

❖ RUNNERS' RAG ❖

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OFFICIAL NEWSLETTER OF THE WINNERS CIRCLE RUNNING CLUB

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WCRC Celebrates 20th Anniversary (Just one year shy of the legal drinking age)

The Winner's Circle function room was packed with new and old members on Nov. 22 to celebrate two decades of WCRC history.

With the promise of free food (and the mistaken notion that free beer would be served), current and inactive members descended on the Winner's Circle like shoppers at Filene's one-day coat sale.

Volunteers had expended more than a few calories in decorating the room with various T-shirts from many years of club-sponsored races. They also provided delectable hors d'oeuvres, including chicken wings and mini-meatballs, to accompany the always delicious Winner's Circle pizza.

To fill any lulls in the conversation, videos of club races were shown. Careful watchers may have recognized Deb Farmer winning the "More than just a pretty face" women's race from 1983. The historians among us shared their scrapbooks chronicling the too-many-to-count races they've competed in. (But Nick Anastasi is still counting.)

Fortunately for the partiers, the original date for the celebration was changed to accommodate Bob

Manning's schedule. A Winner's Circle event without Bob Manning would be like a TV set without the remote controller. Who else would reward hecklers with commemorative glasses?

Ted Jones, current club president (better start stuffing those ballot boxes now before the next election), was honored along with all former club presidents. I hadn't realized that Buddy Bostick was once president. I **did** notice that all the presidents have been male or at least claim to be. Hmm. I nominate Louise Rossetti. (OOPS! I'd best save that for another time.)

Laughter ceased and homage was paid to past-president and tireless volunteer Bob Randall. In a **Runner's World** contest, Bob was nominated and selected as the Massachusetts recipient of an award for outstanding club volunteer.

The closest I've ever been to a Chippendales performance was when some sexy male club members modeled the numerous styles of uniforms that have been adopted over the years. Yes, Paula, you correctly pointed out the source of the club's identity crisis.

If laughter is the best medicine, then many of us overdosed when the "before" and "after" videos

were shown. Fun was poked at Bob Manning for keeping the downstairs office "less than tidy." Bob Randall was razzed about his using the lost and found as his personal clothing store. The ubiquitous Louise Rossetti's relatively slow race pace was the subject of some good natured ribbing. (Some of us will be running slower times than Louise does well before we've reached our seventies.) (Ed. Note IF WE'RE LUCKY)

Lee Knapp, karaoke singer extraordinaire and David Letterman stand-in, listed the top ten reasons for coming to the 20th anniversary party. Ted Wendt, even though you've migrated to Florida for the winter, just know that Lee hasn't forgotten you.

The emphasis clearly was on the first ten years of the club's history; however, it made reminiscing that much sweeter. Ah, the good old days, when Gil Emery was in his prime and everyone knew the Dufords personally.

Let's not wait another 20 years for such a celebration.

Ed. Note: This article was brilliantly produced by new "Cub Reporter" Leslie Behan. I think you'll like her fresh sense of

***NEW in March: Two Thursday Runs!!!
Groups will now leave the Circle at BOTH 4:00 and 5:00 PM!!
No More Excuses: Just be there!***

WCRC Second (again) at Mill Cities

Female Masters Foiled by Green No-Shows



Greater Lowell may have abandoned 'Slime Green' for Forest Green, but they still make for formidable competition. This year's relay ended as it so often does, with the Circle second overall behind the Green. It does seem strange, however, that a club with the size and resources of a GLRR would benefit from a rule designed to level the playing field for smaller clubs. **As Newsletter Editor I'd like to challenge the GLRR to field competitive teams in all divisions**, if only to make things a bit more interesting. (The GLRR would likely have won anyway this year, but a number of runners felt their efforts were wasted with the lack of GLRR competition)

Many thanks to all who ran and to Mike McCormick for organizing the WCRC contingent. Thanks also to our volunteer crew and to the whole Mill Cities Organizing Committee.

