A March 1999 Edition full of St. Patty cheer

## All ages, ability levels turn out for Spring Runoff

by Matt Martin

Finish each day and be done with it. You have done what you could. Some blunders and absurdities no doubt crept in; forget them as soon as you can. Tomorrow is a new day; begin it well and serenely and with too high a spirit to be encumbered with your old nonsense.

- Ralph Waldo Emerson

The 21st annual Pueblo Chieftain Spring Runoff is in the books. So is my second-ever attempt at directing a race, with the 20th annual Runoff having been my first attempt. This year's race went much smoother for me than last year's version. Many people told me after the 1998 Runoff that it went real smooth and that I did a good job. However, I felt unprepared and unknowledgeable about how to stage such an event. The race preparation last year was really a team event, with the Race Committee gently suggesting to me the manner in which the race should be prepared and staged. Our preparation for the 1999 Runoff was, again, a team event. The difference this year is that I actually knew what needed to be done and when it should be done by. With a year of experience under my belt, my self-confidence was much higher

Again, the Runoff could not have been put on without the help of all members of the Spring Runoff Race Committee. The Committee this year was comprised of Rich Hadley, Deb Hadley, Nick Leyva, Marijane Martinez, Dave Diaz, Ben Valdez, Gary Franchi, Joe Stommel, Kathy Stommel, Michael Orendorff, Melinda

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The Spring Runoff drew toddlers to senior citizens. Above, kids sprint to the finish in the Toddlers Race. Below left are Anthony Diaz and his son, Aaron. Anthony ran the 10K while Aaron did the 5K. Below right is 75-year-old Gerald Puls, who completed the 10-mile race.

Photos by Gary Franchi









### Chewta says:

"On Page 8 is a list of 1998 SCR members who have not yet renewed their memberships for 1999. C'mon, gang, let's get with the program and get those renewals in. For your convenience, an SCR membership form is included with this issue. For those who do NOT renew, this will be the last issue you receive. Rough! Rough!"

## Training to do your best

Tapering is important for shorter races as well as for longer distances like .... marathon or the halfmarathon. One study found that 5K runners improved their race performances by 2.8% when they cut their training volume by 85% and did 40meter intervals at 5K race pace during the seven days before the event. A good rule of thumb is to taper one day for each two kilometers of the

> - "Road Racing for Serious Runners

### Next SCR meeting

No foolin', the club's next meeting will be at 7 p.m. Tuesday, April 1, at the Pueblo YMCA in downtown Pueblo. Any SCR member may attend.

## **Spring Runoff**

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Badgley-Orendorff and Lois Pfost.

We did several things to improve this year's race over last year's race. For instance, the USATF granted certification for the 5K and 10K courses. We had better communication with the Pueblo Police Department. Ben Valdez and I met a couple of weeks before the race with Pueblo Police Captain George Rivera to go over the course map to see where we needed course marshals. We had more course marshals. The City told us after the 1998 Runoff that we would not be able to use the course



**Spring Runoff Race Director Matt Martin** 

unless we had more course marshals. We accomplished this goal with the usual volunteers from the SCR, *The Pueblo Chieftain* and YMCA. But what put us over the hump for course marshals was the large volunteer contingent of parents, coaches and athletes of the South High School track team.

Another improvement was the use of a bullhorn for pre-race announce-

ments. We also had walkie-talkies to maintain communications between race officials. The walkie-talkies also allowed us to have a course spotter near the finish line to let the finish-line announcers know who was coming up to the finish. We had large course maps posted near the registration area and signs for the registration area and the volunteer area. We had free massages provided by the Colorado Springs Massage Therapy Institute.

We also asked, and received, permission from Tom Evans of The Side Pocket to keep the facility smoke-free until the awards were done. I believe this fact alone is responsible for the increased number of attendees at the awards ceremonies, although the number of finishers in this year's race was down from last year's race. However, try as we might, the Side Pocket was not entirely smoke-free, as my wife said I smelled like cigarette smoke when I

In April, all fools will meet at the Gold Dust.



(\*) - Bobby Boucher is the character name for the quarterback in the movie "Waterboy" that starred Adam Sandler.

came home. However, the situation was nearly one hundred percent improved over last year.

A few things did go wrong. First, we ran out of bib numbers for the 5K and had to use 10K numbers for some 5K runners. Apparently, this caused a slight problem for our results guy, Andy Ballou, and his assistant, Mary Lou Henson, in compiling results. I am not sure what the problem was, but it was computer-related and apparently had the potential of causing Y2K to become reality on March 7, 1999. Also, one of our water-station teams failed to appear. Paul Barela, however, and his friend saved the day by volunteering to take that spot.

Another blunder occurred when I decided to test the starting gun, at the starting line, just before the 5K start. The runners who were at the starting line knew it was a test, but those walking from the registration area to the start did not, and they began racing to get to the starting

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### Southern Colorado Runners

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The Southern Colorado Runners is a non-profit organization that promotes running, walking, and overall health and fitness in the southern Colorado region. Its mailing address is the Pueblo Family YMCA, where it conducts its monthly meetings.

"Footprints" Issue No. 212

"Footprints" is the newsletter produced monthly by, about and for the SCR membership. Poor suckers! It is full full of information that cats and dogs would find useful, especially when they're being trained.

#### **Current SCR Officers**

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SCR meetings are held the first Tuesday of each month at 7 p.m. at the Pueblo YMCA in downtown Pueblo. Any SCR member can attend, preferably with enough No-Doz for everyone present.

**ADVERTISING POLICY:** The SCR allows advertising in "Footprints" in the form of display ads or flyer inserts. The standard charge for ads is \$25 for a business card-size ad and progressively higher for larger sizes. The fee is \$25 to have non-race flyers inserted. There is no charge to have race flyers inserted. The club reserves the right to reject ads/flyers that don't have class.



