# COLUMBIA TRACK CLUB 

## Notes $\mathbb{E}$ News

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## Columbia Eve Fest 5k December 31, 2013 4pm



With 42 degrees at race start, plenty of extraordinary volunteers to work registration and monitor the race course, lots of space to set up the finish line, nice $t$ shirts and enough of the correct size, it was the perfect race, almost. After the race several runners reported garmin readings of about 3 miles, .1 short of the measured 5 K . My turn around team confessed, they couldn't find the turn around mark I'd painted in the road, so they guessed. The cone was about 50 yards short of the mark. Next year I'll paint the mark bright orange instead of the eco-friendly-washable-not-so-visible green paint I used this year. My apologies to the runners for the inaccurate measurement. In addition,

| Place | Name | Age | Chip Time | GunTime | 12 | Kevin Stark | 26 | $19: 28.4$ | $19: 32.2$ |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | ---: | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 1 | Alex Keneipp | 17 | $17: 17.8$ | $17: 19.3$ | 13 | Michael Smith | 45 | $19: 39.9$ | $19: 43.0$ |
| 2 | Dan Edidin | 45 | $17: 27.5$ | $17: 28.9$ | 14 | Jose Mendez Rogel 33 | $19: 55.4$ | $19: 55.4$ |  |
| 3 | Marc Keys | 51 | $17: 33.1$ | $17: 34.5$ | 15 | Marc Micatka | 20 | $20: 01.9$ | $20: 04.6$ |
| 4 | Mike Frossard | 42 | $17: 39.0$ | $17: 40.3$ | 16 | Grady Gervino | 45 | $20: 10.1$ | $20: 11.5$ |
| 5 | Benjamin Zars | 17 | $17: 50.7$ | $17: 50.7$ | 17 | Jorge Lugo | 45 | $20: 15.8$ | $20: 16.7$ |
| 6 | Ethan Zars | 19 | $18: 33.4$ | $18: 34.6$ | 18 | Grant Sykuta | 16 | $20: 19.8$ | $20: 21.5$ |
| 7 | Casey Buckman | 34 | $18: 45.0$ | $18: 46.2$ | 19 | Daniel Gervino | 12 | $20: 23.3$ | $20: 24.7$ |
| 8 | Jacob Line | 18 | $18: 51.1$ | $18: 52.1$ | 20 | Garvin Line | 51 | $20: 25.0$ | $20: 26.9$ |
| 9 | Dean Frossard | 13 | $19: 05.9$ | $19: 07.6$ | 21 | Philip Schaefer | 60 | $20: 28.6$ | $20: 30.7$ |
| 10 | Emily Cumpton | 19 | $19: 22.4$ | $19: 22.4$ | 22 Warren Hoover | 34 | $20: 46.8$ | $20: 51.1$ |  |
| 11 | Andy Emerson | 45 | $19: 27.2$ | $19: 29.4$ | 23 | Tom Straka | 36 | $20: 54.6$ | $20: 55.5$ |

## Looking Back 25 Years Ago

## By Joe Duncan

October 9, 1988: Heart of America Marathon: 1. Steve S-F won his 2nd HOA, 2:33:38 with Robert Cline and Frank Curotto, a 3-time winner, also being under 2:40. Lou Fritz finished his 24th consecutive with 2:58:03. Bob Dolphin won the Dave Schulte Award setting the current age 59 record of 3:09:31. Chris Ruble was 1st female at 3:34:22. Other CTC: Fred Fritsch, 52, 3:18:57, Don Johnson, 60, 3:37:27, Joe Duncan, 54, 3:48:17, Bonnard Moseley, 69, 4:06:19, Rob Spier, 66, walked in 5:33:54. Rob is now 91 . He was still walking, at his usual brisk pace, until about 5 or 6 years ago. He has had pulmonary fibro for a year and is on oxygen 24 hours a day. He did volunteer work at the library until a year ago. He is mentally alert, articulate and says he still has things to do. We wish him well.

December 10, 1988: Cheese and Sauerkraut 10 miler: Dan Lawson \& Steve S-F 54:36. Dick Madsen and Tom Allen finished with the same times (1:06:53), but Tom ran faster than he said he would by 1:07, while Dick was only two seconds faster than his prediction, so Dick won the big cheese. Dan Clinkinbeard missed his prediction by $6: 29$ so he took home a can of sauerkraut. Third fastest time of the day was 1:05:10 by John Meehan.
have races that test your limits as a runner. Whatever your drive is find a race that fits you. One of CTC's biggest races is coming in March, our St Patrick's Day 5K on the 15th. This race is for everyone. Some of our most competitive and fastest CTC members run this race so if you want to race against some of the best in Columbia you can do that here. If you want to go out and see how far you can push yourself this is a great race to do that because you will have plenty of people to race against. If you want to run with a group of friends and just have fun there are always plenty of people out in their St Patrick's Day costumes having a great time! We offer a kid's mile as well so you can bring the entire family out. All children who race in the mile will receive a ribbon for their hard work. It is one of our best races of the season, and I encourage you to come out and see it. Even if you don't want to race, spectators and fans are always welcome. Having encouragement out on the course makes a huge difference in a race, and I've also found that going out and watching a race can motivate your own running. I hope to see you at the St Patrick's Day 5K this year! Happy running!!!

