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President's Message

Spring has finally begun to surface after a long hard winter. Boston Marathon times will probably reflect the harshness of the winter with slower finishing times.

Team awards took place on March 27 for both youth, adults, and volunteers. Our special guest speaker was John Treacy, 1984 Olympic Silver Medalist and two time World Cross Country Champion. He joked and picked on a few people, including me, and spoke of the four Olympics in which he has participated. He also passed around his Olympic and World Cross Country medals so everyone could see them up close. Judging from the applause a good time was had by all.

Bo Bevis was our female runner-of-theyear and Tom Carroll and Stoddard Melhado shared male runner-ofthe-year honors. Jerry Rosa was selected as our most improved runner for 1992. For those who did not



Bill Smith

attend, you missed a great time. Please plan on attending next year.

We're two races into the 1993 NEAC Grand Prix and we have started off with a bang! At the 30K Championship, we had 60 competitors and at the New Bedford Half Marathon, 55 runners represented the GREEN. We were the only club to field a team in every division with every team scoring -- quite an accomplishment. Currently, we are first in three divisions. second in two, and fifth in the other.

(Standings are listed elsewhere in *Starting Lines*.) This is what team running is all about, let's continue to keep the GREEN teams rolling. The next two NEAC races are the Riverside Twilight 8K (May 23) and the Winthrop Hospital 10K (June 6).

Don't forget about the Hynes' Race rescheduled for May 2 and the Therafit Town & Country 5K/10K on May 30. Volunteers are needed for both races. If you can help out, please call the club phone 508/957-6447 leave your name and phone number, someone will contact you. The Town & Country supports our racing teams.

On page 30 is a listing of point totals for the GLRR Grand Prix. If you ran either race and don't see your name, let me know. Good luck with your spring racing and wear your GREEN! -- Bill Smith

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Saturday, May 8

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Battle Road Run 10K, Concord to Hanscomb AFB, 617/271-8426
Clinton Tribune 5M, Clinton, MA, 508/368-0176
Don't Break a Mother Heart 5M, Medford, MA, 617/932-9393

Sunday, May 9

Walter Childs Race of Champions Marathon, Holyoke, MA 413/734-0955

Saturday, May 15

Fred Slavin 5M, Lowell, MA, Application on page 7

Sunday, May 16

Charles River Run 7M, Brighton, MA 617/266-4250 Lawrence Elks 10K, Lawrence, MA Great Bear Run 5K/10K/1M, Needham, MA 617/449-4954

Wednesday, May 19

Run for the Roses 5KM, all women, Salisbury, MA 508/465-9924

Saturday, May 22

Bedford Rotary 12K/2.5M, Bedford, NH, 603/669-1329 Wings Beneath My Feet 5M/1M, Waltham, MA, 617/893-5621 (see pg 31) Shaker 7, Enfield, NH, 603/469-3262

Sunday, May 23

Riverside Twilight 8K/NEAC Championship, Agawam, MA, 413/786-9300 Reading Rotary 5M, Reading, MA, 617/944-1141

Friday, May 28

Centennial Park Classic 4.5M, Peabody, MA, 617/593-2098

Saturday, May 29

Hollis Memorial Day 5K, Hollis, NH, 603/880-9479 (see pg 22)

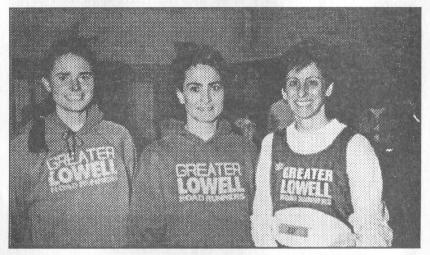
Sunday, May 30

Town & Country 5K/10K, Lowell, MA, 508/957-6447

Monday, May 31

Sports Medicine 5M, Johnston, RI, application on page 16 Arlington Memorial Day 5K/10K, Arlington, MA, 617/641-5492

GLRR at NEAC 30KM Championship



Gold Medal Team

Kara Molloy, Sue Trudel, and Lisa Senatore led the GLRR to a first place finish in the female team category. Lisa was the overall race winner.



Silver Medalist

Sue Maslowski, Barbara Kimball, and Jean Boswell led the GREEN to a second place team title in the female masters' category.

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Those Days After....

Well, it's Monday and here I am back out on the roads again... A mere twenty-four hours ago I was part of that mass of humanity which looks forward to Sunday as a sacred day of worship. Yes, a day in which many true believers are hungry for the opportunity to sacrifice their bodies for some action out there on the local road racing scene. Whether you've run poorly or run well, those first few days of training after a big race are always a time for reflection. Your brain seems to get jammed in an instant replay mode. The freshly laid memory keeps skipping and playing itself over and over in your head like a broken record.

Success is obviously a subjective term which can can be defined by a broad range of parameters from winning a race, to setting a PR, or to just merely surviving. When you achieve a particular goal or really blow it out of the water, those first

few days of training which follow, sure come easy. Although your body is totally wiped out and there's a raging downpour outside, your head may be so far up there in the clouds that it's impossible to stop yourself from heading out there for a few easy miles. The surge of motivation which results from accomplishing what you set out to do is a powerful. addictive force. These days after make all those hard training miles seem worthwhile, so savor them because they won't last forever...

Just as success may seem ever so sweet. there's nothing like the bad taste that's left in your mouth after a poor performance. especially after months and months of training and preparation. I can remember shuddering as I watched my friends drop out of the Boston Marathon. crawling their way off the course in Cleveland Circle, after toiling over twenty milers in the frigid



Dave Kromer

weather all winter long. If only one could reverse time by twenty-four hours and go back to that point in time where things first started to unravel. If only you'd gone out a little slower, or drunk a little more water, or tapered a little more the week before the race, things might have turned out differently... On these first few days after, the distance between your present state of mind and redemption might seem like infinity. But thanks to the powers of rationalization, within a few days the internal cleansing process begins to wash that bad taste away and you begin to start to thinking about your next race....