PLACE	DIV/TOT	NAME	CLUB DIV	TEAM NAME	TIME
1	1/28	TOM DOODY	GLRR	MO ROAD MEN	2:26:21
2	2/28	DAVE KAZANJIAN	WRT	MO WHILAWAY NG TEA	2:29:32
3	1/9	PHIL RILEY	GLRR	MM ROAD AND XC CHAMPS	2:36:04
4	3/28	DAVE BEAULEY	GCS	MO LOW RIDERS	2:40:17
5	4/28	MARK BLAISDELL	GLRR	MO GREEN GEEKAHS	2:40:35
6	5/28	CHRIS KEALEY	WCRC	MO MEN OPEN A	2:40:54
7	6/28	TOM CROSS	WCRC	MO OPEN B	2:41:02
8	2/9	GARY PASSLER	WCRC	MM MALE MASTERS -	2:41:07
9	7/28	JOE SHAIRS	NSS	MO	2:43:56
10	1/10	DON FAY	RR	CO WHO KNOWS WHO	2:45:06
11	2/10	STELLA MCCORMICK	WCRC	CO MIXED COEDS	2:45:13
12	1/12	WILL MASON	GLRR	MS DOGZ	2:52:19
13	3/9	WALTER SWANBON	GCS	MM MASTER'S A	2:52:34
14	8/28	STEVE PENNY	MO	RUNNIN' WILD NMC'ERS	2:53:09
15	1/10	NANCY FUNARO	GLRR	FO FAST LADIES	2:54:02
16	9/28	MIKE COLLINS	SQRR	MO MUDSKIPPERS	2:54:36
17	1/7	JOHN BYRNE	GLRR	CM ALWAYS GREEN	2:57:29
18	2/7	PAULA HOLM	WCRC	CM MIXED MASTERS	2:58:17
19	3/10	MIKE PAGE	NSS	CO	2:58:55

20	2/10	LIZ ARCIERI	WCRC	FO FEMALE BLUES	3:01:04
21	2/12	TED JONES	WCRC	MS SENIORS MALE	3:02:30
22	4/10	MOE PRATT	GAC	CO GAC EXPRESS	3:02:37
23	3/12	BILL MARLOW	MVS	MS RALPH'S RUNNERS	3:03:52
24	10/28	MIKE HAGERTY	GCS	MO SWIFTY	3:04:05
25	4/12	GEORGE MILLER	MS	ONE STEP AHEAD	3:04:25
26	5/10	ANN DALY	MVS	CO	3:08:12
27	11/28	PETER PAELINCK	CS	MO FAST GUYS	3:09:33
28	3/7	PAUL DUCEY	NSS	CM	3:10:38
29	12/28	MARC BASILE	GCS	MO REAL MEN	3:11:06
30	13/28	BRIAN BIGELOW	GCS	MO THE A TEAM	3:11:50
31	14/28	GARY FREEDMAN	NSS	MO	3:12:16
32	3/10	KATHY KIRBY	GCS	FO A PLUS	3:12:28
33	15/28	RON PINCENCE	GCS	MO EASY RIDERS	3:13:01
34	16/28	GERARD OTTAVIANO	GLRR	MO	3:13:32
35	5/12	JACK PIERCE	GLRR	MS	3:13:37
36	17/28	RAY LAVIGNE	AS	MO FUBAH	3:14:15
37	4/9	PETER MALINOWSKI	NSS	MM	3:15:31
38	5/9	BOB FLINN	MVS	MM	3:16:07
39	1/2	HEIDI MCGAFFIGAN	GCS	FM	3:16:12



On the Road with the WCRC
Our latest: Mike Menesale in the Colors in Key West, FL.

WCRC Schedule of Events

(See Also: Race Schedule At Right)

CLUB RUNS Thursdays 4:00 PM and (NEW in March) 5:00 PM, SHARP from the Circle. All Welcome! *Wear Reflective Gear*

MONTHLY MEETINGS: Second Tuesday each month. 6:30, upstairs(smoke - free) at the Circle *Note: The Feb. meeting is the exception, see next item:*

WCRC ELECTIONS & SPECIAL MEETING: February.7, 6:00 PM, at the Circle. Grand Prix and Most Improved Runner Awards Presented, New Board Announced. Refreshments.

