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LUKA SEKULICH, the director for the 25th year of the NCSTC Brickyard Run, receives from Ruth Anderson, on behalf of the club, a plaque expressing appreciation, prepared through the help of Jim Johnson. Photos were taken by Ray Yeck; Kathy Yeck prepared results with her computer. Sharlet Gilbert received the award for first over all woman finisher (on right). Below, Luka's wife, who has helped all 25 years, shares the pleasure of a job well done. Ruth Anderson reported a beautiful run on a beautiful day by 223 participants. (Continued on page 4)





Martinez to Port Costa Brick Yard Run

Luka Sekulich, Director 1485 Darlene Drive Concord, CA 94520 510/685-5185 Ken Carnine T&F Classic

Michael Ackley, Director 4649 Oakbough Way Carmichael, CA 95608 916/967-9003 Dick Houston Memorial Woodminster Run

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Fuchs Publications Wednesday, October 14, 1992 57th Year, No. 51 Jim Johnson, a 70-year-old Millbrae resident, competes in Senior Pole Vault meets and is still a champion. Mrs. Jim Johnson, Beverly, gave us a cover picture and article appearing in the local Millbrae paper, entitled "70-YEAR-OLD POLE VAULT CHAMP CONTINUES FLYING HIGH ON LIFE, by Kim Schneider man. It has so much interesting information, it is being quoted below-- thank you, Beverly. Ed.

For 70-year-old Jim Johnson, life is nothing but ups and downs - lately, it's been 7 feet up and 7 feet down.

When he isn't coaching track at Capuchino High School, Johnson can be found pole vaulting in competitions throughout the world.

His most recent vault - 7 foot six inches - earned him a gold medal at the Bay Area Senior Games where he not only cleared the top height, but also jumped higher and longer than anyone else in his age group.

"It's not very good compared to the young guys," said the seasoned pole vaulter during an interview in his Millbrae home. "But I'm glad I'm still able to do

While track and field has taken him to new heights, Johnson's pole vaulting career did not start off on the usual foot.

More than half a century ago. Johnson, his brother and neighborhood friends fashioned a makeshift pit in their Bomant, Ca. trailer park after observing local high school students pole vault.

The pit was filled with leaves to break the fall in case jumpers didn't land on their feet. For leverage, the group carved a pole out of an old tree limb.

It wasn't until Johnson enrolled at a Los Angeles High School that he was able to try the real thing. By the time he was a senior and had moved to Los Gatos, he could vault 11 feet and six inches.

He went on to vault in college where he reached his all-time top height: 13 feet and seven inches. Johnson even vaulted against Olympian Cornelius Warmerdam who vaulted 15 feet at one meet. (The current record is 20 feet, one and a half inches. set by Soviet Sergei Bubka.)

Johnson retired from vaulting after college, however, and didn't return to the sport until 25 years later, when his oldest son asked for pole vaulting instruction. He soon discovered he could still vault 11 feet.

Today the makeshift vaulting pit in Johnson's backyard resembles the one of his childhood trailer park, only this pit is filled with foam.

There he often practices planting his pole into the ground while his wife Beverly follows him with a video camera. Johnson says he likes to watch the video so he can critique himself

Johnson knows he must continue to train if he wants to place 1993 National Senior Olympics in Baton Rouge, La.

While Johnson now competes against men between the ages of 70 and 74, his track record is im-

As a competitor in both the World Masters Games and National Senior Olympics, Johnson has already won dozens of medals in various parts of the

His greatest showings were in Hong Kong, 1981, when he placed second in both high jump and long jump. Two years later hetook third place in pole vault.

Johnson has also medaled several times in the National Senior Olympics, taking second in pole vault at the St. Louis, Mo. games in both 1987 and 1989.

Johnson was introduced to years ago at a physical educa-School

There he learned about the World Organization of Veteran Athletes (WAVA) which hold

His participation in competitions grew from there with Olympics, which unlike the WAVA, is open to people over 55 In addition, National Senior Olympics hosts competitions in almost all Olympic sports.

While he must pay his own which have taken them to such place as Australia, Italy and China. In doing so, they have

ture of fitness and shows signs of being a life long athlete.

the champion vaulter was once a boxer as well.

Johnson has also played football and college basketball.

His first love, however, is still pole vaulting.

"It's a real challenge," said Johnson. "Getting off the ground and getting over the bar is tough. You need speed, coordination and strength."