The mood of those first few training runs following a big race

can get amplified way out of proportion when you do your training in a group. Heading out for a run in a large pack the day after a race can set the stage for limitless analysis of your race as well as everyone else's. In this particular setting the saying that " you can run but you can't hide "holds true. Those who ran well. can coast along for the ride and fantasize about an endless string of PRs, while others who fell apart, crashed and burned, will be doing otherwise. The local shrink would tell these guys that yes, to talk about such things and to open up your soul is surely the quickest path to mental health, but take my advice and do your running on your own on these days after.

So what went wrong? Maybe it's all a matter of your training? Maybe you did too many long runs and were overtrained? Perhaps you need to get back to the track after all these years and sign up for the two mile series? Maybe you should be doing three speed work-outs a week instead of two? Perhaps you haven't been doing enough hill work? Maybe it was all that marathon training that messed you up? Maybe you're getting too old for all this? You'd be smart to wait a few days and let vour head clear before drawing any major conclusions about the effect your training had on your race performance. Second quessing yourself about your training immediately following a bad race is

definitely one of the most common post race ruts one can fall into on those first few days after.

Although your finishing time or place may be your primary focus in a serious racing effort, the strategy which you employ can also leave a lasting impression. Let's face it, the "C" (choke) word is ingrained in the brain of virtually every young athletic hopeful from the moment he or she first ventures into the world of organized sports. I'm sure at one time or another, we've all had the experience of being locked into one of those mid-race, seesaw battles with a fellow competitor which can be so frustrating that they overshadow the entire race. Sometimes these duels are so competitive that final resolution can be reached only as a result of a flat out, dead sprint to the finish line. There are times when you play the stalker and methodically pick off others who went out too fast, and other



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1992 Mill Cities Relay

Someone once said, "that good things happen to good people." If that statement is true, then the Merrimack Valley running community must have behaved especially well during 1992. Witness the 1992 Mill Cities Relay.

A bank clock in Hudson noted, as the record field of 98 teams crossed the Nashua Bridge, that it was 8:00 A.M. and a brisk 18-degrees. Thankfully the gusty winds were tail winds. Runners from the ten participating Valley clubs were dressed in a rainbow of club colors. Support vehicles with heaters on full bore and windows opened followed kibitzing and exalting teammates along.

This year's field was larger because of the addition of a couple of new invited clubs. The larger field made the race one of the most unpredictable and competitive to date. Most of the veteran race seers

were reduced to bemoaning "Who the hell knows what place my team is in never mind anyone else's team." This was considered a real coup by the race committee.

As always with an event of this magnitude, major thanks and recognition must be noted to a large contingent of folks. including, but not limited to: Nashua YMCA, NH REACT, Greater Lawrence Voke School, KASE Printing, Julie Crocker (she designed the sweatshirt), and most importantly our new host the Lawrence Elks.

We set records in several areas including consumption of soda, beer, food, but more impressively in scoring the race itself. By one o'clock, not only had the results been tabulated and the awards ceremony completed, but we were well on the way to having distributed to the entire field their coveted "Mill Cities Relay Brick."



Jack Pierce

We continued with our recent tradition of recognizing the presidents of the ten participating club for all their hard work of supporting the local running community. Each president was awarded a MCR sweatshirt. May they all be warmed by them for years to come for surely they have earned them. While on the subject of shirts, there can be no question that last year's were by far the shirt-of-the-year in the Merrimack Valley.

The news keeps getting better. Your race committee is hard at work ensuring that

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Dear Charlie.

You asked for my ideas on a schedule that could get you into good shape for the 8K-10K distances toward the end of the summer. I lost your address,; therefore, I am sending the ideas via *Starting Lines*. (This is with a special request for a larger font size in deference to our maturity.)

[Excuse me, Charlie. This guy is bugging me. Hey, you! You are a master. This letter is private, for a senior. Go look for Elvis at the mall. Sorry about the snoops, Charlie. Back to the issue.]

We are still working stiffs and cannot adhere to the schedule that says "during the Tuesday A.M., do . . . " so the plan is flexible. Also, we travel a bit, so the days are not prescribed either. Finally, we can use the intellectual stimulus to figure out how to put so many eggs in a basket, so the weekly jumbling is up to you as well.

Here goes.

[Excuse me, Charlie. Hey, you sweetie! This is man-to-man stuff. Don't you have something better to do. We need our space, too.]

As I was saying. Stare at a calendar and focus on May-June-July-August. About 18 weeks, depending when your week starts. First, give yourself two of those weeks for whatever. Go fishing. Camp. Walk around the White Mountains. But concentrate on 16 of those weeks -- your choice.

During those 16 weeks plan to accomplish the following:

- 8 long distance workouts (>3 miles) @ 10K pace (whatever you figure that is), doing anything from mile repeats to 5K on a track.
- 8 short distance workouts (<2 miles) @ sub-5K pace, doing 220s and 100s. Yes, 100s, probably at sub-20 seconds for you. Why? Charlie, we can run long, and we can run medium. Speed is what is slipping away from us. Get the knees up. You could do these on grass, barefoot and barebuns if you please!
- 8 tempo/farlek/hill/wood runs. 6-8 miles at a brisk pace (again, whatever that feels like to you) at some speed slower that an medium 10K pace. No stops.

[Alright, this is getting out of hand. First the masters, now the "boomlets of the boomers." Now you young folks. Get outta here! Go listen to music by someone who is not dead yet. "Yeh, race in the fall, and that

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Where's The GREEN?

New member and senior runner Ted Washburn was out winning races for the GREEN. Ted finished first in his division at both the Marlboro Hospital 10K with a time of 39:39 (March 28) and the Groton 10K with a time of 39:26 (April 4).

Don Aker of Chelmsford appropriately represented the GREEN at the St. Patrick's 10K in Holyoke on March 20. Don ran a fine 46:18.

