

Sep/Oct 2007

# PRESIDENT'S CORNER <br> By Ken Simons 

## CONGRATULATIONS, ADAM!

Many of you know Adam Feerst as the director of trail races and trail clinics in the area, as well as the organizer of the Denver Trail Runners. He has announced that he and his wife are expecting a baby daughter in late January.

FOURTH SEGMENT, COLORADO TRAIL

The day started by arising a little before 4 a.m. I picked up Ken Randall around 5 a.m. and drove to Evergreen to meet Ed Youngberg. Ed graciously offered to be our driver. The road trip went up Highway 285 to the edge of Bailey, then south on Park County Road 68, continuing on dirt roads for approximately 8 miles to a small parking area.

Before Ed left us there around 7:20, I told him that I would be humming the tune "They never returned, they never returned, and their fate is still unlearned." Fortunately, at least for Ken R. and me, this didn't happen. We were well prepared as far as hydration, both of us carrying a camelback full of water, as well as bottles of liquid in our belt-packs.

Our journey began at 8,280 feet of elevation and gained around 300 feet of elevation in the first mile, which didn't seem too bad. The trail was also fairly easy to run at first, being relatively free of rocks. Soon this began to change, with very steep ascents and many rocks, making footing more difficult and slowing our speed considerably. There were a few stream crossings, some a little difficult, and some marshy areas to traverse. It was interesting to see long strings of moss hanging from trees in certain areas of the trail. The temperature was comfortable, being so much cooler in a wooded area at this elevation than it was along the Front Range at this time. This ascent topped out at mile 6.7, the elevation being 10,650 feet.

The terrain then became more rolling, dropping in elevation temporarily. On this downward stretch, while on an old logging road, we met a couple riding horses. They were the only people not in our party that we met on the trail. At mile 8, we entered a valley, which was a marshy area, and the elevation had dropped to 10,310 feet. Now without the protection of the trees, the temperature seemed much higher. At mile 8.7, we saw a couple of campsites on the other side of a nearby stream. A man was washing his dishes in the stream. We stopped to talk with him and he took a picture of us with Ken R's camera. Apparently there is a rough 4-wheel drive road leading to the campsite, which two vehicles had negotiated.

Around a mile later, we met Ed on the trail, he having started from the other end of the segment. The trail was beginning to climb in elevation again, and there were a few muddy areas to walk around and through. The highest point was a little under 11, 000 feet, after which we descended over a series of switchbacks to the parking lot at 10,105 feet.

This was the longest segment ( 16.6 miles) that we have run and definitely the most difficult. We had spent almost $51 / 2$ hours on the trail. Ed's distance was not trivial either; he had run almost 13 miles in addition to driving from the start to the finish.

## CARMEL, CALIFORNIA

My wife and I spent 5 days in the Carmel area in late July and early August. It was generally cool and cloudy, which was a welcome change from the hot days here.

Each morning, I ran on the beach for between a half-hour and an hour, then the first few blocks uphill toward the motel where there was dirt on the side. One of the highlights was Point Lobos, where hiking trails along the coast led to points with spectacular views of the waves crashing against rock formations.

## 2007 HIGH SCHOOL RUNNER INITIATIVE

The CMRA is a proud sponsor of the Colorado High School Runner Initiative. The Initiative will enable any Colorado high school track or cross country team member between the ages of 14 and 18 years to participate in any and all CMRA race events from October through December 2007 for only $\$ 5$. Up to 12 runners from each high school will be allowed to participate in each individual CMRA event and be eligible for high school age group awards in both male and female categories.

The purpose of the Initiative is three-fold:

- to encourage participating high school runners to run and stay fit all year round;
- to provide opportunities for high school runners to compete against runners from other high schools in organized events outside the regular season and throughout the year at low cost;
- to allow CMRA members to fulfill a stewardship role in the wider community and serve as role models for engaging in lifelong running and physical fitness.

Interested students need only complete and submit a registration/waiver form with the $\$ 5$ fee at their first CMRA event. This form, which requires signatory approval from the student's parent or guardian, is available as a PDF file for download on the CMRA website, comastersrun.org.

Based on actual experience with the Initiative in 2007, the CMRA hopes to offer it again for the entire calendar year 2008.

For more information about the Initiative, contact Bruce Kirschner, CMRA Board Member and program point-of-contact, at bhkirsch@comcast.net or 303-666-0864.

## A BRIGHT AUTUMN COLOR By Dan Shaw

Like many adult runners, I would love to pass my love of running to my kids. And also like many others, I have experienced limited success in my efforts to develop their interest. I'm not sure why kids don't take more easily to the sport. I think the gene for running may be recessive. At any rate, my kids have now become teenagers, and not one of them has joined a track or cross country team. I've accepted that they'll join me for fun runs on occasion, such as for the Thanksgiving Day Mile High Turkey Trot, but that's about it.