Johnson still coaches track at Capuchino as an assistant and works out several days a week.

"Remember," says Coach Mark Grubi, Jim'vaulted 13'7" when poles were stiff and all the height was due to the vaulter's muscles." Jim has directed the NCSTC T&F Classic the last 5 years.

FURTHER MEMBERSHIP RENEWALS--

Balooch, Giti, Mehdi & Sam Dowell, Wallace (Ed) Feaster, Bob & Jeanne Gill. Velta Gillman, Steve Killion, Clarence McFarland, Cole Peck, Steven Pigford, Thomas Robben, Barbara Rupley, William Smith, Betty & Emmett Smoller, Marvin Sypert, Clyde Wetzork, Gail Worley, James

Have you forgotten your dues? They are \$14 a year, due January 1, 1993 and payable to NCSIC. You may use the renewal application on the cover of this newsletter and mail it to Peter Todd, Sec./Treas.

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MICHAELACKLEY has requested whatever help you

can give him with the running of the KEN CARNINE T&F CLASSIC at Sacramento State University on the adult competitive world 18 April 24. This meet (formerly called the "Sacramento Relays") has been run for many years by tion convention while coaching "the Sacramento trio"—Michael Ackley, Bob Roemer and Bob Cooper. Michael Ackley, with the help of Bob Roemer now give the club it's first track and field meet of the year, quite often juggling the date to avoid the international track and field rain. All three were very good athletes (and are now), competitions for people over 40. so their expertise in putting on a meet is very valuable. Mike says, with a shortage of officials in that area, the leaps and bounds. Soon he help of any officials, or non-officials, will be greatly learned of the National Senior appreciated. Please contact Mike at the address or phone shown on the bottom of the front page, if you can help. who place between first and An application flyer was printed in the last newsletterthird in regional competitions, a reduced copy is also on page 8 of this issue. This has always been a fun meet for old and new friends, as well as the site for new records.

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way, Johnson says he and his The DICK HOUSION MEMORIAL WOODMINSTER RIN, directed by of their international trips Gail Witzork, will be held on Father's Day in June. * * * * * *

RunCal lists ULTRA PACIFIC GRAND PRIX STANDINGS, Dick made friends all over the world. Collins 4th of Senior men, Ruth Anderson 1st Super Senior While Johnson is in his re- Worsen, and Richard Laine 2nd Super Senior man. Dick Collins tired years, he is still the pic- won his age group (55-59) Nat'l Champs Gibson Ranch and Gilbson Ranch Multi-Day Races (Dec. 30-Jan. 5); Dick Laine His wife will point out his won (63) the Ledson March 50 Mi Santa Rosa; Harma Szoke bruised knuckles, an indication won (2:06:18.0) her group 60-69 S.F. Half Mara. Jan. 31; Jutta McConnick won the 50-59 (34:51) and Dick Laine 1st But it_doesn't stop there, 60+ (33:43) at the Jan, 16, Los Altos Willy's Road Race.

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Female 13 & Under			
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Male 14 - 20			
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Hyrum	Ernstrum	16	29:44
Pardip	Suti	16	32:54

Female 14 - 20			
Melanie	Melara	15	36:10
Molly	McNerney	16	41:31

Male 21 - 29			
Dan	Marks	29	27:00
Ruben	Carrillo	21	27:31
David	Liotta	23	28:41

Female 21 - 29			
Valerie	Knafelc-Reiner	29	36:55
Paige	Tully	27	37:59
Susan	Vomund	29	42:52

Male 30 - 34			
Thom	Trimble	33	26:33
Brian	McGuire	34	27:44
Don	Hicks	33	27:59

Female 30 - 34	September 1		
Suzanne	Kowalski	32	34:12
Katy Val	Samuelson	34	35:36
	Dover	31	37:44

Male 35 - 39			
Kevin	Searls	35	26:48
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Female 35 - 39			
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Judy L e slie	Cobb	35	56:35

Male 40 - 44			
Jim	Roberts	40	27:45
Daniel	Ortiz	41	29:39
G.	Garcia	44	29:53

Female 40 - 44			
Sharlet	Gilbert	41	33:27
Barbara	Ginos	41	39:19
Phyllis	Miller	41	39:30

Male 45 - 49			
Phillip	Murphy	49	30:20
John John	Cummings	46	30:29
Dave	Monteverdi McNerney	46	30:36

