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## SEPTBMBER-OCTOBEK HIGHLIGHTS

JACKIE HANSEN sets new world record of 2:38:19 in women's marathon; wins Huntington Beach 10-miler.

DAVE BABIEACKI wins national AAU 20 km in Boston; wins SPAAAU 20km.
BILL SCOBEY wins Will Rogers 15km; 2nd in SPAAAU 20 km ; 2nd in mt . Baldy 8 -mile climb; 3ra in Huntington Beach 10-mile. AJIM BAKSH wins Huntington Beach 10miler; 3 rd in Santa Monica lokm.
JOHN DAMSKI wins long jump, triple jump and high jump in $60-64$ division at Sants Barbara Masters meet.
JERRY WOJCIK wins javelin and takes 2nd in 45-49 division at Santa Barbara.
MIKI GORMAN wins women's Santa Monica lokm; wins women's vets Huntington Beach 10-miler; runs 2:52 marathon. SUE KINSEY wins women's SPA AAU 20 km . REID PRESSLEY wins handicap division in Walnut 6-mile.
RAY HUGHES wins sub-masters Fill Rogers 15km; wins sub-masters Malibu Canyon 10km; 4th in SPA AAU 20 km .

DICK ORTIZ takes 2nd in Masters 2.4 mile Griffith Paris run.
BRIAN STANSAUK places 2nd in 2nd quarter cumulative LDR standings.
SFVTC WOMEN'S CROSS CUUNTRY TEAM takes 2nd in Blue Angels 5000 -meter run.
MARK KENNEDY Wins All-Comers mile in 4:08. 2 at UCLA.
JON SUTHEKLAND wins Griffith Park ?.7 miler.

## COMING UP IN NOVEMBER

Nov. 6. Party at Earl Rippee's to honor Jackie Hansen, new world record holder in women's marathon.

Hov. 8. California teem Cross-Country Championships in Santa Maria.
Nov. 15. SPA AAU Gross-Country Championships at Long Beach State.
Nov. 22. Masters and Submasters
Western Regional Cross Country Championships in San Jose.
Dec. 7. Western Hemisphere and National Marathon Championships in Culver City.

## Women's WR For Hansen

JACKIE HANSEN re-established her claim to the title of the world's top woman distance runner by setting a new world record of 2:38:19 in the women's marethon in Eugene, Oregon on October 12.
Averaging a phenomenal 6:05 per mile for the 26-mile, 385-yard course, Jackie broke the old record of 2:40:15 set by Christa Vahlensiek of West Germany earlier tuis year.
Her time was 5 seconds faster than her old American mark of $2: 43$, set in last December"s Culver City Marathon.
"It was just what I wanted," she said.
"There was no wind, no sun... it was a flat course over bicycle paths and through the Oregon woods. Everything was perfect."
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NEW WGiLl widr fur hansen (continued)
Jackie, a Cal-State Nortnridge graduate now workin ${ }_{3}$ in a los Angeles insurance office, was the first woman finisher in the 1973 Boston Marathon, running 3:05 in 80 -degree heat. In Septrmber, 1974 , she placed fifth in the first women's world championship marathon in West Germany in 2:56.

Why the steady improvement? "Confidence in Laszlo's training program, for one thing," she said. "He always knows when you're ready and will tell you exactly where you are."
Hansen says she follows the "carbohy-drate-loading" diet the week before a big race, as do practically all long distance runners.
"A week before the race, I went on a 19-mile depletion run at an easy 7t-minute-per-mile pace. Then for 3 days, I ate protein....meat, fish, ezgs, lettuce, tea. Three days before the race, I added carbohydrates... potatoes, spaghetti, rice, cake, cookies and bread. Then I ate a light meal the night before the race."
After tre race, Jackie told Track and Field News that she wanted to break 2:40 as a form of protest over the absence of a women's marathon on the Olympic program. "The officials say women are not strong enough for it," she said incredulously.
Jackie will compete in the Honolulu Marathon in Hawaii on December l4th.

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## Babiracki's Mark Sets New Record

San Fernando Valley Track Club's Dave Babiracki won the National AAU 20-killometer (12.4mile) run in Gardiner Mass in a course-record time of 60 minutes, 20 seconds, beating 1975 Boston Marathon winner Bill Rodgers by four seconds.
Babirackiand Rodgers ran as a team for the last three miles, with the Valley Star's now-famous kick beting the difference in the final strides.