## President's Letter

By Beth Luebbering



Spring is just around the corner and with it the promise of warmer weather (at least I hope especially after this winter). Spring also means better running on the roads and even getting back on to the track for some speed workouts (if you're so inclined) because racing season is just around the corner. Over the years, Columbia has grown in the races that are available each year. It used to be that you would have to travel to St Louis or Kansas City to run many races, and Columbia had a couple throughout the year. Now it seems there is a race almost every weekend. You can find races that drive competition, you can find races that are just for fun and to be with friends, and you

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## Runner's Profile:

## Name: Tony Taube

Age: 55

## Columbia Track Club Member Since:

Approximately 2000
How long have you been running and why did you start running? Off and on (mostly off) since high school. I ran cross-country in high school. After college I ran infrequently. I ran a few 5Ks around 2001 and 2002, but I stopped running because of a knee injury. I started running again about two years ago.

Greatest running influences? My wife, Nancy. I'm also inspired by other runners who have been able to come back after surgery or major injuries.

Weekly Milage: 10-15 miles. I also cycle or ride the stationary bike to supplement my cardio workout.

What is your favorite workout and/or race? The Uprise Group on Saturday mornings. I like the
comradery of the group. They have urged me to be a better runner.

Where is your favorite place to run? The MKT Trail. I also like to run the Bear Creek Trail at times.

What are your running accomplishments? This past year I was able to do a 10 mile run for the first time since high school. I also competed in nine races in 2013.

What are your running goals? My main running goal is to remain healthy and injury free.

What is your favorite pre- or post-run food? Bananas either before or after a run.

Personal Information and interests: I enjoy cycling, cooking, listening to music, singing, and playing the guitar.

Personal Best? My best 5K was 21:57 for the Wellaware race back in 2001, but that was really too long ago to matter. My best recent races are the 2013 Mustang Stampede 5K at 24:08 and the 2013 Hunger Run 10 K at 52:02.

the construction on the course nullified the certification this year. The course must be run as certified.

Congrats to our overall winner, Hickman High runner Alex Keneipp, 17, who ran approximately 3 miles in 17.17. Congrats to Emily Cumpton, 19, of Jeff City, the first female overall, who ran the course in 19.22 . And congrats to all the runners who finished the newly named Columbia Eve Fest 5K.

Thanks to our volunteers: Tim Cornell, Tom \& Andrea Allen, Lisa \& Jeff Wells, Tom LaFontaine, Dick Hessler, Beth Luebbering, Ellen Williamson, Darlene Londeree, Nancy (who also ran) \& Tony Taube, Randy Gay, Laura Wells, Anne Heine, Cami Ronchetto, Steven Fair, John Mehuys, Paula Easter, Andy \& Hugh Emerson, Scott Houin, Josh Huber, Debbie Morris, Krishna Ramesh, Richard Eyler. Thanks to our sponsors: Boone Hospital, MeyerWorks, LLC, Tryathletics, Cyclextreme, Ready Set Results, Sonshine Graphics, B \& B Bagels, and Columbia Track Club. It takes a whole village. Linda LaFontaine, race director