Female 45 - 49			

Linda Peggy	Wimmer Kwok	46	39:04
Dexter	Dobberpuhl	47	40:06

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	Dan	Alarid	50	31:24

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	Peter	Todd	58	30:52
	Richard	Austin	59	
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	Barbara	Kelly	58	41:27
	Harriet	Kelly	58	57:12
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The usual 8.4 mile course was shortened to 5.5 miles due to roads being weakened by the rain. The oldest male was Tertius Chandler (78) and the oldest female Judy Golding (72). The first over all male winner was Thom Trimble. The father son team winner was Mark and David Liotta; father/daughter, Ernie and Melanie Melara; mother/daughter, Valeri Knafelc Reiner and Jan Knafelc; and husband/ wife, Dexter and Ken Dobberpuhl.

The following two pages are the order of finish results for all of the runners. Ray Yeck had his first try at a distance race.

How can we thank Luka for this outstanding service for such a long time, with his unique hand made trophies, providing opportunity for many enthusiastic runners to enjoy running in our beautiful surroundings. Luka reminds us the record holder is Ingy Simonsen who came from Norway with three other runners in 1981 to train at U.C. Berkeley; he ran the course in 39:49.6.

BRICK YARD RUN - FEBRUARY 27, 1993 R A C E R E S U L T S

PLACE	NA	ME	CITY	AGE	TIME	PLACE	ay Evilla	N,AME	CITY	AGE	TIME
1	Thom	Trimble	Concord	33	26:33	54	Jim	Bruce	Pleasant Hill	46	33:31
2	Kevin	Searls	Martinez	35	26:48	55	Bill	Merrell	West Pittsburg	29	33:38
3	Dan	Marks	Oakland	29	27:00	56	John	Blankenship	San Francisco	48	33:40
4	Ruben	Carrillo	Martinez	21	27:31	57	Craig	Jarvis	Lafayette	40	33:51
5	Brian	McGuire		34	27:44	58	Art	Doran	Vallejo	48	33:58
6	Jim	Roberts	Walnut Creek	40	27:45	59	Ron	Peck	Sacramento	51	34:05
7	Don	Hicks	Rancho Cordova	33	27:59	60	Suzanne	Kowalski	Fairfield	32	34:12
8	Steve	Chavez	San Ramon	35	28:05	61	Chuck	Escover	Pleasant Hill	33	34:20
9	David	Liotta	Chico	23	28:41	62	Peter	Todd	Berkeley	58	34:24
10	Tony	Fong	Alameda	33	28:44	63	Tim	Howe	Oakland	39	34:31
11	Thom	Pearman	Citrus Heights	31	29:12	64	Dave	Nakayama	Walnut Creek	32	34:40
12	Michael	Plummer	Hayward	34	29:26	65	Ted	Fuller	Alameda	34	34:44
13	Keith	Duncan	Benicia	38	29:30	66	Bob	Malain	Redding	65	34:49
14	Tim	Keenan	Pleasant Hill	31	29:32	67	Rick	Wicker	Martinez	44	34:51
15	Giancarlo	Brignolo	San Francisco	25	29:34	68	Dan	Dougerty	Benica	44	34:59
16	Daniel	Ortiz	Vacaville	41	29:39	69	Jack	Major	San Francisco	50	35:03