## Great (& so-so) Stuff

by Gary Franchi



## It's time to start getting more Z's

Thought for today's lunch, compliments of George Bernard Shaw: "We learn from experience that men never learn anything from experience."

Musings on running, fitness, life, etc.: So many things in this life make me wonder. Sometimes bemusedly. Sometimes not. For instance, for the life of me I've never been able to understand why TV networks can't figure how to keep the picture when covering the leaders in a marathon. It's getting better, but there are always blankouts. Reminds me of what happens to my rational thinking when I get tired during a race. Maybe the TV cameras – or the persons operating them – get fatigued, too.

They're probably not getting enough sleep. Makes sense, doesn't it? I mean, who gets enough sleep other than hibernating bears? According to a survey report I was reading, Americans are getting a lot less sleep than past generations. It said we sleep an average of 90 minutes a night less than our ancestors did a century ago, that we exist on about 6 hours and 57 minutes. Hence, during the week, when most of us work and can't take naps, we're always tired. I'm getting tired just thinking about it. No doubt you've gone to take a nap by now. Can't blame you. If I weren't writing this, I would, too. Especially if I were reading this column.

Anyway, I think the real problem is that there's too much of just about everything! Too much to do at work. Too many workouts to squeeze in in hopes of staying fit. Too much ESPN Sports News on the satellite to watch. Too much drivel to read in your running club newsletter. Then the merry-go-round starts all over again the next morning. And get this – the National Sleep Foundation says many of us rise earlier than we need to simply because that is about the only relaxation time we have. Now let me get this straight – we supposedly give up valuable sleep time so that we can wake up tired and have some relaxation time. Yeah, OK.

Unfortunately, a key element in surviving the stress of increased training is getting enough rest. I was reading a formula in a recent issue of *FootNotes*, published by the Road Runners Club of America. It said **Training** = your workouts + rest. So true, yet many of us don't heed this rule.

Well, let the record show that I've done my part to help you. By making this column and newsletter available each month, I'm eliminating your need for taking Sominex at night and helping you to attain sleepdom. Keep it next to your bed and you will never again have trouble falling to sleep. You owe me big time. You're welcome.

This month's smorgasbord: A few other things have made me wonder recently, too. For instance, the October issue of Runner's World had a big story on nutrition bars. In reading this, I learned that Power Bar has a web site. Now just think about that. Why would you ever want to access the Power Bar web site? Methinks that could be the first thing to eliminate in your quest to get more sleep ... The current issue of Rocky Mountain Sports has a section dedicated to bicycling. There are articles, list of bicycling events, etc. I also noticed that section contains a half-page ad about a bicycle courier service available in Denver. I'm still trying to figure out why people who are interested in bicycling would be interested in using a bicycle courier service. Buy, hey, if it helps pay the magazine's bills I guess it's all right ... Speaking of bicycling, I see the entry deadline has come and gone for this summer's Ride the Rockies, which is scheduled for June 20-26. This

year it'll go from Durango to Colorado Springs. I'm sure some of you out there have applied to participate. Well, I guess you won't have any trouble sleeping those nights ... Editorial Consultant Nick Nasch says he's willing to open a bicycle courier service in Pueblo if it will help him get 8 hours of sleep a night ... Apologies to Stacey Diaz for leaving her out of last month's list of half-marathon finishers

in the Las Vegas International ... Let us not forget to honor March 22 as International Goof-Off Day. According to its sponsors, on this day you are encouraged to "give yourself permission to be silly today." I've never needed a special day for that ... In case you are procrastinating, note that, as of Feb. 21, the Pikes Peak Ascent was 35% filled and the Pikes Peak Marathon was 42% filled. Those figures are 16 days ahead of last year's pace ... Bill Banning, one of the original members of the SCR and a former club president, e-mailed recently and says he's glad to hear that some of their old SCR friends are still doing so well. He and his wife, Donna, say "hi" to everyone ... Just thought you'd like to know that the noise in fitness classes regularly reaches decibel levels that can result in permanent hearing damage according to the Wichita State University's Department of Communicative Disorders and Sciences. With a name like that, I'd say they have the right to claim anything they want ... Until next month, sweet dreams, comrades.



# Ultimate in idiocy item of the month;

You can find just about anything on the Internet, including mucho fitness information. But va gotta look. While looking, I discovered TV Online magazine. This magazine contains interactive TV stories. At the start of each story, it tells you how long it will take you to read the story. Of course, that earns TV Online magazine this month's Lights are Dim Award.



## Movie Line of the month:

"Class isn't something you buy. Look at you. You've got a \$500 suit and you're still a lowlife."

Saw this old flick on TBS recently. The raunchy banter between the 2 lead characters makes it worthwhile by itself. The person who came up with the words above will be up for an Academy Award this year. Guess who said the words and in what flick and earn a bus ride through Pueblo. On you.

Answers below.

Answers: Nick Nolte in "48 hours"



### Spring Runoff 10K handicap predict results Order of finish times

based on predicted time, actual time, and age and gender factors: 1. Nick Leyva 2. Matt Sherman 43:42 3. Melissa Mincic 45:48 4. Makiko Takei 46:36 5. Hannah Muchine 46:50 6. Catherine Waitimu 47:33 7. Marijane Martinez 49:22 8. Jim Robinson 49:32 9. Bill Veges 50:17 10. Helen Robinson 51:16 11. Sam Edwards 51:17 12. Ben Valdez 52:29 13. Dave Diaz 52:31 14. Ted Puls 57:04

### **SCR Youth Fund**

59:44

15. G.E. Puls

At this month's SCR meeting, the club discussed how to replenish the Youth Fund that was pretty much depleted by the contribution that was made to local prep athletes who attended the Simplot Games in Idaho last month. The decision was made to place in the Youth Fund any proceeds from the Valentine's Twosome race as well as an undetermined percentage of the revenue generated by SCR races in 1999.