| 24 | Nancy Taube | 53 | 21:02.7 | 21:06.8 | 58 | Sara Brewington | 24 | 25:10.3 | 25:11.5 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 25 | Hawkins Kingsley | 13 | 21:23.6 | 21:28.4 | 59 | Brian Winton | 51 | 25:12.6 | 25:20.6 |
| 26 | Anastasia Schmaltz | 23 | 21:30.7 | 21:35.6 | 60 | Randall Durk | 52 | 25:20.7 | 25:21.6 |
| 27 | Benjamin Potter | 35 | 21:32.5 | 21:36.4 | 61 | Mary Ellen Bradshaw | 42 | 25:27.0 | 25:33.4 |
| 28 | Michael Sykuta | 47 | 21:49.9 | 21:54.5 | 62 | Peter Dyke | 45 | 25:29.8 | 25:39.6 |
| 29 | Cameron Fuller | 14 | 21:59.7 | 22:05.8 | 63 | Mike Perkins | 57 | 25:41.3 | 25:47.2 |
| 30 | Doug Valentine | 29 | 22:01.1 | 22:05.8 | 64 | Jennifer Dudenhoeffer | 27 | 25:46.2 | 25:57.5 |
| 31 | Jim Sinek | 55 | 22:14.1 | 22:18.4 | 65 | Razi Muzaffar | 9 | 25:58.9 | 26:07.5 |
| 32 | Clare Gervino | 16 | 22:33.3 | 22:35.4 | 66 | Whitney Jones | 23 | 26:02.1 | 26:08.7 |
| 33 | Butch McFetters | 50 | 22:34.7 | 22:38.7 | 67 | Heather Demand | 42 | 25:58.6 | 26:12.2 |
| 34 | Tom Reinsel | 48 | 22:47.6 | 22:50.4 | 68 | Jacob Bell | 14 | 26:15.2 | 26:17.8 |
| 35 | Matt Rold | 39 | 23:00.9 | 23:04.6 | 69 | Carl Greeson | 65 | 26:10.8 | 26:18.7 |
| 36 | Benito Mendez Rogel | 39 | 23:14.3 | 23:14.3 | 70 | Braden Willmeth | 10 | 26:02.4 | 26:24.3 |
| 37 | Marissa Kraus | 11 | 23:23.5 | 23:25.8 | 71 | Robin Venn | 48 | 26:18.5 | 26:28.7 |
| 38 | Todd Fuller | 45 | 23:19.3 | 23:26.7 | 72 | Chase Venn | 13 | 26:18.5 | 26:28.8 |
| 39 | Caty Newbold | 23 | 23:18.5 | 23:32.3 | 73 | Doris Wood | 61 | 26:33.6 | 26:33.6 |
| 40 | Katy Lydon | 15 | 23:41.2 | 23:48.0 | 74 | Samuel Smith | 9 | 26:37.1 | 26:42.2 |
| 41 | Gary Werkmeister | 36 | 23:42.1 | 23:50.2 | 75 | Robert Micatka | 22 | 26:39.1 | 26:43.7 |
| 42 | Pat Okker | 53 | 24:02.0 | 24:04.7 | 76 | Robin Bell | 49 | 26:46.0 | 26:49.0 |
| 43 | Jacob Sykuta | 12 | 24:01.7 | 24:07.6 | 77 | Kelly Fuchs | 44 | 27:19.1 | 27:33.7 |
| 44 | Zach Zillig | 31 | 23:55.6 | 24:10.8 | 78 | Timothy Schild | 45 | 27:27.9 | 27:43.1 |
| 45 | Hugh Emerson | 56 | 24:09.9 | 24:13.6 | 79 | Gretchen Siebert | 37 | 27:43.0 | 27:49.7 |
| 46 | Tim Littell | 46 | 23:59.8 | 24:14.8 | 80 | Beth Rota | 34 | 27:38.9 | 27:49.8 |
| 47 | Alex Sgorge | 43 | 24:17.0 | 24:19.8 | 81 | Josie Long | 33 | 27:46.0 | 27:53.3 |
| 48 | Sarah Riney | 29 | 24:22.6 | 24:27.3 | 82 | Richard Wieman | 63 | 27:48.2 | 27:53.9 |
| 49 | Nick Kieffer | 42 | 24:22.4 | 24:28.3 | 83 | Jason Hollandsworth | 36 | 27:51.5 | 27:54.9 |
| 50 | Kyle Nelson | 22 | 24:29.0 | 24:30.5 | 84 | Melissa Zars | 45 | 27:43.7 | 27:57.8 |
| 51 | Bob Martin | 47 | 24:27.7 | 24:31.7 | 85 | Lucy Kingsley | 15 | 27:55.5 | 28:02.1 |
| 52 | Bruce Dunwiddie | 36 | 24:28.1 | 24:33.7 | 86 | Nora Hargett | 15 | 27:55.1 | 28:02.3 |
| 53 | Katie Kennaley | 26 | 24:29.0 | 24:36.4 | 87 | Elizabeth Rodman | 21 | 27:59.3 | 28:04.8 |
| 54 | Blaine Regan | 22 | 24:35.5 | 24:43.9 | 88 | Elaine Foster | 61 | 28:01.0 | 28:13.2 |
| 55 | Tod Moser | 54 | 24:35.8 | 24:47.8 | 89 | Christine Stamper | 44 | 28:02.8 | 28:17.2 |
| 56 | Tony Jones | 49 | 24:40.8 | 24:51.3 | 90 | Adriana Ramnarine | 25 | 28:17.5 | 28:25.1 |
| 57 | David Rehard | 26 | 24:52.8 | 24:54.5 | 91 | Wes Long | 50 | 28:31.8 | 28:39.6 |

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## Runner's Choice

## January 25, 2014 8am

It was the second year that Team Earnest directed Runner's Choice. With the crazy cold we've had this year and a low of -1 predicted in just 48 hours, we were happy to begin the race in the low 40 s . A strong northern wind made the first 5 K tough for runners but they enjoyed a nice tailwind (and many had negative splits) on the way back. Dan Edidin won the 10 K in 37:28 and Lisa Wells was the first female in $48: 18$. The 20 K was dominated by Kirksville runners. Royce Kallerud, from Kirksville, was the first person to cross the finish line is 1:23:23 and a pair of Kirksville women runners (Jackie Hood and Marci Skemp) crossed the finish line together in 1:49:02. Each winner got a water bottle donated by Tryathletics and a $\$ 5$ bill inside. We had 3210 K runners and 1220 K runners. A special thanks to our volunteers: CTC president, Beth Luebbering, Nancy and Tony Taube, Tina Putnam, Anatolie and Elena Junctu, Mark Lee, Janelle Patterson and Andrew Taegel. Thanks to everyone that came out and ran. $\sim$ Kimberly and Brad Earnest