The third-place finisher was more than two mimutes behind the leaders.
Babliracki's time broke the old course record by nearly two minutes and added to his growing stature as one of the nation's premiere distance runners.
"Rodgers opened up about 40 yards on me in the first half of the race." Babiracki said, "but 1 gained a hittle on him going up the hills. We were really flying. We averaged about $4: 700$ mile."
Coach Laszlo Tabori's star runner qualified for the race by winning the local Southern Pacific AAU district 20-kilometer run in 62:21, beating fellow Valley Track Club runners Bill Scobey and Hay Hughes, who finished second and fourth, respectively, in 63:59 and $64: 32$, among the 75 runners.
Babiracki, Scobey and
Hughes, along with
female distance stars Jackie Hansen and Miki Gormar, will lead Valley Track Club runners in the local SPAAU crosscounry champlonships at Long Beach State Nov. 15. Winners will compete in the national AAL championships in Maryland Nov. 29.
"I think I'm in good enough shape to win," said Babitackl, "but the compettion is always tough. Gary Tuttle of the Striders looks very strong. I'll have to be at my best to beat him."

## LOEG DISTANCE RUNNING SCHEDULE

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| NatE: Help is urgently needed for California AaU Teama Ki Champs. Cantact Steve Harney aboue. |  |  | wimen wets $2 / 2 / 1$ | apen XC race will be held in conjunction witt the tean race. write steve thangy for details. Santa Maria is $\frac{1}{2}$ way betwe日n L.A. \& San Francisca. |
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| $\begin{aligned} & \text { ETT NOW } 22 \\ & \text { FO:00am } \end{aligned}$ | Wheian Tsmi Handicap | Connie Rodewald, 852 Sharon Drive Camarilla 93010 | (5 HOCP; open, sub-master; vets (40+,50+) G/LI/UN. Avarde beyond 1st to be by attendeace. | Fwo lape of the treditional triangular course on roads. 5,000ft elevation, no enog a a real challange for HDCP. Antelope Valy Fuy to Barstow Fwy to Huy 338 into Phelan. Commenity center. Restronse. |
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|  RECORDING, SIGN-INS, ETC, UOLUNTEER TO DO YOUR SHARE GF THE UORK. CONTACT STEUE EROFEN, 13512 E. RAMONA DA. , GHITTIER. WE NEED LIATSON MEN FOA 9 CDMING RACES. |  |  |  |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & \text { SUN NOU } 30 \\ & \text { 9: DCam } \end{aligned}$ | 24th Annual Roseboisl Handicap | $\frac{\text { 20.8 Miles }}{\text { 3.f Miles }}$ | Fast times - 10 HDCP -10 $13-15 \quad 5 ; 12-14 ;$ W/G $2 / 2$ | 3 loops plus a flat course around Roseboull complax. Check in just South of Raseboul in Pasedena. |
| $\begin{aligned} & \text { SUN DEC } 7 \\ & \text { Q: DOam } \end{aligned}$ | Western Hemisphere Marathon a Natl. Championships | Many awards including medals to all finishers under 3 hours. |  | Pre entey requirad write: Carl Porter, Culver City Fec. Dept., P.O. BaX 507, Culver City, CA. 90230 |
| $\begin{aligned} & \text { SUSN DEC } 14 \\ & \hline 11: \text { DGam } \\ & \hline 12 n o 0 n \end{aligned}$ | 14th Annual Apple Valy. 6.3mi Handicap | Jifm Gorrell, 14576 Hopi Rd., Apple Valy CA. 92307 |  | From San Bernardino take darstow Fuy to Victorville, off through Uictorvilla on 7th St. to Huy TB, to Apple Uallay Inn. Chack in at Appla Valley Parking Lat. |
| $\begin{aligned} & \text { SAT DEC } 20 \\ & 9: 00 a m \end{aligned}$ | Mt. Tom 4.0 Mile Hill Climb | larry Knuth | Dpen 1-10; $40-49$ 1-34 $50-591-3 ; 60+1-2 ; 14$ $1-3 ;$ will $1-2 ;$ Girls 1-3; HS 1-3; JH 1-3; Elm 1-3; Locel Award. | Tough Hill course, from Glandale College track to pead of Mt. Tom. Mo Down Hin 11. Uentura Fuy (134) E. to Glendale Blud. W. to Glendale College. |
| $\begin{aligned} & \text { SUN DEC } 21 \\ & 10: \text { COAm } \end{aligned}$ | SkLnk Hollata 15km Handicap | Connie Rodewald 852 Sharon Dr. Csmarillo 93010 | 5 HDCP; open; Sub-Master Vets 40,50; $\quad$ /w/wis 15-U 16-19; Auards beyond ist to be by attendence | Paved hilly road through the golf course \& agricultural land, last 2 mi are dirt. Ventura Fuy to Las Posas Rd. N. 1mi to Crestvieu Park. Aestronme. |
|  | Trophies are needed by the Long Distance Running Committee for recycling into naw awards. If you ere tirad of looking at all your oiv trophies, contact Alan Haas, 1507 gld Mill Road, San Marino, CA. 91108. |  |  |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & \text { 5AF DEC } 27 \\ & 9: 00 a m \end{aligned}$ | Elysian Park 5 km Cross Country |  | TDen-10; Vets $3 / 2 / 1$; W/4 U 1/1: Teams: Open 35 man teams; stb-masters 15 ran team; $40+15$ man team | Roads \& trails in Elyaian Park. Take Goldan State Fwy to atadium Way. N. up Stadium way until you reach starting point just below Dodger Stadium. |