Not be outdone, Bob Grande brought the GREEN to the Shamrock Marathon at Virginia Beach, VA. Bob says he "held up the back with a 4:14." This was Bob's thirtieth marathon in his twentieth state. Bob has "Grande" plans -- he'll be running the Big Sur Marathon in California next.

Inquiring minds want to know where and how GLRR members are racing. We would like to print all your race times. To do this successfully we need you to supply us your racing information. We have simplified the process through the use of the club phone. Each time you race, call the club phone (508/957-6447), at the main menu press touch tone 7, you will be prompted to leave your name, the name of the race, your time, your finishing place, and the date of the race. It's that easy, just ask Ted Washburn!



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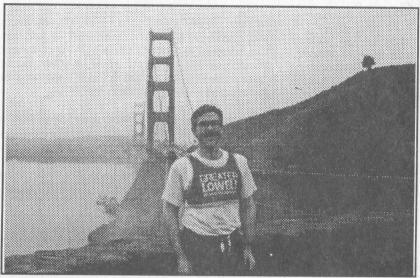
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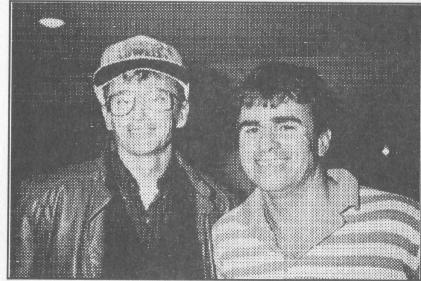
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Here's The GREEN!



Green and Golden -- Dave Tyler recently brought the GREEN to the San Francisco Bay Area and to the Golden Gate Bridge.



Here's More GREEN? -- At the GLRR Awards' Banquet in the form of Irish Olympian John Treacy pictured here with Bill Smith.

Here's The Green?

Traveling to a far away land or planning a vacation in another state. Let us know about it. In each issue of Starting Lines we publish photographs of members wearing the GREEN GLRR singlet outside of New England. Try and take your photos near something that distinguishes your location. Recognizable landmarks are the best. The more unusual the better. Send your color or black and white photos to: Here's The GREEN, 22 Winsor Drive, Dracut, MA 01826. Please include a SASE if you want your photo returned.

Kromer Continued

times when you're the one being stalked! Although running is not technically classified as a contact sport, there's an awful lot of head banging which takes place out there on the roads once that gun goes off. Winning those head to head battles and coming out of them

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Get on the GREEN Team!

Are you a competitive runner? Would you like a snazzy new Greater Lowell uniform? Would you like to represent the GREEN in a racing capacity? Would you like to help promote the club and its races while running the race? Then, apply now to participate on one or our racing teams.

We agree to run several races, ones you probably do already, and enter for team awards. It makes your races a bit more challenging. It's fun and you promote your club while you are at it. Participate! It's fun! Call me if you have questions. -- Colin Gouldson 508/256-1632

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ain't all, cause you don't do good, we gonna haul! Huuuuhh." This stuff stinks, Charlie.]

- 8 medium-to-long runs at a comfortable pace, e.g. 7:30 for you. These should be 12--15 miles, preferably in the early morn or evening.
- 8 races. Yep, 8. That's about two per month. Take one race each month seriously (minding the weather, of course) and one without much rest.

You're quick with numbers, Charlie, and have noticed that all the eights add up to 40. Could sound demanding, but you can handle that if you are doing the right pace and don't cheat on the days off. Say the four months offer 120 potential running days. By my count you have 80 days. These I would prescribe as 6-8 miles days, steady as she goes. Plus, there are the bonus days that we are not even counting.

Now, will all this get you in good shape?

[Dammit! THIS IS THE LAST STRAW! You are not even from our club. Go get your own coach. This advice will not work for you. Tchees, the noive of these New Yorkers!]

Yes, I think it will. It's the course I am following this summer and I am trying to keep up with you. Remember, Charlie, this is a secret training plan.

Good luck to both of us! Your friend, Will Mason

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the victor, rather than the victim, is certainly one of the best ways to make your training runs more enjoyable on those first few days after.

Although there are some individuals who may have repeated success in their racing exploits, there are many others whose breakthrough performances occur much less frequently. But regardless of your rate of success somehow it must be worth it, or you wouldn't have stuck with it all these years. Above and beyond your level of talent or fitness, you never know when you're going to have one of those special days where everything

seems to fall into place. Days where you run the race of your life, exceed your expectations by a long shot, and it all seems so effortless... Although days like these may occur with less frequency than you desire, those first few days after such an experience just may be enough to make it all worthwhile...



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Don't Mess With the Women's Open Team!

Move over guys, the girls in green are coming through! What a bang to the opening of the NEAC season we had in Boylston on March 7th! Lisa Senatore, in her usual style. took away first place women's overall with a 1:56:34. Kara Molloy finished seventh, second for Greater Lowell, with a 2:08:38, and Susan Trudel took tenth, third for Greater Lowell, posting a 2:14:35. In the depth of field, Jan Johnson ran 2:21:30 and Kassie Burgess, new to the team and



Jan Johnson and Sue Trudel

contagious with enthusiasm, ran 2:40:15. As we waited in the High School Gym for team honors, the air turned green as our awards rolled in, with a FIRST PLACE for the women's open team, edging the Central Mass Striders by seconds. Thanks to one and all!

Next on the lists was the NEAC Half Marathon at New Bedford on March 21st. Again, the women's team turned out in depth, but first was not meant to be ours this team. The over 1,800-runner field sported some national class, and we came in fourth. A first place tie (with BRC and CSU) is still ours, though. GLRR's first finisher was Terrianne McGettrick with a time of 1:23:50, second came Susan Trudel in 1:26:14, and third was Kara Molloy, posting a 1:28:14. Green dotted the not too distant field behind our leaders, including Michelle Alvarez, Nancy Britt, Kassie Burgess, Regina Burton, Debbie Cole, Lisa DeForge, and Jan Johnson.