Earlier this year, I signed up my family to run the Bolder Boulder for the first time. My wife and the other three kids agreed to participate if they didn't have to actually train, but my oldest son, nineteen year old Joey, surprisingly seemed inspired by the challenge. Seeing his budding enthusiasm, I offered to join him on Tuesday evenings for the Nike Running Club runs from Niketown in downtown Denver. I'd run with the club before. It's friendly, casual, and - importantly - they give away free stuff!

A few weeks into this rudimentary training program, Joey told me during one of these Niketown runs, "I kind of like running now." Not wanting to reveal my true feelings and possibly nip the bud, I contained my enthusiasm. "Cool," I replied, but inside I was screaming, "Yes!"

I need not have worried; Joey was committed. He even brought along a friend once or twice. While I was steadily racking up 50 mile weeks, Joey didn't run much the rest of the week, but he was a regular on Tuesdays. And I had a blast, finally realizing the opportunity to run with my kid. We ran easy miles and talked a lot. Talking is good. We talked about running technique. I'd throw in some coaching pointers. We discussed future races and cars and jobs and school and even girls. Joey likes to tell stories about his experiences and friends. He's a good story teller.

After a couple months of this light training, Joey completed the Bolder Boulder in under 60 minutes. I was proud, and Joey was absolutely thrilled with his accomplishment. And he kept on running. We soon added a second weekly run together, doing speedwork on Wednesday evenings with the Rocky Mountain Road Runners, and occasionally Thursday evening runs with Adam Feerst's Denver Trail Runners.

Joey has continued running through the summer. In mid-September on a beautiful late summer day, we ran Buena Vista's Autumn Color Run, Joey's first half marathon. He finished in under 2 hours, placing $2^{\text {nd }}$ in his age group. And let me tell you, the yellows of the aspen on that sunny Colorado morning seemed very bright indeed!

## FAIRMOUNT PARK 5K TRAIL RUN <br> August 15, 2007 <br> By Pat Phillips

It was a dark and stormy....never mind, that's been done. It was a beautiful day when I marked the course about $3: 00 \mathrm{pm}$. It had rained earlier to cool things off as I had planned, but as race time approached another storm with a fair amount of lightning arrived, that wasn't part of the plan. Fortunately a gaggle of mostly-patient runners waited for the storm to pass, and we finally got the race underway about twenty minutes late.

Many thanks to the volunteers who waited out the rain and made the race a success. Kathy Klesmitt and Jim Price took care of the water stop and Bill Smitham worked the turnaround. All of them got a little wet and their services were much appreciated. Connie Ahrnsbrak and Rosalia Murch did their normal expert job with registration. Also noteworthy was the efficiency of our crack finish line crew. Tom Alison, Joe Baird, Joe Sanchez (quartermaster), Mike Vanoni, and myself took care of the timing and scoring. Thanks to their expertise, we had the finish results ready before some of the runners returned to the registration area and we cleared the area before dark.

As usual for this race we were joined by a number of North High School runners and alumni and their coach, Jeff Young. The high schoolers ran unofficially, beginning 2 minutes after the official start. Not surprisingly, Hector and Esmeralda Martinez took first overall for both genders with times of 18:12 and 19:52 respectively. Esmeralda was $6^{\text {th }}$ overall. Hector ran slower than normal, since he was recovering from a $5^{\text {th }}$ place at Georgetown, and tapering (?) for the Leadville 100 the following weekend. He is the youngest finisher ever at Leadville.

The fastest master was Keith Johnson in $2^{\text {nd }}$ overall at 18:21, followed by Dave O'Sadnick at 18:31. Dave also had a fast time at Georgetown. The fastest lady master was Dense Glenn in $16^{\text {th }}$ place at 22:21.

As usual the door prizes were supplied by Great Harvest Bread Co., and were greatly appreciated. These were supplemented by an entry to the El Grito 5K, donated by Bob Caillouette who had won it at a previous race but will be unable to attend.

Thanks again to all the volunteers. They made it fun to put on the race!

## FAIRMOUNT 5K RACE RESULTS

| PLACE | NAME | TIME | AGE |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Hector Martinez | 18:12 | 23 |
| 2 | Keith Johnson | 18:21 | 46 |
| 3 | Julio Bonilla | 18:27 | 16 |
| 4 | Dave O'Sadnick | 18:37 | 51 |
| 5 | Bob Jones | 19:45 | 46 |
| 6 | Esmerelda Martinez | 19:52 | 21 |
| 7 | Matt Poundstone | 20:48 | 27 |
| 8 | Bob Caillouette | 20:57 | 52 |
| 9 | Paul Welschinger | 21:03 | 50 |
| 10 | Gary Black | 21:05 | 21 |
| 11 | Randy Lynch | 21:14 | 32 |
| 12 | Dan Shaw | 21:22 | 48 |
| 13 | Chris Stone | 21:55 | 40 |
| 14 | Robert Kanieski | 21:57 | 30 |
| 15 | Jeff Young | 22:17 | 51 |
| 16 | Denise Glenn | 22:21 | 40 |
| 17 | Keifer Johnson | 22:30 | 14 |
| 18 | John Davies | 22:59 | 31 |
| 19 | David Kelble | 23:18 | 49 |
| 20 | Harry Dykstra | 23:20 | 58 |
| 21 | Glenn Bakken | 23:21 | 56 |
| 22 | Jeff Martin | 23:36 | 66 |
| 23 | Megan Vanoni | 23:50 | 27 |
| 24 | Scott McFarlane | 24:11 | 56 |
| 25 | Ken Randall | 24:25 | 69 |
| 26 | George Huner | 24:27 | 54 |