WCRC Running & Racing Schedule

EAST DERRY "BOSTON PREP"

16 Miler, January 25, 10 AM, Boy's & Girl's Club, Hampstead Rd. Derry, Snow or Shine. (603) 887-4289 A truly nasty "moderate hills" course

GREAT STEW CHASE 15K, Feb 7, 10 AM, Lynn, 978-468-7934, or nmc@tiac.net

BRADFORD VALENTINE 5M, 6K, Feb 14, 10 AM, Bradford Common, 978-374-6405

CHERRY PIE CLASSIC 8K, Feb 15, Lawrence Elks, 11AM, Kids 1M prior, Andover Striders, 978-687-1469

EASTERN STATES 20 Miler, formerly Border to Berder, Kittery to Salisbury, Feb 22, 11AM Suttle busses from & To Hampton Beach 617-893-8383 or email dea@worldstd.com

MERRIMAC HANDICAP 7M (Named after Merrimac's illustrious residents Bob & Ted) FEB 22, 1PM. 1 Locust St

IRISH FEET ARE RUNNIN' 5M,

Hynes Tavern, Lowell, March 15, 1 PM, 978-256-4743, evenings

17th WCRC SPRING CLASSIC APRIL FOOLS 4 Miler, March 28, Winner's Circle, 11 AM, 603-868-7203 (Vicki) or 978-462-4685 (Paula) *(Volunteers Needed)*

ANDOVER STRIDERS 30K, March 22, 10 AM, N. Andover VFW to Circle, Dave Labrode, 978-373-3408

FRED'S MARATHON & 1/2 MAR, Sunday, April 19, New Course Fitchburg MA, 9 AM.

BAA BOSTON MARATHON, Monday, April 20, High Noon YES THERE WILL BE A BUS! Contact TBA soon. Enter by March 1.

UPDATE: Boston Marathon 1998

It is looking like the we'll be back to our normal participation level at the Boston Marathon next year. That means we'll also be providing support with a bus and courtesy room. The Lenox has already been reserved thanks to Tom & Vicki Miller, and training has begun.

The BAA has maintained it's price tag of a rather hefty \$75 but has discontinued it's requirement of USATF membership, which will save some runners \$15.

To receive an Application for the 1998 race send your SASE to:

BAA Application Request

The Starting Line, One Ash Street, Hopkinton, MA 01748-1897
(or download from <http://www.bostonmarathon.org>)

The WCRC has a limited number of "Club Numbers" available for a few members who attempted to qualify but fell short. Contact Gary Passler at 508-388-4322

THE BUS INFO:

Rest assured there WILL be full participation including a bus this year. A new coordinator will be appointed in early February. So happy training & see you there!

WCRC COACH WANTED

The WCRC is currently looking for a qualified individual to serve as Club Coach for a ten week spring session.

This will be a part time position, probably one session weekly. It is hoped that interest will be sufficient to expand the program.

Anyone interested, or if you know someone who would be right for the job, please contact Mike McCormick at:
978-462-0117

1997 Board Of Directors

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Visit the WCRC Website, maintained by Tom Miller, at:

Is *THIS* What Friends are For?

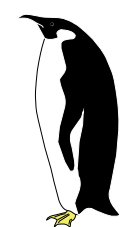
by Mike Fiene

The first time I saw the L Street Brownies on the national news jumping into the ocean I was 16 and lived in Colorado. I can recall two things: they were all rather rotund and had to be the craziest people in the world. Little did I know that many years later I would meet some people who give crazy a new definition.

Whereas, the L Street crazies go from heated showers to beach to heated showers less than 100 yards away, during the warmest part of the day; the Winner Circle crazies run two miles back and forth to the beach at the coldest part of the day with a break to strip off their clothes and jump into the ocean head first. Until this year I only heard about this behavior. This year I witnessed it and indeed Bob and John are two sick puppies.

Met at BM's house at 6AM; it was 3 degrees with 20 MPH winds at your back to the beach and in your face on the way back. I brought an extra headband and hat for Wylie since he also lost his ears to frostbite the year before.

We waited for the others to show up. They did not and I do not think any the less of them, but someone

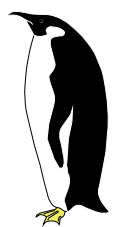


had to witness and if necessary remove the bodies from the water. As John said, the run to the beach is the shortest and fastest feeling run you take all year. In contrast the run back is the longest.