## MOTES

Entry fee is $\$ 1.50$ for all SPA races shorter than the marathon cistance. The entry fee for the marathons and 50 km will be determined by the race director. Boys 19 f under and Girls 13 d under pay $\$ 1.00$ for races less then the marathon distance if they run in their division. All SpA chanpionship fees will be $\$ 2.00$ regardless of age. For all team raess, a team entry fee of $\$ 1.00$ per team will be charged.
2. Girls (12 1 U ); fomen (13-29); women Vets $30+$ must either run in theif division or in the open; same for boys in $16-19$; 13-15; and 12-1 division. In cases whete a person is eligitle for two categories, that peraon must daclare for one or the other at sign-in. He or she cannat compete in both.
3. ARE card must be Shold upan entering or entry fee is doubied.
4. LDRC cannat guarantee that all awards listed will be given. The number and type of awards is at the discretion of the Race Director and is based in part upon perticipation
5. Aace marked "TENTATIUE" were so at the time the schedule was putlished. Announcements regarding these races will be mache t todiliet taces.
6. Results of races will be available at succeeding races after about two weeks. They are never mailed out.

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ab uniforms now available iri pay fron earl rippee. jend \$ll payable to SFVTC - to Earl at the club office. 18321 Ventura Blva. Tarzena y 7356.

SWEAT SUITS. Also available from Earz for §c2. Solid sreen. Wark kennedy will do the letterine Eratis.

NEXT MASTERS THiACK \& FIELD MEET will be held on January loth at the CDEATC Colle of the Desert Meet in Palm Desert. Very fast grass track and top weatier conditions. Hopefully we will also have Masters participation in the jouthem Californi:s Indoor Games in January.

LDR chairmun Steve Broten reminds us twat this year ${ }^{\top}$ s Culver City (Western Hemis. phere) Marathon on December 7 th is a National Chanpionship race, which means that the Long Distance kuining Committee will need plenty of help in timers, recorders and people c:illine out numbers as runners cross the Iinish line. If you are not planning to run tiat duy and are interested in helpine out, feel free to contact Steve it 13512 E. Kamona Dr., Hhittier 90602.

THE 1ST ANNU ${ }^{\text {LI }}$ SAN BERNAKDINO AKROWHCAD MARATiuN will be held Sat. December 13, 1975. AaU stnctioned. $\$ 7.50$ entry ree. 8:00 AM. Contact Keiuh Dulan anai Bob Henley, Meet Directors, San Bernardino Marathon, San Bernardino Chamber of Commerce, P.O. Box 658, San Bernardino 92402.

HAWIIIAN UASTERS MEET set for April 1976, during Easter week, April 13-20. Roundtrip Los Angeles/Honolulu and 7 nights hotel lodging, per person, double occupancy will be $\$ 273$. Contact sports Travel International, 4869 Santa honice Avenue, San Diego 92107.

WANT A FAST MARATHON TIME? The annual Mission Bgy Narathon will be run at bim on Sat. Jinuary 10, 1976. It's a flat course and the weather is always cool and overcast.

Good to see ERIC LawSON at the Vatley Coliege workouts. Eric was hospitalized last plarch wita a very serious condition. Looks like he's on the way to recovery.

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 ifin't get lost in the mail; we dudu't ariat one, mimly beczuse your editor yis in Europe. It irmuxly points $u_{i}$ we need tor more input troul clab members who know what's eoing on. If, top exangle, you competed in a recent road race int we did not report it in tuls newslefier, that is anfortanate ad we rescteit. But you can prevent That in the fixmore by simely mailing your personal reaults to us by the 30 th o: each montr. Also feel free to submit the results of other tlub menbers. Even when we recrive the lous distance results fron the computer wint-out, it's two or fuur yeeks aiter tre event. You cm help speed up the process if you're an the suene of the race. Thinks to JUN SUTHERLALD and JaCKIE HaNSEN for useiul contrioutions tais month. Send 211 material to al sheahen, 6200 Hazeltine Ave., V m Nuys gl40l. Or call. 755-1895.