| 27 | Mitch Chesbro | $25: 09$ | 48 |
| :---: | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 28 | Joey Shaw | $25: 19$ | 19 |
| 29 | Jim Romero | $25: 29$ | 67 |
| 30 | Jeff Duran | $25: 31$ | 25 |
| 31 | Polly Zimmerman | $25: 45$ | 51 |
| 32 | Rich Martinez | $26: 09$ | 60 |
| 33 | Ross Westley | $26: 11$ | 71 |
| 34 | Ken Simons | $26: 37$ | 69 |
| 35 | Reed Jones | $26: 53$ | 10 |
| 36 | Mary Jo Jones | $26: 55$ | 46 |
| 37 | Lee Bengston | $26: 59$ | 69 |
| 38 | Gale Meuret | $27: 26$ | 60 |
| 39 | Ed Youngberg | $27: 29$ | 64 |
| 40 | Erin Bosik | $27: 38$ | 22 |
| 41 | Roger Rybicka | $28: 05$ | 59 |
| 42 | Gabriel Sisneros | $28: 24$ | 69 |
| 43 | Bob Ghormley | $29: 17$ | 68 |
| 44 | Michelle Kelble | $29: 24$ | 39 |
| 45 | Carol Johnson | $30: 21$ | 53 |
| 46 | Don Robinson | $30: 47$ | 75 |
| 47 | Tom Duran | $31: 21$ | 59 |
| 48 | Chris Vanoni | $35: 03$ | 56 |
| 49 | Rosalia Murch | $35: 48$ | 66 |
| 50 | Joe Black | $36: 32$ | 9 |
| 51 | Dave Black | $36: 38$ | 56 |

Editor's note: For age group awards please see the website results page: http://www.comastersrun.org/Race_Info/2007/Fairmont_Results.html

# ELK MEADOW TRAIL 10K 

August 26, 2007
By Wayne Mathis
The Elk Meadow race is a trail run near Evergreen, Colorado. This course contains similar features to a NASCAR race way. The course has altitude gain with sweeping "S" Turns. The flat part of the course has a fast straightway for fast runners. The course has a cork screw feature in the Meadow View part of the trail along with sharp banked turns. The course tests the agility and speed of all runners.

Congratulations to the Johnson family. They finished first in both the overall male and female divisions. Keith and Kathy Johnson finished early and fast. Keith did not break the course record but placed second in recent records. The course record is 35:09 held by Johnathan Huie.

The club thanks volunteers Connie Ahrnsbrak, Rosalia Murch and Joe Baird. Our special thanks to the Great Harvest Bread Company. Please patronize this club supporter.

Mark your calendar for August of 2008!

## ELK MEADOW TRAIL 10K RACE RESULTS

| PLACE | NAME | TIME |  |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: |
| AGE |  |  |  |
| 1 | Keith Johnson | $38: 40$ | 46 |
| 2 | Randy Freeman | $38: 49$ | 49 |
| 3 | John Victoria | $39: 06$ | 53 |
| 4 | Adam Feerst | $39: 28$ | 47 |
| 5 | Todd Gangelhoff | $40: 55$ | 35 |
| 6 | Dave O'Sadnick | $40: 57$ | 51 |
| 7 | Bob Cooper | $43: 10$ | 59 |
| 8 | Darren Clifford | $44: 09$ | 45 |
| 9 | Philip DiZerega | $44: 12$ | 37 |
| 10 | Dan Shaw | $45: 26$ | 48 |
| 11 | Brian Cross | $47: 26$ | 48 |
| 12 | Josh Gabrielson | $47: 42$ | 28 |
| 13 | Paul O'Conner | $47: 58$ | 24 |
| 14 | Bruce Dahm | $48: 43$ | 38 |
| 15 | Robert Kanieski | $48: 59$ | 30 |
| 16 | David Kelble | $49: 14$ | 49 |
| 17 | Jim Romero | $50: 45$ | 67 |
| 18 | Greg Ayres | $50: 48$ | 48 |
| 19 | George Huner | $50: 51$ | 54 |
|  | Ken Lotze | $52: 45$ | 56 |
| 20 | Bill Falkner | $53: 19$ | 66 |
| 21 | Kathy Johnson | $53: 20$ | 46 |
| 22 |  |  |  |