| 10K |  |  |  | 20K |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Place | Name | Age | Time | Place | Name | Age | Time |
| 1 | Dan Edidin | 45 | 37:28:00 | 1 | Royce Kallerud | 45 | 1:23:23 |
| 2 | Tom Anderson | 30 | 41:10:00 | 2 | Tom May | 47 | 1:23:43 |
| 3 | Sam Mosteller | 45 | 41:40:00 | 3 | Philip Scheefer | 60 | 1:29:31 |
| 4 | Mark Vellek | 53 | 45:33:00 |  | Philip Schaefer | 60 | 1:29:31 |
| 5 | Brian Tate | 39 | 45:42:00 | 4 | Steve Stonecipher-Fisher | 57 | 1:31:23 |
| 6 | Jorge Lugo | 45 | 45:50:00 | 5 | Brent Motter | 56 | 1:35:18 |
| 7 | Lisa Wells | 50 | 48:18:00 | 6 | Andy Emerson | 45 | 1:38:12 |
| 8 | Eli Hochstetler | 37 | 49:00:00 | 7 | Kurt Kennett | 46 | 1:44:03 |
| 9 | Adam Skemp | 27 | 49:33:00 | 8 | Jackie Hood | 26 | 1:49:02 |
| 10 | Shiva Sankalp | 27 | 49:58:00 | 9 | Marci Skemp | 25 | 1:49:02 |
| 11 | James Harrington | 40 | 50:35:00 | 10 | Bruce Dunwiddie | 36 | 1:59:26 |
| 12 | Jake Simpson | 43 | 50:42:00 |  | Bruce Dunwiddie | 36 |  |
| 13 | Marzena Tomicki | 44 | 51:48:00 |  | Jamie Szabo | 36 | 2:18:18 |
| 14 | Meghan Turner | 25 | 51:57:00 | 12 | George Szabo | 32 | 2:18:19 |
| 15 | Tom Tomicki | 49 | 52:15:00 |  |  |  |  |
| 16 | Matt Rold | 39 | 52:30:00 |  |  |  |  |
| 17 | Jon Rosen | 61 | 53:05:00 |  |  |  |  |
| 18 | Hugh Emerson | 56 | 53:27:00 |  |  |  |  |
| 19 | Emily Ridgeway | 20 | 55:10:00 |  |  |  |  |
| 20 | Debbie Rodman | 42 | 56:01:00 | , |  |  |  |
| 21 | Peggy Horner | 56 | 56:45:00 |  |  |  |  |
| 22 | Leslie Rigdon | 30 | 58:23:00 |  |  |  |  |
| 23 | Tony Rigdon | 40 | 58:23:00 |  |  |  |  |
| 24 | Ashton Oltmanns | 23 | 58:32:00 |  |  |  |  |
| 25 | Lisa Rosen | 58 | 58:42:00 |  |  |  |  |
| 26 | Judi Kaufman | 48 | 58:45:00 |  |  |  |  |
| 27 | David Webber | 62 | 1:00:26 |  |  |  |  |
| 28 | Catherine Juettner | 37 | 1:01:17 |  |  |  |  |
| 29 | Jenny Clark | 50 | 1:02:28 |  |  |  |  |
| 30 | Jim O'Dell | 70 | 1:07:29 |  |  |  |  |
| 31 | Charlene Morrow | 44 | 1:08:26 |  |  |  |  |
| 32 | Toni Dunwidde | 38 | 1:16:26 |  |  |  |  |

## Colts A Year in Review

The CTC Colts cross country team for 2013 was coached by Beth Luebbering and Dick Hessler. Starting Sept. 10 at Cole County Park in Jefferson City, the team raced at Linn, Westphalia, Ashland, Taos, Binder Park (JC), back to Linn, and ended the season at the championship meet on October 18 at Stephens Lake Park, Columbia.

The league is called Parochial Athletic League (PAL) and is for kids grades 5-8 with $4^{\text {th }}$ graders allowed to race but not score. The distance is 1.5 miles. There were 7 full girls' teams and 12 boys' teams with 118 boys and 78 girls. Columbia Track Club is a founding member of PAL and competes as a club, not a school. We have hosted the championship meet since the first season, 14 years ago.

We had 8 boys who raced most of the season and just two girls. Ji-Sung Lee was in $7^{\text {th }}$ grade and Emma Tatlow was just a $4^{\text {th }}$ grader. I can say, without doubt, that the 2013 season was right up there among the most exciting and fun-filled for the kids, coaches, and fans. The weather was nearly perfect, no one got hurt, and we have never seen such supportive families and competitors, no question.

James Weaver and Nathan Forck had academic and family responsibilities and could not be at the championship meet. They were among our top finishers throughout the season. We have included their photos from previous meets and thank Ilhyung Lee for his brilliant photography. A special thanks to our parents who were so supportive throughout the season and models of sportsmanship and to our team members who made the season one of the best ever with their work ethics, manners, and sportsmanship.



Finally, the boys finished $2^{\text {nd }}$ at the champs with 69 points with St. Joseph Cathedral (Randy Starr, coach) at 54 points. 12 teams, 118 runners. Our order was:

| Ben Breitweiser | $4^{\text {th }}$ | $9: 11.6$ |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Manny Garcia | $5^{\text {th }}$ | $9: 14.0$ |
| Cameron Fuller | $11^{\text {th }}$ | $9: 25.9$ |
| Jacob Sykuta | $239: 49.0$ |  |
| Braden Smith | $269: 53.2$ |  |
| Vincent Elfrink | $3710: 22.3$ |  |

The CTC girls were:
Ji-Sung Lee $\quad 5^{\text {th }} 10: 06.9$
Emma Tatlow 32 11:13.3
Dick Hessler
Beth Luebbering


## Nut Race Cancelled!!!

## Due to unfortunate weather the February 1st Nut Race was cancelled and will not be rescheduled. So for your information here is Joe Duncan's history of the event.

I looked back into the archives and determined that the ' 14 Nut Race would have been the 39th annual. The first one was at Reactor Park, March 6, 1976, the same course as now and every year in between. It first became known as the "nut race" for the March 4, 1978 event when the race was sponsored by the Mound City Shelled Nut Co. and was called the Mound City Shelled Nut Race. And, of course there was immediately the allusion to a bunch of nuts whom would do this sort of thing, especially when the race was moved to February, in 1986, with snow and howling winds out of the northwest more often than not.