An OLYMPIC 4 -page book oi facts and ficures is arailable from mr fan \& tield News for $2 . y 0$. E-deep all-time results ezcri event, men women, 1096 thma ly 72 ; recorus, reviews, "76 qualitying standardis and track time schedule. Mail to Box 296, -os iltos, Cal. 94022.

NATIUNAI ALU WASTERS CROSS-CUUNTRY CHMLIONSHLE. Hen $40+$; open ruce. men $30-39$ and momen $30+$. Nov. 15, Van Sortlandt fint, Bronx, M.Y. Masters sports Assoc., 11 Park Plice, NYC 10007.

[^0]AUGUST ? - WALNOT SHOKTE PESTIVAI - 5 ML.
REID PHESSLeY won the hatadicep divizion. His 36:40 actual time, less his handicap of $8: 10$, gave him an overall time of 28:30, lst among the 30 runners. BRIaN STANSAUK's 36:08 less a 5:10 handica, for $30: 58$ was good for 8 th place.

In a Masters 3-miler, asiociste menotr JOHN COOK took 4 th in the 40-49 division in 19:13, and associate BOB LUNG won the $50+$ division in 19:27.

AUGUST 9 - HUNTINGTUN BEACH DERBY - 10 MI .
AJIM BAKSH, SFVTC's 18-year old running sensation, won in 49:28. New member BILL SCOBEY 30, placed 3rd behind Dave White in 50:38. MARK COVERT finished 8 th in 51:55. New member RAY HUGHES 36, finished. 19th in 54:45. BRIAN STMASAUK 23, was 49 th among the 221 finishers in 58:32. JACKIE HANSEN, won the women's division in 59:09. MIKI GORMAN won the women's veteran division with a 1:02:02. EARI FIPPEE 55, ran a very good 1:07:32. BAKSH beat white by 3 secunds, both breaking the course record of $50: 27$ set by Ron Kurrle in 1974. This is one of Southern Califormia's most popular races, and tne conditions are always excellent.

AUGUST 16 - ORANGE COUNTY 10 Kin ( 6.2 mi .)
BRIAN STANSAUK placed a guod 2yth amone the 127 finishers in $36: 15$ on a hot and dry day.

## AUGUST 24 - SWNT MUNICA BPURTS PESTIVAL 10 KM

AJIM BAKSH placed 3rd out of over 200 starters in this traditional race alons the Santa Monica Park wilkway which overlooks the ocean. The first four runners were only five seconds apart. The Lonpoc star Terry williems won in efast 30:26, followed by Dave white in $30: 27$, BaKif in 30:29 and Jim Shankle in 30:30. Jerry Smartt set a new course record lor 4C+ with a 32:05. IIKI GUKMAN won the women's division in a fast 36:19: beiter than a 6 -minute-mile clig.

SEPTEUBER 1-MT. BALDY RACE CO THE TOP -8 mLDES - From 6500 ft . elevation to 10,064 ft.

BILL SCOBEY proved he can run hills as well as the flat with a second place finish in perhaps the toughest race extant in the world of runnine. Gasping for oxygen in the thin air, and freezing in the icy gale above the timber line, 85 of the 125 starters managed to reach the top. Bill's 1:06:55 was four minutes behind winner and course-record-holder Chuck Smead's 1:02:44. BOB IONG 56, finished a creditable 48 th in 1:31:50.... an excellent effort... and lst in the $50+$ division.

SEPTEMBER 7 - GKIFFITH PARK CROSSCOUNTRY - 2.4 MI LES MASTERS RACE

DICK ORTIZ took second place in 14:34. It took a new course record 14:10 by Bill Crum to beat Dick, who is one of SFVTC's top runners in the Lasters division.

SEPTEMBER 14 - WILU ROGERS 15 KM CROSS COUNTRY

Clearly in top form, BILL SCOBEY defeated a field of 168 runners in this scenic, hilly course in $49: 58$, nearly a minute ahead of Bob Branch's 50:40. RAY HUGHES finished 3 rd in a tremendous 50:54 to easily win the 35-39 submasters division. BRIAN STANSAUK ran a good 58:12 to place 32nd.

## SEPTEMBER 27 - SPA AAU 20 KM CHAMPIONSHIPS - GRI FFIMH PARK

DAVE BABIflacki, BILL SCOBEY and RAY HUGHES turned this race into an almostall SFVTC show by finishing lst, 2nd and 4 th, respectively, among 75 runners. DAVE won in 62:21 to earn a trip at SPAAAU expense to the National Championships in Boston. (Which he also won; see separate story) Bill ran 63:59 and Ray did $64: 32$, behind Paul Cook's $64: 11$. SUE KINGEY won the Women's division in 77:58. Jerry Smartt won the 40-49 competition in 6y:01; Ray Gil topped the 50-5y's in 79:10; and the indefatieable John Montoya whipped the 60+ sroup with an 85:20.