| 23 | Amy Lease | $54: 37$ | 53 |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 24 | Scott McFarlane | $55: 00$ | 56 |
| 25 | Rich Martinez | $56: 03$ | 60 |
| 26 | Robert Romero | $56: 08$ | 61 |
| 27 | Ken Simons | $56: 57$ | 69 |
| 28 | Deborah Acree | $57: 34$ | 55 |
| 29 | Kent Mitchell | $58: 02$ | 66 |
| 30 | Roger Rybicka | $58: 05$ | 59 |
| 31 | Lee Bengston | $58: 23$ | 70 |
| 32 | Bill Adler | $58: 33$ | 50 |
| 33 | J Gutierrez | $58: 52$ | 54 |
| 34 | Constance <br> Ahrnsbrak | $58: 53$ | 67 |
| 35 | Patricia Tolleson | $59: 33$ | 58 |
| 36 | Joey O'Conner | $59: 48$ | 32 |
| 37 | LM Polvani | $59: 49$ | 46 |
| 38 | Holly Dahm | $60: 29$ | 37 |
| 39 | Ed Youngberg | $62: 35$ | 64 |
| 40 | Salamah Souloncy | $63: 17$ | 42 |
| 41 | Carol Johnson | $64: 23$ | 53 |
| 42 | Anna Thai | $64: 42$ | 33 |
| 43 | Holly Romero | $65: 33$ | 47 |
| 44 | Rosalia Murch | $67: 58$ | 66 |
| 45 | Don Robinson | $69: 51$ | 75 |


| 46 | Charlie Schmucker | $70: 35$ | 61 |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: |
| 47 | Arian Lorenz | $72: 33$ | 74 |
| 48 | Palmer Beam | $77: 14$ | 63 |
| 49 | Fay DiZerega | $77: 45$ | 64 |
| 50 | Michelle Kelble | $81: 45$ | 39 |
| 51 | Tom Duran | $85: 47$ | 59 |


| 52 | Dave Black | $88: 36$ | 56 |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: |
| 53 | Linda Neale | $2: 01: 13$ | 63 |
| 54 | Elicitas Duran | $2: 11: 54$ | 71 |
| 55 | Mark Duran | $2: 41: 32$ | 42 |

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## BARR LAKE 1/3 MARATHON <br> September 22, 2207 <br> By Dave Black

The 3rd annual Barr Lake 1/3 marathon was held Saturday morning, September 22, 2007 on a beautiful, warm last day of summer at Barr Lake State Park near Brighton on the high plains of Colorado. There were 68 runners, and hopefully a good time was had by all.

There were some very fast times on this mostly flat and dirt road course that circles the reservoir (and almost tapes itself next to the coal-hauling railroad tracks for a short, straight and possibly exciting stretch). The fastest female was Clarissa Roberts-Sprouse, 35, with a time of $65: 15$, and the fastest male was Jonathan Huie, 27, in 51:03.

One great thing about our running club is the number of older runners who always turn out. There were 8 of 70 years or older.

Thanks are due our volunteers: Connie Ahrnsbrak, Tom Alison, and Adam Feerst at registration; Gary Black, Joe Black, and Adam Feerst at the water stations; Mike Vanoni, Jim Romero, Ric Robinette, and Joe Sanchez at the finish line; and Joe Sanchez for hauling all the equipment and waiting at the end for it to be brought back. And thanks to Great Harvest Bread for their prize contributions.

Last month club president Ken Simons had an answer for the question "a runner might be a red-neck if..." Another is: "A runner might be a redneck if he thinks it is cool to leave a 4 foot dead bull snake on the race course."

## BARR LAKE RACE RESULTS

| PLACE | NAME | TIME | AGE |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Jonathan Huie | 00:51:03 | 27 |
| 2 | Sascha Kosewski | 00:55:48 | 37 |
| 3 | Michael Quispe | 00:56:43 | 41 |
| 4 | Steve Merschel | 00:56:55 | 30 |
| 5 | Derek Griffiths | 00:59:21 | 32 |
| 6 | Richard O'Dell | 01:02:24 | 45 |
| 7 | Dan Shaw | 01:02:34 | 48 |


| 8 | Bob Cooper | $01: 02: 50$ | 59 |
| :---: | :--- | :--- | :--- | ---: |
| 9 | Joe Kosewski | $01: 03: 21$ | 45 |
| 10 | C. Roberts-Sprouse | $01: 05: 15$ | 35 |
| 11 | Peggy Muhn | $01: 05: 31$ | 55 |
| 12 | Ric Robinette | $01: 05: 50$ | 55 |
| 13 | Tanya Perry | $01: 06: 05$ | 36 |
| 14 | Jay Trujillo | $01: 06: 27$ | 49 |
| 15 | Nick Sterner | $01: 06: 54$ | 45 |