The NEAC 8K is coming up on Saturday, May 23rd, in Agawam, MA where we intend to take back the full first place slot. It's a twilight race (7 P.M.) and a "flat course -- perfect for a PR." Look for the sign up sheets in the club mailing or at the next club meeting. We'll all car pool, so mark your calendars.

A warm welcome to new team members Kassie Burgess, Melanie Hire, Jackie Atherley, and Regina Burton. That's it for now, good luck to all running Boston!

Trophies to first three finishers in the

following categories
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Veterans 60-over

Sub-Moster 35-39

Jack Pierce cont.

the tenth anniversary relay is the best race to date. For us to achieve this objective, each participant must remember that this is a non profit race put on for runners by runners. (Where in road running can you find a better bargain at \$5?) So this year, step up on race day and volunteer one half hour to make it the best relay ever! Also, if you have any ideas on how to improve the race, please contact GLRR Mill Cities' representative Dave Camire.

In closing, you will be pleased to hear your generosity enabled the race to contribute \$193.06 to the Lowell Sun's Santa Fund. Thank you for caring and bring a buck or two this year to help those less fortunate. Congratulations for participating and bring someone new along this year. — *Jack Pierce*

GLRR Northeast All Stars Merge

The GLRR is please to announce the merger of the Chelmsford-based Northeast All Stars with the GLRR Youth Running Team. Special thanks to Northeast founder Jesse Harris and GLRR President Bill Smith for making the merger possible. The team is open to all youths from age 6 to 18. For information on the team contact Clint O'Brien

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Lower Back Pain

Lower back pain is prevalent in both the recreational and competitive running population. It can range from an occasional dull ache to debilitating pain. In particular to runners, the' running surface, terrain, footwear, and flexibility in the lower back and legs can contribute to developing this frequently nagging problem. Certain structural and postural factors may also play a role.

The entire human body functions as a "kinetic chain" That is to say that any movement of one part of our body in space affects our whole body. The age-old adage that a chain is only as strong as its weakest link also holds true for the human body. When running, forces are generated and transmitted throughout the entire musculoskeletal system. In looking at the lower back, it provides a stable base for our upper body while allowing fluid movement of our lower body. This transition of forces places a considerable strain on the lower back muscles. If the lower back is unable

to transmit or dissipate these forces the area will become painful and inflamed. In the majority of cases involving runners, the individuals pain develops gradually and the runner can not identify any one traumatic experience. This type of pain is frequently caused by "repetitive microtrauma".

Contributing Factors Poor flexibility of the lower back, hamstrings and calf muscles will put added stress on the lower back along with limiting its ability to dissipate forces. Weakness of the quadriceps. abdominal and lower back muscles can also contribute to lower back pain. The pounding forces of running on hard surfaces or in inadequately cushioned shoes may also be a factor. Excessive hill running puts added stress on the back due to the compensatory forward (when running up hill) and backward (when running down hill) lean the body assumes when on this type of terrain.



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Preventive Measures
1) Proper stretching of
the hamstring, calf and
lower back muscles.
This should be done as
part of both your warm
up and cool down pro-

2) Start your running at a slow pace to allow your muscles to warm up and adapt to the increased demands being placed upon it.

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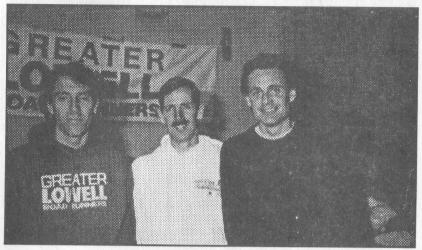
3) Avoid prolonged running on crowned surfaces which will cause uneven stress on your lower back.

4) Run in high quality, shock absorbent shoes.
5) Add abdominal and lower back strengthening exercises into you training program.

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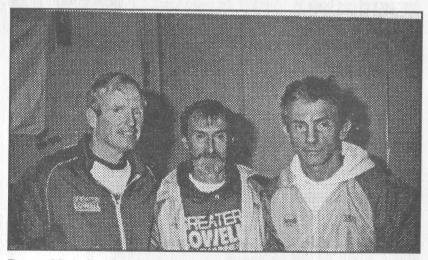
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NEAC 30K Championship



Silver Medalist Male Masters

Dave Kromer, Chip Mann, and Phil Riley led a strong GLRR team to a second place finish behind the Tri-Valley Front Runners.



Bronze Medalist Male Seniors

Jack Pierce, Bob Ludwig, and Charlie Pratt led the GLRR seniors to a third place finish in a very competitive field.

Third Annual

JAMES J. CONNOLLY MEMORIAL ROAD RACE

Woburn, Massachusetts NEAC Sanctioned 5-Mile Run Thursday, June 17, 1993 -- 6:30 P.M.

Sponsored by and Held at:
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Pre-Entry: Send entry form and \$10 (checks payable to Woburn Sports, Inc.) to Mary E. Doyle, R.M. Bradley & Co., Inc., 100 Unicorn Park Drive, Woburn, MA 01801 by 6/11/93.

Post-Entry: \$12, registration time 5:00 to 6:00 P.M.

Categories: First overall male and female receive Nike running shoes. Olympic-style medals to 1-3 male & female in the following categories: 18 & under, 19 to 39, 40 to 49, and 50 and over.

T-Shirts: First 250 entrants.

Raffle: All entrants are eligible to win a get away weekend to Mystic, CT courtesy of International Travel Agents of Woburn. Limousine service provided by Countryside Limousine. All entrants are also eligible to win prizes donated by local Woburn vendors.

Kids races begin at 6:40 p.m.! Ribbons to all participants
Computerized Timing • New Course • Frequent Water Stops
For more info, call 617/938-0718

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5KM ROAD RACE/WALK

Pancake Breakfast, Parade, & Memorial Day Observance

SATURDAY, MAY 29, 1993 -- 8:30 AM HOLLIS. NEW HAMPSHIRE

host by THE GATE CITY STRIDERS

Entry Fee: \$5 (non-refundable) by 5/15/1993

Late Entry: \$6 after 5/15/1993

T-Shirts: \$6 -- Guaranteed if ordered by 5/15

Breakfast: \$3.75 runners/walkers/\$4.75 Adults/\$2.50 Child under 12

Mile Markers • Split Times • Traffic Control • Medical Aid

Awards: Top 3 in each division 15 & under, 16-18, 19-29, 30-39, 40-

49, 50 & over. Medals to all walkers.