Anyway we are at the beach, Bob and John strip to their shorts and carefully lay the clothes out so that they can get into them immediately after finishing their dip. And in they go. No wading for these guys, its head first, a few strokes and

then out. As they scramble for their clothes, as quick as possible, because they know their fingers will become useless in minutes. Meanwhile the wind is whipping the clothes all over the place and one of Bob's precious gloves is lifted and heads toward the ocean. Bob is on his a**, putting his pants on and yells with the emotion of someone who knows the consequences of a wet mitten on the run back. Catching the mittens is one reason for at least one semi-sane person to join these crazies. It does take a couple of minutes and their hands are now useless. I could not zip John's jacket up, but was able to get Bob's (next year no zippers). We head back. It was encouraging that

Bob and John are still talking. We stopped at the side of a building to get out of the wind to make the final adjustments to jackets and shoes. Really uneventful but believe me it was cold. They did finish the run, and got to the hot tub and they cannot wait until next year. Myself, somehow parts of me got colder than parts of Bob and John. Thank goodness for Bob's wood stove.



The Proof is in the Pudding!
Mssrs. Wile & Manning Caught in the act by Papparazi Mike Fiene



Members and Crustaceans Enjoy Christmas Party

by Leslie Behan

Club members took a break from Christmas shopping, gift wrapping, and moving (if you happen to be **Dave LaBrode**) to enjoy the annual Christmas party held at the Hungry Traveler Restaurant on Dec. 20. Although the turnout was smaller than usual, the fun was not diminished.

Mike McCormick was entertaining in his role as MC for the traditional Yankee Swap. Gifts included such coveted items as a teddy bear, a teddy, alcoholic beverages (are there any other kinds?) and, most unusual, a live lobster, won by **Doug Eastman**. **Tom Roldan** walked away with a case of Schaeffer beer, while his date ended up with the sexy teddy (as in *Victoria's Secret*, not bear). What a combination!

The buffet offered an assortment of delectable dishes for us hungry travelers. To burn off all the calories, dancing was the activity of choice. The partying went on till well after this cub reporter sneaked away with her Ioka theater tickets.

Many thanks to **Sue Passler**, the event organizer, who unselfishly devotes her time and efforts for the benefit of the club, and to **Peter Cameron**, club member and owner of the Hungry Traveler.

RoadChill

First things first for the new year:

YES, Club Polar Bears **Bob Manning & John Wile** DID brave the sub-zero windchills for their annual run, dip and shrink triathlon, and thanks to **Mike Fiene** they are alive to tell about it. Hopefully Mike will have a photo or two available for this issue. If not we'll save them for the April FOOLS issue...

This is getting a little too commonplace:

John "Chuck" Leary once again showed his legs are better conditioned than his stomach. Steer clear of this guy at the end of races. Really, John, you need to train with **Tom Roldan** who has been known to eat pizza on the way out to train

Coach of the Year:

Our own **Don Hennigar** was recently named Mass. Cross-Country Coach of the Year. His NHS Girls' Team were State Champs! Congrats to Don. .

New Yankee Course!

Yankee Homecoming race director **Jon Pearson** attended a WCRC board meeting for input into a new 10 mile course. No longer can the course cross the offramp areas of Route 95. **Paula Holm** has submitted a fine proposal Only time will tell...

Bandit on the Loose?

It has come to the Club's attention that a club 'regular' recently "banditted" a club race. Any member fiscally unable to pay the nominal entry fee please contact the chairman of the scholarship committee, **Bruce Vogel**, at his e-mail address: bvogel@shore.net

New Members!

Phil Borelli, Wolfeboro, NH

Larry Brown, West Newbury, MA

Susan Klatt, Exeter, NH

John Pasquale, Haverhill, MA

Ellie Whitney, Hampton, NH

Ryan Zannini, Hooksett, NH

Welcome to you all!

Hope to see you often!

CONGRATULATIONS!

Travis Landreth

Big East Cross Country Champ!

Newburyport HS Girls X-C

State Champs!

Don Hennigar

Coach of the Year, Mass. !

Bob Randall

Mass. Club Volunteer of the Year!

Nick Anastasi

Ran record number of road races in '97!

All WCRC Members

who ran PR's or reached personal goals this past year!

And of course a big 'thank you' to all those who contributed to the Runner's Rag!