### SCR bylaws

A copy of the proposed new SCR bylaws are now in the runner's club box that is behind the counter at the YMCA for any club member that would like to read them.

## Spring Runoff

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line. Another problem occurred at the start of the 10K and 10-mile races when the starting gun failed to discharge, causing a false start by a few runners.

We had a lot of help in putting on this race. The Pueblo Chieftain has our eternal gratitude for continually sponsoring this race and supplying many volunteers. Paulette Stuart is a great co-race director and is always available when I need her. We can thank Paulette for being the driving force at The Chieftain for the Spring Runoff web site. We could not do this race without the help of the Pueblo Police Dept. They are very good at what they do, which is to protect us from harm while we are having fun. The Gold Dust Twins – Ruth and Shelley – and their staff, provide a much-needed service for pre-registration and registration. They never ask for



Finish-iine coordinator Lois Pfost assembles volunteers

thanks but they have mine. The Side Pocket was great again for opening early, allowing us to use their facility and, as stated, for doing their best to keeping the place smoke-free. Michael Orendorff obtained USATF approval for the 5K and 10K courses. This was such a grueling and time-consuming task for Mike that he begged off doing the 10-mile course and swore that someone else would have to do it for next year. I helped Mike measure the 10-mile course and can attest to how much time that took. It would have taken more than twice as long to measure the course for certification purposes. So, if anyone can step up to the plate and take over the certification duties for the 10-mile race, just give me a call.

Dave Diaz and his brother did a great job in getting up early and marking and coning the courses. Dave also applied permanent paint to the mile markers so we will not have to remark the course next year. Lois Pfost organized a top-notch finish line crew. Marijane Martinez and Nick Leyva did a very good job in organizing the water stations and we could not have done the race without the water station volunteers. As stated, the South High School track team, and club member Mike Borton in particular, came through for us with many course marshals. Patricia Orendorff did a great job at the refreshment table. Our lead bikers were Lorenzo Martinez, Dave Anderson & Mark Angel. They kept the runners on course.



We can do some things better next year. For one thing, we will change the entry fee structure. We had a two-week pre-registration deadline this year before fees went up. We had two reasons for this deadline. First, so we could get a good early count for T-shirts. We can literally lose our shirts by ordering too many shirts. Second, we were trying to discourage race-day registration as a way to lessen the race-day workload of Andy and Mary, who had to input the data of race-day entrants. But we have designed a more equitable fee structure that encourages pre-registration but does not deter people from entering the race. Next year, the early registration deadline will be one week before race date, and that entry fee will be \$16 for adults and \$14 for SCR members. During the last week before the race, the fee will escalate to \$20, and it will

be \$25 on race day. However, kids 12 and under will be able to race for \$10, regardless of whether they register early, during the week before the race, or on race day.

Speaking of registration, we will try to make the registration table a smoother-running (no pun intended) operation to reduce the stress levels of the volunteers involved. Speaking of volunteers, we are talking about having juice and donuts available for volunteers at the volunteer check-in. We will try to gain USATF certification for the 10-mile course. We

were probably a week late with getting the flyers out, so we will try to get them out even earlier next year. We may need to have an extra volunteer group that we can utilize at a water stop in case there is a no-show by an aid station group, as happened this year.

Someone also has suggested that we treat the 5K division with the same "respect" that we show the 10K and 10-mile divisions in terms of awards, age division, newspaper recognition, etc., and we plan to do this.

The weather forecast was for a winter storm the morning of the Runoff. This forecast missed the mark by a large margin. Yet, it apparently was a factor in keeping people away from the races. For instance, 148 people registered for the 5K but only 130 competed. Also, 105 registered for the 10K but only 93 competed. For the 10-mile, 85 registered and 81 competed. So, a total of 363 runners registered but only 303 competed. Should we impeach the local weather forecasters? I say forget about it and let us move on to next year's race!

Of the 303 runners who did show up, 4 were from out-of-state. Two hailed from New Mexico, one (six years old) from Texas and another from Virginia. Of the in-state runners, 152 were from outside Pueblo County. So, the Runoff continues to be a big draw to Pueblo for out-of-town residents.