Directions: The Hollis Town Common is located just south of the intersection of Rtes 122 & 130. Turn left off South 122 onto Depot Rd & follow signs to parking.

Sponsored by Town of Hollis & Arthur O. Lyford, D.M.D.

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NEAC 30KM Championship

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NEAC Half-Marathon

New Bedford, MA -- March 21 (GLRR MALE FINISHERS) Eric Beauchesne 1:11:23, Phil Ribe; 1:12:46, Dave Kromer 1:14:10, Jay Jenkins 1:14:21, Stoddard Melhadol:15:06, Steve Desisto 1:15:32, Tom Carroll 1:15:49, Bob Hall 1:17:00, Dave Camire 1:18:01. Rich Keane 1:18:24. Steve Beckwith 1:19:50, Steve Peckinonis 1:19:59, Charlie Pratt 1:20:52, Ed Pancoast 1:22:11, Jack Pierce 1:22:19. Scott Merrill 1:22:20, Will Mason 1:22:46, Phil Gardella 1:23:34, Bob Ludwig 1:25:17, Jerry Rosa 1:26:14, Ted Washburn 1:26:57, John Saarinen 1:27:46, Ralph Steere 1:28:02. Dennis Leblanc 1:28:34. George Bisson 1:29:35, David Feng 1:29:56, Stephen Pepe 1:31:54, Steve Grande 1:32:34, Jack Clancy 1:33:23, Barry Pearson 1:43:20, Ernie Roy 1:53:09, Michael Pananoffsky 1:54:27, Bob Lordan 1:54:47, Sean Krasinski 2:00:35 (FEMALE FINISH-ERS) Terri Ann Mcgettrick 1:23:50, Sue Trudel 1:26:15, Kara Molloy 1:28:14, Susan Maslowski 1:29:29. Lisa Desforge 1:36:05, Kassie Burgess 1:36:47, Debra Cole 1:37:16, Regina Burton 1:37:49. Jean Boswell 1:41:32. Jan Johnson 1:42:31, Christina Bellinger 1:42:58. Michell Alvarez 1:51:32. Nancy Britt 1:52:15, Delores Sullivan 2:00:14, Sharon Cassidy 2:04:54. Elaine Pechow 2:06:54, Renee Wells 2:14:51, Hazel Palmer 2:17:00. Janet Newell 2:19:07. Leslie Lowry 2:25:19

Wang 5-Mile Heart Run

Lowell, MA - March 28, 1993 1 KEVIN CURTIN 25:08, 2 LARRY SAY-ERS 25:12, 3 ANDY BENGTSON 25:35, 4 PETERHESLAM 27:16, 5 BOB HALL 27:20. 6 DONALD NIKASEY 27:57, 7 MARK COD-DAIRE 28:12, 8 DICK MARCHAND 28:17, 9 ALLAN RUBE 29:13, 10 NANCI SIROIS 29:17, 11 EDWIN MATOS 29:30, 12 DAN DORAZIO 30:00, 13 JOHN BYRNE 30:30, 14 JOHN ERIKSSON 30:34, 15 DANTONEL-LI 30:52, 16 JEFF MORSE 31:12, 17 BAR-RY PEARSON 31:15, 18 JOHN MORRI-SON 31:24, 19 MICHAEL MADSEN 31:36. 20 SEAN KEDDIE 31:49, 21 KRISTINE NOBLE 31:54, 22 DAWN ROBERTS 32:14, 23 PETER SHAJENKO, JR. 32:28, 24 SCOTT STEVENSON 32:31, 25 ED MOLO-NEY 32:35, 26 CATHY COL 32:53, 27 JOSE MANGUAL 33:30, 28 RAYMOND DELORME 33:47, 29 REG MARDEN 33:56, 30 BOB EICHEL 34:00.31 PAUL MCKERNAN 34:06, 32 DAVE WEEKS 34:11, 33 JOHN DAVID HUTCHINSON 34:12. 34 SHAUN HAR-RINGTON 34:13, 35 JAMES RHOADES 34:17, 36 PAUL MCKERNAN 34:18, 37 BO BEVIS 34:24, 38 HERB ROBERTSON 34:31, 39 DANIEL HOUSTON 34:46, 40 DAVID HANNULA 35:05, 41 JEFFERY RHOADES 35:20, 42 BILL BREAULT 35:26, 43 KRAS-INSKI SEAN 35:31, 44 GERARD PINTAL 35:44, 45 DENNIS BEAUSOLEIL 35:48, 46 DONNA DEVEAU 36:07, 47 CHRISTINA BELLINGER 36:08, 48 MARTIN CARDOZA 36:14, 49 JOE CARROLL 36:28, 50 STEVE ZIS 36:37, 51 MAX WARD 36:46, 52 BOB MCKILLIP 36:57, 53 EUGENE FITZGER-

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NEAC Grand Prix Championship

1993 NEAC Grand Prix Standings

Male Open 1 CMS 16, 2 TVRF 13, 3 BRC 11, 4 WRT 10, 5 CSU 8, 6 GLRR 6, 9 GSH/BAA 4 Female Open 1 GLRR/BRC/CSU 13, 4 CMS 9. 5 LAC/GBTC 7. 7 GBTC 4, 8 RIRR/ BBRR 2, 10 IATC 1 **Male Masters** 1 GLRR/CMS/TVFR 10, 4 CSU 6, 5 BRC 4, 7 BAA/RIRR 1 **Female Masters** 1 GLRR/CMS 9. 3 LAC/ **GBTC 6, 5 RIRR 5, 7** CSU 3, 8 GNBTC 1 **Male Seniors** 1 BRC 6, 2 RIRR 4, GLRR 2 **Female Seniors** 1 LAC 3, 2 GLRR 2

