004-dnf short, 2005-45 long, 2006-36 long, 2007-20. At EXC: 98-10J, 2002-54, 2003-38, 2004-26, 2005-9, 2006-12, 2008-3
In 2008: 6 Elgoibar XC; 4 Huesca XC; 3 San Sebastian XC; 4 European Clubs XC; 4 European Indoor Cup 3000; 3 Spanish Clubs XC; 1 Spanish XC
- 63 PLA Judith ESP 29y**
Was the first European finisher in 1997 World Junior XC race ... 5000 pb: 15:38.48 -03. 4 EJC 5000 99; 11 under-23 ECH 5000 97; 5 WSG 5000 2003. At WXC: 96-29J, 97-15J, 2001-43 short, 2004/2005-54 long, 2006-45 long, 2007-43. At EXC: 97-19J, 2006-23, 2007-20. 1 Spanish Junior XC 96/97
In 2008: 5 Fuensalida XC; 1 Vilafranca 3000; 7 San Sebastian XC; 6 Spanish Clubs XC; 2 Spanish XC
- 65 BURKA Gelete ETH 22y**
2006 World Short Course Cross Country Champion ... her complete name is Gelete Burka Bati (first name, father's name, grandfather's name in that order), and not Burika
5000 pb: 14:31.20 -07. 3000 pb 8:25.92 -06. 1500 pb: 3:59.60 -05. 8 WCH 1500 2005; 1 African Games 1500 2007; 10 WCH 5000 2007. 1 Ethiopian 1500 2004 & 3000/5000 2005. At WXC: 2003-3J, 2005-1J, 2006-1 short, 2007-4. Oldest of three children including younger brother Mohammed who is also a runner ... she was ill at the Osaka World Championships, after which she took three months off; during that time she got married to Taddele Gebremehden (an ex-volleyball player)
In 2008: 1 Edinburgh XC; 1 Ethiopian XC; 1 Birmingham 3000; 2 Stockholm 1500; 3 WIC 1500 (in African indoor record 3:59.75)
- She has been an easy winner of the Edinburgh International Cross Country race in January in 2006-2007-2008
- Arrived here a day late (yesterday) after missing her connection in London after her flight from Ethiopia was delayed
- 67 DIBABA Tirunesh ETH 22y**
She now has two world titles each at 5000m and 10,000m ... 3000 pb: 8:29.55 -06. 5000 pb: 14:30.40 -06. 10,000 pb: 30:15.67 -05. 2 WJC 5000 2002; 1 WCH 5000 2003; 3 OLY 5000 2004; 1 WCH 5000/10,000 2005; 2 African Champs 5000 2006; 1 WCP 3000 2006; 1 WCH 10,000 2007 (60.16 last lap but almost dropped out earlier in the race with injury). At WXC: 2001 -5J, 2002-2J, 2003-1J, 7 short, 2004-2 short, 2005-1 long/1 short, 2006-1 long, dnf short, 2007-2. Cousin of Derartu Tulu ... one of seven children, she has five sisters including 2004 Olympic 10,000m silver medallist Ejegayehu and 2007 World Cross Country team medallist Genzebe... fiancé-Sileshi Sihine
In 2008: 1 Boston 3000 (8:33.37 – her only race since Osaka)
- Since the 2006 World Cross Country Championships, she has been suffering from sharp pains in her stomach on the right side which are thought to stem from a muscular problem with her back
- 69 JELELA Koren ETH 21y**
3000 pb: 9:11.64 -07. 5000 pb: 15:51.81 -07. At WXC: 2007-19. 3 Great Ethiopian Run 10K 2007
In 2008: 2 Ethiopian XC
- 70 MELKAMU Meselech ETH 22y**
(Meselech pronounced "Messel-etch") ... three individual bronze medals at World Cross Country Championships
3000 pb: 8:34.73 -05. 1500 pb: 4:07.52 -07. 5000 pb: 14:33.83 -07. 4 WCH 5000 2005 (2007-6); 6 African Champs 5000 2006; 2 African Games 5000 2007; 2 WIC 3000 2008. At WXC: 2003-4J, 2004-1J, 2005-4 long & 6 short, 2006-3 short & long, 2007-3. 1 Great Ireland Run 2006. Father-Melkamu Haile Yesus was a marathon runner
- Great race with Meseret Defar indoors in Stuttgart 2007 where both broke the old world record at 3000m
- In 2008: 1 Valencia 3000; 1 Paris 3000; 2 WIC 3000
- 72 MERGIA Asselefech ETH 23y**
10K pb: 32:19 -07. 1500 pb: 4:16.26 -07. 5000 pb: 16:14.64 -07. 2 Glasgow 10K 2007; 1 Plymouth Half Mar 2007
In 2008: 4 Ethiopian XC; 7 San Juan 10K
- 74 TUFA Mestawat ETH 24y**
2007 African Games Champion at 10,000m ... 3000 pb: 8:47.41 -06. 5000 pb: 14:51.72 -07. 10,000 pb: 31:00.27 -07. 5 WJC 3000 2000; 2 World Youth 3000 2001; 1 African Games 10,000 2007. At WXC: 2001-10J, 2006-7 long, 2007-47
In 2008: 3 Ethiopian XC; 2 San Juan 10K (behind Lornah Kiplagat but ahead of Elvan Abeyegeesse)
- 76 BARDELLE Christine FRA 33y**
Twentieth at 2006 World Cross Country Championships ... 1500 pb: 4:13.79 -03. 5000 pb: 15:38.85 -07. 6 ECP 5000 2007. 1 French 5000 2006. At WXC: 2003-65 short, 2004-63 short, 2005-60 short, 2006-20 long, 2007-22. At EXC: 2004-59, 2006-36, 2007-27 ... born-Provins ... coach-Gérard Pezerat
In 2008: 9 Le Mans XC; 3 French XC
- 77 BOURGAILH-HADDIOUI Saadia FRA 35y**
Pronounced "Burr-Gay Ha-Di-Wee" ... 5000 pb: 16:53.47 -07. At EXC: 2007 -8. 1 French XC 2007. Born-Morocco, moved to France (Toulouse) in 1999 .. husband is French
In 2008: 8 Edinburgh XC; 5 Le Mans XC; 9 European Clubs XC; 1 French XC
- 81 FULLERTON Faye GBR 23y**
2006 AAA under-23 Champion at 1500m ... multiple winner of London "mini" marathon
1500 pb: 4:12.34 -07. 3000 pb: 9:07.52 -06. ht World Youth 1500 2001; 7 EJC 1500 2003. 1 AAA under-23 1500 2006 At WXC: 2001-48J, 2002-46J, 2003-44J, 2004-66 short. At EXC: 2003-5J, 2004-49, 2006-25u23. 1 English under-20 XC 2004... father was a national schoolboy boxing champion ... she plays the piano and clarinet ... coach-Warren Roe
In 2008: 2 Essex XC; 20 Edinburgh XC; 1 South of England indoor 1500; 2 Cardiff City Challenge sf 800; 5 UK indoor 1500; 5 English XC; 4 UK Inter-County XC
- 84 KENNEY Laura GBR 22y**
2007 European under-23 Champion at 5000m ... 1500 pb: 4:14.45 -07. 3000 pb: 9:01.21 -07. 5000 pb: 15:56.89 -07. 4 EJC 3000 2003; 6 WJC 3000 2004; 1 under-23 ECH 5000 2007. 1 English under-20 XC 2005. At EXC: 2003-29J (team gold), 2006-8u23. 1 English Schools 3000 2003. Plays piano and trombone ... Father-Paul was 2nd in 1974 English under-20 XC behind Steve Overt ... coach-George Gandy
In 2008: 2 Warwickshire XC; 24 Edinburgh XC; 10 English XC; 1 UK Inter-County XC
- She has taken up eligibility to compete for Scotland in the future (she qualifies because her mother was born in Glasgow)
- 92 TOWNEND Rachel GBR 29y**
5000 pb: 16:56.73 -05. Part-time lawyer ... coach-Ken Hardcastle
In 2008: 1 South of England XC; 12 European Clubs XC; 14 European Clubs XC; 5 Elgoibar XC; 3 English XC; 3 UK Inter-County XC
- 93 WILKINSON Joanne GBR 34y**
2002 Inter-Counties Champion at 5000m ... 2002 Southern Champion at 1500m
1500 pb: 4:21.15 -02. 5000 pb: 15:59.54 -02. 10,000 pb: 33:40.57 -02. Half Mar pb: 75:01 -01. 11 AAA 1500 2000. 11 Great North Run 2007 (2001-16, 2006-21). Coaches-Alex & Rosemary Stanton ... son Callum born 2005
In 2008: 1 Essex XC; 23 Edinburgh XC; 2 Watford Half Mar; 4 English XC; 2 UK Inter-County XC
- 94 YELLING Hayley GBR 34y**
2004 European Cross Country Champion ... Half Mar pb: 72:11 -06. 10,000 pb: 31:45.14 -04. 5000 pb: 15:16.44 -05. 6 ECP 5000 2000; ht WCH 5000 2001; 5 COM 10,000 2002 (2006-6); 18 ECH 5000 2002; 37 World Half Mar 2003; 15 ECH 10,000 2006. 1 AAA 5000 2002/2003/2005 & 10,000 2006. At EXC: 96-33, 99-26, 2000-30, 2001-8, 2002-14, 2003-5, 2004-1, 2006-6, 2007 -9. 1 English XC 2003/2005. Maths teacher at Sir William Borlase School, Marlow ... brother-runner Martin Yelling (husband of Liz Talbot-Yelling) .. born-Dorchester, lives-Bourne End ... coach-Conrad Milton
In 2008: 1 Belfast XC; 7 Edinburgh XC; 5 Cinque Mulini XC
- These will be her eighth World Cross Country Championships, her best placing 16th in 2007
- 95 YELLING Liz GBR 33y**
(Née Talbot) ... 2006 Commonwealth marathon bronze ... 3x English XC Champion ... same coaches as Paula Radcliffe
Mar pb: 2:30:44 -07. Half Mar pb: 69:28 -07 (69:35 -08). 10,000 pb: 31:58.39 -02. 5000 pb: 15:38.86 -04. 4 COM 10,000 2002; 20 ECH 10,000 2002; 8 Berlin Marathon 2003 (marathon début); paced London 2004; 25 OLY 2004; 3 COM 2006; dnf Berlin 2006; 6 Amsterdam 2006; 8 London 2007; 4 Chicago 2007. At EXC: 95-10, 97-30, 99-4, 2000-8, 2001-5, 2002-20, 2003/2005-8, 2006-15, 2007-10. 1 English XC 2001/2002/2007/2008. Former teacher of cookery & PE, now works part-time as a writer; her book "The Real Women's Guide To Running" published 2006 ... husband-Martin Yelling (twice British Duathlon Champion) ... born-Welwyn Garden City, lives-Loughborough .. coaches-Alex & Rosemary Stanton
In 2008: 6 Edinburgh XC; 1 Wokingham Half Mar; 1 English XC (fourth time); 1 Reading Half Mar; 1 Silverstone Half Mar
- These will be her 10th World Cross Country Championships, her best placing 13th in 2004