## Spring Runoff – 5K results

Race held March 7, 1	999		Matt Micci, Canon City	(42)	26:40.8	Diane Micci, Canon City	(43)	26:43.8
Results provided by Andy Ballou and I	Mary Lo	u Henson	Barclay Clark, Pueblo	(46)	26:59.8	Laura Cingoranelli, Avondale	(56)	27:47.0
(Overall places in parenth	eses)		Michael Parlapiano, Pueblo	(48)	27:11.5	Maggie Mattarocci, Pueblo	(69)	29:06.5
Males			Doug Mesner, Pueblo	(54)	27:39.5	Jessica Whitehill, Las Animas	(74)	29:46.3
10 and Under			Farrel Flieden, Colo. Springs	(61)	27:56.4	Tracy Vasquez, Pueblo West	(92)	32:12.2
Chris Galbraith, Sadler, TX	(34)	25:41.3	Jess Becerra, Rocky Ford	(67)	29:00.5	Lisa Flestrom, Fowler	'	34:43.7
11 thru 15			Pat Greer, Pueblo	(68)	29:00.8	20 thru 29	(100)	04.40.7
Jeremy Gregory, Pueblo	(19)	22:30.3	John Chatham, Pueblo	(72)	29:28.7	Hannah Muchine, Trinidad	(10)	20:39.1
Brandon VanBuskirk, Pueblo	(22)	23:37.1	Dan Comden, Pueblo	(85)	31:22.5	Ruth W. Niuguna, Trinidad	(13)	21:09.2
Andrew Comden, Pueblo	(24)	23:48.3	Paul Barela, Pueblo	(94)	33:14.6	Carrie Garcia, Pueblo	(88)	31:42.7
Brendan Dorsey-Spitz, Pueblo	(25)	24:02.8	Karl Aguilera, La Junta	٠,	38:56.4	Sheryl Archuleta, Pueblo West	(90)	32:08.6
Aaron A. Diaz, Pueblo	(45)	26:58.7	Jeff Teschner, Pueblo		40:22.7	Cindy Gutierrez, Pueblo West	(91)	32:08.6
Derek Chatham, Pueblo	(50)	27:21.0	Lou Christensen, Colo. Springs	(121)		Kathy Spock, Pueblo	(95)	33:55.1
Ben Ware, Loveland	(53)	27:29.1	Mark Wilkinson, Pueblo		42:13.8	Kelly Drotar, Pueblo	(104)	
Sean Finley Jr., Pueblo West	(59)	27:54.7	Chris Romero, Pueblo		44:27.4	Danielle Kish, Pueblo	(105)	
Danny Mazion, Pueblo	(75)	29:58.2	Dom Cingoranelli, Avondale	(128)		Yvette Padilla, Pueblo West	(120)	
Joseph Mayoral, Pueblo	(79)	30:29.7	50 thru 59	(120)	40.45.0	30 thru 39	(120)	40.23.1
Tommy Willumstad, Pueblo	(110)	37:11.6	Joe Farra, La Junta	/44\	20:56.9	Misti Frey, Pueblo West	(40)	22:25.8
Previn Marquez, Pueblo	(111)	37:16.7		(11)		Diana Reno, Pueblo	(18)	27:28.1
James Bohannan, Colo. Springs	(123)	41:50.9	Tomas Duran, Pueblo Robert J. Gausta, Pueblo	(21)	23:19.5	Phyllis DeLaCruz, Pueblo	(51)	
16 thru 19	(120)	71.50.5		(30)	25:13.9		(58)	27:50.4
Kyle Reno, Pueblo	(8)	20:06.9	John Dengler, Pueblo West	(62)	28:06.3	Kathy Ulsh, Florence	(81)	30:32.5
Dallas Ramos, Pueblo West	(9)	20:37.7	Larry D. Walls, Pueblo	(73)	29:37.8	Melody Barnes, Pueblo West	(86)	31:28.3
20 thru 29	(3)	20.37.7	John B. McGuire, Pueblo	(97)	34:03.3	Nancy Schuster, Pueblo	(98)	34:14.0
Alex Accetta, Durango	(1)	15:39.5	Sidney Amold, Pueblo	(103)	35:11.9	Betsy Hoefer, Pueblo West	(114)	
Jason Humphries, Las Vegas, NM	(2)	15:50.4	60 and Over	(00)	04.00.0	Redding. Tami, Pueblo	(117)	
			Bob King, Pueblo	(83)	31:08.9	Sue Thomas, Pueblo		39:16.0
Jim Hallberg, Durango	(3)	16:57.9	Richard Ayala, Pueblo	(93)	33:13.5	Marian Finley, Pueblo West	(129)	46:35.3
Oscar Contreras, Denver	(4)	17:43.3	Glenn Freelove, Pueblo	(113)	37:45.6	40 thru 49		
Jason Ramos, Pueblo	(6)	18:46.2	Charles and the Control of the Contr			Fidelis Vigil, Colo. Springs	(64)	28:24.3
Brian VanBuskirk, Golden	(14)	21:12.9	Females			Carla Ohlsen, Rye	(65)	28:44.4
Patrick DeCesaro, Va. Beach, VA	(38)	26:25.4	10 and Under			Sandy Messick, Cheraw	(66)	28:47.9
Brian Thielemier, Pueblo	(41)	26:39.2	Lauren Dorsey-Spitz, Pueblo	(44)	26:47.0	Lillian Jones, Pueblo	(78)	30:19.0
David Martinez, Denver	(57)	27:47.8	Isabella Fernandez, Pueblo		34:47.6	Maxi Sandoval, Pueblo	(96)	34:02.4
30 thru 39	(5)	40:40.4	McKenzie Marquez, Pueblo		39:14.8	Johanna Erikson, Pueblo	(102)	
Timothy N. Vigil, Pueblo	(5)	18:19.1	Brytny Marquez, Pueblo	(132)	49:05.0	Joanna Andenucio-Freelove, Pueblo	(112)	37:43.9
John Walker, Pueblo	(12)	21:06.8	11 thru 15			Cynthia Bohannan, Colo. Springs	(122)	41:50.3
Randy Barnes, Pueblo	(16)	21:43.0	Jamie Barnes, Pueblo	(27)	24:41.0	Esther Baca, Pueblo	(127)	44:54.7
Rudy Baca, Pueblo	(17)	21:44.6	Ashlee Velez, La Junta	(29)	25:05.6	Anne Souther, Pueblo	(133)	49:12.9
Gary Rael, Pueblo	(23)	23:43.9	Megan Ware, Loveland	(60)	27:56.1	50 thru 59		
Todd Anderson, Monument	(26)	24:11.7	Keshia Solano, Pueblo	(70)	29:14.2	Fran Borton, Pueblo	(35)	25:46.1
Mel Bueno, Trinidad	(28)	24:41.3	Sharron Hobbs, Pueblo	(71)	29:22.5	Donna Musgrove, Pueblo	(49)	27:19.9
John Freyta, Canon City	(31)	25:15.0	Sarah Koch, Pueblo	(84)	31:11.3	Gwynna Fedde, Fowler	(76)	29:59.6
Jeff Estabrook, Pueblo West	(47)	27:03.8	Carla Aguilera, La Junta	(87)	31:41.3	Kathy Tonsing, Westcliffe	(77)	30:12.3
Mike McConnel, Pueblo	(55)	27:43.8	Stephanie VanBuskirk, Pueblo	(89)	32:06.6	Kathleen Mattarocci, Pueblo	(80)	30:30.1
40 thru 49	<b>/_</b> \		Krista Walker, Pueblo	(99)	34:16.3	Christy Furman, Pueblo	(82)	30:54.4
Mike Messick, Cheraw	(7)	19:12.6	Monica Diaz, Pueblo	(130)	47:22.0	Caroll J. Walls, Pueblo	(108)	35:49.7
Nick Leyva, Pueblo	(15)	21:16.3	16 thru 19			Elaine M. Nicoll, Pueblo	(109)	36:28.0
Bill Wurster, Pueblo	(32)	25:23.3	Melissa Mincic, Trinidad	(20)	22:51.8	Vera Rael, Pueblo	(131)	47:33.5
Joe Vigil I, Pueblo	(33)	25:32.4	Catherine Watimu, Trinidad	(36)	25:47.7	60 and Over	1	
40 thru 49			Charity Krow, Pueblo	(39)	26:25.4	Priscilla Portillos, Pueblo	(107)	35:45.2
Rodd Brown, Canon City	(37)	26:17.5	Kate Guasta, Pueblo	(40)	26:35.9	Myra Whitney, Pueblo West	(125)	43:05.5
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Overall 5K winners Alex Accetta & Hannah Muchine.