Dick Hessler and I were both in that first one which was actually 3 miles. Dick had a PB of 16:04 (well under 17:00 for a 5 k ) I was 18:38, one of my fastest times ever for that distance, about 19:30 for 5 k . There were 22 runners and 12 walkers, who did 5 miles led by Larry Young's 37:44. Rob Spier was 52:02. Other names in the run: Stewart, Lewis, Londeree, Chippendale, Marks, Hinckley, Brown, Garverick. Doug Duncan, age 15, was in at 20:52.


## Ron Hindley Memorial Race Series 2013 Awards Presentation

Tuesday night, February 11th, was the awards ceremony at Tryathletics for the eighth annual Ron Hindley Memorial Race Series also known as the serial competition. CTC runners are awarded points over a series of races in a one year time span. The Top Ten runners at the end of the year receive a shirt, a framed certificate, and a Tryathletics gift certificate ranging from \$15-\$100 depending on their place. We thank Ron Hindley for developing and making his program available to our club. We also thank Hugh Emerson who was able to take Ron's program and make it work for us and has worked diligently on the program over the last eight years. The series seems to have gained in popularity every year and if you want information on the series go to the CTC website.

This 2013 year was historic for the competition on many levels. One of Ron's dreams for the program was that men and women could compete against one another as absolute equals as each woman is judged by the winning woman's time and each man is judged by the winning man's time. This year five of the top ten runners were women and our champion was a woman. Before this year the most women in the top ten were three and the highest finish for a woman was third. It was also the closest overall competition as only 1 point separated 3rd from 4th place and 1 point separated 4th from 5th place. In addition only 21 points separated 10th from 11th place as it was quite a scramble to get into the top ten.


Special congratulations go out to our first women's champion Nancy Taube. Nancy won the Runner's Choice 20 K in a strong 1:30:28. She was 2 nd in the Eve Fest 5 K , Nut Race 5 K , Mustang Stampede 5 K , and the Sandbagger 10K. Nancy ran a superb 20:36 in the Nut Race 5K. She raced to a very impressive time of $43: 15$ in the Prevent 10K. Nancy has now been in the Top Ten four times with a previous highest finish of 3rd in 2009.

Just 30 points behind in 2 nd place is Andy Emerson. Andy was 2 nd in the Mustang Stampede 5 k , 6 th in the St. Patrick's Day 5K, 10th in the HOA marathon in 3:04:34 and 4th in the Runner's Choice 20K. Andy has appeared in the Top Ten every year and has been the champion three times.

Phil Schaefer finished in 3rd place. He had another strong year with a 3:21:59 HOA marathon and two 41 minute 10Ks in the Great Sandbagger and Prevent races. Phil has finished in the Top Ten four times and was our initial champion in 2006.

Just 1 point behind in 4th place is Hugh Emerson. Hugh had strong races in the Prevent 5K and the Runner's Choice 20K. Hugh has finished in the Top Ten every year with 5 top five finishes and was 2nd in 2010.

Again only 1 point behind in 5 th place is Nick Thurwanger. Nick ran a $20: 155 \mathrm{~K}$ on a cold, rainy day at the Mustang Stampede 5K and just missed breaking 4 hours in the HOA marathon. Nick moved up in the standings as he debuted in the Top Ten last year with a 10th place finish.

Katie Hauser's first appearance in the Top Ten in 6th place is very impressive. She achieved a mean score of 99 which must be a record for the series. Katie won the Cheese and Sauerkraut 10 mile, Prevent 10K, Great Sandbagger 10K, Mustang Stampede 5K, Nut Race 5K with an 18:48 time, and was 2nd in the St. Patrick's Day 5K.

Dan Edidin, who had one previous appearance in the Top Ten, finished in 7th place with a very strong racing season. He won the Cheese and Sauerkraut 10 mile in an impressive 1:03:06, was 2nd in the Eve Fest 5K, and 3rd in both the Runner's Choice 10K and the St. Patrick's Day 5K.

Mary Ellen Bradshaw completed another fine year with an 8th place finish. Mary Ellen was 3rd in the Runner's Choice 10K, 4th in the Mustang Stampede 5K, and kept her string of great HOA marathons going. Mary Ellen has been in the Top Ten for seven of the eight years with a 3rd place finish in 2011.

Christina Ramirez made her first appearance in the Top Ten with a 9th place finish. Christina was 2nd in the Runner's Choice 10K and had a great 3:42:44 HOA marathon.

Lisa Wells grabbed 10th place with a fantastic 3:56:39 HOA marathon, a 3rd place in the Runner's Choice 20K, and a 4th place finish in the Cheese and Sauerkraut 10 mile. Lisa has returned to the Top Ten for the first time since her 9th place finish in the initial year of the series in 2006. In 2007 she narrowly missed out on the Top Ten when she finished in 11th place just behind Alex Chavez. Ron Hindley wrote about Alex barely holding off Lisa in one of his newsletter articles while invoking a medieval battle between the English and the French. Look it up by clicking on Members and then clicking on the February 2008 newsletter in the newsletter archives that Hugh Emerson carefully maintains for us on the CTC website. The Ron Hindley article is after the awards ceremony article. I say all that to give Tony Taube encouragement because he finished in 11th place only 21 points behind Lisa.
Big thanks to our CTC president, Beth Luebbering, and to Steve Stonecipher-Fisher of Tryathletics for bringing all of this together.