- 96 HAHN Susanne GER 29y**
(Née Ritter) ... 2006 German Cross Country Champion ... 5000 pb: 15:51.7 -05. 3000 pb: 9:17.34 -02. Mar pb: 2:32:34 -06. 8 ECP 3000 2005; 4 Rotterdam 2006; 14 ECH 2006; 6 Paris 2007; 43 WCH 2007. 1 German XC 2006. At WXC: 97-51J, 2000-72 short, 2004-23, 2006-37 long. At EXC: 96 -7J, 98-41, 2000-24, 2002-dnf, 2003-22, 2004-28, 2005-23, 2006-26, 2007 -16. Coach-Frank Hahn
In 2008: 2 German XC; 2 The Hague Half Mar
- 97 KEFALA Konstadina GRE 30y**
3000SC pb: 10:03.73 -06. 8 ECP 3000SC 2004. 1 Greek 3000SC 2004
In 2008: 3 Greek indoor 1500; 5 Balkan XC
- 101 BRITTON Fionnuala IRL 23y**
2007 World Steeplechase finalist ... second in under-23 race at 2006 European Cross Country Championships
3000SC pb: 9:41.36 -07. 5000 pb: 16:16.26 -07. 1500 pb: 4:18.92 -06. 9 under-23 ECH 3000SC 2005; 11 WSG 3000SC 2005; ht ECH 3000SC 2006; 12 WCH 3000SC 2007. At WXC: 2001-98J, 2002-72J, 2003-33J, 2004-75 long, 2005-75 short, 2007-14. At EXC: 2001-74J, 2002-49J, 2003-21J, 2005 -39, 2006-2u23, 2007-7. Coach-Pat Diskan
In 2008: 11 Edinburgh XC; 3 Diekirch XC; 1 Irish XC; 2 Cinque Mulini XC
- 102 BYRNE Deirdre IRL 25y**
At Providence College ... 3000 pb: 9:24.64 -07. 1500 pb: 4:12.79 -07. At WXC: 99-96J. At EXC: 2000-58J, 2004-64, 2007-18. 8 WSG 1500 2007. 1 Scottish junior indoor 1500 99
In 2008: 3 Belfast XC; 5 UK indoor 3000
- 103 BYRNE Linda IRL 21y**
Fourth in 2005 European Junior Steeplechase ... 1500 pb: 4:17.63 -06. 3000SC pb: 10:21.00 -05. 9 European Youth Olympics 1500 2003; ht WJC 3000SC 2004; 4 EJC 3000SC 2005. 2 Irish junior XC 2002/2003/2004. At WXC: 2002-87J, 2004-54J, 2005-68J. At EXC: 2003-26J, 2004-38J, 2005-4J, 2006-35u23, 2007-6u23
In 2008: 5 Belfast XC; 9 Hannut XC; 9 Dour XC; 8 Diekirch XC; 3 Irish XC
- 104 KEALY Annette IRL 40y**
Mar pb: 2:43:04 -03. 7 Dublin 2003. At EXC 97-49, 2002-58
In 2008: 7 Rás na hÉireann XC; 6 Irish XC
- 106 McCORMACK Susan IRL 29y**
- 107 O'MAHONEY Orla IRL 30y**
5000 pb: 16:20.53 -06. At WXC: 2002-58 long. At EXC: 2004-61, 2005-35, 2006-46
In 2008: 11 Armagh 3K; 4 Irish XC
- 110 MARAOUI Fatna ITA 30y**
Ex-Morocco ... Mar pb: 2:37:22 -07. 5000 pb: 15:42.21 -06. Half Mar pb: 73:46 -06. dnf World Half Mar 2007. 4 Venice 2007. At EXC: 2006-36. Born-Bell Belevu ... coach-Andrea Bello
In 2008: 1 Vittorio Veneto XC; 2 Modena 13.1K; 3 Italian Clubs XC; 3 Cinque Mulini XC
- 112 ROMAGNOLO Elena ITA 25y**
Italian record holder at steeplechase ... 3000SC pb: 9:41.11 -07. 1500 pb: 4:17.03 -05. ht ECH 3000SC 2006; ht WCH 3000SC 2007. At WXC: 2007 -27. At EXC: 2006-33, 2007-32. 1 Italian 3000SC 2005/2006/2007. Born-Biella ... coach-Tiziao Bozzo
In 2008: 3 San Giorgio su Legnano XC; 1 Italian Clubs XC; 2 Italian indoor 3000; 4 Cinque Mulini XC
- 116 HORIKOSHI Aimi JPN 20y**
Half Mar pb: 71:20 -08. 5000 pb: 15:56.44 -06. At WXC: 2006-23J, 2007-29
In 2008: 6 Miyazaki Half Mar; 5 Chiba XC; 7 Fukuoka XC
- 118 KOJIMA Kazue JPN 20y**
5000 pb: 15:40.12 -07. 3000 pb: 9:14.49 -05. 5 World Student Games 5000 2007. At WXC: 2005-17J. 4 Japanese High School 3000 2005
In 2008: Ran fourth stage for Japanese team which placed second in Yokohama Ekiden, clocking 20:19 for 6K; 5 Fukuoka XC
- 119 MANOME Aya JPN 25y**
5000 pb: 15:41.39 -07. 10,000 pb: 32:21.79 -07. Half Mar pb: 70:59 -07. 3 Glasgow Half Mar 2007
In 2008: 6 Chiba XC; 3 Fukuoka XC
- 123 NOHARA Yuko JPN 20y**
2003 World Youth bronze at 3000m ... 5000 pb: 15:44.14 -04. 3 World Youth 3000 2003; 7 WJC 5000 2004. 4 Asian junior XC 2004. At WXC: 2004-11J, 2006-16J
In 2008: 4 Fukuoka XC
- 124 SEIKE Megumi JPN 21y**
5000 pb: 15:28.32 -06. 10,000 pb: 31:57.50 -07. Half Mar pb: 70:52 -07. Ran third stage for Japanese team which placed third in 2007 Yokohama Ekiden, clocking 19:21 for 6K
In 2008: 4 Chiba XC; 8 Fukuoka XC; 9 Japanese Corporate Half Mar
- 126 WAKATSUKI Kazuka JPN 24y**
In 2008: 3 Chiba XC; 9 Fukuoka XC
- 127 CHANGEYWO Doris KEN 23y**
Full name-Doris Chepkwemai Changeywo
5000 pb: 15:27.18 -05. 10,000 pb: 32:32.44 -07. 1 East African long course XC 2005; 1 World Military Games 10,000 2007; 5 Kenyan 10,000 2007 & Kenyan World Championship Trial 10,000 2007. Partner-Moses Masai (26:49 10,000m runner)
In 2008: 2 Kenyan Armed Forces XC; 3 Kenyan XC
- 129 CHEPKURUI Lineth KEN 20y**
Won 2006 Philadelphia Half Marathon in 70:09 at age 18 ... Half Mar pb: 70:09 -06. 10K pb: 32:07 -08. Won big road races in 2006 in Boston, Durham NC, Washington, Atlanta & Philadelphia
In 2008: 6 San Juan 10K; 4 Kenyan XC
- 131 CHERONO Priscah KEN 27y**
Full name-Priscah Jepleting Ngetich, she married Charles Cherono in December 2006 and now wishes to be known as Priscah Cherono
2007 World 5000m bronze ... World Cross Country silvers in 1997 (junior) & 2006 (senior short course)
3000 pb: 8:30.70 -07. 5000 pb: 14:35.30 -06. 7 WJC 5000 98 (96-6); 2 African Champs 5000 2004; 3 WCH 5000 2007 (2005-7). At WXC: 97-2J, 98 -11J, 2000-78 short, 2002-18 short, 2003-11 short, 2004-4 short, 2006-2 short, 2007-7
In 2008: 1 Elgoibar XC; 1 Seville XC; 1 Valencia de Alcanara XC

Gained "wildcard" entry for championships as she did not compete in the Kenyan Trials
- 134 MASAI Linet KEN 18y**
Full name-Linet Chepkwemai Masai
2007 World Junior Cross Country Champion in the extreme heat of Mombasa 5000 pb: 14:55.50 -07. At WXC: 2007-1J. Younger sister of 26:49.20 10,000m runner Moses Masai (2nd in 2007 Brussels 10,000). Defeated World 1500m Champion Maryam Jamal over road 5K in Geneva on December 1, 2007
In 2008: 2 Edinburgh XC; 1 Le Mans XC; 1 Hannut XC; 2 Kenyan Police XC; 2 Kenyan XC

She is young enough to defend her world junior cross country title but it is her choice to contest the senior race this time
- 137 MOMANYI Grace KEN 26y**
Full name-Grace Kwamboka Momanyi
2008 Kenyan Cross Country Champion
10K pb: 31:25 -05. Half Mar pb: 72:55 -05. Best known as a road runner, has lived in Japan since 2006 where she represents the Daihatsu Corporation .. missed most of 2007 with a hip injury
In 2008: 1 Kenyan XC (surprise winner)
- 138 MURIUKI Margaret KEN 22y**
Full name-Margaret Wangare Muriuki (Wangare may be spelt Wangari)
1500 pb: 4:13.70 -07. 7 African Games 1500 2007. 3 Kenyan 1500 2007. 3 Kenyan World Championship trial 1500 2007 but she did not have qualifying time for Osaka
In 2008: 1 Kenyan Police XC; 6 Kenyan XC
- 139 FERNAS Iulia KGZ 23y**
- 144 EL KAMCH Zhor MAR 35y**
2004 Rotterdam Marathon winner ... Mar pb: 2:26:10 -04. 1500 pb: 4:08.09 -99. 3000 pb: 8:34.85 -03. 5000 pb: 14:42.53 -03. ht OLY 5000 2000; 14 WCH 5000 2003 (99-ht); 5 WIC 3000 2003; 14 WCH 5000 2003. 1 Rotterdam 2004; 26 Chicago 2004; 8 Boston 2004; dnf WCH 2005. At WXC: 98-13 short (team gold); 99-24 short, 2000-9 short, 2001-29 short, 2003-14 short, 2006-7 short, 2007-11. Husband killed in a car crash July 2004, she withdrew from Olympic Games
In 2008: 3 Huesca XC; 7 Hannut XC; 6 European Clubs XC; 5 San Juan 10K
- 145 FRIKECH Ouafae MAR 28y**
1 Rabat Half Mar 2007; 3 Arab Half Mar 2007
- 146 KANBOUCHIA Souad MAR 25y**
Twice Spanish Champion at 5000m ... 5000 pb: 15:36.56 -07. At WXC: 2003 -46 long, 2004-dnf. 1 Spanish 5000 2006/2007
In 2008: 5 Huesca XC; 1 Moroccan XC
- 147 LAGHRISSI Maria MAR 21y**
2 Arab Games 10,000 2007 ... In 2008: 2 World Military XC
- 148 LEGHZAOUI Asmae MAR 31y**
2000 African Champion at 5000m ... Moroccan record holder at 10,000m
Mar pb: 2:52:51 -07. Half Mar pb: 68:34 -99. 10,000 pb: 31:16.94 -01. 5000 pb: 14:48.31 -00. 3000 pb: 8:33.85 -00 -01. 1 African Champs 5000 2000 (2002-4); 18 OLY 10,000 2000; 7 WCH 10,000 2001 (99-dnf, 2007-16); 1 Mediterranean Games 10,000 2001 (2 5000); 2 Mediterranean Games 5000/10,000 2005; dnf Paris 2006 (marathon debut); dnf African Champs 10,000 2006; 14 Rome 2007. At WXC: 98-78 long, 99-7 short, 2000-27 short, 2001-9 short, 2003-dq long & short. Set world road 10K best of 30:29 in 2002, since bettered by Paula Radcliffe ... doping suspension 2003-2005 .. daughter Mayer born February 19, 2004
In 2008: dnf Moroccan XC
- 149 ZOUGLALI Ikram MAR 20y**
ht World Youth 1500 2005. At WXC: 2005-dnfJ, 2007-32J
- 150 CHIKWAKWA Catherine MAW 22y**
2004 World Junior silver at 5000m ... 5000 pb: 15:36.22 -04. ht OLY 5000 2000; 7 World Youth 3000 2001; ht WCH 5000 2001/2003/2005; 13 COM 5000 2002; 7 African Games 5000 2003; 2 WJC 5-00 2004; ht OLY 5000 2004. At WXC: 2003-51 short & 33 long
In 2008: 1 Malawi XC; 2 South of Africa XC