Photo by Gary Franchi



Kyle Reno finished 1st in the 5K's16-19 division with a 20:06 time.

#### K results Spring Run

#### Race held March 7, 1999

Results provided by Andy Ballou and Mary Lou Henson. (Overall places in parentheses)

#### **Overall Winners:**

Male - Gerald Romero, 33:38 Female - Hillary Becker, 42:08

#### Males 19 and Under

Aaron Lopez, Pueblo	(6)	40:11.3
Sean Kelly, Pueblo	(87)	67:17.0
Michael Colarelli, Pueblo	(88)	67:17.8
24 thru 24		
Mason Markley, Las Vegas, NM	(12)	41:07.9
25 thru 29		
Gerald Romero, Colo. Springs	(1)	33:38.7
Kevin Ash, Colo. Springs	(2)	36:59.4
Toby L. Doub, Pueblo	(20)	44:21.4
Matt Sherman, Pueblo	(21)	44:26.9
30 thru 34		
Rick Hough, Pueblo	(18)	43:55.6
Jeff Howes, Pueblo	(25)	45:51.2
Joseph T. Phaneuf, Colo. Springs	s(28)	46:42.3
Jon Kinnischtzke, Pueblo West	(62)	55:33.5
35 thru 39		
Mark Koch, Pueblo	(3)	37:54.0
Rick Shoulberg, Manitou Springs	(4)	39:04.2
Larry Volk, Pueblo	(5)	39:08.2
Ben Valdez, Pueblo West	(10)	40:47.3
Kevin Donaldson, Monument	(16)	43:00.6
Brandt Bradbury, Canon City	(17)	43:30.0
Scott Beauvais, Pueblo West	(23)	45:13.1
Dan Paulson, Canon City	(24)	45:17.6
Steven Clough, Pueblo	(30)	47:45.3
Daniel C. Cansino, Canon City	(35)	50:17.1
Paul Enderle, Canon City	(37)	51:24.6
Robert A. Simon, Colo. Springs	(38)	51:35.1
Brad Van Buskirk, Pueblo	(42)	52:18.4
David Coleman, Colo. Springs	(44)	52:26.4
Dennis P Driscoll, Pueblo	(69)	57:10.1
Richard Valdez, Pueblo	(76)	60:21.3
40 thru 44		
Bill Veges, Pueblo	(14)	42:30.3
Rocky Khosla, Pueblo	(22)	44:42.9
Mike Borton, Pueblo	(27)	46:32.8
Anthony Diaz, Pueblo	(34)	50:08.2
Dennis W. Krall, Pueblo West	(52)	53:44.3
Ray Catulli, Pueblo	(54)	53:57.7
John Sell, Canon City	(72)	59:10.9
John Berry, Littleton	(85)	65:07.9

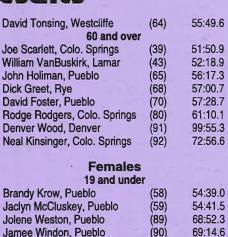


Gerald Romero breezed to victory.

Photo by Gary Franchi

#### 45 thru 49

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Harold Torres, Trinidad	(8)	40:40.0		
James Robinson, Pueblo	(9)	40:41.8		
Allen Weaver, Canon City	(29)	47:23.8		
Tony Arguello, Pueblo West	(56)	54:25.0		
Paul Willumstad, Pueblo	(67)	56:52.1		
John Lobato, Pueblo West	(75)	59:49.1		
George Alfonso, Pueblo	(79)	60:46.2		
Louis W. Arteaga, Pueblo	(84)	64:47.5		
Mike Gonzales, Pueblo	(86)	67:10.7		
50 thru 54				
Elliott Henry, Colo. Springs	(7)	40:38.3		
Dave M. Diaz, Pueblo	(11)	40:55.3		
David Jones, Monument	(19)	44:18.7		
Bill Walker, Colo. Springs	(31)	48:38.1		
David Crockenberg, Pueblo	(33)	49:36.9		
Warren Marshall, Canon City	(47)	53:11.6		
Jess Cosyleon, Pueblo West	(66)	56:51.9		
Will Johnson, Pueblo	(81)	61:15.4		
55 thru 59				
Carl E. Bartecchi, Pueblo	(26)	45:56.5		
Len Gregory, Pueblo West	(41)	52:07.7		



#### Jamee Windon, Pueblo 20 thru 24

Melissa Lierly, Alamosa	(78)	60:34.3
25 thru 29		
Michelle L. Olson, Pueblo	(60)	54:43.3
Toris Fox, Pueblo West	(73)	59:40.5
30 thru 34		
Teresa Southard, Colo. Springs	(15)	42:42.2