## SEPTEMBEF 27 - LUNG BEACH GRAND PHIX 5000 RETER RUN

This run, sponsored by Nike end sanctioned by the USTFF, was a success with over 160 finishers, The race was run over the $2-$ mile automobile grand prix circuit in Long Beach, during a break in qualifying attempts, before 30,000 spectators. SFYTC's tall JON SUTHERLAND ran an excellent 14:59 to place 3 rd in the lare field. CHARLES HORN took 4 th in 15:04. MARK KENNEDY finished 8th.

## 4TH MALIBU CANYON-TAPIA PARK 10 KM CROSS COUNTRY - OCHOBER 5

New member CHARLES HORN took 3rd on this tough course with a $33: 50$, just 12 sec onds behind winner Paul Cook. Ray HUGHES won the sub-masters (35-39) division in 34:56. BRIAN STANSAUK placed 44th among the 141 finishers in 39:44.

CURULATIVE SCORES - LONG DISTANCE RUNS 2ND GUAFTER, 1975

BRIAN STANSAUK placed 2nd among all
Southern Califormia long-distance runners, in these rankings determined by awarding points to each runner in each of 10 major races. Points for a runner's best seven races count in the final totals. Congratulations, Brian.

## HATIONAL AAU MASTERS MARATHON - MEDFORD, OREGON: - OCIOBER 12

Associate member DAVE (DOC) PARKER 45, placed 7th in an excellent 2:46:28. Clive Davies of Oregon set a new world record in the $60+$ division with a mark of $2: 48: 43$, an astonishing performance.
Summary :

| 1. Ray Menzie | 40 | Calif. | $2: 36: 40$ |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 2. Ross Smith | 47 | Nevada | $2: 39: 15$ |
| 3. Bill Beckwith | 42 | Oregon | $2: 40: 22$ |
| 4. Vance Parkhurst | 41 | Oregon | $2: 40: 39$ |
| 5. Stewart Fall | 41 | Vanc. | $2: 40: 49$ |
| 6. Dennis Coveney | 42 | Vanc. | $2: 46: 07$ |
| 7. DAVE PARKER | 45 | Calif. | $2: 46: 28$ |
| 8. Clive Davies | 60 | Oregon | $2: 28: 43$ |
| 9. Conraa Eroen | 46 | Calif. | $2: 48: 43$ |
| 10. Len Escarda | 44 | Calif. | $2: 49: 34$ |

UCIOBER 4 - BEUE ANGELS SPORTS PESTIVAL 5000-METER CRUSS-CUUNTRY IUN

The $\mathrm{SFVTC}=$ women's cross-country tean made an impressive debut with a 2ndplace firimis, narrowly losine to the Road funners, 38-41. SUE KINSEY was 2nd, JiCKIE HANSEN 3rd, HEATHEK TOLPUKD 9th, LEAL KidiNHART JOth, enơ JackIE graybuyes 17 th .

OCTOBER 4 - 2ND ANNUAL SANTA BARBARA MASTERS TRACY \& RIELD MEET

While most SFVTC Masters athletes were nursing injuries, out of shape, or otherwise occupied, JOHN DAMSKI end JERRY MOJCIK were picking up medals in Santa Barbara.

JOHN 60, who won tivo silver medals in the International Masters Championships in Toronto, found the competition a trifle easier as he won all three of his events in this meet. In the 60-54 division, he won the hish jump in $4^{\prime \prime} 4^{\prime \prime}$, the lon jump in $14^{\prime \prime} 2^{\prime \prime}$, and the triple jump in 31'2".

JERRY 46, won lst place in the 45-49 javelin, defeating his nemesis Hal Wallace for the first time, Jerry's throw was ll7'6", below his normal 128', but he's not going to give the medal back. Jerry also took 2nd in the triple jump with a 33' leap.
Outstanding athlete awards went to:
Truck - Paul Spangler 76-21 points Field - Stan Hermann 71-27 points Total Pts. - Buell Crane 75 - 36 pts.

## Late RESULTS

On August 23 rd at the final All-Comers meet at UCLA, MARK KENNEDY and JON SU'THERLAND turned in solid performances. Mark flew by the 880 mark in 1:59 to discourage all opposition, and came home in an excellent 4:08.2, close to his 1975 best of $4: 07$. In the 3 -mile, Jon ran a food 14:10.