The 2014 Ron Hindley Memorial Racing Series is already underway so good luck to all as you pursue being in the Top Ten. Kevin Tyler

## Non-CTC Events

## Rock $n$ Roll Marathon and Half Marathon <br> January 19, 2014 <br> Tempe, Arizona

There were 25,000 runners from all fifty states and three runners were representing CTC in Arizona.
Brad and Kim Earnest ran the Half Marathon. Brad ran a 1:36:47 and Kim ran a 1:37:09. They went out early to Arizona before the race and spent some time in Sedona and at the Grand Canyon. They said it was a great destination race.

Nancy Rezabek was in the medical tent at the finish line and they were busy when the first runners started coming thru until about six hours later! She says "it was the most fun she has had since they arrived in Arizona in November."


## Rocky Raccoon <br> February 182 Houston, TX

Matt Laye, former CTC member and winner of the 2008 HOA, won the Rocky Raccoon, USTAF 100 Mile Trail Championship February $1 \& 2$ on a fairly flat 5-lap, 20-mile loop course around Huntsville State Park, north of Houston, TX, with a time of 13:17:42, the 4th fastest time in the 22 year history of the race. This was Matt's first 100-Miler which means he came in as a real dark horse and had people wondering Matt who? He's now running out of Sausalito, CA. with the West Valley TC. Representing CTC were 3 other HOA veterans: Jordan Derose and Haley Schwartz,
 running together just as they did in the ' 13 HOA , finished in 23:26:11 to get the coveted sub-24 hour buckle and John Adams, 27:23:10.

## WIN Awards

## February 20

Columbia, MO
Columbia Track Club members win big at WIN, Columbia's Women's Intersport Network. Patt Okker
 received the Gladys Stankowski Sportswoman of the Year and Tom LaFontaine received the Kent Heitholt Memorial Award at the 17th Annual WIN Awards Luncheon, Feb. 20th. Congrats!

# Heartland Paddler announces the $6^{\text {th }}$ Annual Perche Creek Gutbuster April 5, 2014-11:00am Providence Fishing Access, Columbia, MO 

This race is open to beginners and experienced paddlers alike.
Class 1 water 8 -mile two-loop course

Classes:
Solo Surfski - M\&M (mix and match)
Solo Unlimited (any boat, any length)- M\&M (mix and match)
USCA C1 - M\&M (mix and match)
USCA C2 - Men
USCA C2 - Mixed
Kayak (up to $\mathbf{1 8}^{\prime}$ ) - Men
Kayak (up to 18 ') - Women
Team (3-5 people) - M\&M (mix and match)
SUP - Men
SUP - Women
Tandem Unlimited - M\&M (mix and match)
2 New Classes!
Builders Class - You build it, you race it - a chance to show off your handiwork!
Stock Canoe - Under 18' - M\&M (mix and match)
Unique trophies
Lunch provided by Jimmy Johns
Refreshments (nutritional cookies, home made Twinkies)
Drawings for paddling gear
Registration - from now till race day! \$25/paddler (PayPal, cash, check - sorry, no Bitcoin or Confederate money)

> Questions? Charlie - cnlockwood@charter.net or 573-442-7109

# The Super Scout 5K Presented by Commerce Bank March 8, 2014 9:00 AM 

## Commerce Bank

This event will raise money for Cub Scout Pack 733 at Shepard Elementary School in Columbia. In addition, Pack 733 has a goal of raising seven hundred and thirty three (733) pounds of food for their share of the BSA "Scouting for Food" program to help The Food Bank for Central and Northeast Missouri. To collect 733 pounds of food for the Food Bank, Scouts are encouraging all participants to donate five (5) cans of food or jars of peanut butter. The event is open to all, not just scouts, and will kick off at 9:00 a.m. on the road in front of the school.

Come to Shepard Elementary School and help Cub Scout Pack 733 collect 733 pounds of food for The Food Bank for Central and Northeast Missouri. Overall winners receive BSA popcorn. Race finishers receive the exclusive Super Scout 5K patch. All entrants receive a race $t$-shirt.

## Why Run?

1. To support The Food Bank for Central and Northeast Missouri
2. To fulfill your New Year's resolution
3. To eam the exclusive Super Scout 5 K finisher patch
4. To run fast and earn a Cub Scout age group winner's medal

## Friday March $7^{\text {th }}$



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4:00 to 7:00 pm Packet Pick up Shepard Elementary School Lobby

## Saturday March $8^{\text {th }}$

| 7:00 to 8:30 am | Late Registration | Shepard Elementary School Lobby |
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| 9:00 am | 5 K run/ walk starts | Shepard Boulevard |
| 10:00/10:15 am | Awards and thank you |  |
| Awards: |  |  |

The first 200 finishers will receive a custom Super Scout 5 K patch. The overall male and female winners will receive a large box of BSA popcorn. The top three finishers in the following age groups will receive a winner's medal.

Awards for 1 st, 2nd, and $3^{\text {rd }}$ place for male and female winners in the following age groups: 7 and under; 8-9; 10$11 ; 12-14 ; 15-19 ; 20-29 ; 30-39,40-49 ; 50-59,60+$.

## What's prohibited:

Unregistered runners, unauthorized vehicles, bicycles, roller skates, roller blades, skateboards and runners with pets are strictly prohibited to assure runner safety and to comply with liability insurance requirements. Strollers and baby-joggers are only allowed for the 5 k race and must start in the back.