Karen Ortiz, Pueblo	(40)	52:05.7
Kelly M. Kurtz, Pueblo West	(46)	53:06.1
Stacie Fillmore, Pueblo West	(49)	53:20.5
Kelly Hale, Rye	(51)	53:34.2
Annette Martinez, Pueblo	(55)	54:11.0
Cathy Osban, Pueblo	(57)	54:30.5
Leslie Winemiller, Denver	(83)	63:47.9

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35 thru 39		
Hillary Becker, Colo. Springs	(13)	42:08.6
Ann Hulett, Pueblo West	(53)	53:52.3
Karen Lundberg, Salida	(61)	55:03.1
Maria Elena Weaver, Canon City	(63)	55:36.1
40 thru 44		

Helen Robinson, Pueblo	(36)	50:36.1
Kathy Stommel, Pueblo	(74)	59:48.8
Susan Dalla Guardia, Rye	(82)	61:23.3
Deborah Conroe, Poncha Spgs	(93)	73:10.8
45 thru 49		
Marijane Martinez, Pueblo	(32)	48:48.8
Marilyn Collett, Sedalia	(45)	52:57.7
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Loralee Gregory, Pueblo West	(71)	59:02.8
Kathleen Spencer, Pueblo West	(77)	60:27.0
50 thru 54		
Julie Marshall, Canon City	(48)	53:18.4

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55 thru 59	

essie	Quintana, Pueblo	(50)



Hillary Becker was the 1st female finisher in the 10K race.



Mark Koch was the 1st Pueblo finisher in the 10K race.



Marijane Martinez was the 3rd overall female finisher in the 10K race.

Spring Runoff – 10-Mile results

#### Race held March 7, 1999

Results provided by Andy Ballou and Mary Lou Henson. (Overall finish places in parentheses)

#### **Overall Winners:**

Male - Steve Cathcart, 59:29 Female - Rita Vigil, 1:07:27

### Males

25 thru 29		
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	(56)	1.27.02.3
30 thru 34	(4)	54:29.4
	(1) (3)	1:01:44.7
	(44)	1:23:22.3
Ted Majka, Golden	(59) (66)	1:31:47.4
Kerry Meier, Pueblo	(67)	1:31:47.4
Butch Faoro, Penrose 35 thru 39	(07)	1.51.47.0
Rob Frlich, Colo. Springs	(5)	1:04:08.0
Robert Santoyo, Pueblo	(8)	1:09:41.3
Mark Rickman, Pueblo	(14)	1:12:10.4
Sean Finley, Pueblo West	(17)	1:14:53.8
Chris Gredig, Pueblo West	(27)	1:17:07.9
Ted Puls, Pueblo	(53)	1:26:14.4
40 thru 44	(30)	1.20.14.4
Phil Ware, Loveland	(2)	56:51.3
Joe Frenandez, Monte Vista	(7)	1:08:55.3
Jim Schreiber, Pueblo West	(12)	1:10:58.6
Who Ever, Pueblo	(13)	1:11:32.8
Steve Hernandez, Littleton	(23)	1:16:16.7
Jim Reitz, Littleton	(26)	1:16:50.6
Steve Walls, Colo. Springs	(30)	1:20:19.0
Bill Cox, Colo. Springs	(33)	1:20:53.3
Steve Gaulke, Colo. Springs	(38)	1:22:35.5
Michael Clark, Manitou Springs	(39)	1:22:39.2
Paul Chacon, Pueblo West	(43)	1:23:14.7
45 thru 49	(,	- 1
Rufus Firefly, Palmer Lake	(9)	1:10:11.6
Joe Stommel, Pueblo	(16)	1:14:00.5
Roy Hughes, Canon City	(19)	1:15:09.7
Steve Farley, Pueblo	(22)	1:15:55.8
Sam McClure, Canon City	(24)	1:16:28.5
Bill Ebersohl, Colo. Springs	(36)	1:21:43.0
Joe C. Sisneros, La Jara	(46)	1:24:27.2
John F. Ulsh, Florence	(50)	1:25:10.1
Daniel Hazen, Bailey	(52)	1:25:42.7
John Crouse, Monument	(58)	1:28:15.3
Darrell Gorre, Denver	(63)	1:30:25.1
Mike Saucedo, Canon City	(64)	1:30:32.6
50 thru 54		
Stu Nieburg, Colo. Springs	(4)	1:03:41.6
Martin Hoskins, Colo. Springs	(11)	1:10:43.6
Ed Leanos, Pueblo	(20)	1:15:22.1
Mike Pugh, Pueblo	(25)	1:16:45.7
Jim Beckenhaupt, Colo. Springs	(37)	1:22:33.9
55 thru 59		
Paul Von Der Gathen, C.Springs		1:15:07.1
Dennis Normoyle, Colo. Springs		1:17:24.9
Tex Lierly, Alamosa	(47)	1:25:02.5
Dave Whitaker, Colo. Springs	(68)	1:33:39.6
60 and over		1,05,40.4
Ric Markin, Colo. Springs	(51)	1:25:18.1
Wayne Whitney, Pueblo West	(60)	1:29:34.0
Gerald E. Puls, Pueblo	(75)	1:41:06.3

Females 20 thru 24



The large field of runners blasts off at the start of the 10K and 10-mile races.

Photos by Gary Franchi

(21)	1:15:49.6	Deb Haverfield, Monte Vista	(61)	1:30:09.5
(73)	1:39:38.5	Naomi L. Patrick, Pueblo	(70)	1:34:55.4
(76)	1:41:35.3	Molly Hankins, Colo. Springs	(72)	1:37:46.1
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(15)	1:13:47.1		(55)	1:26:35.4
(29)	1:19:53.7	Marci Lierly, Alamosa	(78)	1:45:06.5
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		Carol A. Kinzey, Pueblo	(45)	1:23:57.7
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(34)	1:21:09.8	Susan Campbell, Pueblo	(79)	1:46:47.9
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### First Female

Rita Vigil had plenty in the tank at the finish as she paced all females in the 10-mile race.