17	Hyrum	Ernstrum	Vacavitte	16	29:44	70	Steve	Zeppegno	Walnut Creek	46	35:05
18	Dave	Cordts	Danville	24	29:48	71	Wayne	Simonson	San Francisco	51	35:09
19	Jerrold	Engel	San Ramon	38	29:50	72	Tom	Coleman	Martinez	37	35:11
20	G.	Garcia	Tracy	44	29:53	73	John	Dodson	Oakley	28	35:13
21	Phillip	Murphy	11007	49	30:20	74	Bruce	Fadem	Danville	47	35:16
22	John	Cummings	Benicia	46	30:29	75	Larry	Arata	Martinez	48	35:10
23	Neil	Leary	Martinez	26	30:33	76	Randy	Gardenhire	Benicia	37	35:19
24	John	Monteverdi	Oakland	46	30:36	77	Paul	Santiago	Pleasant Hill	30	35:27
25	Len	Goldman	Oakland	48	30:42	78	Jim	Quesada	Fairfield	43	35:32
25	John	Roach	Pieasant Hill	41	30:43	79	Pete	Randazzo	Benicia	31	35:34
27	David	Kornek	Oakland	40	30:48	80	Katy	Samuelson	Danville	34	35:36
28	Rolf	Nebelung	Dublin	52	30:48	81	Jim	Walker	Menlo Park	50	35:42
29	Charlie	Martin	Pacheco	37	30:51	82	David	Gilmour	Benicia	33	35:42
30	Fernando	Garcia	Pittsburg	32	30:52	83	Terry	Hartman	Vallejo	43	35:59
31	Russ	Kiernan	Mill Valley	55	30:52	84	Ken	Bauer	Pleasant Hill	42	36:00
32	James	McMillen	Vallejo	45	31:05	85	Bill	Dodge			36:04
33	Moises	Martinez	Vallejo	26	31:10	86	Grady	Wright	Alameda	52 48	36:05
34	Anthony	Gangi	Petaluma	51	31:12	87	Butch	Carbo	Benicia Pleasant Hill	45	36:08
35	Tim	McHugh	Castro Valley	45	31:14	88	Melanie	Melara		15	36:10
36	Dan	Alarid	Walnut Creek	50	31:24	89	Steve	James	Martinez	37	
37	Phil	Williamson	Martinez	28	31:27	90	Brew	Wein	Concord Rodeo	36	36:13 36:14
38	David	Garcia	Hayward	40	31:30	91	Mike	Vomund	Martinez	27	36:16
39	David	Cargill	Fairfield	44	32:00	92		Melara			
40	Rick	Rae	Pleasanton	46	32:17	93	Monique Tom	Burke	Martinez	11	36:21
41	Richard	Parker	San Francisco	47	32:20	94		Young	Concord	29	36:24
42	Mike	Patrick	Pleasant Hill	44	32:29	95	Jerry		Fairfield	52	36:26
42	David	Roysdale		54	32:32		Greg	Bedolla	Lafayette	32	36:29
44	Tom	Ford	Sacramento Pittsburg		32:32	96	Mark	Liotta	Lafayette	48	36:38
		Micich		40	32:36	97	Rich	LaVallee		35	36:39
45	Steve	Clark	Pittsburg	35	32:51	98	David	Dubin	Martinez	53	36:43
46	David		Walnut Creek	29		99	Mitch	Avalon	Martinez	40	36:48
47	Mark	Ryan	Concord	32	32:51	100	Kevin	Gallagher Richards	Vallejo	25	36:51
48	Pardip	Suti	Martinez	16	32:54	101	Lou		Orinda	52	36:55
49	Ken	Dobberpuhl	Concord	43	32:59	102	Valerie	Knafeic-Reiner	Fremont	29	36:55
50	Ray	Brown	Hayward	45	33:17	103	Frank	Knafelc	Lafayette	53	36:57
51	Gary	Greiner	Richmond	52	33:23	104	Bill	Whitford	Concord	45	37:02
52	Sharlet	Gilbert	Richmond	41	33:27	105	Richard	Austin	Alameda	59	37:03
53	Allen	Wyly	Benicia	51	33:28	106	Mary	Langlois	Concord	36	37:07