The 1975 Cross Country season is now well under way. SFVTC has already shown glimpses of the form tiat established us Fs the SPAAU team champions of 1974.
Although we have not yet entered a full $5-\mathrm{min}$ team at any race, there have been some fine individual performances to date.
Un september 9th, JON SUTHERLAND easily outdistanced the competition at the arnual Griffith Parik 3.7-miler over sand and hills in 18:35. MARK KENNFDY placed 5th in 19:09.
DAVE BABIRACKI made an auspicious cross country debut for 1975 at the USTFF regional at El Dorado Park. In a very high quality field, Dave whipped previously unbeaten Tom Steicer with a strong kick in the last half-mile, running a fine 29:ll for 6 miles on a flat but 30gsy course.
Now the focus turns to the California team championshjps in Santa blaria on Novemper 8th, and the SPA AAU team championships at Long Beach State on November 15 th .

The prospects for another SPA AAU team championship look bright with the likes of DAVE BABIRACKI, JON SUTHERLAND, CARL SMITH, CHARLIE HORN, MARK COVERT, MARK KENNEDY, plus new members BILL SCUBEY and RaY HUGHES. Conceivably, SFVTC could become the best California cross country team.
All members interested in competing at these meets are reminded to contact Leszlo Tabori or Dave Babiracki for the open division, and Earl Rippee for the Masters division.


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## NEW MEMBERS

Some of the top distance runners in Southern Caljfornit have joined sFVTC in recert weeks and we welcome them with open arms.

BIII SCOBEY is a famiJiar face in SPA runnind circles. Just turned 30 this year, Bill has a 4:03 mile, 13:32
3-mile, and $28: 22$ six-mile to his credit as well gu sensatiorel 2:15:21 marathon effrort. Welcome, Bill.
RAY HUGHES 36, hes run a 28:37.6 6-mile, and a $2: 21: 45$ marathon and is eatins up the sub-masters, 35-39 division.
HEATHEK TULPORD 17, is a top, improving young runner with times of 5:19-mile, 12:01-2-mile, and 18:14 3-mile to her credit.
LEAL-ANN REINHART 28, has run a 39:42 10km.

## IIST OF NEW MENBERS

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## 1975 1ST WORLD HASTERS TRACK ND FIELD <br> CHAMPIONSHIPS - TORONIU, CANADA AUGUST 11-16.

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SAMCJICNS:
LDR CHAIRMAN:
SCHEDULE:
Southern Pacific Asscciation of the A.A.U.
Dave Japs, 835 Dakdale, Riaito, CA, 92376. Tel. (714) g75-6047
Each meet director will send out an information shest about his meat detailing etarting times, types and total number of races, antry fees, auards, and directions to the couree site. This
 tion and the september 7th meet (*).


975 Masters and subrasters TIMPIOWSHIPS
(1)00 A.H. Saturday, November 22, 197
yote River Park, San jese, California

This is your invitation to compete in the 1975 Western Regional Masters and Swbasters Cross Country Championnips on Saturday, Nowerber 22, 1975 . They will be run
10:00 A.M. at Cyote kiver Park on a new course generelly parallel to the river and involving one substan tial hill and four water fordings
The championships are open zo 11 persons 30 years of ge or older (as of Now. 22). The formal is to be a year increments for aen and ten-year increments for year ing

This race is to be operated in the form of an invitational meetirg presented by myself, as meet director, to anyone ver the age of 30 who wishes to ertes. It does not han 5 Chairaan of the hiU Hestern Masters. I haye created bank account in the nage of WESTERF MASTERS and witl handie ail meet funds through that account. The body of this paper will attenpt to explain the reas ans behind these actions and propose the creation of
B.S. MASTERS ATMLETICS PROGRAM independent of the AAU

I, like many of you, an a busy person actively engaged in making a liviag within one of the professions (engineering) and find myself rapidly approacising middle age totally over comitted in life. I don't really ments properity. So far, that has teen beside the point 've rried to get the $j$ ob done anyway. The thing $I$ absulutely uill not do is waste unreasonable anounts of time embroiled in senseless jurisdictional disput athletics. I don't care whether they will let compere in our meets, or whether it is allowable for us to invite sutmasters to compete, or whether we can call the winmers of these gropps chazopions, ox whether our regicnal areas coinctde with LDR's sectional areas (or what the hell you call them for hat natcerl, or whether we got approval of the at roaral coanctee to haver particular as 5 ociation bid for this championship or tha a $\$ 2$ entry fee (btich is supposed to be turned over to a Nat ional AAU Compeitter in some cases) and be left with an amount totally inadequate to rum a particular event, or whether we chocse to divide ourselves by five yea divisions instead of the AAU Code Bock specified ten year groupings (for LDR), of whatever else they decide