Questions? Email your questions to SuperScout5K@gmail.com
Important information and updates are posted on our Face Book page at "Super Scout 5K".


Start Time: 8 a.m., Saturday, March 15
Start: $6^{\text {th }}$ Street at Ash Street USATF Certified Course \#MO07062BG
Run Headquarters:
Boone County Government Center Downtown Columbia

## Entry Fee:

$\$ 20$ on or before $3 / 12$
\$25 on 3/13 \& 3/14
$\$ 30$ race day registration
Ages 12 and under $\$ 10$
T-shirts guaranteed to first 400 entrants
Check payable to: Columbia Track Club
Register online at http://www.runrace.net or http://www.columbiatrackclub.com on or before 3/12
Mayor's Mile for kids under 12 at 9 a.m.
Free - all finishers receive a ribbon.
Registration Deadline:
You may register at Tryathletics until March 14, 7pm
Or morning of event at race headquarters
AVOID RACE DAY REGISTRATION IF AT ALL POSSIBLE!

Run Packets:
Run packets may be picked up at Tryathletics, 1605 Chapel Hill Road, from 4 p.m. to 7 p.m. on Friday, March 14
Runners unable to pick up their packets Friday may do so on the day of the run from 6:45 to 7:30 a.m. at run headquarters. Participants will forfeit their tshirts if they do not pick up packets during these times.

Run Procedures:
Please be at the starting line by 7:45 a.m.
Walkers should start near the back.
NO PETS, STROLLERS or HEADPHONES
Awards:
Ceremony will be at run headquarters following the run. Awards will be presented to $1^{\text {tt }}, 2^{\text {nd }}$ and $3^{\text {ra }}$ place finishers in each age division and will be based on gun time. The overall male and female winner will receive a $\$ 100$ gift certificate toward a pair of New Balance running shoes at Tryathletics.

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## St. Patrick's Day 5K

Columbia, MO


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## New Policy

The Columbia Track Club is instituting a new policy for use of its racing equipment. If you are a Columbia Track Club member you can borrow the CTC's equipment for your races as long as the CTC does not have a scheduled race for that weekend or as long as someone has not already reserved it. You need to contact Columbia Track Club President Beth Luebbering (bal2run@hotmail.com 573-291-4391) at least 2 weeks prior to your event for approval of use of the equipment. Either Beth or Nancy Rezabek will meet with you at Tryathletics to check out the equipment. The majority of CTC's equipment can be used for free however there are 2 items that will require a security deposit. If you want to use either the race clock or the inflatable finish line you will need to place a $\$ 200$ security deposit down when you pick up the equipment. You will receive $\$ 150$ of that deposit back as long as the items are returned in their original condition.

## COLUMBIA TRACK CLUB

## CMembership information



If you run, jog or walk, CTC is for you!

CTC offers events for people of all ages and abilities.

## What we do:

Our aims are health, fitness and fun. We are a feel-good club. Usually, we run-jog-walk just for our own good, and we have plenty of activities for that indulgence. But as a club, we do a lot of other nice things:

- Summer Youth Program: This five-week program stresses personal improvement for kids ages 4 to 16. From June to July, more than 400 youngsters compete in running and walking events (ranging from 200 meters to three miles) and field events.
- CTC Colts: The Colts are a competitive running team for kids ages 5 to16. The team practices together once a week in the spring and competes in the ShowMe State Games in July. They also run cross country in the fall.
- Scholarships: CTC awards \$500 to $\$ 1000$ scholarships to CTC members from area high schools each year. The scholarships are funded by club memberships, club sponsored events and private donations.
- Community goodwill: In 2001, CTC donated a water fountain to the MKT trailhead at Scott Boulevard. In addition, CTC lends a helping hand to several hospitals and charitable organizations, including the Arthritis Foundation and the Central Missouri Food Bank.


## What's in it for you:

- As a member you'll receive a newsletter highlighting the activities of the club, race results and area running and walking events.
- Awards are presented to individuals for their participation and achievement in various races.
- Limited funding is available to members for traveling expenses, as approved by the CTC Board of Directors. Funding is also available for education conducted by USA Track \& Field.
- A discount is offered to CTC members at Tryathletics.


## The Club:

Established in 1968, CTC is a not-for-profit organization that supports the competitive and recreational athlete. We are a member of the

To join: Annual dues are $\$ 20$, which covers all family members in the same household. Additional donations are welcome for the scholarship or equipment enhancement funds. Membership runs from January through December.

Please send your name, address, phone number, birth date, email and a list of all family members at this address, with your check to:

Columbia Track Club
P.O. Box 1872

Columbia, MO 65205

Missouri Valley Association of USA Track \& Field, the governing body of track and field, racewalking and distance running.
The Columbia Track Club was awarded the 1999 Governor's Fitness and Health Leadership Platinum Organization Award, which recognized the club's focus on youth and community involvement.

## Information:

Want to know more? Contact CTC president Beth Luebbering (bal2run@hotmail.com) or visit ColumbiaTrackClub.com.