## SCR makes mark in Winter Series

Several SCR members ran all 4 races in the Winter Series held in the Springs area, and the following finished among the overall leaders in their age divisions:

#### **Short Series**

Females – Marijane Martinez, 46, was 1st. Misti Frey, 31, 2nd. Donna Wheeler, 50, 1st. Deb Hadley, 42, 6th.

Kathy Ulsh, 38, 3rd.

Males – Woody Noleen, 43, 1st. Dave Diaz, 50, 2nd. Bill Veges, 41, 2nd. Nick Leyva, 45, 5th. Les Lundin, 49, 8th.

**Long Series** 

Males – Paul Chacon, 44, 2nd. Sam McClure, 45, 2nd. Ben Valdez, 38, 3rd. Matt Sherman, 26, 3rd. John Ulsh, 49, 4th.

### **Happy Birthday**

### SCR members with: March birthdays

- 1 Barbara Wasser
- 2 Andrew Jobe Rand Morris Jobe Andrew Priscilla Portillos
- 5 Brianna Diaz
- 6 Bonnie Boyd Bob Mutu
- 10 Douglas Vasquez Mike Crockenberg
- 11 Paul Koch
- 12 Paul Barela
- 16 Dee Scafnetz Charlotte Slaughter
- 17 Christine Dutro
- 18 J.J. Huie Laura Clark
- 19 Ted Puls
- 20 Kim Westerman-Martin
- 21 Gabe Cosyleon
- 24 Sue Gilchrist Tim Loyd
- 25 Adam Montoya Laura Schilf
- 26 Bill Banning Marv Bradley Teresa Caprioglio

### April birthdays

- 1 Carol Hund
- 2 Jessica Gogarty Tim Vigil
- 3 Sarah Koch
- 4 Gene Arellano
- 5 Cory Finley
- 7 Gerald Puls Sarah Micci
- 8 Elizaberth Perkins Gwynna Fedde Rita Vigil
- 9 Jessie Paul Weaver
- 10 Linda Kelly Gil Romero
- 11 Brad Van Buskirk
- 12 Donna Tonko
- 13 Joe Farra
- 15 Traci Dworshak
- 17 Robert Santoyo Gloria Farley Danielle Perkins Mae Nezvensky
- 18 Bryan Dehn
- 19 Tony Garcia
- 25 Emily Roukema
- 26 Michael Yeakey Craig Hill
- 27 Jim Beckenhaupt Jenna Dorsey-Spitz
- 30 Stephany Farley

## Rocky on Fitness

## Here's the scoop on the new "super aspirin"

by Rocky Khosla, M.D.

If you haven't already heard the big buzz about the new "super aspirin," then you are sure to be bombarded soon. I am talking about a new class of anti-inflammatory medicines called the COX-2 inhibitors, and I thought this topic may be of interest to some of you

Just to review some basics, your own body tries to repair damage to its tissues by breaking down these damaged materials and scavenging parts so that new material can be laid

down. Unfortunately, sometimes the body gets carried away with this notion, and this process can lead to inflammation. At the cellular level, the body produces a whole bunch of chemicals that cause inflammation, and most of these agents are produced by a complex series of chemical reactions called cyclooxgenase pathway.

So you might say to yourself, hey, why not block this pathway so that we could all live without inflammation? Well, that was the idea behind aspirin, and all of the other antiinflammatory drugs such ibuprofen, naprosyn, etc. The problem is that the cyclooxygenase pathway also helps us produce some other chemicals that protect the stomach from acidic damage. Thus, when you block the whole cyclo-oxygenase pathway, you can help cut down inflammation, but you may also irritate the gut to the point that you may get an ulcer.

But what if you could just block the cyclooxygenase pathway that leads to inflam-

mation while not affecting the other stuff that protects the gut? That is exactly what is supposed to happen with the new COX-2 inhibitors. The only one out now is Celebrex, but another one – called Vioxx – will be out in

June.

So should all of us forsake Motrins and Aleves and jump on to this class of medicine? I don't think so. I think this class offers some advantages to people who are either at risk for stomach problems or who have had a history of stomach problems already. But like all new medications, there may be side effects or complications that could come up but that haven't shown up in the small preliminary studies. Remember, the heart problems seen with Redux (a popular weight loss drug) did not really show up until about 100,000 prescriptions were written.

Till the next time, see you on the run!

## Hey! Please renew your memberships

These 1998 SCR members have not renewed for '99: Gary Addington Ccharlene Alfonso Tracy Atilano Brenda Baker George Balles Andy Ballou Frances Banda Chris Barr Rich Barrows **Bruce Batting** Carl Bauer **Dotsy Baxter** Bonnie Boyd Paul Chacon Tina Clarke Bill De Moss Ron Dehn Dave Dehn Tom Diaz

Susie Dorle Dorsey-Spitz family **Tomas Duran** Laura Engleman Gloria Farley Sabrina Flitton Marty Garcia Connie Gravelle Len Gregory Tracy Gunn Rich Hadley David Hall **Jack Harris** Betsy Hill John Holiman Erin Holmes Rich Hornish Barbara James Frank Jaquez Cathy Kelley **Bob King** David Klein

Beverly Kochevar Kathy Koller **Buddy Lambrecht** Diane Lopez Les Lundin Dick Marian Donita Massengill Cheryl McCoy Tom McKenna Doug Mesner Lynn Miller Gloria Montoya Chuck Moore **Bob Mutu** Hilbert Navarro Scotia Ogle Cathy Perkins Don Pfost Alex Popoff Susie Price Ralph Regalado Ty Rice

Cindy Rivera Deb Robeda James Robinson Carlos Rodriguez Carol Rooney **Emily Roukema** Joseph Ruppert Jim Schreiber Jim Schwartzenberger Kathy Spencer Lori Stavang Joe Stommel **Jeff Thomas** John Thomason Donna Tonko Maddy Tormoen James Ussery Douglas Vasquez Barbara Wasser Debra Wilcox