On the Road with Charlie & John Road Trip to Memphis

These guys love a good road trip. Especially if there is a marathon to be run. Some time back I profiled **Charlie Nelson & John Huttunen** as they ran with a Runner's World "pace group" at St. George Utah. Now here's another chapter in their quest to run marathons under 4 hours in all 50 states. Charlie, age 46 and John, also 46, aren't generally found on the medal stand, but have found a niche that just might be even more rewarding.

December 7, Memphis Tennessee, and the WCRC "Colors" are on display. At least I hope they were, since the one thing Charlie didn't send is a picture...The road boys are in town for catfish, gumbo, beer and oh, yes a marathon too. It's the First Annual Tennessee Memphis Marathon, and not a bad idea for a road trip over a long weekend.

The course is flat for 10 miles, then rolling, and passes Graceland at mile 14. From 24 the course is flat, along the banks of the "Mighty Mississippi" and finishing (awesome, says Charlie) inside "The Pyramid" Arena, a 22,500 seat sports complex 32 stories high.

As for results, John had a nice 3:27, and Charlie 3:44, well under their requirement. Jon was 158th, Charlie 238th of 703 finishers. Temps were 30ish at the start, warming to about 40 and sunny at the end.

The evening was spent on Beale St, made famous by Elvis. No Elvis sightings on this trip, though, just a few impersonators among the pack. Catfish, Gumbo & Beer were successfully located, as evidenced by the hangovers on the plane ride home.

Charlie also sent along a \$10 donation to the Club. So I'd better write this...Seriously, guys, you really DO know how to pick some interesting races, so let us know early next time, maybe you'll have company.

The Winner: Toys For Tots

Santa's Toy Trot, held in Merrimac on December 14th, was termed "a great success by race founder and director **Bob Randall**. 300 Runners donated over \$4000 in toys to the U. S. Marines "Toys For Tots" program.

This race features a two-mile course, which can be run once, twice or three times at the whim of the participant. Many aren't even sure when they enter which race they will finish! Great concept!

Top finishers at 2 Miles were **Tom Roldan, Kara & Dick Molloy & Sue Passler**. 4 Milers **Craig Fram, Lou Ristaino, Allie McGuinness & Donna Butler**. And at 6 miles, **Mike Drummy, Leo Clarke, Cheryl Buckley & Deb Farmer**.

A special thank you to the **Merrimac Savings Bank** for sponsoring for the third year.

Thanks also from the race Director to the following co-sponsors for their donations: **TLC, Towne Market, Lets Go Travel, Sloban Auto, Homestead Farm, Richdale, The Vintage Grill, A Piece of Cake Bakery, Edgemont Oil, Para Flex, Applecart, FILA USA, Ipswich Brewing Co, Whirlaway, Runner's Mitt, Hair Factory Salon, Lizard Gear, Buchika's Ski Shop, Sugar Plum Bakery, Rochester Shoe Tree Co, Coca Cola, General Mills, and of course the Winner's Circle Running Club**

See you all on Dec. 13, 1998

Santa's Toy Trot WCRC Results

Two Miles			John Tomasz	37:51
T. Roldan	(1st)	11:05	57 Finished	
K. Molloy	(1st F)	11:39		
S. Passler	2dF, 1st 40)	12:52	Six Miles	
S. Cameron	(1st under 18)	12:59	M. Drummy	(1st) 34:16
N. Anastasi		17:04	L. Clarke	(2nd) 36:58
Jamie Wile		18:01	T. Jones	39:17
Matthew Wile		21:14	D. LaBrode	39:31
71 Finished			C. Buckley	(1st F) 39:52
Four Miles			D. Farmer	(2nd, 1st 40) 41:28
C. Fram	(1st)	20:26	J. Parkinson	45:06
S. St. Lawrence	(1st F)	23:22	D. Hall	47:51
G. Passler		24:46	C. Zanni	48:08
A. McGuinness	(2nd F, 1st 40)	27:55	L. Behan	48:29
J. Chuck Leary		28:17	D. Sturtevant	49:14
B. Aucoin		28:25	A. Tassinari	51:05
J. Woodbury		29:04	P. Houck	51:18
Danny Tomasz	(age 9)	37:58	L. Rossetti	60:01
			76 Finished	