- 152 KIBET Hilda NED 27y**
Ex-Kenya, became a Dutch citizen on October 13, 2007 and as she never competed for Kenya was cleared to represent the Netherlands from February 16, 2008
5000 pb: 15:32.07 -04. Half Mar pb: 69:43 -07. Mar pb: 2:32:10 -07. 1 Hague Half Mar 2007; 6 Amsterdam Marathon 2007. Paced 2005 New York Marathon along with Liz Yelling. Trained to be a physiotherapist for three years in the Netherlands ... began running seriously in 2002 ... cousin of Lornah Kiplagat
In 2008: 2 Egmond Aan Zee Half Mar; 1 Dutch 10K; 4 Abu Dhabi Half Mar
- 153 KEBANG Maria NGR 22y**
- 156 AUGUSTO Jessica POR 26y**
2007 World Student Games Champion at 5000m ... first European finisher at 2007 World Cross Country Championships
5000 pb: 14:56.39 -07. 3000 pb: 8:41.53 -07. 1500 pb: 4:13.31i -08. 6 EJC 3000 99 (12 1500); 8 WJC 3000 2000; 10 under-23 ECH 1500 2001 (dnf 5000 2003); 1 WSG 5000 2007; 15 WCH 5000 2007 (2005-ht); 8 WIC 3000 2008. At WXC: 2000-32J, 2001-57 short, 2004-61 short, 2005-31 short, 2006-dnf long, 2007-12. At EXC: 98-12J, 99-8J, 2000-1J, 2002-16, 2004-18, 2005-30, 2006-9, 2007-11. 1 Portuguese 5000 2006 & indoor 1500 2008
In 2008: 3 Albufeira XC; 3 Valencia 3000; 2 Birmingham 3000; 1 Portuguese indoor 1500; 1 Portuguese XC; 8 WIC 3000
- 157 CARNEIRO Leonor POR 29y**
5000 pb: 15:38.43 -07. Mar pb: 2:31:41 -07. ht WJC 3000 96. At EXC: 2006 -11, 2007-28. 8 Berlin 2007
In 2008: 3 Amorebieta XC; 10 European Clubs XC; 11 Valencia de Alcanara XC; 3 Portuguese XC; 16 Lisbon Half Mar
- 159 FELIX Ana Dulce POR 25y**
In 2008: 12 Portuguese XC; 3 Portuguese short course XC
- 161 MONTEIRO Inés POR 27y**
Portuguese steeplechase record holder & world finalist ... 3000SC pb: 9:39.20 -05. 5000 pb: 15:13.35 -04. 3000 pb: 9:07.23 -02. 7 WJC 3000 98; 4 EJC 3000 99; 4 under-23 ECH 2001; 16 EIC 3000 2002; 12 ECH 5000 2002; 4 WSG 10,000 2003; 5 Ibero-American 5000 2004; ht OLY 5000 2004; 13 WCH 3000SC 2005; ht ECH 3000SC 2006. At WXC: 99-13J, 2000-29 short, 2002-33 long, 2003-31 long, 2005-26 long, 2006-64 long. At EXC: 98-2J, 99 -1J, 2000-43, 2001-7, 2002-11; 2003-30, 2004-7, 2005-19, 2007-29
In 2008: 2 Fuensalida XC; 8 European Clubs XC; 6 Portuguese XC; 10 Lisbon Half Mar
- 162 MOREIRA Sara POR 22y**
2007 World Steeplechase finalist ... 3000SC pb: 9:42.47 -07. 3 under-23 ECH 3000SC 2007; 4 WSG 3000SC 2007; 13 WCH 3000SC 2007. At EXC: 2003-60J, 2007-13u23
In 2008: 31 European Clubs XC; 6 Valencia 3000; 5 Valencia de Alcanara XC; 1 Portuguese indoor 3000; 4 Portuguese XC; 1 Portuguese short course XC
- 163 ROSA Mónica POR 29y**
1997 European junior cross-country silver ... 5000 pb: 15:21.01 -01. 10,000 pb: 32:22.55 -01. 7 EJC 3000 97; ht WCH 5000 2001; 23 ECH 10,000 2002. 1 Portuguese 10,000 2006. At WXC: 97-45J, 99-43 long, 2000-41 long, 2001 -30 long, 2003-41 long & 23 short, 2004-57 long, 2005-24 long & 37 short, 2007-dnf. At EXC: 97-2J, 2000-6, 2001-21, 2004-6, 2006-17, 2007-14
In 2008: 5 Portuguese XC
- 165 MFUNZI Ntombesintu RSA 26y**
10K pb: 35:35 -06. Mar pb: 2:58:02 -07. 15 Port Elizabeth 2007
In 2008: 7 South of Africa XC
- 166 RASEBOYA Ledile RSA 22y**
At WXC: 2005-78J, 2006-72 short
- 167 RETIEF Marelise RSA 22y**
Half Mar pb: 78:18 -07. At WXC: 2004-dnfJ
In 2008: 11 South of Africa XC
- 178 NYIRANSABIMANA Angeline RWA 23y**
5000 pb: 15:53.23 -07. 10,000 pb: 33:51.27 -07 10 World Youth 3000 2005; 7 African Champs 10,000 2006; ht WCH 5000 2007. At WXC: 2004-25J, 2006 -51 long, 2007-31 ... based-Eldoret
In 2008: 38 Kenyan XC
- 188 GOKIYEVA Mahri TKM 19y**
- 190 BROWN Emily USA 23y**
3000 pb: 9:10.60i -08. 3000SC pb: 9:56.62 -06. 4 NCAA 3000SC 2006 (2007 -10). Studied nutrition at the University of Minnesota. Born-West Allis, Wisconsin ... coach-Dennis Barker
In 2008: 1 Minneapolis 3000; 3 US Champs XC
- 193 HASTINGS Amy USA 24y**
2006 US Collegiate Champion indoors at 5000m, representing Arizona State University
5000 pb: 15:30.17i -07. 10,000 pb: 32:30.37 -07. At WXC: 2003-20J. 1 NCAA indoor 5000 2006. Born-Long Beach ... coaches-Jack Daniels & Louie Quintana
In 2008: 2 Seattle 3000; 8 US Champs XC; 6 US indoor 3000
- 194 HUDDLE Molly USA 23y**
Second in 2006 US Collegiate 5000m, representing the University of Notre Dame
3000 pb: 8:58.51 -07. 5000 pb: 15:17.13 -07. 2 NCAA 5000 2006 (2007-3, 2003-4). 1 US junior 3000 2003. Born-Elmira NY ... coach-Ray Treacy
In 2008: 1 St. Augustine 5K; 5 US Champs XC; 3 US Champs 8K
- 195 MCGREGOR Katie USA 30y**
2005 US Champion at 10,000m ... 5000 pb: 15:23.24 -05. 10,000 pb: 31:21.20 -05. ht WIC 3000 2003; 13 WCH 10,000 2007 (2005-14); 13 WCH 10,000 2007; 27 World Half Mar 2007. 1 US 10,000 & road 10K 2005. 1 NCAA XC 99 (representing the University of Michigan). At WXC: 96-62J, 2003-15 long, 2004-27 long, 2005-29 long. Born-Cleveland ... coach-Dennis Barker
In 2008: 4 Boston 2M; 4 US Champs XC; 4 US indoor 3000; 2 US Champs 15K; 2 US Champs 8K
- 196 METIVIER-BAILLIE Renee USA 26y**
2005 US Collegiate Indoor Champion at 3000m, representing the University of Colorado
5000 pb: 15:15.78 -05. 3000 pb: 9:00.47 -06. 1500 pb: 4:10.85 -06. At WXC: 2005-42 long, 2007-36. 1 NCAA indoor 3000 2005. At WXC: 2006-9 long. married name-Baillie ... born-Munster, Ind ... coach-Mark Wetmore
In 2008: 2 Seattle 5000; 2 US Champs XC
- 197 NEWBERRY Kathy USA 29y**
5000 pb: 15:45.32 -04. 10,000 pb: 32:45.78 -04. At WXC: 2004-25 long, 2005 -38 long, 2007-39. Born-Alamogordo, New Mexico ... coach-Alex Gibby
In 2008: 6 US Half Mar; 7 US Champs XC
- 202 BANDA Elizet ZAM 20y**
2006 World Junior finalist at 800m ... 800 pb: 2:05.57 -06. ht WJC 1500 2004; ht World Youth 1500 2005; 8 WJC 800 2006; ht COM 800 2006; 7 African Games 2007. At WXC: 2007-dnfJ ... based-Eldoret
- 203 TSATSA Tabitha ZIM 35y**
Zimbabwean marathon record holder ... Mar pb: 2:29:20 -08. 4 Soweto 2001; 1 Cape Town 2005; 13 Pyongyang 2005; 2 Cologne 2005; 2 Port Elizabeth 2006; 5 Johannesburg 2006; 4 Seoul 2007/2008; 34 WCH 2007; 1 Taipei 2007 (2006-2). At WXC: 99-90 short & 86 long, 2000-71 short & 65 long, 2007-51
In 2008: 3 Pretoria Half Mar; 2 Pretoria 10K; 3 Southern Africa XC; 4 Seoul Marathon XC; 2 "Two Oceans" Half Mar

Men's Race

14:45

187 Entrants

48 Countries

12,125m – 2x short laps & 4x long laps
(1x 1905m, 1x 1865m, 3x 2110m, 1x 2025m)
9 run, 6 score

Age

- 1** **ABOUD Rabah ALG** **26/27y**
5000 pb: 13:53.74 -07. 3 World Military Games 5000 2007. At WXC: 2005-23 short, 2006-52 short
In 2008: 4 World Military short course XC; 3 Algerian XC
- 3** **AZAI DJ Yahia ALG** **35y**
Mar pb: 2:14:20 -06. 5000 pb: 13:21.27 -95. 3000 pb: 7:41.23 -95. 12 Prague 2004; 1 Mostaganem 2006; 3 Mont St. Michel 2007. ht WCH 5000 91/95; 6 African Games Half Mar 2007. At WXC: 90-11J, 91-16J, 94-25, 97-63, 99-46 long, 2005-44 long. Wife-Nasria Baghdad, also an international distance runner
In 2008: 4 Algerian XC
- 4** **CHETTAH Brahim ALG** **27y**
4 World Student Games Half Mar 2007. At WXC: 2005-75 long
In 2008: 5 Algerian XC
- 5** **DAHMAR Aïssa ALG** **23y**
5000 pb: 14:09.08 -07. ht World Youth 1500 2001. At WXC: 2002-60J, 2003 -29J, 2004-26J
In 2008: 7 Algerian XC
- 6** **DALI Ahmed ALG** **24y**
In 2008: 6 Algerian XC
- 9** **MEFTAH Fathi ALG** **27y**
ht WJC 3000SC 98. At WXC: 98-32J, 99-20J, 2003-21 short
In 2008: 3 World Military short course XC; 2 Algerian XC
- 10** **MEKHOULFI Rabie ALG** **21/22y**
3000SC pb: 8:37.55 -06
In 2008: 6 World Military short course XC; 10 Algerian XC
- 11** **NAÏLI Ahmed ALG** **28y**
15 WSG Half Mar 2001. At WXC: 98-57J, 2001-46 long, 2002-51 long, 2004 -57 short, 2005-45 long, 2006-38 long
In 2008: 7 Arab Military XC
- 17** **YEGHIKYAN Sevak ARM** **22y**
61 European Mountain Running Champs 2006; ht EIC 800 2007; ht WCH 1500 2007. At EXC: 2007-57u23
- 18** **ADAMS Liam AUS** **21y**
5000 pb: 13:52.72 -08. 10,000 pb: 29:35.58 -06
In 2008: 4 Hobart 5000; 7 Victorian State 1500; 10 Melbourne 5000
- 19** **BIRMINGHAM Collis AUS** **23y**
1500 pb: 3:37.88 -08. 3000 pb: 7:46.01 -07. 5000 pb: 13:27.31 -08. 1 Scottish 1500 2007. At WXC: 2003-84J, 2007-67
In 2008: 1 Hobart 5000; 3 Sydney; 4 Melbourne 5000; 3 Australian 3000; 1 Australian World Trial XC
- 20** **DENT Martin AUS** **29y**
Fourth in 2006 Commonwealth Steeplechase after three Kenyans ... 3000SC pb: 8:24.2 -07. Half Mar pb: 62:57 -06. Mar pb: 2:15:12 -04. 5000 pb: 13:51.17 -05. 11 WJC 3000SC 98 (96-ht); 11 Fukuoka 2002; 1 Canberra 2004; 13 Chicago 2004; 4 COM 3000SC 2006; 45 World 20K 2006. 1 Australian 3000SC 2008. At WXC: 96-75J, 97-96J, 99-94 long, 2002-52 short, 2006-42 short & 45 long, 2007-72. Born-Great Britain (Woking), lives-Canberra ... worked for the National Audit Office and lived in Britain in 2003 when he was a member of Belgrave H
In 2008: 1 New South Wales State 3000SC; 1 Sydney 3000SC; 8 Melbourne 5000; 1 Australian 3000SC; 4 Australian World Trial XC
- 23** **LEATHERBY Andrew AUS** **34y**
2002 Commonwealth Games marathon bronze medallist, when he made up a 42 second deficit on Kenya's Eric Wainaina the last 3K
Mar pb: 2:11:42 -05. 10,000 pb: 28:09.85 -05. 18 Sydney 2000; 37 World Half Mar 2000; 15 Chicago 2001; 8 Tokyo 2002; 3 COM 2002 (2006-5); dnf Seoul 2002 (pace); 18 London 2003; 35 WCH 2003; 8 Boston 2004/2005; 12 New York 2004 (2006-19); 8 Berlin 2005; 3 Duluth 2007; dnf Berlin 2007; 11 Milan 2007. 1 Australian 10,000 2006. At WXC: 2004-45 long, 2007-45. Was at Georgia State University ... mother-Desiree was 62nd in 1981 World Cross Country Championships ... wife-Meg is also a runner ... born-Adelaide, lives-Boulder ... coach-Chris Wardlaw
In 2008: 33 Edinburgh XC; 12 Maliaño XC; 14 Haro XC; 11 Cinque Mulini XC; 1 Virginia Beach Half Mar
- 24** **MCNEILL David AUS** **21y**
1500 pb: 3:43.14 -07. 5000 pb: 13:52.51 -07. At WXC: 2007-64
In 2008: 1 Flagstaff 3000; 1 Seattle 3000
- 25** **MOTTRAM Craig AUS** **27y**
2005 World bronze & 2006 Commonwealth silver at 5000m ... 3000 pb: 7:32.19 -06. 1500 pb: 3:33.97 -06. 5000 pb: 12:55.76 -04 (13:11.99 -08), 10,000 pb: 27:50.55 -05. sf WCH 1500 2001; 1 WCP 3000 2002/2006; 8 OLY 5000 2004 (2000-ht); 3 WCH 5000 2005 (2007-13); 2 COM 5000 2006 (2002 -6); 9 COM 1500 2006; 1 WCP 3000 2006; 5 WIC 3000 2008 (2001-8, 2004 -10). At WXC: 99-17J, 2001-8 short, 2002-5 short, 2004-9 short & 13 long, 2005-22 long, 2006-11 short. 1 Australian 5000 2004/2005/2006/2008. Mother-Dorothy Cameron was born in Scotland ... he holds British passport ... coach-Nic Bideau
In 2008: 1 Boston 3000; 2 Millrose Games; 1 Melbourne 5000 (Australian Championships); 1 Australian 3000; 5 WIC 3000
- 26** **SHELLEY Michael AUS** **24y**
1500 pb: 3:39.90 -04. 5000 pb: 13:58.26 -07. ht WJC 1500 2002. At WXC: 2004-103 short. 1 Australian under-23 1500 2005
In 2008: 5 Sydney 1500; 5 Hobart 1500; 9 Sydney 1500; 7 Melbourne 1500; 6 Australian 1500; 3 Australian World Trial XC
- 27** **ST. LAWRENCE Ben AUS** **26y**
Ran third stage for Australian team which placed seventh in 2007 Chiba Ekiden, clocking 29:45 for 10K
In 2008: 5 Australian World Trial XC
- 30** **GAFAROV Fikret AZE** **26y**
At WXC: 2004-134 short
- 33** **NDAYISENGA Jean-Berchmans BDI** **26y**
Placed 22nd in 2002 World Cross Country Championships ... has been living in Britain (Birmingham) since 2006
Half Mar pb: 63:27 -02. 6 WJC 10,000 98. 26 World Half Mar 2002. At WXC: 2002-22 long, 2003-dnf long, 2004-135 short, 2005-48 long. Ran fastest stage at English 12-Stage Road Relay Championships in 2007. 1 Gateshead XC November 2007. Lives-in Highgate area of Birmingham ... father of three, his wife is a British citizen ... coach-Dave Lawrence
In 2008: 10 Edinburgh XC; 2 Alsager 5M
- 38** **TETERYUKOV Igor BLR** **29y**
5000 pb: 14:17.51 -06. 68 World Road 20K 2006. At WXC: 97-77J, 2003-82 short
In 2008: 4 Belarus indoor 3000
- 39** **DAMBE Unaswi BOT** **25y**
In 2008: 21 South of Africa XC
- 40** **DIPHOKO Rapula BOT** **18y**
In 2008: 12 South of Africa junior XC
- 41** **KENATSHELE Shepherd BOT** **19y**
- 42** **MOSALAGAE Kaelo BOT** **27y**
Half Mar pb: 65:58 -05. 1 Southern African Half Mar 2003. 39 World Half Mar 2005 (2002-111, 2004-55, 2007-71). At WXC: 2000-116 short, 2004-53 long, 2005-25 long, 2006-87 long
In 2008: 5 South of Africa XC
- 44** **RAMAGAPU Ditiro BOT** **18y**
In 2008: 11 South of Africa junior XC
- 45** **SELAGABOY Boiphemelo BOT** **29y**
Ay WXC: 2004-48 long, 2005-91 long, 2006-96 long, 2007-94
In 2008: 19 South of Africa XC
- 48** **de SOUZA Cosme Anselmo BRA** **28y**
Mar pb: 2:14:44 -07. 10 Milan Marathon 2007. Twin brother is international distance runner Damião Anselmo de Souza
In 2008: 4 South American XC; 10 San Pablo Half Mar
- 49** **de SOUZA Damião Anselmo BRA** **28y**
Twin brother is international distance runner Cosme Anselmo de Souza
In 2008: 2 Rio de Janeiro 10K; 2 Brazilian XC; 1 Taubate 10K; dnf South American XC; 4 Aracaju 25K
- 50** **dos SANTOS Marilson Gomes BRA** **30y**
Upset winner of 2006 New York Marathon ... South American record holder at 5000m
Mar pb: 2:08:37 -07. 5000 pb: 13:19.43 -06. 10,000 pb: 27:28.12 -07. ht WJC 5000 96; 1 WSG Half Mar 97/99; 2 Pan-Am Games 10,000 2003/2007 (3 5000 2003/2007); 1 South American 5000 2003; 6 Paris 2004; 6 Chicago 2004; 10 WCH 2005; 1 New York 2006 (2007-8); 8 London 2007. 1 Ibero-American 5000 2006; 1 Brazilian 10,000 2003/2004/2007 (1 5000 2003/2007). At WXC: 95-88J, 96-22J, 99-84 long ... his wife Juliana Paula de Azevedo was the 2002 World junior bronze medallist at 800m... degree in PE and Exercise ... born-Brasilia, lives-São Paulo ... coach-Aduato Domingues
In 2008: 1 San Pablo 10K; 1 Brazilian XC; 1 South American XC
- He hasn't run in the World Cross Country Championships since 1999
- 51** **ELOY José BRA** **34y**
Half Mar pb: 65:50 -05. Mar pb: 2:21:28 -04. 4 São Paulo 2004; 13 Turin 2005; 43 World Half Mar 2005. At WXC: dnf long
In 2008: 5 South American XC
- 52** **FERREIRA José BRA** **33y**
Mar pb: 2:16:17 -05. 1 Curitiba 2004 (2007-4); 3 Miami 2005/2006; 1 Porto Alegre 2005; 15 Venice 2005; 2 Rio 2006; 4 São Paulo 2007
In 2008: 11 South American XC
- 54** **OLIVEIRA Roberto BRA** **30y**
At WXC: 2007-83 ... In 2008: 3 Cornelio Procopio 10K
- 56** **DAWOOD Khamis Sultan BRN** **18y**
TRANSFEREE: Formerly Dominic Kiprono Koech KEN ... 4 Arab junior 5000 2006