## 2014 Columbia Track Club Schedule 2014

| Date | Time | Event | Fee | Race Director | Start Location |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| March 15 | 8 a.m. | St. Patrick's Day 5K *\# | $\begin{aligned} & \$ 20 \\ & \$ 10(<12) \end{aligned}$ | Steve Stonecipher-Fisher, 447-2453,Tryathletics@gmail.com | Courthouse Square |
| April 26 | 8 a.m. | Mustang Stampede 5K * | $\begin{aligned} & \$ 25 \\ & \$ 5(<18) \end{aligned}$ | Jeff Wenzel, hzwst27@aol.com Angela Pigg, apigg11@gmail.com | Blue Ridge Elementary |
| June 4 to <br> July 2 | 6 p.m. | Summer Youth Program (every Wednesday for five weeks) | \$1 | Dick Hessler, 874-2906,HesslerR@missouri.edu | Rock Bridge School Track |
| July 4 | 7:30 a.m. | Parley P. Pratt <br> Memorial Freedom Run 4-Mile * | Shirt fee | Newell Kitchen, 228-0879,KitchenN@missouri.edu | Twin Lakes Pavilion |
| Aug. 2 | 7 a.m. | Great Sandbagger 10K* | $\begin{aligned} & \$ 0 \text { (CTC) } \\ & \$ 3 \end{aligned}$ | Joe Duncan, 445-2684,jocar2605@centurytel.net | Mill Creek Elementary |
| Sept. 1 | 6 a.m. | 55th Annual <br> Heart of America marathon *\# | \$45 | Joe Duncan, 445-2684,jocar2605@centurytel.net | Stadium Blvd. at Hearnes Center |
| Oct. 4 | 8 a.m. | Rock Bridge Revenge 7-Mile/25K * | $\begin{aligned} & \$ 25(7 \mathrm{~m}) \\ & \$ 35 \end{aligned}$ | Jeff Wells 446-0717,lisawellslisa@aol.com | Rock Bridge State Park |
| Oct. 18 | 8:30 a.m. | Prevent 5K/10K * | $\begin{aligned} & \$ 20(5 \mathrm{~K}) \\ & \$ 25 \end{aligned}$ | Ryan Hauser, 234-8815,ic_monavie@hotmail.com | MKT at Scott Blvd. |
| Oct. 19 | 7 a.m. | Courthouse to Capitol Charity Ultramarathon* \& Relay (39 miles) | \$60 | Darrin Young, 999-3838, challengesbychoice.com | Courthouse Building, Columbia |
| Nov. 3 | 7 p.m. | CTC Annual Meeting |  | Beth Luebbering, | Daniel Boone Library |
| Nov. 8 | 8 a.m. | Hunger Run 5K/10K* | $\begin{aligned} & \$ 25 \\ & \$ 15(<12) \end{aligned}$ | Steve Stonecipher-Fisher 447-2453,Tryathletics@gmail.com | Central Missouri Food Bank |
| Dec. 6 | 8:30 a.m. | Cheese \& Sauerkraut 10-Mile * | $\begin{aligned} & \$ 0 \text { (СТС) } \\ & \$ 3 \end{aligned}$ | Dick Hessler, Randy Gay 874-2906,HesslerR@missouri.edu | Katy Trail at McBaine |
| Dec. 31 | 4 p.m. | Columbia Eve Fest 5K *\# | $\begin{aligned} & \$ 25 \\ & \$ 15(<12) \end{aligned}$ | Linda LaFontaine, 442-2581,linlafontaine@aol.com | CyclExtreme |
| March 29 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { 10:00 } \\ & \text { a.m. } \end{aligned}$ | Samantha Folkemer 5K | \$20 | Kristin Underwood, 785-806-3108,kau001@gmail.com | Stephens Lake Park |
| April 5 | 8 a.m. | Head for the Cure 5K | \$20 | Patrick Hanson, 268-1409, | Flat Branch Park |
| May 8 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { 6:00 p.m. } \\ & \text { 7:15 p.m. } \end{aligned}$ | Lee Pfefer Memorial WellAware 5K \# Kid's on Track | $\begin{aligned} & \$ 20 \\ & \$ 0 \end{aligned}$ | Jeff Zimmermann, 815-3262,jaz7557@bjc.org | Stephens Lake Park |
| June 1 | 8:00 a.m. | Jeff Shikles Memorial 8K | \$20 | Tom Kulowiec, <br> Tom.kulowiec@mdc.mo.gov | Gentry Middle School |
| $\begin{aligned} & \text { June 21- } \\ & 22 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { 7:30 a.m. } \\ & \text { 7:30 a.m. } \end{aligned}$ | Show-Me State Senior Games 5K \# <br> Show-Me State Senior Games 10K \# | \$20 | Lisa Wells, 446-0717, lisawellslisa@aol.com | Bethel Park |
| July 27 | 8 a.m. | Show-Me State Games 5K/10K \# | \$20 | Lisa Wells, 446-0717, lisawellslisa@aol.com | Bethel Park |
| Sept. 27 | 7 a.m. | Roots N Blues Half Marathon \& 10K | TBA | Patrick Hanson, 268-1409, | Flat Branch Park |

[^1]For a more complete calendar of events, please visit columbiatrackclub.com.

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NAME: $\qquad$ BIRTHDATE: $\qquad$
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CITY: $\qquad$ STATE: $\qquad$ ZIP: $\qquad$
PHONE: $\qquad$
E-MAIL: $\qquad$ Would you like to be e-mailed about upcoming CTC events? Y N

Members of family at this address and their birthdates:

Annual fees are $\$ 20$, which cover all family members living in the same household. Additional donations are welcome and will be used for the scholarship fund or equipment enhancement.

Please make checks payable to COLUMBIA TRACK CLUB and send to:
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[^1]:    * Serial Competition Events (see website for details) \# Certified course