Exeter RunsGrowing

Runs in Exeter on Sunday Mornings are growing in popularity. Beginning at Results Fitness (this may change in the upcoming weeks) at 8:30 AM, these social runs have been drawing 12-15 people. Many of the regulars are running Boston and will be building into long, slow runs. Currently the runs are at 7:30 to 8:15 pace, and the group breaks into groups from 6-16 miles. Call

Late Breaking News: Frigid Fiver Results 1/18/98

L. Ristaino	(1st)	
26:51		
B. Butterworth	(3rd, 1st 40+)	27:08
C. Kealey		
27:43		
D. Hennigar		
29:18		
G. Passler		
30:27		
J. Gurczak		
30:55		
L. Noyes		
32:29		
T. Jones		
33:05		
M. Mensching	(1st F)	
33:09		
S. Passler	(2nd, 1st 40)	
33:27		
K. Bradshaw-Long		
33:38		
M. Fiene		
33:39		
B. McCarthy		
33:53		
D. Anderson		
34:04		
K. Bradbury		

Running on the "Net" Starts at "CoolRunning"

Those of you with internet access have no doubt discovered many of the interesting running sites available. The WCRC of course has it's own site expertly created by **Tom Miller**, and this Rag can be found there, with color photos. (xenia.unh.edu/wcrc/)

As a service to the members I'd like to plug the **Coolrunning page**, an all-purpose site located at www.coolrunning.com. Full race results, training tips, stories and links to other "cool stuff" abound here. The Rag makes use of this great resource in gathering info and it has saved me many hours of copying results!

January 19, 1997

Douglas Eastman
12 webster Ave.
Exeter, NH 03833

Dear Mr. Eastman:

Thank you for your recent suggestion regarding the collection box for "Local Only" mail at 27 Front St. It is our understanding that you find it inconvenient to deposit mail into this box as it requires you to exit your vehicle. Additionally, we are advised that you fell on your (posterior) recently while attempting to do so.

Our investigation into the matter indicates that you are a healthy adult male who runs said (posterior) all over town in the pursuit of good health (and who knows what else). In fact, you have probably logged more miles than Ed Liebfried's postal vehicle in the past year. Still, you whine about taking three baby steps to one of our collection boxes.

Our suggestion to you, sir, is that you make full use of our handicap ramp and deposit your letters inside the post office where the likelihood of you taking another dive is somewhat remote. Or, perhaps you could leave your outgoing mail in your own box at your residence for pick-up by one of our (highly qualified..ed.) letter carriers. I doubt any of them would complain about YOUR box.

Thank You again for wasting our time

R. Randall,
Acting Postmaster General



You never know who'll show up to run in Exeter on a Sunday morning. We've had legends like Randall and Beers, and now Ms. Jennings! Lynn just wanted a slow pace on this beautiful day.