Overall Point Totals 1 CMS 44, 2 GLRR 42, 4 BRC 34, 4 CSU 30, 5 TVFR 23,

NEAC 30K Championship Boylston — 3/7/93

Male Open 1 CMS 5:08:34, 2 TVFR 5:22:47, 3 WRT 5:24:04, 4 GLRR 5:26:42 (Eric Beauchesne, Phil Riley, Dave Kromer), 5 BRC 5:28:42, 6 CSU 5:36:52, 7 GSH 5:43:20, 8 BAA 5:49:17 Female Open 1 GLRR 6:19:47 (Lisa Senatore, Kara Molloy, Sue Trudel), 2 CSU 6:20:14, 3 CMS 6:39:37, 4 BRC 6:46:25, 5 GBTC 7:20:50, 6 LAC 7:54:03, 8 BBRR 8:44:29 **Male Masters** 1 TVFR 5:33:11, 2 GLRR 5:34:32 (Phil Riley, Dave Kromer, Chip Mann), 3 CMS 5:36:58, 4 CSU 5:51:05, 5 BRC 6:00:29, 6 RIRR 6:11:25 **Female Masters** 1 GBTC 7:24:30, 2 GLRR 7:28:36 (Sue Maslowski, Barbara Kimball, Jean Boswell), 3 LAC 7:54:03, 4 CMS 8:09:17 **Male Seniors** 1 BRC 6:10:17, 2 RIRR 6:11:25, 3 GLRR 6:14:00 (Charlie Pratt, Jack Pierce, Bob Ludwig), 4 MRR 6:40:11.5 CMS 7:02:06, 6 BAA 7:27:19

NEAC Half-Marathon Championship New Bedford — 3/21/93

Male Open 1 CMS 1:05:02, 2 BRC 5:48:23, 3 TVFR 5:55:06, 4 WRT 6:04:13, 5 GLRR 6:08:12 (Eric Beauchesne, Phil Riley, Dave Kromer, Jay Jenkins, Stoddard Melhaldo), 6 CSU 5:59:44, 7 BAA 6:06:14, 8 GSH 6:06:19 Female Open 1 BRC 4:06:14, 2 GNBTC 4:11:30, 3 CSU 4:13:14, 4 GLRR 4:18:19 (Terri Ann McGettrick, Susan Trudel, Kara Molloy), 5 LAC 4:18:19, 6 CMS 4:19:47. 7 RIRR 4:21:14, 8 IATC 4:43:06 **Male Masters** 1 CMS 6:06:18, 2 GLRR 6:11:55 (Phil Riley, Dave Kromer, Jay Jenkins, Stoddard Melhaldo, Steve Desisto), 3 TVFR 6:16:40, 4 CSU 6:24:25, 5 BRC 6:48:41, 6 BAA 6:55:17 **Female Masters** 1 CMS 4:29:29, 2 RIRR 4:37:36, 3 GLRR 4:49:17 (Sue Maslowski, Barbara Kimball, Jean Boswell), 4 CSU 4:55:14, 5 GNBTC 5:06:35 **Male Seniors** 1 BRC 4:01:41, 2 RIRR 4:02:16, 3 GLRR 4:05:57 (Charlie Pratt, Jack Pierce, Will Mason) **Female Seniors** 1 LAC 5:02::42, 2 GLRR 6:36:21 (Delores Sullivan, Hazel Palmer,

Janet Newell)

GLRR Trivia Test

- Within two years, what year did the Fudge Winter Series start?
- Where was the original starting line of the "Run Your Turkey Off Race" during its first two years of existence.
- 3. The first two Jim Witt 5 mile road races were run entirely through the Highland section of Lowell. In 1986 the course was changed so it was run on both sides of the Merrimack River. What made this possible?
- 4. For the first two years of the Hynes Road Race, where was the starting line?
- 5. In 1988 the Hynes race course was changed yet remained the same. How was this possible?
- 6. Also, in 1988, the Jim Witt course was changed just before the four mile mark for half a mile before rejoining the original course at the corner of

- Wilder and Broadway Street. Why?.
- 7. What three local 5 mile road races run on parts of each other's course? All races start in Lowell?
- 8. Who is the Fudge Winter series named after?.
- 9. In 1990, what happened to the "Run Your Turkey Off Race."
- 10. In the last year of the Dubliner Road Race in 1991, why was the course short?
- 11. When the Fudge Winter Series started, how long was the course?
- 12. The Unitarian
 Church in Chelmsford Center ran a
 road race for
 several years which
 started at 7:00 a.m.
 followed by a
 pancake breakfast.
 What was this race
 called?
- 13. This former local race always started with the Star Spangle Banner being sung. Bill Rodgers ran in this race several times.

ANSWERS

- 1. 1976
- The race started and finished at the football stadium in Lowell and ran through Tewksbury and Lowell.
- 3. The Rourke
 Bridge was built
 which allowed the
 course to cross the
 Merrimack River.
- 4. The starting line was directly in front of the Roger's School and after 100 yards, the course took a sharp right turn on to the present course;
- 5. After mile one, the course was reversed so that miles two through four were run in the opposite direction so that mile four became mile two, etc.
- 6. The bridge on Pawtucket Street over the North Canal was closed for repair and could not be crossed.
- 7. Lowell Firefighters, Hynes and Cappy's Copper Kettle.
- 8. Ben Fudge who

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PACK MONADNOCK MOUNTAIN 10-MILER

WILTON AND TEMPLE, N.H. SUNDAY JUNE 6, 1993 – 9:00 AM 2000' VERTICAL CLIMB

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Awards: Top 3 in each division 1-19, 20-24, 25-29, 30-34, 35-39, 40-44, 45-49, 50-54, 55-59, 60 & OVER

Directions: To Temple Mt. Ski Area take the Everett Turnpike to Exit 7W to Rte 101A W Parking: This is a point-to-point race. You are expected to carpool to the start, while parking most cars at Temple Mt. Ski Area for

Check-In: Temple Mt. Ski Area fomr 6:30-8:00 am. It takes 15-minutes to drive to downtown Wilton for the start.

after race. No bus service provided.