<p>57 ZAKARIA Abdulhak BRN 33y TRANSFEREE – Formerly: Abdelhak El Gorch MAR Won two team medals for Morocco at the World Cross Country Championships 3000 pb: 7:45.89 -04. 5000 pb: 13:18.19 -03. 10,000 pb: 28:07.9 -99. Mar pb: 2:11:49 -06. 2 Asian Champs 5000 2002; 6 WCP 5000 2002; 2 Asian Games 5000 2002 (3 10,000); ht WCH 5000 2003; 2 Asian Champs 10,000 2003 (3 5000); ht OLY 5000 2004; 5 Turin 2006; 8 Rome 2006; 5 Turin 2006. dnf Asian Games marathon 2006; dnf WCH 2007. At WXC (for Morocco): 99-73 short (team silver), 2000-108 short (team bronze), 2003-48 short, 2005-49 short, 2007-dnf</p>	<p>82 HUANG Jinhong CHN 21y 5000 pb: 14:04.44 -07. 10,000 pb: 29:07.95 -06. 15 WJC 10,000 2006. 1 Chinese junior 10,000 2006 In 2008: 3 Chinese XC (3 short course)</p>
<p>58 KHAMIS Adam Ismail BRN 19y TRANSFEREE, he apparently was Hosea Kipkemboi Kosgei KEN Further versions of his new Bahraini name: Khamis Adam, Adam Ismael Isa, Aadam Ismaeel Khamis, Aadam Ismael Isa Khamis 5000 pb: 13:19.27 -07. 10,000 pb: 28:02.08 -06. At WXC: 2005-23J, 2006 -17J; dnf World Youth 2000SC 2005; 3 Asian indoor 300 02006; ht WIC 3000 2006; 3 WJC 10,000 2006 (5 5000); 3 Asian Games 10,000 2006; ht WCH 5000 2007; 3 World Military Games 10,000 2007</p>	<p>83 YANG Dinghong CHN 20y 5000 pb: 14:10.72 -07. At WXC: 2007-51. 1 Chinese XC 2007 In 2008: 9 Chinese XC (6 short course)</p>
<p>59 MADJED Saleh Besheer BRN 20y TRANSFEREE: Formerly Ronald Kipchumba KEN ... 3000SC pb: 8:16.69 -05. 1 World Youth 2000SC 2003; 1 WJC 3000SC 2004; 3 Pan-Arab junior 10,000 2006. At WXC: 2004-7J</p>	<p>87 FAURSCHOU Jesper DEN 24y 10,000 pb: 29:50.19 -07. 12 under-23 ECH 10,000 2005. At EXC: 2002-47J. 1 Danish 5000/10,000 2007</p>
<p>60 MAHBOOB Ali Hasan BRN 26y TRANSFEREE – Formerly: Silas Kirui KEN 2006 Asian Games Champion at 10,000m 10,000 pb: 27:58.88 -06. Half Mar pb: 61:07 -05. Paced 2005 London Marathon; 1 Asian Games 10,000 2006; 3 Asian Champs 10,000 2007 (4 5000); 1 Arab 10,000 2007 (3 5000). Declared for 2007 World 10,000 but did not start In 2008: 1 Dour XC; 3 Diekirch XC</p>	<p>88 HASSEIN Ahmed EGY 26y At WXC: 99-101J, 2000-107J</p>
<p>61 RIYADH Al-Mustafa BRN 32y TRANSFEREE – Formerly: MAR ... Mar pb: 2:12:20 -01. Half Mar pb: 63:52 -01. 1 Enschede 2001 (2005-9); 31 WCH 2003 (2005-dnf); dnf OLY 2004; 2 Luxemburg 2007. At WXC: 2003-dnf long, 2005-100 short. His name may also appear as El Mustapha or Almustafa / Mostapha / Riad / Rijad / Ryad / Ryaïd ! Won Tilburg XC in November 2007</p>	<p>91 WOLDESELISSIE Amanuel ERI 29y 92 KIFLE Yonas ERI 30y Ran 2:07:34 on his marathon début in 2007, an Eritean record ... third in 2005 World Half Marathon, fifth in 2007 ... has made steady improvement since he was lapped in the 1999 World Indoor 3000m Mar pb: 2:07:34 -07. Half Mar pb: 61:05 -02. 10,000 pb: 27:35.72 -05. 5000 pb: 13:17.72 -02. 13 WIC 3000 99; ht WCH 5000 99/2001; 6 African Champs 5000 2002; 16 OLY 10,000 2004 (2000-ht); 11 WCH 10,000 2005; 3 World Half Mar 2005 (2002-4, 2004-11, 2007-5); 10 World 20K 2006; 3 African Games Half Mar 2007. 5 Amsterdam 2007 (Marathon début). At WXC: 2000 -61 long, 2001-42 long, 2002-8 long, 2004-9 long, 2005-15 long, 2006-7 long, 2007-dnf In 2008: 1 Jaén 10K; 9 Seville XC; 1 Haro XC</p>
<p>63 YASEEN Khalid Kamal BRN 25y Ran 2:15:37 in his first marathon and 2:15:36 in his second then 2:15:24 in his third Mar pb: 2:15:24 -08. 10,000 pb: 28:10.89 -06. 12 Frankfurt 2005; 2 Asian Games 2006; 29 WCH 2007; 3 Los Angeles 2008 In 2008: 3 Los Angeles Marathon</p>	<p>93 MEDHIN Teklemariam ERI 18y 5000 pb: 14:13.9 -06. 12 WJC 5000 2006. At WXC: 2006-13J, 2007-14J</p>
<p>64 MITSOV Dimcho BUL 20y 10,000 pb: 30:54.19 -07. 8 EJC 10,000 2007. 1 Bulgarian 10,000 2007. At EXC: 2007-32J In 2008: 2 Bulgarian indoor 3000; 4 Balkan under-23 XC</p>	<p>94 MENGHISTEAB Tewoldebrhan ERI 21/22y Half Mar pb: 62:36 -07. 36 World Half Mar 2007</p>
<p>66 BOURGEOIS Joël CAN 36y 7x Canadian Steeplechase Champion ... 1999 Pan-American Games Steeplechase Champion 3000SC pb: 8:20.08 -99. 2 WSG 3000SC 95 (91/93-5, 97-14, 99-3); sf OLY 3000SC 96 (2000-ht); 4 COM 3000SC 98 (94-6, 2002-5); 1 Pan-Am Games 3000SC 99 (2003-2); 14 WCH 3000SC 2001 (99-ht); 8 WCP 3000SC 2002. 18 Ottawa Marathon 2007. 1 Canadian 3000SC 96/97/98/99/2000/2001/2002. At WXC: 90-32J, 92-89, 97-147, 98-41 short, 2000-72 short, 2001-44 short, 2002/2003-46 short, 2004-41 short & 67 long. Studied musical interpretation and classical guitar at the University of Moncton ... lives-Grande-Digue, NB ... coach-Sylvan Lavallée In 2008: 9 North & Central American and Caribbean XC</p>	<p>97 SIUM Kiflom ERI 20/21y 2 World Junior Mountain Running Trophy 2006. At WXC: 2007-29</p>
<p>67 CALDWELL Trevor CAN 28y 5000 pb: 14:20.26 -07. 7 Canadian XC 2007 In 2008: 10 North & Central America and Caribbean XC</p>	<p>98 TADESE Kidane ERI 20y Younger brother of Zersenay Tadese ... 5000 pb: 13:29.56 -07. At WXC: 2007-86 In 2008: 2 Jaén 10K; 3 Huesca XC</p>
<p>69 FEWER Colin CAN 30y 14 Canadian XC 2007</p>	<p>99 TADESE Zersenay ERI 26y DEFENDING IAAF WORLD CROSS COUNTRY CHAMPION Also twice World Road Running Champion 5000 pb: 12:59.27 -06. 10,000 pb: 26:37.25 -06. Half Mar pb: 58:59 -07. 6 African Champs 10,000 2002; 8 WCH 5000 2003 (2005-14); 3 OLY 10,000 2004 (7 5000); 1 Great North Run 2005; 1 World 20K 2006; 4 WCH 10,000 2007 (2005-6); 1 World Half Mar 2007 (2003-7, 2002-21). At WXC: 2002-30 long, 2003-9 long, 2004-6 long, 2005-2 long, 2006-4 long, 2007-1. Two sisters & 4 brothers including younger brothers Kidane and Merhawi who are both international runners ... divides his time between Madrid & Eritrea ... his first sport was cycling, he only started running seriously at the start of 2002 .. coach-Jeronimo Bravo In 2008: 2 Edinburgh XC; 2 Seville XC; 1 Cinque Mulini XC His brothers Kidane and Merhawi were both entered for Edinburgh, but 15 year-old Merhawi could not get a visa in time Tadese pronounced with three syllables: "Ta-de-see"</p>
<p>70 GOSSELIN James CAN 30y 10 Canadian XC 2007 ... In 2008: 10 Naples FL Half Mar</p>	<p>102 TSEGAY Samuel ERI 20y 10,000 pb: 28:21.68 -07. 4 WJC 10,000 2006; 8 African Games 10,000 2007. At WXC: 2005-17J, 2006-8J</p>
<p>72 HUTCHINSON Alex CAN 32y At WXC: 2001-103 long, 2002-106 long. 16 Canadian XC 2007</p>	<p>105 BLANCO José Luis ESP 32y 2006 European silver ... 3000SC pb: 8:12.86 -06. 1 Ibero-American 3000SC 2000; 2 Mediterranean Games 3000SC 2001; 8 WCH 3000SC 2003 (2005 -14, 2007-dq final for running inside track); 2 ECH 2006. At WXC: 2001-35 short, 2002-27 short, 2003-69 short, 2004-59 short, 2005-42 short, 2006-34 short, 2007-120 In 2008: 8 Fuensalida XC; 7 Jaén 10K; 15 Seville XC; 8 Haro XC; 6 Spanish XC</p>
<p>76 MORRISON Spencer CAN 24y 11 Canadian XC 2007</p>	<p>106 CASTILLEJO Carles ESP 29y 5000 pb: 13:19.47 -04. 3000 pb: 7:43.24 -03. 10,000 pb: 28:06.88 -05. 2 ECP 3000 2003; 4 WSG 5000 2003; ht OLY 5000 2004. 1 Spanish 5000 2004. At WXC: 2003-57 long, 2004-57 long, 2005-26 long, 2006-29 long. At EXC: 2006-10, 2007-14 In 2008: 2 European Clubs XC; 6 Spanish Clubs XC; 3 Spanish XC</p>
<p>77 NAKLUSKI Derek CAN 25y 5000 pb: 14:28.12 -06. 12 North & Central American and Caribbean XC 2007. 6 Canadian XC 2007 In 2008: 7 North & Central America and Caribbean XC</p>	<p>108 de la OSSA Juan Carlos ESP 31y Three times European XC silver & 2006 European 10,000m bronze ... 3000 pb: 7:42.16 -05. 5000 pb: 13:09.84 -06. 10,000 pb: 27:27.80 -05. 9 WCH 5000 2003; 1 ECP 5000 2005; 10 WCH 10,000 2005; 3 ECH 10,000 2006. At WXC: 2005-24 long, 2006-17 long. At EXC: 2002-6, 2003/2004/2006-2, 2005 -9. 1 Spanish 10,000 2006; dnf London Marathon 2007. Coach-Antonio Serrano (3 EXC 94) In 2008: 6 Elgoibar XC; 11 Seville XC; 2 Valencia de Alcanara XC; 1 Spanish Clubs XC; 1 Spanish XC (fifth time)</p>
<p>78 THORSON Cleve CAN 27y 12 Canadian XC 2007 ... In 2008: 7 Toronto 1500; 8 Boston 3000</p>	<p>110 ESTÉVEZ Reyes ESP 31y 1500m finalist at five successive World Championships ... in Munich 2002 lost his European title to Mehdi Baala by a margin of two thousandths 1500 pb: 3:30.57 -99. Mile pb: 3:51.82 -02. 3000 pb: 7:44.87 -99. 1 EJC 93/95; 4 WJC 1500 94; 1 under-23 ECH 1500 97; 3 WCH 1500 97/99 (2001 -5, 2003-6, 2005-11); 2 ECP 1500 98; 1 ECH 1500 98 (2002-2); 2 WIC 1500 2001; 2 WCP 1500 2002; 7 OLY 1500 2004 (96-sf); 3 EIC 1500/3000 2005. 1 Spanish 1500 97/98/2004 ... coach-Enrique Pascual ... 1.86 tall In 2008: 2 Zaragoza 1500; 12 Valencia 3000; 6 Birmingham 1500; 11 Spanish XC</p>
<p>79 WYKES Dylan CAN 24y 5000 pb: 14:00.14 -04. At WXC: 2002-78J. 3 North & Central American and Caribbean XC 2008 In 2008: 9 US Half Mar; 3 North & Central American and Caribbean XC</p>	<p>81 DONG Guojian CHN 21y 5000 pb: 14:05.63 -07. Ran first stage for Chinese team which placed 10th in 2007 Chiba Ekiden, clocking 14:09 for 5K; 1 Chinese 5000 2007; 1 Chinese 2008 (1 short course 2007). At WXC: 2007-62 In 2008: 1 Chinese XC (2 short course)</p>