| 16 | Carlos Vera | $01: 08: 42$ | 50 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | ---: |
| 17 | Gene Wassman | $01: 09: 04$ | 43 |
| 18 | Bruce Dahm | $01: 09: 07$ | 38 |
| 19 | Jen Merschel | $01: 09: 49$ | 31 |
| 20 | Mark Ramsey | $01: 11: 08$ | 44 |
| 21 | The Oak | $01: 12: 01$ | 71 |
| 22 | Spiderman | $01: 12: 28$ | 56 |
| 23 | Bob Tafelski | $01: 12: 39$ | 67 |
| 24 | Bob Caillouette | $01: 13: 03$ | 52 |
| 25 | Bill Faulkner | $01: 13: 05$ | 66 |
| 26 | Rich Romero | $01: 13: 45$ | 71 |
| 27 | Foghorn Leghorn | $01: 13: 52$ | 41 |
| 28 | Kool Shades | $01: 14: 05$ | 69 |
| 29 | Kelly Campbell | $01: 14: 29$ | 30 |
| 30 | Deb Acree | $01: 15: 53$ | 55 |
| 31 | Tom Chambers | $01: 16: 03$ | 64 |
| 32 | Kent Mitchell | $01: 16: 27$ | 66 |
| 33 | Mike Van Norstrom | $01: 16: 43$ | 45 |
| 34 | Steven Wirclars | $01: 17: 25$ | 40 |
| 35 | Michael Storms | $01: 17: 30$ | 46 |
| 36 | Greg Frederick | $01: 19: 05$ | 33 |
| 37 | Connie Ahrnsbrak | $01: 19: 22$ | 67 |
| 38 | Lee Bengston | $01: 20: 23$ | 70 |
| 39 | Mike Jezier | $01: 20: 53$ | 50 |
| 40 | Taunya Wilson | $01: 21: 13$ | 60 |
| 41 | Tall Red | $01: 21: 32$ | 64 |
| 42 | Erin Bosik | $01: 22: 41$ | 22 |
|  |  |  |  |


| 43 | Kristina Schneider | $01: 23: 08$ | 39 |
| :---: | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 44 | Gabe Sisneros | $01: 23: 13$ | 69 |
| 45 | J Gutierrez | $01: 23: 14$ | 54 |
| 46 | Ken Simons | $01: 23: 56$ | 70 |
| 47 | Holly Dahm | $01: 24: 28$ | 37 |
| 48 | Pat Tolleson | $01: 26: 26$ | 58 |
| 49 | Tom Whitchurd | $01: 28: 01$ | 27 |
| 50 | Roger Niyers | $01: 28: 26$ | 59 |
| 51 | Jan Huie | $01: 28: 41$ | 58 |
| 52 | Gabe Roffe | $01: 29: 18$ | 40 |
| 53 | Melissa Whitchurd | $01: 31: 25$ | 26 |
| 54 | Audrey Krebs | $01: 31: 42$ | 50 |
| 55 | Jody Kamm | $01: 33: 30$ | 35 |
| 56 | Bruce Stark | $01: 33: 31$ | 37 |
| 57 | Rich Muldoon | $01: 33: 37$ | 71 |
| 58 | The Captain | $01: 35: 50$ | 75 |
| 59 | Sarah Muhn | $01: 36: 36$ | 24 |
| 60 | Victoria Dehaan | $01: 37: 53$ | 72 |
| 61 | Tom Duran | $01: 38: 52$ | 59 |
| 62 | Lou Huie | $01: 39: 07$ | 61 |
| 63 | Jim Thomas | $01: 39: 15$ | 56 |
| 64 | Earl Beam | $01: 41: 44$ | 57 |
| 65 | Lisa Paige | $01: 47: 04$ | 49 |
| 66 | Chris Vanoni | $01: 47: 10$ | 56 |
| 67 | Henry Amador | $02: 00: 18$ | 44 |
| 68 | Bob Bussey | $02: 03: 21$ | 72 |