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The Grande Report

Destination: Las Vegas, Nevada

I found out three days before the Las Vegas Marathon that Jerry Rosa, Steve Pepe and their significant others would be joining me. My training for the marathon consisted of taking the "T" (as in Orange Line). My total mileage for December was about 30-miles and for January I did about 100-miles. My speedwork consisted of running five miles at a grueling eleven minutes per mile pace with Elaine Pechow.

The day before the race, I caught a Northwest flight that was overbooked. They needed passengers to give up their seats so I volunteered and received a \$300 voucher. I thought to myself, "Another free trip, Steamboat Springs, CO, here we come!" They threw-in a \$5 food coupon bonus for good measure; eat your heart out Steve Pepe.

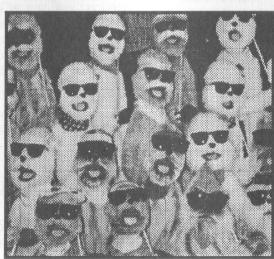
I was eating the chef's special, that just happened to be seafood fettucini (pasta loading), when I noticed another

lady having the same dish. Now that in itself was not surprising, except she found an ant in her dish and she was freaking. You know we are one of the few countries that do not partake in such delicacies. I thought it was the best part of the meal - high protein, low fat. The irony of it all, my Snicker's bar had a hair in it (Elaine's registered trademark).

Arriving at the Pepster's second home, the Ramada Inn, I bumped into the crew at the casino. After a bite to eat, we planned our strategy for the next morning. The

strategy being the timing of bathroom usage. On Saturday morning. we took the bus. It drives you to the middle of the desert and you run back. That's simple enough. The weather was cool and dry. The first three miles of the course were downhill, the next eleven were uphill, and the rest rolls before it flattens out at the end. The biggest problem is that you can see the city for the last ten miles making the last few miles seem to last forever.

Jerry broke three hours again (it's getting to be a habit). I think we should start taking wa-



Will and Stod's Fan Club

gers as to when he will go over three hours. He placed in the masters' division and received a real nice plaque (not the stuff on your teeth). The Penster finished a few minutes in front of me in 3:20-something. I finished in 3:29 and was satisfied. Jerry and I had a photo opportunity at the finish (see the last Starting Lines). We also saw the "Will Mason and Stoddard Melhaldo Fan Club" (see picture accompanying article).

The race was fairly well organized, however, the water stops could have been closer together and they had limited refreshments afterwards. At the casinos, I was feeding the nickels slots and staying "alive" while the waitress was feeding me free Gin and Tonics you gotta love it! Kathy Pepe and Marion seemed to have a heck of a good time and better luck than Jerry and the Pepster. One more state done!

Destination Florida

Greater Lowell's new master ace E. Pechow wins her age group in the SpaceCoast 5 Miler and then paces yours truly in the marathon for 20 miles. Oh, did I

mention she was armed with my four Advils, Gatorade, bananas and was riding a bike. She certainly helped me significantly—to Hell with TAC rules. The following week E. Pechow places in her age group vet again at the Merwins 5K. The course loops the Palm Beach Mall out and back through an office park. Seriously, these races in Florida are a real delight with awards in 5year age groups. Their master runners would give our boys a run for their money. A 72 year old did a 24-minute 5K. not too shabby! There were 50-year olds running in the 16's. P.S. Pete and Ben Nichols from Florida say hello to John Sutherland. --Steve Grande, GLRR Correspondent

Heart Run Continued

ALD 37:04. 54 BILL GIBLIN 37:06. 55 HAR-RY PROCTOR 37:33, 56 DAVID GLEASON 37:42, 57 MARY SEVIGNEY 38:24, 58 GER ARD DOYLE 38:46, 59 SUSAN RUBE 38:57 60 BILL CAVANAUGH 40:01, 61 PHIL VAN KEUREN 40:03. 62 MICHELLE KITCHEN 40:57, 63 MICHAEL WORMWOOD 42:00, 64 DAVID MOORE 42:02, 65 BRENDA CAR DOZA 43:48. 66 JOHN W. CODDAIRE 43:50, 67 STEVEN BERGIN 44:42, 68 CHARLES SOILES 44:43, 69 EILEEN WALSH 44:53, 70 LAMBERT ALMEIDA 46:15, 71 PAT WOJTAS 46:22, 72 LAY HONG BUTH 47:13. 73 JIM POCKETT 48:05, 74 DALE STEARNS 49:10, 75 ROB-ERT HUNTER 49:10, 76 PAUL GAUDETTE 49:10. 77 CATHIE BOLDUC 52:15

Trivia Continued

started the series so that he could race on Saturday mornings.

The race was not held because of a lack of a sponsor.

- 10. There was no race marshall at the intersection of Church and Central Street to direct the runners to take a right on Church Street and as a result, the runners continued down Central Street and thus cut off 3/10 of a mile.
- 11. 3.7 miles
- 12. Early Bird Race
- 13. Chelmsford Elks

GLRR Masters Win BAA Title

Congratulations to the GLRR male masters' team of Phil Riley (2:37), Chip Mann (2:35), and Stoddard Melhado (2:46) for capturing their second consecutive BAA Marathon team championship. This marked the second year that the BAA has recognized the male masters team category. GLRR is the only club to have ever won this prestigious title.