- 111 GALÁN Iván ESP** 28y
Training partner of Zersenay Tadese ... Half Mar pb: 64:37 -06. 10,000 pb: 28:40.09 -03. 5000 pb: 13:47.40 -02. 4 WSG 10,000 2003; 39 World 20K 2006. At WXC: 98-42J. At EXC: 2004-21, 2005-43
In 2008: 11 Edinburgh XC; 16 Seville XC; 9 Spanish XC
- 112 GONZÁLEZ Jonay ESP** 25y
5000 pb: 13:58.69 -07 ... In 2008: 12 Haro XC; 10 Spanish XC
- 114 JIMÉNEZ Antonio David ESP** 31y
Former European Champion at Steeplechase ... 3000SC pb: 8:11.52 -01. 3 under-23 ECH 3000SC 99; 6 WCH 3000 SC 2001/2005 (2007-ht); 2 EIC 3000 2002 (2005-ht); 1 ECH 3000SC 2002 (2006-5); 4 WIC 3000 2004 (2001-12); 14 OLY 3000SC 2004; 1 ECP 3000SC 2005/2006 (2001-2, 2003-4). 1 Spanish 3000SC 2001/2002/2004/2005/2007. At WXC: 2001-31 short, 2002-7 short, 2004-49 short, 2007-dnf. At EXC: 2000-17, 2006-53. 1 Spanish indoor 3000 2001/2002/2004 ... coach-Joaquín Muñoz
In 2008: 8 Jaén 10K; 3 Zaragoza 3000; 14 Valencia 3000; 2 Spanish indoor 3000; 5 Spanish XC
- 115 LAMDASSEM Ayad ESP** 26y
10,000 pb: 27:56.60 -07. 1 Spanish 10,000 & XC 2007
In 2008: 6 Amorebieta XC; 6 Maliaño XC; 1 European Clubs XC; 2 Spanish Clubs XC; 2 Spanish XC
- 116 MARTÍNEZ José Manuel ESP** 36y
(He's also known as Chema Martínez) ... 2002 European Champion at 10,000m, silver in 2006
Mar pb: 2:08:09 -03. 10,000 pb: 27:30.56 -03. 5000 pb: 13:13.57 -02. 31 World Half Mar 96; 19 WCH 10,000 99; 1 ECH 10,000 2002 (2006-2); 9 OLY 10,000 2004; 1 Spanish 10,000 2004. At WXC: 97-42, 2000-21 long, 2001-37 short, 2002-35 long, 2003-17 long, 2004-42 long. At EXC: 96-35, 99-22, 2000-9, 2001-24, 2002-15, 2004-32, 2006-15, 2007-5
Marathons: 3 Rotterdam 2002/2003 (2005-9); dnf ECH 2006; 2 Rome 2007; 10 WCH 2007 (2003-16, 2005-30)
In 2008: 8 Elgoibar XC; 10 Seville XC; 5 Granollers Half Mar; 4 Spanish XC
- 124 BEKELE Kenenisa ETH** 25y
World record holder at 5000m & 10,000m ... five successive pairs of World Cross Country titles but a non-finisher in 2007
10,000 pb: 26:17.53 -05. 3000 pb: 7:25.79 -07. 5000 pb: 12:37.35 -04; 1500 pb: 3:32.35 -07. 2 World Youth 3000 1999; 2 WJC 5000 2000; 1 WCH 10,000 2003/2005/2007 (3 5000 2003); 1 OLY 10,000 2004 (2 5000); 1 WIC 3000 2006; 1 African Champs 5000 2006; 2 WCP 3000 2006. At WXC: 99-9J, 2001-2 short, 1J, 2002/2003/2004/2005/2006-1 short/1 long, 2007-dnf. Married actress and model Danawit Gebregziabher in Addis Ababa in November 17, 2007
In 2008: 1 Edinburgh XC; 1 Valencia 3000; 1 Birmingham 2M (World best 8:04.35)
- At 25 he is now the oldest member of the entire Ethiopian squad in Edinburgh. He arrived in Edinburgh a day late (yesterday) because his flight from Ethiopia to London via Rome was delayed by two hours and his missed his connecting flight here by 15 minutes
- 125 DEBELE Dereje ETH** 21y
Full name-Dereje Debele Tulu, but no relation to Derartu Tulu
6 Great Ethiopian Run 10K 2007; 1 Addis Ababa Municipal XC in December 2007
In 2008: 7 Ethiopian XC
- 126 DINKESA Abebe ETH** 24y
Full name-Abebe Dinkesa Negera
Improved at 10,000m by 53 seconds in 2005 but did not advance in 2006 or 2007
Half Mar pb: 61:53 -05. 5000 pb: 12:55.58 -05. 10,000 pb: 26:30.74 -05. 2 African Champs 10,000 2004 (2006-3); 7 WCH 10,000 2005; 5 World Half Mar 2005 (2004-10). 1 Great Ethiopian Run 2004. At WXC: 2002-9J, 2005-4 long. 2006-39 short & 71 long, 2007-dnf. When he finished ninth in the junior races at the 2002 World Cross Country Championships, he wore spikes for the first time but removed them in mid-race "because they were very uncomfortable."
In 2008: 4 San Giorgio su Legnano 10K XC; 7 Edinburgh XC; 1 Ethiopian XC
- 127 FIKADU Habtamu ETH** 20y
Full name-Habtamu Fikadu Awash
10,000 pb: 27:06.47 -07. 7 African Games 10,000 2007. At WXC: 2006-6J, 2007-28J
In 2008: 4 Ethiopian XC
- 128 GEBREMARIAM Gebre-egziabher ETH** 23y
Second in both races at the 2004 World Cross Country Championships
5000 pb: 12:52.80 -05. 10,000 pb: 26:52.33 -07. 1 WJC 10,000 2002 (3 5000); 6 WCH 5000 2003; 2 African Games 10,000 2003 (2007-3); 2 Afro-Asian Games 10,000 2003; 4 OLY 5000 2004; 6 WCH 10,000 2007 (2005-15). 1 Great Ethiopian Run 2002. At WXC: 2002-1J, 2003-3 long, 2004-2 long & 2 short, 2005-dnf long & 9 short, 2006-30 short & 13 long. Habit of losing shoes in big cross country races ... Married international runner Worknesh Kidane in Addis Ababa on February 4, 2006, their son Natnael born May 2, 2006 and a second son Mussie born August 2, 2007
In 2008: 5 Fuensalida XC; 3 Ethiopian XC
- He has 12 medals from the World Cross Country Championships, his wife Worknesh Kidane has 20 so they are the most bemedalled couple in World Championship history with more in total than countries such as France, Spain and Portugal
- 134 SIHINE Sileshi ETH** 24y
"The Silver Man" ... silvers at 2004 Olympic 10,000m, 2005 World 5000 & 10,000m, 2006 World XC & 2007 World 10,000m
10,000 pb: 26:39.69 -04. 3000 pb: 7:29.92 -05. 2 WJC 10,000 2002; 1 African Games 10,000 2003; 2 OLY 10,000 2004; 2 WCH 5000/10,000 2005 (2003-3); 4 World Half Mar 2005; 2 WCH 10,000 2007. At WXC: 2002-6J, 2003-7 long, 2004-3 long, 2006-12 short & 2 long, 2007-16. Holds Ethiopian all-comers records at 5000 & 10,000 ... Sihine means "victory" in Amharic ... fiancé-Tirunesh Dibaba
In 2008: dnf Stuttgart 3000
- 135 TSEGA Demesew ETH** 20y
Full name-Demesew Tsega Abebe
5000 pb: 13:40.05 -07. 20 World 20K 2006. At WXC: 2006-16J, 2007-12J
In 2008: 2 Ethiopian XC; 7 San Juan 10K
- 136 TSIGE Solomon ETH** 23y
Full name-Solomon Tsige Asfaw
Half Mar pb: 61:37 -05. 5000 pb: 13:30.46 -06. 3000 pb: 7:48.60 -07. 5 World Half Mar 2004 (2003-33); ht WJC 1500 2004; 71 World Road 20K 2006. At WXC: 2007-dnf
In 2008: 6 Ethiopian XC
- 137 YEGEZU Zenbaba ETH** 24y
5000 pb: 13:24.98 -05. At WXC: 2006-48 short. 2 Great Ethiopian Run 10K 2004 (2007-7)
In 2008: 5 Ethiopian XC
- 144 PELISSIER Cédric FRA** 27y
5000 pb: 14:16.70 -07 ... In 2008: 3 French XC
- 145 BEATTIE John GBR** 22y
5000 pb: 14:16.43 -07. 10,000 pb: 30:09.79 -07. 6 English under-23 5000 2007. 1 Hampshire 5000 2007. Student of Business Administration at the University of Tulsa ... coach-Nick Anderson
In 2008: 2 Hampshire XC; 7 Fayetteville 3000; 8 UK Inter-County XC
- 153 HUMPHRIES Tom GBR** 23y
2008 English National Cross Country Champion ... 1500 pb: 3:44.14 -06. 5000 pb: 13:56.87 -05. 9 EJC 5000 2003; 16 under-23 ECH 5000 2005. At WXC: 2003-48J, 2006-116 long. At EXC: 2002-45J, 2003-20J, 2005-68, 2006-25u23, 2007-16. 1 English under-17 XC 2002 & senior 2008 ... student of Graphic Design and Advertising at the University of Staffordshire, also works part-time at a supermarket five times week ... coach-Keith Holt
In 2008: 9 Elgoibar XC; 2 Dour XC; 1 English XC; 1 UK Inter-County XC
- 154 JONES Andi GBR** 29y
Mountain running international ... Britain's #3 marathoner in 2007
Mar pb: 2:17:49 -07. 10,000 pb: 29:39.59 -03. 4 World Mountain Running Trophy 2003; 6 Kosice 2005; 7 European Mountain Running Champs 2006 (2007-11); 10 London 2007 (2005-23, 2006-25); 40 London 2007. 1 Northern XC 2006. Teacher of Design & Technology at Parris Wood Technology College, East Didsbury, Manchester ... coach-Bob Merrell
In 2008: 13 Edinburgh XC; 4 North of England XC; 4 English XC; 7 UK Inter-County XC
- 156 LEMONCELLO Andrew GBR** 25y
British Steeplechase Champion in 2005 & 2007 ... 3000SC pb: 8:23.74 -07. 5000 pb: 13:45.69 -06. 10,000 pb: 28:28.04 -07. ht WCH 3000SC 2005/2007. At EXC: 2001-33J. 1 AAA 3000C 2005 & UK 3000C 2007. 1 Scottish 3000SC 2000/2002 (1 5000 2005/2007); 2 NCAA 2007 ... born-Tokyo (his parents were both English teachers there) ... mother Phyllis was Scottish over-50 XC champion ... father-Stephen is American, Andrew has dual citizenship with US ... was at Florida State University studying Sports Management 2004-2007, now based in Flagstaff, Arizona ... coaches-Ron Morrison GBR & Greg McMillan USA
In 2008: 2 Austin Half Mar (63:13); 4 UK Inter-County XC
- His Scottish coach (Ron Morrison) is also the course referee here in Edinburgh
- 159 SKINNER Mike GBR** 28y
Second in 2007 UK 5000m ... 1500 pb: 3:42.35 -04. 800 pb: 1:49.9 -04. 5000 pb: 13:51.61 -06. At WXC: 2005-64 short. At EXC: 2005-35, 2006-28, 2007-17. 2 AAA indoor 1500 2001 & 3000 2004; 2 UK 5000 2007. 1 Southern 1500 2002/2004. Chelsea football club season ticket holder ... works as a Competition Manager for Richmond & Kingston School Sport Partnership ... coach-Conrad Milton
In 2008: 4 Belfast XC; 4 Edinburgh 4.4K XC; 12 San Sebastian 10K XC; 5 English XC; 9 Cinque Mulini XC; 3 UK Inter-County XC
- 160 TICKNER Frank GBR** 24y
Britain's #3 steeplechaser in 2007 ... 3000SC pb: 8:30.41 -07. 5000 pb: 14:07.04 -05. 1500 pb: 3:45.25 -07. 7 ECP 5000 2007. At WXC: 2006-83 long. At EXC: 2005-37, 2006-32, 2007-37. 1 English Schools XC 2000; 2 AAA under-23 3000SC 2005. Graduate of French from Birmingham University ... older Ben is an international cross country runner ... coach-Clive Thomas
In 2008: 9 Edinburgh XC; 1 South of England XC; 17 UK Inter-County XC
- 161 VERNON Andy GBR** 22y
2005 European Junior Cross Country silver & 2007 under-23 bronze ... 5000 pb: 13:59.24 -07. 3000SC pb: 9:05.20 -04. 4 EJC 5000 2005; 9 under-23 ECH 5000 2007. 1 AAA junior 5000 2005; 1 English under-23 5000 2006. At WXC: 2004-65J, 2005-48J. At EXC: 2005-2J, 2006-14u23, 2007-3u23. Mother was an international rower ... coach-Nick Anderson
In 2008: 2 Edinburgh 4.4K XC; 2 South of England XC; 1 British Universities XC (Representing St Mary's University Twickenham); 10 English XC; 5 UK Inter-County XC