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## PELICAN UPDATE

## By Connie Ahrnsbrak

(Cahrnsbrak@yahoo.com)
6/23- Slacker Half: Michael Quispe, 1:20 ( $\left.2^{\text {nd }} \mathbf{O A}\right)$; Derek Griffiths, 1:31 (3); David Rothenburger, 1:33; Bob Caillouette, 1:37; Rich Romero, 1:48 (1); George Huner, 1:50:49; Ken Randall, 1:50:54 (1); Ross Westley, 1:52 (2) \& Victoria Dehaan, 2:40 (1). 4-Mile: Jay Trujillo, 28:47 (1); Mitch Chesbro, 32:05; Fred Trentaz, $38: 23$ (2) \& Leslie Woods, 55:23 (3).
7/4- Superior Downhill One-mile: Trail Man (Adam Feerst), 4:40 \& Michael Quispe, 4:55.
Independence 4-Mile, Palmer Lake: Dave O'Sadnick, 24:07 (1); Rich Hadley, 25:01 (2);
Lou Huie, 29:34 (2); Polly Zimmerman, 30:40 (3);Connie Ahrnsbrak, 32:20 (1); Jan Huie, 35:18 (1); Deb Hadley, 40:40; Rosalie Murch, 42:41 (3); Dave Banko, 50:33 \& Joan Banko, 1:02.
Scar Top Mountain 12K: Trail Man, 49:30 (2); Chris Voeller, 52:55; Jim Romero, 1:03 (1) \& Scott McFarlane, 1:09. 5K- Eric Ndikumana, 17:17 (OA); Julio Bonilla, 18:16 (2); Michael Quispe, 19:08 (2); Irving Reza, 19:47; Mitch Chesbro, 25:30; Sylvia Martinez, 27:54 (1) \& Bruce Brandt, $30: 50$ (3).
Freedom 5K, Evergreen: Keith Johnson, 17:24 (1); Andrew Adamowski, 17:25 (2); David Rothenburger, 19:54; Chris Adamowski, 20:15 (1); Jay Trujillo, 21:59; Kathy Johnson, 22:58; Mark Ramsey, 23:56; George Huner, 24:04; Taunya Wilson, 25:07 (1) \& David Christie, 28:10. HLR Independence 11K: Tom Chambers, 51:30 (1).
Liberty 4-Miler, WP: Bob Romero, 31:21 (1); Jack Barry, 32:00 (2); J Gutierrez, 35:45; Bob Ghormley, 36:22; Holly Romero, 36:36; Rocket Voorhees, 37:18 \& Laura McCoy, 46:05.
7/7- Leadville Marathon: Hector Martinez, 4:52; Dan Shaw, 5:18; Bob Cooper, 5:21; Jeff Young, 5:43 \& Dave Black, 8:54. Heavy Half 25K: Joseph Manilafasha, 2:13 (OA); Irving Reza, 2:29:00; Derek Griffiths, 2:29:10; The B-Man, 3:12 (2) \& Ed Ewing, 4:18.
7/8-Summer Roundup 12K, CS: Michael Quispe, 53:40 (4 $4^{\text {th }}$ master); Diane Vanderhoven, 1:07 (1); Kent Mitchell, 1:18 (2); Connie Ahrnsbrak, 1:22 (1); Roger Rybicka, 1:25; Ken Green, 1:32 (1) \& Don Robinson, 1:33 (2).

Vail Hill Climb 7-Miler: The B-Man, 1:20 (2); Robert Romero, 1:27; Rocket Voorhees, 1:37:09 \& Lee Bengston, 1:37:39.
7/13-Don Child Memorial 5-Mile, Gering, NE: Amy Lease, 38:58 (1/4 OA ).
7/14- Green Mountain 10K, Evergreen: Ken Simons, $62: 54$ (1).
7/15- Copper Mountain Half: Dereck Griffiths, 1:33 (2); Dave O’Sadnick, 1:38 (1); Ken Randall, 2:04 (2) \& Taunya Wilson, 2:19 (2). 12K- Connie Ahrnsbrak, 1:13 \& Rosalie Murch, 1:37. High Mountain Institute 50K, Leadville: Vince Gerber, 6:36
7/21- Grand Lake Buffalo 5K: Glenn Bakken, 24:03
7/22- Rancho Viejo 10K, Santa Fe: Connie Ahrnsbrak, 55:08 (1) \& Rosalia Murch, 1:13 (2).
Golden Gate Trail Half: Hector Martinez, 1:49; Irving Reza, 2:02; Jeff Young, 2:05; Alan Johnson, 2:13; Diane Vanderhoven, 2:21; George Greco, 2:27; Spiderman, 2:33; Bob Romero, 2:36; Ken Simons, 2:37; Tom Chambers, 2:44; Roger Rybicka, 2:48; Lee Bengston, 2:51; *Holly Romero, 3:29 \& Bill Moyle, 3:32. *Holly \& Kathy Klesmitt assisted an injured runner to the finish. Bravo!
Vail Half: Jim Romero, 2:44:41 (1); Alan Johnson, 2:44:43 \& Victoria Dehaan, 4:11 (2). Miles for Miracles 5K, Invesco: The Oak, 24:58 (1); J Gutierrez, 27:14 (3); Pitts O'Donnell, 28:40 (3)\& Laura McCoy, 41:27.
7/28-Spring Creek Memorial 9-mile trail, Steamboat: Dave O’Sadnick, 1:15 (1); Rich Hadley, 1:21; Lou Huie, 1:32; Roger Rybicka, 1:50; Connie Ahrnsbrak, 1:55 \& Jan Huie, 2:22.
Mt. Hood Pacific Coast Trail 50K: Paul Welschinger, ( $1^{\text {st/6 OA }}$ ).
8/4- Indian Peaks 10K Trail: Derek Griffiths, 46:17 (2); Alan Johnson, 58:11; David Kelble, 1:00; The B-Man, 1:02 (1); Spiderman, 1:07; Ken Simons, 1:10 (2); Roger Rybicka, 1:11 \& Bruce Brandt, 1:15 (2). Grandby Gut Buster 5K: Robert Kanieski, 22:32 \& Glenn Bakken, 23:56.
8/5-Evergreen Town 10K: Trail Man (Adam Feerst), 35:19 (1); Michael Quispe, 36:22 (1); Dave O’Sadnick, 37:38 (1); Rich Romero, $48: 51$ (1); Ed Youngberg, 57:11; Dave Christie, 58:23 \& Victoria Dehaan, 1:05 (1). 5K-Chris Adamowski, 19:33 (1); George Huner, 22:49 (3); Mitch Chesbro, 23:19; Taunya Wilson, $24: 49$ (1); Pitts O’Donnell, 26:34; Earl Beam, 26:50; Bob Ghormley, 26:54; Kim Shenfeld, 34:15; Penelope, 34:19 \& Leslie Woods, 43:05.