GLRR Grand Prix

Beauchesne, Trudel, Molloy Lead

Male Standings

Eric Beauchesne 20, Phil Riley 19, Dave Kromer 18, Stoddard Melhaldo 14, Dave Camire 12.5, Tom Carroll 12, Rich Keane 11, Bob Hall 9.5, Jay Jenkins 8.5, Don Alvey 8.5, Charlie Pratt 8.5, John Dalton 8. Steve Desisto 7.5. Steve Peterson 7.5, Chip Mann 7, Ed Pancoast 6, Steve Beckwith 5.5. Steve Peckinconis 4.5. Dave Lapierre 4. Jack Pierce 4, Arthur Demers 3.5, Scott Merrill 2.5, Will Mason 2.5, Mark Coddaire 2, Tom Doody 1.5, Philip Gordella 1.5, Bob Ludwig 1.5, George Bisson 1, David Feng 1, Michael Padodoffsky 1, John Saariner 1, Dave Audit 0.5, Scott Spence 0.5, John Piekos 0.5, John Boisson 0.5, Steve Kanaracus 0.5, Richard Marcotte 0.5, John Morrison 0.5. Jim Maines 0.5. Dan Bowse 0.5. Joe Vail 0.5, John Byrne 0.5, Dave Cunningham 0.5, Ben Fudge 0.5, Don Lambert 0.5, Richard Nadeau 0.5, Bob Hansford 0.5, Ed Brylczyk 0.5, Paul St Jean 0.5, David Hunnula 0.5, Patrick Cook 0.5, Bob Grande 0.5, Tom Amiro 0.5, Jerry Rossa 0.5, Ted Washburn 0.5, Ralph Steere 0.5, Dennis Lablanc 0.5, Steve Pepe 0.5, Jack Clancy 0.5. Barry Pearson 0.5. Ernie Roy 0.5. Bob Lordan 0.5. Sean Krasinski 0.5

Female Standings

Sue Trudel 18.5, Kara Molloy 18.5, Sue Maslowski 17, Kassie Burgess 14.5, Barbara Kimball 13.5, Jan Johnson 13, Jean Boswell 12, Lisa Senatore 10, Terri Ann Mcgettrick 10, Lisa Deforge 8, Debra Cole 7, Regina Burton 6.5, Hazel Palmer 6, Janet Newell 6, Pippa Davis 6, Christina Bellinger 4.5, Michelle Alvarez 4, Nancy Britt 3.5, Delores Sullivan 3, Sharon Cassidy 2.5, Elaine Pechow 2, Renee Wells 1.5, Leslie Lowry 0.5

Back Pain Continued

"listen" to your body. The pain that originates as a minor dull ache may develop into a chronic strain necessitating long-term rest if not managed properly. If vou experience pain with running, especially pain which increases as you run, you need to reduce your workouts accordingly. Use of ice for 6-10 minutes 4 to 5 times a day along with over the counter anti-inflammatory medication may help in reducing pain and inflammation. Gentle stretching exercises for the lower back may also help to alleviate muscle spasms. If your pain persists for greater than a week, professional assistance should be sought. Generally in the case of lower back injuries, the sooner it's treated, the quicker the recovery.

Certain congenital and/ or degenerative conditions may also be a source of lower back pain. Any pain which radiates into the buttock or leg, or associated with bowel or bladder disturbances should be referred to a physician.

GLRR YOUTH SPRING TRACK

GLRR free track practices each are held at 5:30 on Tuesday and Thursday from Chelmsford High School from 4/13/93 through 6/24/93 for ages 6-17. Emphasis is on an enjoyable experience for all youth consisting of basic instruction and training for newer participants as well as organized workouts and competitions for advanced runners. For more information, call the GLRR Youth phone at 508-957-6447. Also Clint O'Brien at 508-667-4347, Gary Bevis at 508-970-0501, or Hike Hoisington at 508-263-7339. For those children who join the GLRR (\$5.00), discount uniforms, sweats, entry fees, functions, etc. are available. We are looking forward to another successful track and cross-country season for our GLRR youth runners and hope you can join us. -- Clint O'Brien

Possible Competitions

5/03	Sun	1:00	Youth Track Meet - Chelmsford HS.
5/16	Sun	1:00	Youth Relays - Chelmsford HS.
5/16	Sun	12:00	Great Bear Run all ages - Pollard Middle School, Needhar
5/22	Sat	AM	Waltham Track Club Youth ,meet, Waltham. HA.
5/30	Sun	4:30	THERAFIT 5K Lowell - Rourke Bridge.
6/10	Thu	PM	Byam School mini marathon - Chelmsford, MA.
6/12	Sat	AM	Waltham Track Club Youth Meet, Waltham, MA.
6/13	Sun	9:00	NE AAU T&F Championships - Chelmsford HS.
6/19	Sat	9:00	NEAC Region 1 USA T&F Championships - Brown U, R

2nd Annual Wings Beneath My Feet

One Mile Fun Run/Five Mile Race Saturday, May 22, 1993

Time: 9:45 am 1-Miler, 10:30 am 5-Miler
5 Mile Entry: by May 15 \$8, after \$10

Fun Run Entry: 10 & under FREE, 11 to 16 \$2, 17 & over \$3

T-Shirts: First 200 Entries

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Who's Who In Green? Meet Steve Haupman



Steve is 29 years old and lives in Brighton, MA near the Charles River where he does some of his running. "I have a map of all the bridges, but I have to watch out that the toll bridge near the Museum of Science isn't up," he says. Steve began running five years ago when a coworker urged him to join the Boston Barley Hoppers. His

current goal is to get back to the level he was at before he broke his leg last Thanksgiving playing a pickup football game. Currently he is running about 12 to 16 miles per week and is planning to run several races this Spring. His favorite race is the Shaker 7 in Enfield, NH. "Ilike the length and there is only one hill. It's also a great time afterwards because it's near a lake and they have a great barbecue," he said. Steve likes being a member of GLRR. He joined after meeting fellow club members Steve Grande, Bob Grande, and Steve Pepe at several road races.

Run for the Roses

All Women 5K May 19 -- 6:30 pm

Winner's Circle Sports Bar Salisbury, MA Pre-entry: \$6 Post-entry: \$8 T-shirts 1st 200 entrants Syr Age Groups Team Competition

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