- 162 WALSH James GBR** 26y
Twice UK Midland XC Champion ... Half Mar pb: 65:36 -05. 66 World Mountain Running Trophy 2007. 1 UK Midland XC 2005/2006/2007; 15 Great North Run 2005 (2003-19) ... coach-Phil Townsend
In 2008: 1 Midland XC; 17 European Clubs 10K XC; 6 English XC; 6 UK Inter-County XC
- 164 WICKS Phil GBR** 24y
5000 pb: 13:56.50 -07. At WXC: 2007-82. 1 South of England XC 2007. Coach-Tom Osment
In 2008: 1 Surrey XC; 9 South of England XC; 1 Alsager 5M; 2 English XC; 2 UK Inter-County XC
- 165 SYMONDS Chris GHA** 34y
Placed 26th in 2006 Commonwealth Games Triathlon ... 5000 pb: 15:52.45 -07. Lives-Edmonton (North London). Father-British, mother-Ghanaian
- 170 FORDE Cleveland GUY** 22y
5000 pb: 14:07.08 -06. ht World Youth 3000 2001; 1 Carifta Junior 5000 2002; 15 COM 5000 2006; 1 South American under-23 5000 2006. At WXC: 2007-97
- 171 CLOHISSEY Mick IRL** 22y
5000 pb: 14:37.21 -07. At EXC: 2005-68J, 2006-46u23, 2007-53u23
In 2008: 4 Irish XC
- 172 CRAGG Alistair IRL** 27y
Former European Indoor Champion at 3000m ... Irish record holder at 10,000m
10,000 pb: 27:39.55 -07. 5000 pb: 13:07.10 -07. 3000 pb: 7:32.49 -07. 1500 pb: 3:39.24 -03. 12 OLY 5000 2004; 1 EIC 3000 2005 (2007-6); 4 WIC 3000 2006; dnf ECH 5000 2006 (he dramatically pulled with an achilles tendon injury after having taken the lead); ht WCH 5000 2007. At WXC: 98-123J, 99-56J, 2004-16 short. 1 NCAA indoor 5000 2002/2003/2004 (1 3000 2003/2004); 1 NCAA 5000 2003 & 10,000 2004. 1 Irish 1500 2004. Studied Marketing at Arkansas University ... coach-John McDonnell ... formerly represented South Africa; born-Johannesburg, he holds an Irish passport since both grandparents on his mother's side were Irish-born ... defeated Kenenisa Bekele indoors in 2005
In 2008: 1 Fayetteville 5000; 2 Irish XC
- 176 LEDWITH Andrew IRL** 22y
Attends Iona State University ... 5000 pb: 14:05.74 -07. 19 under-23 ECH 10,000 2007. At WXC: 2004-48J. At EXC: 2003-42J, 2004-7J, 2006-24u23
In 2008: 1 New York 3000
- 177 MAHER Brian IRL** 30y
5000 pb: 14:13.15 -07 ... In 2008: 15 Belfast XC; 6 Irish XC
- 178 McNAMARA Paul IRL** 32y
5000 pb: 14:06.93 -04. At WXC: 2002-93 short, 2005-117 long. At EXC: 2004-65, 2005-72
In 2008: 7 Irish XC
- 180 MULVEY Vinny IRL** 30y
10,000 pb: 28:58.29 -06. 5000 pb: 13:58.26 -04. 6 NCAA 10,000 2002 (2000-14). 1 AAA 10,000 2006. At WXC: 2001-56 long, 2004-83 long, 2005-71 long. At EXC: 2001-37, 2003-52, 2004-27, 2006-34, 2007-42
In 2008: 14 Belfast XC; 3 Irish XC; 1 Cork 10M
- 183 THORNTON Gary IRL** 28y
2nd in 98 Irish Inter-County Championships ... 10,000 pb: 29:03.97 -07. At WXC: 98-68J. 1 Irish 10,000 2007
In 2008: 12 Belfast XC; 4 Irish indoor 3000
- 187 BUTTAZZO Gianmarco ITA** 30y
10,000 pb: 29:05.68 -06. 53 World Road 20K 2006. At EXC: 2005-22
In 2008: 19 San Giorgio su Legnano 10K XC; 13 Rovereto XC; 3 Squinzano XC; 8 Cinque Mulini XC
- 189 LA ROSA Stefano ITA** 22y
Fifth in under-23 race at 2007 European Cross Country Championships
1500 pb: 3:42.84 -07. 5000 pb: 13:48.91 -06. dnf EJC 5000 2003; 16 WJC 5000 2004; 7 ECP 5000 2006; 6 under-23 ECH 1500 2007. At WXC: 2003-52J, 2004-dnfJ. At EXC: 2003-38J, 2004-18J, 2006-10u23, 2007-5u23. Born-Grosseto ... coach-Claudio Pannozzo
In 2008: 8 Rovereto XC; 5 Italian indoor 3000
- 190 LALLI Andrea ITA** 20y
2006 European Junior Cross Country Champion ... 5000 pb: 14:04.18 -07. 6 EJC 5000 2005. At WXC: 2006-31J. At EXC: 2005-12J, 2006-1J, 2007-4u23. 1 Italian junior XC 2005/2006. Born-Florence ... coach-Cristian Carbone
In 2008: 1 Italian Clubs XC
- 191 MEUCCI Daniele ITA** 22y
Twice Italian Champion at 10,000m ... 5000 pb: 13:53.40 -06. 10,000 pb: 28:44.79 -06. dnf WJC 10,000 2004; 10 ECH 10,000 2006; 3 under-23 ECH 10,000 2007. 1 Italian 5000 2007, 10,000 2006/2007. At EXC: 2004-48J. Born-Pisa ... coach-Luigi Principato
In 2008: 1 Italian indoor 3000
- 193 AL-QAFRAINI Mohammad JOR** 32y
(Al-Qafraini = Alkafraini) ... dq ht OLY 800 2000 (ran out of lane); 11 Asian XC 2005 (2004-15)
- 195 IWAMIZU Yoshitaka JPN** 28y
Japanese Steeplechase record holder & 6x Champion ... 3000SC pb: 8:18.93 -03. 5 WSG 3000SC 2001; 2 Asian Games 3000SC 2002; 11 WCH 3000SC 2003 (2001/2005/2007-ht); ht OLY 3000SC 2004. 1 Japanese 3000SC 2001/2002/2003/2004/2005/2007. At WXC: 2004-96 short, 2006-106 short, 2007-54
In 2008: 5 Chiba XC
- 197 KITAMURA Satoru JPN** 22y
2004 Asian Junior Cross Country Champion ... 5000 pb: 13:40.98 -07. 10,000 pb: 28:00.22 -07. 8 World Youth 3000 2003; 1 Asian junior XC 2004; 10 WJC 5000 2004. At WXC: 2004-24J, 2005-32J
In 2008: 4 Chiba XC; 6 Fukuoka XC
- 200 NAKAMURA Yuki JPN** 26y
5000 pb: 13:31.67 -03. 10,000 pb: 28:18.43 -03. At WXC: 2005-100 long
In 2008: 8 Chiba XC; 5 Fukuoka XC
- 202 SATO Hidekazu JPN** 21y
Training partner of Samuel Wanjiru KEN (World half marathon record holder)
5000 pb: 13:47.65 -04. 10,000 pb: 28:10.32 -04. 7 WJC 10,000 2004. At WXC: 2004-17J, 2005-57J, 2007-126
In 2008: Ran fourth stage for Toyota Boshoku team which placed seventh in Japanese Corporate Ekiden Championship; 20 Chiba XC; 9 Fukuoka XC
- 203 SATO Yuki JPN** 21y
5000 pb: 13:45.23 -04. 10,000 pb: 27:51.65 -07. ht World Youth 3000 2003; 13 WJC 5000 2004. At WXC: 2004-46J, 2005-47J
In 2008: 28 Chiba XC; 7 Fukuoka XC
- 205 TOBIMATSU Makoto JPN** 27y
5000 pb: 13:54.40 -07. 10,000 pb: 28:32.45 -06. Half Mar pb: 63:21 -07. At WXC: 99-34J, 2006-67 short
In 2008: 3 Chiba XC; 4 Fukuoka XC
- 206 UGACHI Tsuyoshi JPN** 20y
Half Mar pb: 62:54 -07. 10,000 pb: 28:45.08 -07. 11 World Student Games 10,000 2007. At WXC: 2005-88 short, 2006-23J
In 2008: 7 Chiba XC; 11 Fukuoka XC
- 207 UMEGAE Hiroyoshi JPN** 24y
3000SC pb: 8:40.63 -05. 8 World Youth 2000SC 2001; 7 Asian Champs 3000SC 2005. 3 Japanese 3000SC 2007
In 2008: 6 Chiba XC; 12 Fukuoka XC
- 209 CHOGE Augustine KEN** 21y
Full name-Augustine Kiprono Choge
2006 Commonwealth Games Champion at 5000m ... 2005 World Junior Cross Country Champion
1500 pb: 3:31.73 -07. 3000 pb: 7:28.78 -05. 5000 pb: 12:53.66 -05. 1 East African youth 800/1500/3000 2003; 1 World Youth 3000 2003; 1 World Junior 5000 2004; ht WCH 5000 2005; 1 COM 5000 2006. At WXC: 2003-4J, 2005-1J, 2006-7 short. Full name-Augustine Kiprono Choge ... in Berlin 2004 at age 17 he became the youngest ever man to break 13 minutes for 5000m

The last time he ran in Scotland he won the 1500m in the rain in Glasgow in June 2007, but missed most of the rest of that season with a back injury

In 2008: 1 Keiyo District XC; dnf Kenyan North Rift XC; 25 Kenyan XC (was with leaders until 7K but then suffered from a stitch)

Poor results this year but gained "wildcard" selection with his performances at the Kenyan training camp in Kigari
- 210 EBUYA Joseph KEN** 20y
Two medals from 2006 World Junior Championships ... 3000 pb: 7:34.66 -07. 5000 pb: 12:51.00 -07. 10,000 pb: 28:53.46 -06. 4 COM 5000 2006; 2 WJC 10,000 2006 (3 5000); ht WCH 5000 2007. He is the first international runner of any stature since 1988 Olympic 800m Champion Paul Ereng to emerge from the Turkana tribe who live in north west of Kenya ... full name is Josph Ebuya Nawawona
In 2008: 2 Amorebieta XC; 4 Edinburgh XC; 1 Maliaño XC; 4 Kenyan XC
- 211 KIPTOO Mark KEN** 31y
Full name-Mark Kosgei Kiptoo
Member of Kenyan Air Force, he served on peacekeeping missions in Burundi
5000 pb: 13:12.60 -07. 3000 pb: 7:38.83 -07. 9 African Games 5000 2007; 1 World Military Games 5000 2007 (2 10,000). 2 Kenyan 5000 2007
In 2008: 3 Kenyan Armed Forces XC; 2 Kenyan XC ("I went to the front too early and as a result I burnt myself")

He has been named as the Kenyan Team Captain for Edinburgh
- 212 KIPYEGO Bernard KEN** 21y
Full name-Bernard Kipyego Kiprop
Third in 2007 World Cross Country Championships at age 20
5000 pb: 13:09.96 -05. 10,000 pb: 26:59.51 -07. 3 African junior 10,000 2003.; 4 Brussels 10,000 2007. At WXC: 2005-2J, 2007-3. Second of 10 children
In 2008: 2 Elgoibar XC; 4 Seville XC; 5 Kenyan XC
- 214 KOMON Leonard KEN** 20y
Full name-Leonard Patrick Komon
Second in 2006 World Junior Cross Country Championships
3000 pb: 7:37.69 -06. 5000 pb: 13:04.12 -06. At WXC: 2006-2J, 2007-4J. Youngest of 14 children
In 2008: 1 Elgoibar XC; 3 Seville XC; 1 Hannut XC; 7 Kenyan XC
- 215 MACHARINYANG Hosea KEN** 21y
Full name-Hosea Mwok Macharinyang
10,000 pb: 27:58.41 -07. 5000 pb: 13:09.85 -07. 4 WJC 10,000 2004; 2 African junior 10,000 2005. At WXC: 2004-6J, 2005-4J, 2006-6 long, 2007-5. His father runs a one-vehicle taxi service
In 2008: 2 Kenyan North Rift XC; 3 Kenyan XC