BRICK YARD RUN - FEBRUARY 27, 1993 RACE RESULTS

PLACE		NAME	CITY	AGE	TIME	PLACE		NAME	CITY	AGE	TIME
107	Valerie	Doyle	pm5743a	50	37:15	164	Dan	Tulohey	Clayton	44	41:07
108	Jim	Cartmill	Concord	43	37:16	165	Abe	Szoke	Fremont	63	41:22
109	Stephen	Derenzo	Pinole	51	37:17	166	Barbara	Robben	Berkeley	58	41:27
110	Brian	Gladden	Walnut Creek	28	37:18	167	Molly	McNerney	Martinez	16	41:31
111	Arthur	Coon	Martinez	32	37:25	168	Robert	Davis	Antioch	54	41:35
112	Archie	Drury	Alameda	21	37:35	170	Dale Ann	Daly	Hayward	42	41:38
113	Peter	Bonis	Martinez	37	37:42	171	Julie	McCormack	San Francisco	27	41:40
114	Brad	Atterbury	Martinez	36	37:44	173	Karen	Giblin Boling	Benicia	32	41:57
115	Val	Dover	Oakland	31	37:44	174	Ed	Giblin	Vacaville	58	41:58
116	Paige	Tully	Martinez	27	37:59	175	Sandy	Saginaw	Martinez	33	42:00
117	Rick	Newman	Fairfield	39	38:09	176	Ed	Velando	Martinez	51	42:20
119	William	Mertens	Concord	57	38:22	178	Doug	Williams	Richmond	46	42:39
120	Dave	McNerney	Martinez	45	38:28	180	Michael	Callahan	Concord	55	42:50
122	George	Mitchell	San Francisco	30	38:30	181	Susan	Vomund	Martinez	29	42:52
123	Harry	Cordellos	San Francisco	55	38:31	182	Harry	O'Neal Jr.	Benicia	50	43:02
124	Marvin	Mainer	Oakland	55	38:33	183	Gary	Nagle	Oroville	54	43:19
125	David	Rae	Pleasanton	22	38:35	184	John	Hansen	31114	44	44:00
126	Gerald	Glendenning	Richmond	56	38:40	185	Bill	Poate	Byron	56	44:24
127	Richard	Fenley	Novato	36	38:50	186	Bill	Schmidt	Benicia	56	44:31
128	Wilson	Wendt	Orinda	51	38:51	187	Beverly	Russell	Fremont	40	44:34
129	Ernie	Melara	Martinez	44	38:54	188	Dee	Allen-Kirkhouse	Martinez	42	44:36
130	David	Summers	Martinez	33	38:59	189	E.	Stadum	San Francisco	54	44:40
131	Linda	् \timer =	Martinez	46	39:04	191	frank	Redniguez	San Larenzo	67	44:42
132	Jim	Shriver	Fairfield	40	39:10	192	Ruth	Anderson	Oakland	63	44:47
133	Brian	Whitford	Concord	13	39:12	193	Raymond	Yeck	Antioch	44	44:52
134	Lloyd	Anderson	Fremont	62	39:13	194	Roland	Carrothers	Moraga	65	45:03
135	Fred	Nierhake	Martinez	40	39:15	195	Ron	Galloway	Concord	59	45:32
136	Barbara	Ginos	Concord	41	39:19	196	Joe	Stadum	Martinez	52	46:07
137	Alan	Ginos	Concord	41	39:23	197	Ben	McEntree	Pleasanton	53	46:13
138	Brian	Hartley	Danville	39	39:24	198	Karen	Gudiksen	Castro Valley	53	46:26
139	Steve	Archibald	Sacramento	38	39:26	199	Hanna	Szoke	Fremont	60	46:38
140	Phyllis	Miller	Pleasant Hill	41	39:30	201	Ken	Olmsted	Martinez	38	47:27
141	Marty	Bender	Pacheco	35	39:31	202	Carrie	Durkee	Oakland	46	47:39
142	Peter	Langley	Martinez	48	39:42	203	Tertius	Chandler	Berkeley	78	47:40
143	David	Nethaway	Danville	63	39:49	204	Gina	Baumgartner		27	47:50
144	Phil	Davis	Antioch	25	39:53	205	Holly	Velando	Martinez	48	47:52
145	John	Demaree	Hollister	49	39:55	206	Carolyn	Robinson	Benicia	49	48:47
147	Bruce	Oliver	Oakland	64	40:00	209	Robert	Searls	Martinez	59	50:40
148	Peggy	Kwok	Fairfield	45	40:06	210	Joshua	Maresch		37	51:09
149	Tony	Dover	Oakland	39	40:07	211	Barry	Hampshire	Walnut Creek	43	51:29
150	Dexter	Dobberpuhl	Concord	47	40:09	212	Michaele	Martino	Danville	33	51:33
152	Jon	Ford	MArtinez	53	40:18	213	Bonnie	Thrower	Alameda	45	51:36
153	Val	Ory	Lafayette	41	40:21	214	Judy	Golding	San Mateo	72	52:00
154	Michael	Fletcher	Martinez	31	40:24	215	Chiho	Tanaka	Martinez	24	53:00
155	Mark	Hovermale	Alameda	43	40:26	216	Jan	Knafelc	Lafayette	53	53:17
156	Janice	Davis	Attances	43	40:36	217	Edward	Russell		34	54:44
157	Tom	Thrower	Alameda	46	40:40	218	Annabel	Marsh		69	56:27
159	Sem	Stevenson	Benicia	58	40:53	219	Leslie	Cobb	Alameda	35	56:35
160	Judy	Guinn	Zephyr Cove	37	40:57	220	Jackie	Cummings	Alameda		unknown
161	Kevin	Galloway	Pleasant Hill	32	40:59	221	Carol	Roth	Alameda	38	56:36
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FROM LOU AND MARY PERESENYI: As I am about to celebrate my eighty-fourth Ohristmas,... I wish you a most joyous, healthy, and prosperous ... New Year. My first recollection of this wonderful event was in Hungary where I was born. It was near my third birthday when I remember strange and mysterious things happening. There was a wonderful anticipation in the air. Then Christmas morning arrived: a beautiful tree with ornaments, gifts, music, good things to eat, and singing in our church. Our next Christmas was celebrated in this wonderful land called America. In the September following that last magic Ouristmas in Hungary, my parents and I immigrated to a new home. Here, sitting on my father's shoulder, I first saw the Statue of Liberty while entering New York Harbor. We were in steerage class on the Cunard liner 'Carpathia', and we, like thousands of others, were processed through Ellis Island to a new life. I shall always thank my parents for this wonderful gift that changed my life—and what followed to make the Peresenyi family what we are today....