Tri for Cure, CCSP: Megan Vanoni, 1:24; Christine Vanoni, 1:47; Terry McFarlane, 1:52 \& Jennifer McFarlane.
8/8-Eldorado Springs 4-Mile: Robert Kanieski, 29:03.
8/11-Georgetown Half: Omar Martinez, 1:11 (1); Hector Martinez, 1:12 (2); Jonathan Huie, 1:14 (2); Dave O’Sadnick, 1:26 (2); Rich Hadley, 1:27 (3); David Rothenburger, 1:30; Bob Cooper, 1:31 (3); Dan Shaw, 1:33; Alan Johnson, 1:47; Lou Huie, 1:50; Ross Westley, 1:52 (1); Rich Romero, 1:53 (2); Connie Ahrnsbrak, 1:57 (1); Rich Martinez, 2:01; Lee Bengston, 2:02; Taunya Wilson, 2:04 (3); J Gutierrez, 2:04; Fred Trentaz, 2:07; Earl Beam, 2:27; Deb Hadley, 2:28; Victoria Dehaan, 2:38 (3) \& Rosalia Murch, 2:46. Rat Race 5K, Ault: Roger Rybicka, 25:57 (2).
8/12- Lookout Mtn. Trail 4.5: Michael Quispe, 41:42; Derek Griffiths, 43:43; David Kelble, 51:41; 10-year old Jacques Moreau, $56: 00$ \& *Tom Chambers, 58:29 (1). *Tom Chambers is a Sportiva Trail age series winner!
10K Berry Picker, Vail: The B-Man, 1:36 (1). Leadville Trail 10K: The B-Man, 57:51 \& Bruce Brandt, 1:10.
Railroad 5K Run, Strasburg: Robert Kanieski, 20:41 (3) \& Mitch Chesbro, $23: 50$ (2).
8/13- Idiot's Hill 9.5 Trail, Kremmling: Glenn Bakken, 1:34.
8/18- Pikes Peak Ascent: Andrew Adamoski, 2:43 (3); Michael Quispe, 3:03; Bob Cooper, 3:12 (2); Diane Vanderhoven, 3:55; The B-Man, 4:04; Kent Mitchell, 4:18 \& Kenneth Green, 6:12.
8/19- Pikes Peak marathon: Victoria Dehaan, 9:48 (1). Triple Crown age series winners: Michael Quispe, 5:01 (4 $4^{\text {th }}$ master); Diane Vanderhoven, 6:22 (1); Kent Mitchell, 7:16 (1) \& Kenneth Green, 9:36 (1).
Leadville 100- Eric Binder, 21:05 (2), Tania Pacev, 24:40 ( $\left.4^{\text {th }}\right)$ \& Vince Gerber, 28:34. Fans on the Field 10K, Invesco: Sir Fred Trentaz, 1:01.
Alfred Packer 10K, Lee Gulch: The Oak (Ross Westley), 53:41 (3/OA). 5K- Robert Romero, $24: 38$ (1); Kim Shenfeld, 39:58 \& Leslie Woods, 44:31.
8/25- Arkansas Riverwalk 8K Prediction, Canon City: Jonathan Huie, 26:22 \& Lou Huie, 36:44.
8/26- Tiger Prowl 5K, Lakewood: David Rothenburger, 18:54 (2/OA); Strider (Tom Chambers), 23:11 (1); The Oak, 23:18 (1) \& Sir Fred Trentaz, 27:09 (2).

## COAL CREEK CROSS COUNTRY CHALLENGE

### 5.72 Miles

The best cross country race in the region! Sunday, October 14 at 9:00 a.m. - Louisville Community Park, Louisville, CO

This is a CMRA race you don't want to miss! A true cross country race with dirt trails, farmer's fields, ditches, hills, and even a stream crossing. Full of Surprises!

