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University of Montana head basketball coach Ron Nord announced Wednesday that senior center Cork Hill of the Columbia Falls Wildcats will attend the Missoula school this fall on a combination basketball and track scholarship.

Hill, who led Ralph Johnson's Wildcats to the state Big 32 basketball tournament in Bozeman this year, stands only 6-2, but his tremendous jumping ability enabled him to compete effectively against taller men.

Both Nord and Harley Lewis, University track mentor, will be glad to have the star Wildcat athlete on their squads as a freshman next year.

Hill is noted in track as a 220-yard dash man, with his best time in the event at around 22.5 seconds.