'This June I finally retired from active teaching and coaching after sixty-eight years, including two separate hitches in the Air Force.

"The years with Mary Ann have been the happiest of my life. She is not only my wife, she's my best friend and companion, my murse and guardian angel. How can one be so lucky? The year was not without its problems: corrective surgery three times on my left arm, then a right elbow replacement after that, and now a ... right hip joint replacement....Many dear friends....have passed away...This has been a wonderful life. I hope I deserved it; I tried to."

FROM MEL SHINE: (New address-73 Fairway Circle, Medford, Or 97504) "Hi—Guess this is my last 'gasp.' Davis Turkey Trot, 2nd 70+ 59:20; Dallas Turkey Trot, Thanksgiving Day 8 miles, 15,000 runners, 3rd 70+1:18 despite slow start—nice plaque. I must tell you about my 'never again run—Feb. 6 Trinidad Clam Beach Run, poorly managed per se; I drove 375 miles round trip, parked half hour ahead of start time, pre-registered—no desk or forms at the start—so I had to run sans my number. The 8.75 miles included 2.75 on beach, but had to remove shoes to ford a 'wild'little river and shoes were knotted—cold hands—took 20 minutes to until and re-tie. At finish they tried to shunt me to nonregistered but a thoughtful woman took my name etc. registered my time. But what did I get-mail with T-shirt and note 'no show.'"

KIT PICKLES. When I asked Kit what she has been up to lately, she reported a trip to France to participate in three golf tournaments in Paris and two in Nice. She leaves this week.

WELCOME, NEW MEMBER, RON M-LENNAN, born January 29, 1945, 4605 Deercreek Lane, Apt. 4, Concord, CA 94521 (510/689-4545). He played baseball and football at Merritt J.C. and two years of football at SFSU (safety and wide receiver); his last year included track (one and two miles). He is a landscaping contractor and part-time teacher. He was recruited by Mark Grubi, who was impressed with his performances at the Berkeley allcomers meets--Feb. 6, 800 2:21, 1500M 4:40; Feb. 13, 800 2:17.2, 1500 4:36.9; Feb. 20, 800M 2:10.6, 1500M 4:51.7; Feb. 27, 800M 2:15.9; and March 6, 800M 2:13, 1500M 4:33.

FURTHER TRACK AND FIELD RESULTS--

Berkeley All-Comers Meets--

TOM SILVA's Javelin flew 203' Feb. 20; BRUCE HOTALING improved his pole vault to 13'6"; and ROGER WERNE improved his vault to 12'6", March 6.

ED MANOUGIAN competed well in the 100 and 200 meters at the Palm Sprngs Senior Olympics meet in February.

TRAINING AT THE TRACK, BERKELEY-

New member, Joe Metzgar, has conditioned his feet to spikes and is anxious for his first sprint competition. Bob Fuller and Roger Scott test each other on Sundays; Craig Boyak is getting ready for the season; Shirley Dietderich still has her eye on Japan. Ray Yeck is also preparing and his wife, Kathy, gives Coach Grubi great satisfaction with her progress in learning form and coming up to a competitive level. Bill Bigelow (82) continues to attack the 100 meters. Dan and Martie Behrens are preparing.