From Denver, take the Boulder Turnpike (Highway 36) northwest toward Boulder. Take the second exit after Broomfield, making a right turn onto Storage Tech Drive, heading north. Continue north to the 2nd traffic light, where you will turn left onto South 96th Street. Continue north, through the traffic light on Dillon Road. About a half mile past Dillon Road, turn left onto County Road, just before the crossing the railroad tracks. After coming down a short steep hill, make your first left turn onto Bella Vista Drive, then a quick right turn into the park.

From Boulder, go east on South Boulder Road to Main Street in Louisville. Turn right and head south about 1 mile to the 4 -way stop at Pine Street. (The Blue Parrot Restaurant is on the SE corner). Make a left onto Pine Street and a quick right onto Front Street. Continue south about $1 / 4$ mile and make a right turn into the Louisville Community Park.

For additional race information or to volunteer call Bruce Kirschner at 303-666-0864.
A word to the wise: bring an extra pair of shoes or sandals for afterwards.

## CHATFIELD 10 MILER

Saturday, November 10 at 9 a.m. - Gravel Pond, Chatfield Lake State Recreation Area
This delightful, mostly flat trail run consists of about half dirt road across open terrain and half single track trails much of which is wooded, along the South Platte River south of Chatfield Reservoir.

Take C470 to the Wadsworth interchange. Go south to the main entrance to Chatfield State Park. The CMRA will be paying entrance fees, so let the attendant know you are there for the CMRA race. After entering, turn right and follow the main road past the bend until just before the bridge. Park in the lot to the north of the road.

For more information or to volunteer call Kim Massey at 303-765-5512 or Scott McFarlane at 303-9044542.


## COLORADO MASTERS RUNNING / RACEWALKING ASSOCIATION www.comastersrun.org

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For the mutual benefit of runners and racewalkers 35 years and older
Monthly events free to members

## All Ages Welcome

Runners Male/Female Masters Divisions: 35-39,40-44,45-49,50-54,55-59,60-64,65-69,70-74, \& 75+ Racewalkers Male and Female divisions

Dues: Single member \$25.00 per year Family (household) \$35.00 per year (Add $\$ 5.00$ if opting below for newsletters by snail mail)

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2007 COLORADO MASTERS RUNNING ASSOCIATION SCHEDULE
Registration begins 1 hour prior to race time. \$10 for non-members.
For more information or to volunteer, call race director listed below or $\log$ on to our website:
WWW.comastersrun.org

| Date | Day | Time | Location | Name | Director(s) | Telephone |
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| Jan 20 | Sat | 9:00 AM | Lake Arbor | Lake Arbor 5K | Ken Randall | 303-422-3745 |
| Feb 10 | Sat | 9:00 AM | S. Suburban Tennis Ctr | 40 Furlongs (5M) | Rich Voorhees |  |
| Mar 10 | Sat | 9:00 AM | Twin Lakes Park | Spring Spree 10K | Tom Alison <br> Rich Romero | $\begin{array}{\|l\|} 303-791-6166 \\ 303-751-4284 \end{array}$ |
| Apr 7 | Sat | 9:00 AM | Stapleton | Sand Creek 5 Miler | Rob Fisher Dan Shaw | $\begin{aligned} & 303-738-0115 \\ & 720-480-2370 \end{aligned}$ |
| May 12 | Sat | 4:00 PM | Writer's Vista Park | Memorial Run 5K and Potluck | Rosalie Murch Connie Ahrnsbrak | $\begin{array}{\|l\|l\|} 303-693-2278 \\ 303-985-1168 \end{array}$ |
| Jun 9 | Sat | 8:00 AM | South Valley Park | South Valley 10K | Paul Madden Jason Myers | $\begin{array}{\|l\|} \hline 303-868-7248 \\ 720-936-7860 \\ \hline \end{array}$ |
| Jul 15 | Sun | 7:30 AM | Christies @ Genesee | Mountain Madness 12K (5K for racewalkers) | Jim Romero Jerry O'Donnell | 303-794-2952 |
| Aug 15 | Wed | 6:30 PM | Fairmount Park, Golden | Fairmount 5K Trail | Pat Phillips | 303-279-4305 |
| Aug 26 | Sun | 8:00 AM | Elk Meadow, Evergreen | Elk Meadow Trail Race ( $\sim 9 \mathrm{~K}$ ) | Wayne Mathis | 303-979-9592 |
| Sep 22 | Sat | 9:00 AM | Barr Lake State Park | Barr Lake 1/3 Marathon | Dave Black | 303-781-1738 |
| Oct 14 | Sun | 9:00 AM | Louisville | Coal Creek XC Challenge 5.72 Mi | Bruce Kirschner Randy Luallin | 303-666-0864 |
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| Dec 8 | Sat | 9:00 AM | Prospect Park, Wheat Ridge | Clear Creek 4-Miler and Pancake Breakfast | Vici DeHaan | 303-494-1782 |

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