Photo Courtesy M. Peters, taken by D. Eastman

More Race Results

Hangover Classic a Success as Long as Nature Doesn't Call

Hangover 10K	Hangover 5K	Turkey Trot XC 11/27
D. Verrington (1st) 31:52	D. Hennigar (1st) 17:30	A. Bernier (1st) 17:21
B. Butterworth (1st 40) 34:23	J. Molvar (2nd) 17:42	J. Chute (3rd) 17:51
D. Hampson (9th) 35:08	K. Molloy (1st F) 18:13	R. Hopper 17:57
Kristin Cobb (1st F, 9th overll) 35:12	J. Scianna (1st F-40) 18:47	C. Kealey 18:06
J. Kirtland (2nd F) 35:26	T. Jones 19:59	M. Behan 18:32
M. Grigware 35:27	K. Bradbury 20:18	D. Hennigar 18:46
Cross Dressing Peters??? 36:28	T. Connelly 21:29	M. Tilbury 19:16
M. Tilbury 36:47	G. Dirago (1st 60) 21:46	Matt the fast Manning 19:25
T. Miller 36:56	Role Reversal Peters 23:02	J. Gurczak 19:35
B. Parisi 36:59	J. Woodbury 23:21	T. Miller 20:11
T. Cross 37:14	Momma Mackie 23:24	E. Connor 21:19
D. Kelly 37:33	S. Hickman 24:15	L. Clarke 20:25
C. Sequeira 37:33	H. Katzan 24:15	J. Gangemi 20:32
J. Croteau (1st 50) 38:10	M. Coppinger 24:16	K. Molloy (1st F) 20:35
S. Olsen 38:15	V. Bush 25:03	P. DiBiaso 20:41
B. Steele 38:34	B. Wyman 27:03	B. Lander 20:45
E. Tan 38:38	250 Finished, no toilets	G. Passler 20:47
M. Axten 39:05	<i>Note: The Race director regrets the oversight. He just assumed EVERYTHING takes care of itself at a WCRC race. However it did positively affect the refreshment budget....</i>	B. Steelle 20:49
P. Flink 39:12		K. O'Leary 20:55
L. Noyes 39:32		T. Foley 21:00
M. Richards (Martyn not Mo) 40:01		S. Olsen 21:02
D. Labrode I woulda kikdybutt 40:15		T. Jones 21:08
D. Vasta 41:13		D. Krause 21:13
W. Kurz 41:24		B. Durkin 21:23
E. Connor 41:40		S. Cannon (1st 40) 21:26
B. McCarthy 41:43	MORE TURKEY RESULTS:	M. Mensching 21:30
J. Leary 41:59	M. Coppinger 26:10	E. Rowe 21:34
L. Clarke 42:06	T. the not so fast Manning 27:12	C. Remington 21:53
G. Steckowych 42:40	BrianAroostookMusterdHamel 27:17	J. Manning 21:53
D. Farmer 44:31	J. Gimp Webber 27:28	B. Powers Jr 21:54
D. Soltys 44:37	D. Sturtevant 27:29	R. Collins a name from the past 22:01
J. Parkinson 45:46	M. Shields 27:41	K. Bradbury 22:13
D. Hall now age 50 47:31	A. Tassinari 27:50	M. Axten 22:17
D. McGuigan 47:37	K. Farren 27:52	D. Farmer 22:25
J. Manning 47:50	F. Messina 28:26	W. Kurz (1st 60) 22:26
V. Miller Miraculous recovery 49:14	Brent Fiene 28:41	S. the fast Cameron 22:28
L. Behan 49:31	Mike Fiene 28:42	S. Leonard 22:29
D. Coons 50:09	D. Mazurka 29:06	R. Manseau 22:44
M. Menesale 50:36	C. Collins 29:45	S. Michel 22:49
F. Messina (1st 70) 51:22	Nick worlds champ Anastasi 29:52	S. Mazurka 22:55
D. Staruk 52:14	M. Farren 30:08	B. Aucoin 23:05
D. Sturtevant 52:28	K. Titus 30:22	S. Passler 23:13
P. Houck 53:24	J. Wile 31:34	S. McCormick 23:36
M. Jespersion 54:36	D. Tomasz (age 9) 31:37	G. Emery 24:18
G. Bailey 54:52	J. Tomasz 31:38	G. Dirago 24:49
L/ Rossetti (1st 70) 68:38	E. Whitney 31:39	B. O'neill 24:50
366 Finished, no toilets	L. Tomasz 32:05	A. McGuinness 25:16
	K. Hennigar 32:06	D. McGuigan 25:34
	Michelle Martin 32:31	M. Menesale 25:45
	Brian Martin 32:22	J. Richards 25:50
	M. Wile 34:07	R. L'Italien 26:04
	P. Wile 34:19	
	L. Rossetti 40:03	

Hope we got everyone's results. If not, tough luck. Nothin' personal!

17TH Annual Spring Classic April Fool's Four-Mile Road Race

(WALKERS WELCOME)

--- SATURDAY — MARCH 28, 1998 ---

Portion of Proceeds to Benefit: **THE JIMMY FUND** (See pledge sheet at bottom of this application.)

11:00 a.m.

SALISBURY, MA

Start/Finish: WINNERS CIRCLE SPORTS BAR, Rte 110, (1/2 mile east on Rte 110 off Rte 95)

Entry: Pre-Entry --\$10.00 Post-Entry--\$12.00

COMMEMORATIVE T-SHIRTS TO FIRST 300 ENTRIES

RACE AWARDS: CASH \$\$\$\$: To Top 5 Male & Top 3 Female

Age Groups Awards: (1st, 2nd & 3rd): under 20, 20-29, 30-39, 40-49, 50-59, 60-69, 70+

Raffle Prizes: All Finishers eligible

The Race Will Be Videotaped and Replayed at the Winner's Circle Sports Bar.