Michael Holzgang (916)489-7881 (7-9p.m.) should be contacted if you wish to attend his meet March 27 at Sac. St. U. PLEASE SEND US YOUR RESULTS.

UPCOMING ROAD RACES AND ULTRAS --

March 21 - PA/USATF Seniors LDR Champ, Palo Alto, Lee Haskell (415)323-6160.

March 28 - Houlihan's 12K (PA/USATF LDR Champs., San Fran, 8 a.m. (415)668-2243 followed by a meeting of the PA/USAT LDR Committe, M. Winitz(415)948-0618.

April 4 - American River 50 Mile (Ultra G.P.), Sacra., Delmar Fralich (916)783-4558

April 17 - Ruth Anderson 100K (Ultra G.P., San Fran., 6:30am, D.Collins (415)530-6634

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NORTHERN CALIFORNIA SENIORS TRACK CLUB, Inc.

Invites you to compete in the 1993 Ken Carnine Classic, Saturday, April 24, at California State University, Sacramento.

Competition will be in tive-year age divisions for both men and women, age 30 end over. Relay learns may be made of mixed ages.

Entry fee is \$6 for each event. The first three places in individual events will receive medals. Relay entry is tree but no prizes will be awarded.

Entry deadline is Tuesday, April 20. There will be NO open class. Post entries will be accepted at a fee of \$10 per event.

Facilities: Track and runways are Chevron 400. Spikes must not exceed 1/4 inch. Throwing rings are concrete. Showers are available. Limited tocker space is available. Bring your own lock, soap and towel.

NOTE: Athletes who participate in this competition may be subject to formal drug testing in accordance with TAC rules and IAAF Rule 144. Athletes found positive for banned substances, or who refuse to be tested, with be disqualified from this event and will lose eligibility for future competitions. Some prescription and over-the-counter medications contain banned substances. Information regarding drugs and drug testing may be obtained by calling the UCOC Hot Line at 800-233-0393. (The decision to conduct tests rests with the TAC.)

SCHEDULE OF RUNNING EVENTS

SCHEDULE OF FIELD EVENTS

10:00 a.m.	100m hurdles, 110 hurdles	9:00 a.m.	Hammer
10:30	3000m - women	10:00	Long jump, Javelin
11:00	3000m - men	11:30	Triple jump, Pole-vault
11:30	400m	12:00 p.m.	High Jump, Discus
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2:30	4x400m Relay		

OFFICIAL ENTRY FORM

In consideration of my entry, I hereby waive all rights to claims of any kind against the meet sponsors, the City and County of Sacramento, the State of California, and their agents. I attest that I have trained for this competition and am physically III.

Signature	Print Name_	
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Mail this form with check (\$6'event) to NorCal Sentors TC, c/o Michael Ackley, 4649 Oakbough Way, Carmichael, CA 95608. Phone: (916) 967–9003.

NOTICE - More information regarding a club warm up suit will be given in the April newsletter. Please send in the survey blank included in the February newsletter, or phone Mark Grubi (415)285-3352.

⊮ Hoy's Sports Classic 5K

*Olympic Style Finish

*Great Random Drawings



*Flat, Fast Course

*Free Admittance to Track Meet

Saturday, May 15, 8AM

COUTSE: Start inside the newly refurbished Kezar Stadium before making a mostly flat loop throught the east end of Golded Gate Park. Finish Olympic-Style with a lap on the Kezar Stadium 400-meter oval.

Registration: \$15 Pre-Registration posimarked by May 10, 1993, \$20 Late registration and race day at Kezar Stadium from 6:45,AM-7-45,AM. Entry fee includes 3-shirt and free admission to Kezar-Mizuno Invitational track 6r field meet held immmediately following 5K.

Location: Kezar Stadium is located just off the South-East corner of Golden Gate Park, at the corner of Stanyan and Frederick streets in the famous Haight-Ashbury district of San Francisco.

Volunteer/Race Hotline:

Call race director, Dr. Ed Lopez DP.M. (415)666-3754

Divisions & Awards: Awards 3 deep in 12 categories: •18 & Under •19-29 •30-39 •40-49 •50-59 •60+ •Plus Corporate Team





Pre-Register for \$15 by May 10, 1993, Mail check payable to Kezat Mizuno Invitational 1632 Haight Street





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