

ORANGE MAKE A RUN FOR IT!

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Eight Syracuse track stars and four coaches passed through the Rose City on June 7, headed for the NCAA National Track & Field Championships at Eugene's legendary Hayward Field. A couple of Stumptown Orange (who don't move nearly as fast) went the distance to meet the main contingent as they arrived at Portland International Airport.

The Oregon Sports Authority had a table set up in baggage claim to welcome hundreds of athletes as they arrived at PDX with snacks and sports drinks. The athletes from Syracuse were the first of the day. The group included (back row, l-r) Coach Adam Smith, sophomore Colin Bennie (who will be running the 5K at the nationals), Ken Kane and Howard Groopman from the club, Coach Brien Bell, senior Martin Hehir (10K), senior Max Straneva (10K) and Coach Raynee DeGrio. In the front row were junior Dan Lennon (10K), freshman Justyn Knight (5K) and junior Margo Malone (10K).

Head Coach Chris Fox and hurdlers senior Donald Pollitt and sophomore Freddie Crittenden arrived later in the day. Best of luck to all of the 'Cuse competitors as they take to the track in Eugene!