<p>216 MASAI Moses KEN Full name-Moses Ndiema Masai Great record in Brussels 10,000: 7th-5th-2nd in 2004-06-07 10,000 pb: 26:49.20 -07. 5000 pb: 13:08.81 -07. 10 WJC 10,000 2004; 1 African junior 5000/10,000 2005; 2 Brussels 10,000 2007, where he closed up dramatically on Kenenisa Bekele. At WXC: 2004-16J, 2005-7J. 1 Kenyan junior 10,000 2004</p> <p>His younger sister is Linet Masai, the 2007 World Junior Cross Country Champion, his partner is Doris Changeywo, the 2007 World Military Games 10,000m Champion</p> <p>In 2008: 3 Amorebieta XC; 1 Kenyan Police XC; 8 Kenyan XC</p>	<p>21y</p>	<p>246 TEBULO Mike MAW 16 COM 5000 2006. At WXC: 2004-41J In 2008: 3 Malawi XC; 4 South of Africa XC</p> <p>247 PRODIUS Roman MDA At EXC: 2005-79. 1 Moldovan 10,000 2006 In 2008: 1 Moldovan indoor 3000 (2 1500)</p> <p>248 SUÁREZ Alejandro MEX 2003 World 5000m finalist ... 5000 pb: 13:18.13 -03. 10,000 pb: 27:43.92 -07. 2 Central American 5000 2001; 1 Ibero-American 5000 2002; 12 WCH 5000 2003 (2005-hi); ht OLY 5000 2004; 2 Central American & Caribbean Games 5000 2006; 3 Pan-American Games 10,000 2007; 14 WCH 10,000 2007. At WXC: 2001-17 short, 2002-20 short, 2004-13 short & dnf long, 2005-38 long, 2006-22 short & 28 long In 2008: 9 San Sebastian XC; 2 Valladolid XC</p> <p>249 BASNET Arjun Kumar NEP 2006 Kathmandu marathon winner ... Mar pb: 2:21:30 -07. 7 Asian Games 2002 (2006-11); 2 South Asian Games 2006; 1 Kathmandu 2006; 1 Pokhara 2007</p> <p>250 JOSEPH Akhilomesh NGR 251 KOPKUDDI Danjuma NGR 16 African Champs 10,000 2006</p> <p>252 BUCK Rees NZL 1500 pb: 3:41.62 -03. 5000 pb: 13:49.47 -05. At WXC: 2003-44 short & 61 long, 2004-90 short & 90 long, 2005-59 short & 88 long In 2008: 3 Wellington 3000</p> <p>253 ABUATTAYA Mahmoud PLE ht WJC 800 2002; ht WIC 800 2003</p> <p>254 DAMIÃO Manuel POR Portuguese #2 at 1500m after Rui Silva ... Half Mar pb: 63:07 -08. 1500 pb: 3:34.37 -04. 8 EJC 1500 97; 6 under-23 ECH 1500 99; 2 Ibero-American 1500 2002; sf OLY 1500 2004; ht ECH 1500 2006. At WXC: 97-75J, 2000-31 short, 2004-45 short, 2005-51 short, 2006-51 short, 2007-75. At EXC: 97 -16J, 2003-50, 2004-63. 1 Portuguese junior XC 97 In 2008: 2 Faro 10K; 14 European Clubs 10K XC; 2 Portuguese XC; 6 Lisbon Half Mar</p> <p>255 FERREIRA Hermano POR 5000 pb: 13:46.19 -06. 4 Ibero-American 3000 2006. At WXC: 2005-89 short. At EXC: 2001-20J In 2008: 8 European Clubs XC; 12 Portuguese XC; 8 Lisbon Half Mar</p> <p>256 GOMES Paulo POR Mar pb: 2:12:51 -07. Half Mar pb: 61:38 -03 (63:20 -08). 13 World Half Mar 2003; 6 Milan 2005; dnf ECH 2006; 3 Prague 2007; 42 WCH 2007. At WXC: 2001-45 long, 2002-55 long. At EXC: 2001-26, 2002-33, 2006-dnf In 2008: 5 Haro XC; 4 Valencia de Alcanara XC; 5 Portuguese XC; 7 Lisbon Half Mar</p> <p>257 MADURO José POR 3000 pb: 7:59.53 -04. At WXC: 2004-55 short, 2007-85. At EXC: 2004-20 In 2008: 10 Portuguese XC; 15 Lisbon Half Mar</p> <p>258 PIMENTEL Licínio POR 5000 pb: 13:51.75 -06. At WXC: 2004-77 short, 2007-95. At EXC: 2006-25, 2007-33 In 2008: 9 Valencia de Alcanara XC; 8 Portuguese XC</p> <p>259 RAMOS José POR 1997 World & 2000 Olympic finalist at 10,000m... 1998 European Cross Country team silver 5000 pb: 13:23.77 -96. 10,000 pb: 27:56.30 -00. dnf ht WCH 5000 95; 18 WCH 10,000 97; 29 World Half Mar 99; 1 Ibero-American 5000 2000; 14 OLY 10,000 2000 (96-hi); 12 ECH 10,000 2006. At WXC: 98-49 short, 99-52 short, 2000-22 short, 2001-48 short, 2003-64 short. At EXC: 98-24, 99-35, 2000-12, 2001-19, 2002-28, 2003-25, 2005-30 In 2008: 7 Portuguese XC</p> <p>260 RIBAS Ricardo POR Half Mar pb: 63:36 -07. 10,000 pb: 28:51.52 -06. 3000 pb: 7:55.91 -02. 5000 pb: 13:39.88 -06. 7 Great North Run 2007. At WXC: 2002-85 short, 2004-105 long, 2005-56 long, 2006-47 long, 2007-94. At EXC: 2003-33, 2004-28, 2005 -26, 2006-16, 2007-9 In 2008: 4 European Clubs XC; 14 Valencia de Alcanara XC; 4 Portuguese XC</p> <p>261 ROCHA José POR Half Mar pb: 64:09 -07 (64:42 -08). 5000 pb: 13:51.06 -07. At WXC: 2005 -115 short. At EXC: 2007-24. 1 Portuguese 5000 2007 In 2008: 13 European Clubs 10K XC; 8 Valencia de Alcanara XC; 6 Portuguese XC; 11 Lisbon Half Mar</p> <p>262 HASSAN Abdullah Ahmad QAT TRANSFEREE – formerly Albert Chepkurui KEN, now officially a citizen of Qatar having been issued with a Qatari passport on August 9, 2003 ... third in 2004 World Half Marathon & 2005 World Cross Country long race 10,000 pb: 26:38.76 -03. 5000 pb: 12:56.27 -03. 3000 pb: 7:43.01 -00. 3 Goodwill Games 10,000 2001; 4 WCH 10,000 2003 (2007-dnf); 1 Asian Champs 10,000 2003/2007 (2 5000 2007); 3 World Half Mar 2004; 1 Asian XC 2007. At WXC: 99-5J, 2001-6 short, 2002-6 long, 2004-4 short, 2005-8 short & 3 long, 2007-12. Born-Keiyo</p> <p>263 KIBOR Felix QAT TRANSFEREE – Formerly: KEN (has retained original name) Full name- Felix Kikwai Kibor 5000 pb: 13:20.89 -07. 1 Asian Champs 5000 2007; 9 WCH 5000 2007 In 2008: 1 Arab Military junior 5K XC; 4 Asian indoor 3000; 2 World Military short course XC</p>	<p>22y</p> <p>26y</p> <p>27y</p> <p>32y</p> <p>32y</p> <p>23y</p> <p>31y</p> <p>23y</p> <p>29y</p> <p>25y</p> <p>34y</p> <p>35y</p> <p>30y</p> <p>39y</p> <p>30y</p> <p>31y</p> <p>26y</p> <p>29y</p> <p>31y</p> <p>26y</p> <p>29y</p> <p>20y</p>
<p>218 NGATUNY Gideon KEN Full name-Gideon Lekumok Ngatuny Based in Japan where he runs for the Nissin Foods Corporation, (the founder of which invented instant noodles and cup noodles), now also a member of the Kenyan Prisons Team 5000 pb: 13:12.62 -07. 10,000 pb: 27:14.02 -07. In 2006 ran the second stage for Kenyan team which won Chiba Ekiden, clocking 26:51 for 10K (the fastest ever road 10K). At WXC: 2007-4. Ngatuny is a Masai word for "lion" In 2008: Ran third stage for Nissin Foods team which placed sixth in Japanese Corporate Ekiden Championship; 1 Kenyan Prisons XC; 1 Kenyan XC</p> <p>"I can assure Bekele and Tadese that they must prepare well to beat me."</p>	<p>21y</p>		
<p>222 THUO John KEN Full name-John Kimondo Thuo ... 3000 pb: 7:46.65 -07. 8 Kenyan 5000 2007. Not to be confused with John Thuo Itati (born 26 Dec 73) who ran a 2:14:46 marathon in 2005 In 2008: 6 Kenyan XC</p>	<p>22y</p>		
<p>223 CHECHUN Yuriy KGZ 5000 pb: 14:27.25 -07. 9 Asian Champs 1500 2007. At WXC: 2005-79J In 2008: 7 Samara 3000; 10 Russian indoor 5000 race 1 (7 3000 'B')</p>	<p>21y</p>		
<p>224 ZAIED Ali LBA (= Ali Mabrouk El-Zaidi) ... Libyan record holder at 1500m, 3000m, 5000m, 10,000m & Marathon Mar pb: 2:14:49 -07. 1500 pb: 3:46.75 -00. 3000 pb: 8:07.16 -99; 5000 pb: 13:34.99 -01. 10,000 pb: 28:48.53 -99. ht OLY 1500 96; ht WCH 5000 97/2001; 28 World Half Mar 98 (97-41, 2002-63); dnf WCH 10,000 99; ht WCH 5000 2001; 4 African Champs Half Mar 2003. 1 Slovak 10,000 2000. At WXC: 98-97 long, 2003-93 long Marathons: 15 Prague 2004; 39 OLY 2004; 6 Marrakech 2007; 20 WCH 2007 (where he was with the leaders for the first half of the race) ... chach-Gabriel Valiska (SVK) In 2008: 1 Arab Military XC</p>	<p>30y</p>		
<p>225 EL-MAHJOUR Adel LBA 19 African Games 5000 2007</p>	<p>27y</p>		
<p>227 MOSUHLI Moeketsi LES 1500 pb: 3:47.36 -06. Mar pb: 2:21:43 -07. ht COM 1500 2006. 7 Soweto Marathon 2007. At WXC: 2005-87 short & 92 long In 2008: 11 South of Africa XC</p>	<p>26y</p>		
<p>230 BADAY Ahmed MAR 1998 World Junior bronze at 5000m ... 5000 pb: 13:03.82 -07. 10,000 pb: 27:48.85 -05. 3 WJC 5000 98; 1 Francophone Games 10,000 2001; 5 African Champs 5000 2004 (2006-7); ht WCH 5000 2007. At WXC: 98-18J, 99-15 short, 2003-15 short, 2004-26 long, 2005-31 long, 2006-50 long, 2007-18 In 2008: 4 Huesca XC</p>	<p>29y</p>		
<p>231 BELOUA Brahim MAR At WXC: 2007-35. 2 World Military Games 5000 2007; 1 Arab Half Mar 2007 In 2008: 5 World Military XC; 3 Moroccan XC</p>	<p>35/36y</p>		
<p>232 BOUJATTAOUI Chakir MAR</p>	<p>25y</p>		
<p>233 CHATBI Jamel MAR 5000 pb: 13:56.98 -04. 3000SC pb: 8:29.13 -07 In 2008: 8 San Giorgio su Legnano 10K XC; 9 Rovereto XC; 10 Diekirch XC; 5 Cinque Mulini XC</p>	<p>23y</p>		
<p>234 CHEMLAL Abdellatif MAR 2000 World junior Steeplechase bronze ... 3000SC pb: 8:21.00 -02. 3 WJC 3000SC 2000; 3 African junior 3000SC 2001; ht OLY 3000SC 2004. At WXC: 99-26J, 2000-44J, 2001-81J. Doping suspension 2004-2006</p>	<p>26y</p>		
<p>237 EL MOUAZIZ Abdelhadi MAR Younger brother of marathon runner Abdelkader ... Mar pb: 2:12:45 -07. Half Mar pb: 62:42 -04. At WXC: 2007-31. 1 San Sebastián Marathon 2007 In 2008: 5 San Sebastian XC; 3 Spanish Clubs XC</p>	<p>30/31y</p>		
<p>238 FALIL Abdellah MAR Half Mar pb: 61:21 -06. 10,000 pb: 28:44.24 -04. At WXC: 2004-dnf long In 2008: 7 Alphen aan den Rijn 20K</p>	<p>31/32y</p>		
<p>240 MAAROUFIT Mourad MAR 5000 pb: 13:15.87 -07. 3000 pb: 7:45.94 -03. Half Mar pb: 61:43 -06. ht WCH 5000 2007. At WXC: 2004-54 short, 2007-33. 1 Marrakech Half Mar 2006/2007</p>	<p>25/26y</p>		
<p>244 SELMOUNI Anis MAR 1500 pb: 3:35.35 -03. ht WIC 1500 2003. At WXC: 2006-47 short, 2007-14. 1 Moroccan XC 2007 In 2008: 5 European Clubs XC; 2 Moroccan XC</p>	<p>29y</p>		

