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President's Message...

This newsletter will be shorter in length and is the first newsletter to appear for a while due to the fact that I have been suffering from pneumonia. Not only was I ill, but Monica Thornton, our VP of news was suffering from pneumonia, as well. The State of Michigan has been hit hard with respiratory illnesses.

Please forward your meet results to the return address of this newsletter, to e-mails: maniccial@ameritech.net or www.othtc.org, to e-mails: thorntonm@michigan.gov, or wilsonr6@michigan.gov. It is very important that we display your results in the newsletter. Please forward your results from following events: Slippery Rock University High School, Open, and Masters Track and Field Meets, The Harrison Cultural Community Centre Meet, Ohio USATF, Ontario Masters Track and Field Indoor Championships, Minnesota USATF, Maine USATF, and USATF Indoor Nationals, and all road race or race walking events for early 2004.

There are team members who have not renewed their annual memberships. Yearly membership is \$20 for individuals and \$30 for families. Yearly Reimbursements for Regional, National, WMA North and Central American and Caribbean, and / or WMA World Championships will be distributed once only (\$25 per year). Please contact Jeff Gerson.

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• North Coast Invitational Entry Form

Claude Holland will be looking for officials for the World Youth Track and Field Championships held at John Carroll University, at the end of this July / beginning of this August.

The USATF Southeast Regional Championships: May 7-9, 2004 in Raleigh, NC. The 23rd North Coast Invitational is scheduled for Sunday May 16, 2004 at Cleveland Heights High School. An entry form is accompanying this newsletter. We need officials and volunteers, before and after your competition. The Cleveland Track Classic is scheduled for Saturday, July 3, 2004 at Independence High School.

Other upcoming meets include: The Grand Ledge, MI mini-meets, The Michigan Outdoor USATF, the Ontario Masters Outdoor Championships, and the Hall of Fame Senior Olympics in June, and the Ohio Senior Olympics is in July.

The Outdoor Nationals will be held in Decatur, IL, August 5 - 8, 2004. The North and Central American and Caribbean Championships will be held August 27 - 29, 2004 in Dorado, Puerto Rico.

Notable Achievements: Congratulations to Kyle and Summer Walters (Bob Walters's son and daughter), Braxton and Bria Wilson (Dorothy Wilson's grandchildren, Rod Wilson's nephew and niece), and Erik (Joanne Siegel's son) for their stellar performances at The Harrison Cultural Community Centre Track and Field meet at Oberlin College. The five youths won many, many, many gold, a few silver, and a few bronze medals in events ranging in running events from the 55 meter dash to the mile run, and field events from the shot put, high jump, to long jump competitions. These youths are our link to a bright and promising future.

Please Plan on attending and officiating the 2004 North Coast Invitational (23rd Year) 2004 Cleveland Track Classic (25th year) Silver Anniversary!!!!

We wish Derek Gainey and Jeff Gerson well wishes.

Send your **meet results** to Larry Maniccia at <u>maniccial@ameritech.net</u> so they can be published on the www.othtc.org website!

Membership Drive Program

Any current member that signs up three new club members will have their membership dues reimbursed. (NOTE: A current member is fully paid for the year, and a new member excludes former club members from the past three years.)

E-Mail

Be sure to send your e-mail to Larry Maniccia via maniccial@ameritech.net or www.othtc.org

SECOND SOLE NEWS: Jeff Fisher and Clark Turner, Lyndhurst; 5114 Mayfield Road (44124), 440-449-8508.

As a club member, you regularly get 15% discount on all items. 20% discount on all Nike Zoom products.

RESULTS:

Bob Walters (M35): USATF Indoor Nationals, 60m – 7.54, 6th. Kent State High School Meet III, 60m - 7.47, (new club record for M30-39).

Joyce Prohaska (W50): Findlay Indoor, 3KRW-18:41, 6^{th} ; Ohio USATF, 3KRW-18:36, 5^{th} .

Urte Kurlich. Ohio USATF, 3KRW – 19:39, 8th.

Harrison Cultural Community Track and Field Meet:

Kyle Walters: 55m, 200m, LJ, 4 x 200m – 1st place.

Summer Walters: 55m, 200m, LJ, $4 \times 200 \text{ m} - 1\text{st place}$.

Erik (Siegel) 800m, mile run, 2 mile run – 1st place.

Braxton Wilson (M8). 55m - 9.5, 2^{nd} , 200m - 39.18, 2^{nd} , LJ - 6'9'', 1^{st} , SP (3 lb) -12', 1^{st} , 4 x 200m (43s leg), 3^{rd} .

Bria Wilson (W6): 55m - 11.28, 1^{st} , 200m - 46.0, 1^{st} , LJ -8'7", 1^{st} , SP -15', 1^{st} , 4 x 200m (53s leg), 2^{nd} .

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THE NORTH COAST INVITATIONAL

Sunday, May 16, 2004 Registration: 8-9:30am Field events start at 8:30 Track events start at 9:30 Field event athletes are requested to bring their own implements, as the meet does not supply them. PLACE: Cleveland Heights High School, 13263 Cedar Rd, (Corner of Cedar & Lee), Cleveland Heights, Ohio. Parking lot entrance is located on Washington Boulevard behind the school. ENTRY FEES: \$5 for up to 5 events. Electronic timing. No awards. Make checks payable to OVER THE HILL TRACK CLUB. Entry fees must accompany entry forms. No refunds! DIVISIONS: 0-8, 9-10, 11-12, 13-14,15-16,17-18, 19-24, 25-29, 30-34, 35-39, 40-44, 45-49, 50-54, 95-99, 100+ ORDER OF EVENTS. 9:30am 3000m 8:30am Hammer (18 and up) Short Hurdles 800m 9.30am Shot Put 100m High Jump 3000m race walk Pole Vault 60m Long Jump 400m Standing Long Jump 1500m Discus (14 and up) 200m 11:00am Javelin Sprint Medley Relay AWARDS. NONE. USATF Sanctioned, USATF rules apply. CONTACTS. Jeff Gerson 440-473-0636 Rex Harvey 440-954-8122 Norman Thomas 330-425-8219 Grover Coats 216-464-3865 NEXT MEET: CLEVELAND TRACK CLASSIC Saturday, July 3rd, 2004 - Independence High School Track NAME **B'DAY** ADDRESS PHONE.(In consideration of your acceptance of this entry form, I hereby for myself, my heirs, executors, and assigns, waive any and all claims for damages which I might have against the USATF, Lake Erie Assoc, USATF, Over the Hill Track Club, and the Cleveland Heights School District, their agents, representatives or assigns, for any and all damages or injuries suffered by me at said meet. I also certify

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that I am healthy and sufficiently trained to complete in this meet.

SIGNATURE: (By athlete or coach /parent for minor athlete):



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