Mail application and entry fee to: April Fool's Race +

! \$\$ Checks Payable to: **The Winners Circle Running Club** c/o Allie McGuinness

For more information call : (Vicki @ (603) 868-7203 or Paula @ (508) 462-4685 18 Dawes St

For Safety Reasons: **No Roller Blades, Baby Carriages, or Dogs.** Newburyport, Ma 01950

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Note: AGE & SEX must be supplied on form to be included in Age Division Awards

First Name:

Last Name:

AGE

SEX

Address: _____ Town: _____ State: _____

Zip: _____

ENCLOSED: Pre \$10.00 _____ **SHIRT SIZE** _____

Walkers Please Check Here _____

IN CONSIDERATION OF MY BEING A REGISTERED ENTRANT IN THIS 4 MILE ROAD RACE ON MARCH 28, 1998 IN SALISBURY, MA, HOSTED BY THE WINNER'S CIRCLE RUNNING CLUB, THE UNDERSIGNED DO HEREBY AGREE TO ASSUME ALL RISK OF HARM, INJURY, OR LOSS OF WHAT EVER NATURE RESULTING AT SAID EVENT AND RELEASE, REMISE, DISCHARGE, AND FOREVER HOLD HARMLESS THE WINNER'S CIRCLE RUNNING CLUB AND ALL SPONSORS OR CONTRIBUTORS AGENTS ASSOCIATED WITH THIS EVENT, FROM ANY AND ALL CLAIMS WHICH MIGHT ARISE FROM MY PARTICIPATION IN SAID RACE OR FROM TRAVELING TO OR RETURN THEREFROM.

SIGNATURE(GUARDIAN IF UNDER 18) _____

DATE _____

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1998 "APRIL FOOLS 4 MILER" JIMMY FUND PLEDGE SHEET (optional)

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100% of Pledge proceeds to Benefit.... THE JIMMY FUND

Please collect Pledges at time of Pledge and turn in on race day. (Special Gift to the person collecting the Most Pledge money) Please add your own pledge sheet. The regular Application is available at the Winner's Circle.

**WCRC ELECTION NOTICE:
Important Agenda Items!**

Date: February 7, 1998

Time: 6:00PM

Place: Winner's Circle Sports Bar,
Function Room (Smoke Free)

Agenda:

Election of 1998 Board of Directors
Voting for Most Improved Runners
1997 WCRC Grand Prix Awards
Survey of Interest in Coach
Refreshments/Pizza
(Bring side dish or dessert if you can)

Nominees for Board of Directors:

(12 to be elected)

Gary Alexander
Doug Eastman
Sue Galvin
Paula Holm
Pam Houck

Ted Jones
John Leary
Dave LeBrode
Ed Liebfried
Kathy Long
Bob Manning
Mike McCormick
Allie McGuinness
Vicki Miller
Kevin O'Leary
Sue Passler
Bob Randall
John Wile

**Here are the nominees for
Most Improved Runner - 1997:**
(One male, one Female honored)

Mark Behan
Kelly Bradbury
Leo Clarke
Joe Gurczak

Ted Jones
Dave Kelly
Susannah Landreth
Stella McCormick
Allie McGuinness
Vicki Miller
Kevin O'Leary
Gary Passler
Marty Peters
Carol Zanni

*Note: You can nominate other improved
runners at the meeting. Please bring stats/
list of accomplishments if you plan to do
so.*

*Absentee Ballot Voting may be done
ONLY on the Thursday preceding this
meeting, at the Club Run.*

**BE SURE TO JOIN IN THE WEEKLY CLUB RUNS FROM THE WINNER'S CIRCLE
Beginning March: CHOICE OF TWO RUNS EVERY THURSDAY - 4:00 AND 5:00 PM -**

THE RUNNERS' RAG

**WINNERS CIRCLE RUNNING CLUB
371 ELM STREET (Rte. 110)
SALISBURY, MA 01952**

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