- 278 NASSER Nasser Jamal QAT** 19y
TRANSFEREE – Formerly: Nassib Jumanne Nkuyi TAN ... 5000 pb: 13:47.60 -07. 10,000 pb: 28:12.92 -07. 2 Asian junior 5000/10,000 2004 (at age 15); 9 World Youth 3000 2005; 10 WJC 5000 2006 (11 10,000). 2 Asian Junior XC 2007. At WXC: 2006-18J, 2007-31J
In 2008: 7 World Military XC
- 279 RASHED Essa Ismail QAT** 21y
TRANSFEREE – Formerly: Daniel Kipkosgei KEN ... 2005 Asian Champion at 10,000m
5000 pb: 13:16.26 -06. ht WCH 5000 2005; 1 Asian Champs 10,000 2005; 1 Arab 5000/10,000 2005; 14 World 20K 2006; 2 Asian Games 10,000 2006. At WXC: 2005-15J, 2006-35 short
In 2008: 4 Arab Military XC; 3 World Military XC
- 280 SALEM Jamal Bilal QAT** 29y
TRANSFEREE – Formerly: James Kipkemboi Katui KEN ... 5000 pb: 13:06.81 -06. 3000 pb: 7:30.76 -05. 3000SC pb: 8:11.67 -05. 1 West Asian Games 10,000 2005 (2 5000); 16 World 20K 2006; 2 Asian Games 3000SC 2006. At WXC: 2005-5 short & 12 long, 2006-23 short & 18 long. Trains with fellow Qatar transferee Saif Saaeed Shaheen ... 1.85 tall
In 2008: 2 Arab Military XC
- 281 SAADOUN Ali Al-Dawoodi QAT** 23y
TRANSFEREE – Formerly: Elias Daudi TAN
Alternative name-Ali Dawoud Sedam
5000 pb: 13:33.22 -03. 10,000 pb: 29:05.93 -05. 1 Arab 10,000 2003; 3 Asian Champs 10,000 2005; 14 World Half Mar 2007 (2005-dnf). At WXC: 2004-23 short, 2005-19 long, 2007-40
- 283 SHAMI Mubarak Hassan QAT** 27y
TRANSFEREE – Formerly: Richard Yatich KEN
Second in 2005 World Half Marathon (though he would have won had he not eased off at the line) & 2007 World Marathon
Mar pb: 2:07:19 -07 (2:08:23 -08). Half Mar pb: 60:31 -04. 2 World Half Mar 2005; 1 Vienna 2005; 1 Venice 2005; 1 Prague 2006 (was chased about 350 metres during the 31st kilometre by a large dog). 1 West Asian Games Half Mar 2005; 8 World Road 20K 2006; 1 Asian Games 2006; 1 Paris 2007; 2 WCH 2007; 1 Otsu 2008. At WXC: 2007-8
In 2008: 2 Almería Half Mar; 3 Arab Military XC; 1 Otsu Marathon
- 284 SHEBTO Moustafa Ahmed QAT** 21y
TRANSFEREE – Formerly: Patrick Cheboto UGA, the IAAF ratified his transfer to Qatar from June 4, 2004
10,000 pb: 28:16.58 -07. 3000SC pb: 8:18.52 -04. 32 World Half Mar 2003 (2007-53); 1 Asian Junior 5000 2004 (2 3000SC); 3 WJC 3000SC 2004; 1 Arab Half Mar 2007; 3 Asian Champs 3000SC 2007. At WXC: 2005-24J, 2006-52 long
In 2008: 10 World Military XC
- 285 ZAMAN Sultan Khamis QAT** 22y
TRANSFEREE – Formerly: Onèsphore Nkunzimana BDI
2008 Asian indoor Champion at 3000m
3000 pb: 7:48.50 -03. 5000 pb: 13:09.11 -06. 10,000 pb: 27:44.47 -05. Half Mar pb: 63:31 -05. 4 WJC 5000 2004 (2000-9); ht OLY 5000 2004; 16 WCH 10,000 2005; 19 World Half Mar 2005; 29 World 20K 2006. At WXC: 2001 -100 long (for Burundi), 2004-8 short & team silver (for Qatar), 2005-19 short & dnf long, 2006-10 short, 2007-dnf
In 2008: 1 Asian indoor 3000; 6ht WIC 3000
- 287 MOKOKA Steven RSA** 22y
10,000 pb: 29:04.64 -08. 9 WSG 10,000 2005; 1 South African Universities 10,000 2007
In 2008: 2 Secunda 3000; 3 Potchefstroom 3000; 1 Sasolburg 10K; 6 South of Africa XC
- 288 MOTONE Alexander RSA** 29y
Also called Motsamai Motone ... 10,000 pb: 28:52.67 -06. 3000SC pb: 8:29.39 -03. ht WCH 3000SC 2003. At WXC: 2003-86 short. 1 South African 10,000 2006. Served two-year doping suspension 2003-2005
In 2008: 6 Secunda 3000; 8 Potchefstroom 3000; 4 Durban 3000SC; 7 South of Africa XC
- 291 SOKE Moorosi RSA** 25y
(Also known as Boy Soke) ... 5000 pb: 13:39.83 -07. 10 WSG 5000 2005; 11 COM 5000 2006; 11 African Champs 5000 2006; 12 African Games 5000 2007. At WXC: 2005-29 short, 2007-dnf. 1 South of Africa XC 2007/2008
In 2008: 1 Potchefstroom 3000; 1 South of Africa XC
- 301 HAKIZIMANA Gervais RWA** 20y
Half Mar pb: 62:43 -07. 16 African Games 10,000 2007; 38 World Half Mar 2007. At WXC: 2007-77
In 2008: 4 Rwandan XC
- 304 RUKUNDO Sylvain RWA** 19y
10,000 pb: 29:47.96 -06. 10 WJC 10,000 2006. At WXC: 2006-86 long, 2007 -38; 26 World Half Mar 2007; ht WIC 3000 2008
In 2008: 1 Rwandan XC; 10ht WIC 3000
- 306 SIMUKEKA Jean Baptiste RWA** 25y
6 WJC 10,000 2000 (2002-9). At WXC: 2001-11J, 2004-35 long, 2005-39 long, 2006-72 long, 2007-58
- 307 SILLY Gaylord SEY** 22y
Lives-Vendôme (Central France) ... In 2008: 49 Le Mans XC
- 309 KOCH Ueli SUI** 28y
5000 pb: 14:16.99 -06. At WXC: 2005-114 short. At EXC: 2006-57. 2 Swiss 5000 2007
- 323 ANNAGLYJOV Perhat TKM** 22y
77 World Half Mar 2007
- 329 AL-RASHEDI Saif Hamad UAE** 32y
- 331 ALIWA Moses UGA** 21y
10,000 pb: 28:49.9 -04. 6 WJC 10,000 2004; 13 World Mountain Running Trophy 2007. At WXC: 2004-8J, 2005-28J, 2006-44 long, 2007-20. 1 Ugandan 5000 2005
In 2008: 4 Ugandan XC; 2 Italian Clubs XC; 2 Squinzano XC
- 332 AYEKO Simon UGA** 20y
Two medals at 2007 World Student Games ... 5000 pb: 13:40.4 -06. 3000SC pb: 8:33.60 -07. 16 WJC 5000 2006; 2 World Student Games 10,000 2007 (3 5000, 9 3000SC). At WXC: 2006-46 short
In 2008: 5 Ugandan XC; 5 Diekirch XC
- 333 BUSIENEI Wilson UGA** 26y
Winner of unique triple at 2005 World Student Games, golds at 5000m, 10,000m & Half Marathon within space of five days
5000 pb: 13:11.08 -06. 10,000 pb: 27:21.55 -05. 11 OLY 10,000 2004; 7 World Half Mar 2004 (2003-15, 2005-14); ht WCH 5000 2005; 1 WSG 5000/10,000/Half Mar 2005; 5 COM 10,000 2006; 4 World 20K 2006; 15 WCH 10,000 2007; 27 World Half Mar 2007. At WXC: 2005-36 long, 2006-17 short & 21 long, 2007-37
In 2008: 6 San Giorgio su Legnano 10K XC; 4 Rovereto XC; 7 Le Mans XC; 3 Modena Half Mar; 2 Catania 12K; 6 Ugandan XC
- 334 CHEBET Nathan UGA** 19/20y
Half Mar pb: 62:39 -07 ... In 2008: 3 Ugandan XC
- 337 KIPRONO Nicolas UGA** 20y
Half Mar pb: 60:57 -07. 17 World Half Mar 2007 (2005-51)
In 2008: 2 Ugandan XC
- 338 KIPROP Boniface UGA** 22y
2006 Commonwealth Games Champion at 10,000m ... fourth at 10,000m at both Athens 2004 & Helsinki 2005
10,000 pb: 26:39.77 -05. 5000 pb: 12:57.11 -06. 1 African junior 5000 2001 (2 10,000); 1 African junior 5000/10,000 2003; ht WCH 5000 2003; 4 African Games 10,000 2003 (6 5000); 3 Afro-Asian Games 10,000 2003; 1 WJC 10,000 2004 (5 5000); 4 OLY 10,000 2004; 4 WCH 10,000 2005 (2007-10); 1 COM 10,000 2006; 6 African Games 10,000 2007. At WXC: 2000-27J, 2002 -3J, 2003/2004-2J, 2005-7 long, 2006-22 long, 2007-dnf. Older brother is Martin Toroitich (11 World Junior XC 2002) ... Kiprop = born when it's raining ... member of Kalenjin tribe, most of whom live in Kenya
Failed to finish at Momabsa 2007 after he collapsed in the heat with 600m to go while in fifth position
In 2008: 4 Maliaño XC; 3 Haro XC
- 341 KIPSIRO Moses UGA** 21y
2007 World bronze at 5000m ... 2006 African Champion at 10,000m ... 3000 pb: 7:32.03 -07. 5000 pb: 12:50.72 -07. 10,000 pb: 28:03.46 -06. 7 COM 5000 2006; 1 African Champs 10,000 2006 (3 5000); 3 WCH 5000 2007 (2005-ht). At WXC: 2003-18J, 2005-21J, 2006-29 short & 23 long, 2007-dnf ... second of seven children
In 2008: 1 Belfast XC; 1 Seville XC; 1 Ugandan XC
- 344 TOROITICH Martin UGA** 24y
Half Mar pb: 63:52 -02. 5000 pb: 13:34.84 -02. 10,000 pb: 28:08.32 -04. 2 African junior 10,000 2001; 13 World Half Mar 2004 (2002-87, 2003-43); 11 Cologne 2005; 13 World 20K 2006. At WXC: 98-41J, 2000/2002-11J, 2005 -107 long, 2007-10
In 2008: 6 Coamo Half Mar; 7 Ugandan XC
- 345 BAK Ryan USA** 26y
1500 pb: 3:43.52 -07. 5000 pb: 13:38.52 -04. Coach-Bob Sevene. Born-Suffield, Conn ... coach-Frank Gagliano
In 2008: 4 Seattle 5000; 8 US Champs XC
- 346 BAUHS Scotty USA** 21y
5000 pb: 13:40.63 -07. 10,000 pb: 28:54.55 -07. 1 NCAA Division 2 10,000 2007 (2 5000). Ran third stage for US team which placed fourth in 2007 Chiba Ekiden, clocking 28:31 for 10K. Student of Social Science and English at California State University, Chico ... bormn-Denver ... coach-Gary Towne
In 2008: 10 US Champs XC
- 347 CARNEY Jim USA** 29y
2008 US Half Marathon Champion ... 10,000 pb: 27:43.64 -07. Mar pb: 2:16:54 -07. 14 US Olympic Trial (New York) Marathon 2007. 1 US Half Mar 2008. Ran third stage for US team which placed seventh in 2004 Chiba Ekiden, clocking 29:19 for 10K ... has degrees in finance and logistics .. lives-Boulder, trains with the twins Eduardo & Jorge Torres ... coach-Brad Hudson
In 2008: 1 US Half Mar; 6 US Champs XC; 4 US Champs 8K
- 351 KING Max USA** 28y
Half Mar pb: 63:08 -06. 3000SC pb: 8:31.26 -07. 3 North & Central America and Caribbean XC 2006; 34 World Road 20K 2006. At WXC: 2006-57 long. Born-Central Point, Oregon ... self-coached
In 2008: 6 Seattle 5000; 7 US Champs XC
- 353 MORAN Ed USA** 26y
2007 Pan-American Games Champion at 5000m ... 5000 pb: 13:20.35 -07. 10,000 pb: 27:43.13 -07. 1 Pan-American Games 5000 2007. Ran first stage for US team which placed fourth in 2007 Chiba Ekiden, clocking 13:33 for 5K ... coach-Alex Gibby ... 1.78/56kg – they call him "Stick Bug"
In 2008: 2 Bermuda International 10K; 4 US Champs XC
- 354 PIERCE Jon USA** 24y
3000SC pb: 8:40.72 -06. 7 NCAA 3000SC 2006. Graduate of Human Biology from Stanford University. Born-Olean NY ... coach-Pete Rea
In 2008: 11 US Champs XC; 8 Armagh 5K; 4 Rás na hÉireann XC; 12 US Champs 8K

- 355 ROHATINSKY Josh USA 26y**
2006 US Collegiate Cross Country Champion, representing Brigham Young University
10,000 pb: 28:39.93 -06. Mar pb: 2:15:22 -07. 1 NCAA XC 2006; 5 Great North Run 2007; 9 US Olympic Marathon Trial 2007. From Provo, Utah ... he went on Mormon mission to Uruguay in 2001-2003 ... coach-Alberto Salazar, he has been training with the Gouchers
In 2008: 6 Boston 3000; 3 Seattle 3000; 3 US Champs XC
- 357 TORRES Edwardo USA 27y**
10,000 pb: 28:43.28 -02. At WXC: 2003-51 long. 61 Chicago 2006; dnf US Olympic Trial Marathon 2007. Born-Chicago ... lives-Boulder, Colo. ... twin brother Jorge Torres (10 minutes older) is also an international cross country runner and won the 2002 US Collegiate title ... coach-Brad Hudson
In 2008: 9 US Champs XC
- 358 TORRES Jorge USA 27y**
2006 US Champion at 10,000m ... 10,000 pb: 27:42.91 -07. 5000 pb: 13:20.57 -05. 4 Pan-American Games 10,000 2007. 1 US Champs 10,000 2006. 1 NCAA XC 2002 (representing The University of Colorado). At WXC: 98-37J, 99-64J, 2002-11 short, 2005-13 short, 2006-27 short. Twin brother Edwardo (10 minutes younger) is also a top collegiate distance runner ... born-Chicago ... lives-Boulder, Colorado ... coach-Steve Jones
In 2008: 6 Edinburgh XC; 5 Maliaño XC; 2 US Champs XC; 1 US Champs 8K
- 363 NYASANGO Cuthbert ZIM 25y**
5000 pb: 13:31.27 -07. 10,000 pb: 27:57.34 -07. Half Mar pb: 60:26 -07. 7 WJC 5000 2000; 15 World 20K 2006; 10 World Half Mar 2007. At WXC: 2001-46J, 2003-43 long, 2004-56 short & 25 long, 2005-20 short & 16 long, 2007-22. 1 South African 20K 2006
In 2008: 5 Amorebieta XC; 3 Elgoibar XC; 5 Seville XC; 3 San Sebastian XC; 1 Zimbabwe XC; 2 South of Africa XC