Simply put -- they can stick tne whele mess in their collective ear. The point the hierarchy of the AAU tits like athother bole in the head. The only hold the dal has over any athlete is that they may bar him or her from and competition or not issue a travel pernit when repaested. The fact that we competed without such tocurents at toronto and fun our own meetings will about that kind of pressure. Incidentally, if you have newer seen a travel pernit request form you ough co look at one just to gain perspective. They are clearly the most demeaning objects a mature, law biding person witl ever be sutjected to in these nited states of America

AE one time of another 1 bave zun afons of every point made in the above paragraph and scmetiow wataged to ind a way through the dffficulties and do the thing hat is important -- namely put on the meet in question However, fith this one that just has not proven possibl f'll rot bore you tith all the gory details but the Ginal result is that in order to get a meet sanction
 ubnuster and wonen competitors altopether Mast of our elubs have gone to great trouble to attract valued members it these catagories and ane unwiling tu discard them fur the sake of expediency. Further, backward -- one that I an unwilling to teke. Masters chletics bas cone too far to put up with this sor of thing any longer.
herefure, 1 poupose that we transfer unf existimg ational and regionat officers and very luose structur rom monder the jurisdiction we the Aal Men's Track and Field comittee to our own juristiction and invite within the area of Athletics (Track and Fielt, long distance Running and Race Waiking) without any furthe qualification or red tape. Further, if offer the proposed set of by-laws to govern (and frankly, restrict) he actions of gor leaderbitif to those which are to the way we (the athletes) want it. spor
such action is taken I wosld urge all of our leaderbip to unite and form a conesive group; ready, willing, and able to make this operation run. I for one hereby clunteer to take my corresponding posicio. ever eise I can to be! pake it a sucess.

## sy-Laws foh the t.S. masters cohattiee for ateletics

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A. Functions

1. To develiop and implemert the Rational Masters Program
2. To approve National Masters Records to escablish avenues of responsiveness to To wincties of masters stheres. Regional and National and publicize Regional and National Masters events
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3. To publish Horld and Mational Masterz Records and Regional, Hat lonat, and International Masters Mett Results regularty.
4. To levy reasonable asserswents to implement the above.
B. Composition

Chairman
Secretary-Treasurer
Regional Chairmen
5. Most recent Past Chairman
6. Such casinittee chairmen as shall be appointed by the chairman to implemen the functions listed sbove.
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5. Most recenz Past Chaiman by the chaireen to 1 mplant the beppointed by the chairme
listed above.
C. Areas
6. Eastern: Haine, Hew Haapshire, Vernont, Massachusetts, Khode Island, Connecticut. New York, Nes Jersey, Delawire, Pennsylvania, Maryland, and District of Columbia.
Southeastern: Carolina, Georgia, Fiorida, Alaban Mississippi, Louisiana, Tennessee, and West Virginia.
7. Hid-Nestern: ohio, Kentucky, Indiana,

Tlifinois, Wisconsim, and michigan.
4. Mid-Anericag: Minnesota, Iowa, Missouri, Dakota, and South Dakota. Dakota, and Scuth Dakota,
Southwestern: Texas and New Mexico. Southwestern: Montana, Nyoming, Colarado, Hestern: Arizona, California, Mevada, Hawaii
III. LOCAL. COMEGTEES
A. Functions

To develop and implement Loca! Masters Programs
3. To samerion and publicize Local Meets
B. Coaposition
2. Such other members necessary to impleaent the functions listed above.
IV. MEETINGS

Mertings shall be held in conjunction with champion-
thip events all levels. These weetinge will be
open to all athletes present and conmittee persons
will be accountable to the athletes precent.
Other mettings wlll occur as required and by uht-
ever means posaible in order to conduct the day to ever ment posimie in order to co
day business of Mastera Athletict.
v. SELECTIONS

Condtee persons, gemeral interest sports rules, and future meet sites will be selected by popular vote of thoas athletes assembled at the meetings, Special finterest sports rules will be zelected by popular vote of thore athietes, within said special Group 3 veightwen ahall decide for themselves what implements they wiah to wee.)
vi. RULES

To compete 15 . Master or Sub-Matter any whlete
need only provide evidence of his birthdate in order to qualify for inclusion in a particular age division.
A ment director may require a medical/legal release and resonable fee from an athlete as condition for entry into any fanctioned competition.
VII. DIVISIOWS:

Masters and Sub-Kasters competition shall be by
age and ex grouping: as follaws:

| Men |  |  |  |  |  |
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| OB: | 35-39 |  | 17: | 40 | - 49 |
| 1A: | 40-44 |  | 2N: |  |  |
| 18: | 45-49 |  |  |  | aver |
| 2n: | 50-54 |  |  |  |  |
| 2B: | 55-59 |  | * No | : | 30-3 |
| 34: | 60-64 |  | is S | bma | ter |
| 38: | 65-69 |  | inte | nat | onal |
| 4n: | 70-74 |  | rwle | ad | pted |
| 41: | 75-79 |  | Toro |  | Can. |
| $5:$ | Special deraed | petitions by by meet |  |  |  |

The basic intent of these by-laws is to promote a continaing U.S. Hasters Ahletics program that is as metructured as possible and one that is tun by the athlewes therselues as they see fit when they see fit By requiring each lewel to publicize the next lower land wis events it is hoped that iliogical cals will be avoided b: mutual con sent insread of by the risid formal procedures we are all too familiar with. Simikarly, by making oury Il too familiar with. Simitarly, by making oury offeers directly accountabie to che athletes, it is and therefore be responsible to our needs as opposed to theit iron Fisted, wheompronizing counterparts found in all too wany places withit the sud swouture.
Many of you have asked those of us who have donated time, money, and efeort towird the Masters program what you could do to show your appreciation. Now is the time that you can fo sonething for me. I need your support attending statement alf over the country in the hopes of creating a wififfed body supporting these propossls. The evidence of such support 1 an asking for is that each of you that con march to the twne played here-in will execute che entry form and at least send the $\$ 3.00$ donation portion of our entry fee. By doing so you will place your name on w.S. Maters mailing list as well as cast your vote for what has been proposed. Furds geaerated in excess of the weet expenses sill be used first to correct negative cash flow in the AAU Westere Mesters. These dollars are gresently tied up in excess awards bearing the designatoo hav. Secondy, they will be used co create Work Your early entry will te very much appreciated.

Actually, I hope as adry of you as posible orlit come to San Jose and run in this meet. If you do you wit 11 find a good course with friendly overseers (Santa clara County Farks and kecreation Departwent),
competition in all 13 age groups, outstanding medals, championship pasches, and a pienic following the race. If 1000 or more of you eater, the facility can handle the load. We will just rum heats by age groupings as the course does not retrace itself and heats can be
run with 20 minute intervals between starting times The warshalling and picnic area will be in a section of this huge park called "Patce Park" on Crote Road of this huge park called "Peace Park" on Cyote Road just southeast of us 101 bout 2 niles north of Ford entry confiration. If you have not received your entry confiration. If you have not received your Thursday, Nov. 20.

The founding meeting will be at the picnic mentioned above. Please plan to attend if you wisf to contribute your thoughts.

Neet directors may combine divisions as required to facilitate competition but the intent is to promote Masters athletics to the point where peer age/sex groupings are possisie at all levels.
special information

| Fees: $\quad$ The entry fee is $\$ 2.00$ plus a donation |  |
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|  | of $\$ 3.00$ for a cotal of $\$ 5.00$. There |
|  | will be no spectator fee. |

Entry Desdline: 6:00 P.M., Monday, Nov. 10, 1975

Rlease mail entries LD: Ed Phillips, Meet Ditector

Registration: Regiscration hill be at peace fars, C: 10 A.M. Eu 9:34 A.M. on November z2nd.

> It is not the critic wio countigi not the one who pointis out how the etrong man etumbled, or where tine doer of deeds could have done thein better. The credit belonge to the one who is actually in the arena; who strives again and ataifi who knows the sreat enthusiusm und tia great devotion and opends hinalt in a worthy cause; wio, at the beat, knows $2 \boldsymbol{n}$ the and the trimph of hieh uchievement; and who, at the worst, if he fails, ot least fails while daring greatly, so that his place ghali nover be with those cold and tirid souls who know nelther victory nor defeat." - iheodore Roogevelt

THE SAN tEHNANDK V फhose purpore is to promote and participate in amateur track and fisid eventis, and to encoura;e exercise programb for halth, fun and friendahip.

Under the direction of coach Laszlo Tabori, former olympian and aub-iour minute-miler, members run together on Tuesday and Thursuay from 5:00ph to 1;30Pu, und most Saturduya from 2:00Dw to 4:30PM, at Los Angoles Vulley College, 5800 Fulton Avenue, Vun Fuya; California.

Metings of tha ciub, where mombers my mett one unother in a body, and promote good fellowship, are held on the final Thuraday of each month at f: 30 pa in bungilow 45 on the Valley College campue.

The club ofters discounta on eyuipmont to membere. It yublishes a monthJ, newsietter, outlinint cluo activitiea, sumnarizing race results und liating upoomins events.



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