## 1999 Racing Calendar



Pueblo	County -	Canon	City o	orridor
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Mai	rch				
20	Sat	8:30AM	Canon City Predict Run, 5K	Riverwalk	(719) 275-1578
Ap	ril				
18(	?)Sun	8:00AM	Ramsgate 8, 8K (handicap)	8 Ramsgate	(719) 544-9633
25	Sun	9:00AM	Y-Bi Classic Duathlon, 11.2M bike/5.5M run	Pueblo West	(719) 543-5151
Ma	у				
2	Sun	8:00AM	Cinco de Mayo, 10K	State Fair	(719) 562-1342
15	Sat	7:00AM	Ordinary Mortals Triathlon	Pueblo West	(719 (543-5151
			525-meter swim, 13-mile bike, 5K run		

### Other areas

	Mar	ch			
	21	Sun	Littleton Stride, 5K/10K	Ketring Park, Littleton	(303) 347-3478
	28	Sun	Orphans of Violence, 5K	Washington Park, Denver	(303) 694-2030
April					
	10	Sat	Tortoise & Hare Predict, 5K	Monument Valley Park, Springs	(719) 533-1025
	11	Sun	Denver Police Chase, 4M R/W	City Park, Denver	(303) 694-2030
	17	Sat	Run the Ridge, 5K	Colorado Springs	(719) 596-3507
	17	Sat	Horsetooth Half-Marathon	Fort Collins	(970) 493-4675
	17	Sat	Chuck Weaver Challenge, 5M	Red Rocks Park, Morrision	(303) 428-8988
H	24	Sat	Collegiate Peaks, 25M & 50M	Buena Vista	(719) 395-6612
Ĭ,	24	Sat	Elbert Reflections, 5K & 10K	Elbert	(719) 590-7086
	25	Sun	Cherry Creek Sneak, 5M	Denver	(303) 394-5170
	May	/			
	2	Sun	Cindo de Mayo, 5KM	Monument Valley Pk, Springs	(719) 598-2953
	8	Sat	Panoramic River Run, 5K/5M, Kids 1M		(719) 635-3303
	8	Sat	Avon Women's 10K (& 5K walk)	. Denver	(212) 282-5350

## Regional Marathons (& others of interest)

	- 27			
March	27	Great Southwest - Abilene, TX	(915) 677-8144	
April	10	Mule Mountain (& Half) - Arizona	(520) 533-3246	
7.7	- 11	San Joaguin Valley - Fresno, CA	(209) 441-1444	
	19	Boston, MA	(508) 435-6905	
	25		(408) 625-6226	
May	1	Great Potato (& Half) - Boise, ID		
	1		(520) 445-7221	
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	1=	Shiprock – Farmington, NM	(800) 448-1240	
	2	Avenue of the Giants (& 10K) - Bayside, CA	(707) 443-1226	
	2	Lincoln, Nebraska	(402) 435-3504	
	23	Coeur D'Alene (& Half) - Idaho	(208) 665-9393	
	23	Rock 'n' Roll - San Diego	(619) 450-6510	
	29	Andy Payne Bunion - Oklahoma City, OK	(405) 236-2800	
	29	Paper Chase – Amarillo, Texas	(806) 345-3451	
	30	Wyoming - Laramie, WY	(307) 635-3316	
June	6	Steamboat - Steamboat, CO	(970) 879-0880	
	19	Grandma's - Duluth, MN	(218) 727-0947	
July	11	San Francisco, CA	(916) 983-4622	
	17	Mosquito – Leadville, CO	(000) 000 4022	
		mooquito - Leadville, OO	(000) 333-3310	



### Other known 1999 races

May 15 Ordinary Mortals Triathlon

> May 31 Bolder Boulder 10K

June 6 Garden of the Gods 10M

June 26 Sailin' Shoes 5K/10K

**July 3** Pioneer Run - Colo. City

July 10 Women's Distance Fest.

August 7
Beulah Challenge

August 7 Georgetown to Idaho Springs Half-Marathon

August 21 Pikes Peak Ascent

August 22 Pikes Peak Marathon

September 11 Imogene Pass – Ouray

September 12 Race for the Cure, CS

September 26 Governor's Cup, Denver

October 10 River Trail Marathon, Half -Mara. & 10K

October 17 Colorado Half-Mara & 5K

> November 6 Rim Rock Run

December 5
Rock Canyon Half-Mara

URL for the ages: http://www.bunchofidiots/livehere.com





### Stats that rule

- The Shamrock Shake featured this month at the McLube's chain has 360 calories and 9 grams of fat. - "Men's Health" magazine.
- Water contents: bananas 74%, orange juice 88%, grapes 81%. Karen Calabro, nuitrionist
- 70% of new treadmill buvers are female. -American Sports Data
- · Records show that 93.8% of women who drank a Shamrock Shake after running on a treadmill threw up while reading an issue of "Footprints." -Pollsters Unlimited

## Racing info. you simply can't live without

by the Editor

**Upcoming Races** 

Hard to believe but the multi-sport racing season will begin next month when the annual Y-Bi Classic duathlon is held beginning at 9 a.m. on April 25 in Pueblo West. That's a Sunday, a day of rest for most of the populace but a day of serious training for running and multi-sport fanatics.

The Y-Bi will have the same format as in past years, complete with the post-race pizza party. I suppose that also means it will either rain or snow - or both - again this year. Keep the Gore-Tex handy.

Two notables: Carl Burgess of the Y has taken over as Race Director, and SCR members who pre-register get a 2-buck discount.

Cinco de Mavo 10K

If you want to run a "fast 10K course," whatever that means, this is the one. The Cinco is scheduled for Sunday, May 2, with an 8 a.m. start. Tim Vigil is taking over as Race Director this year, but he'll get plenty of assistance from former directors Marijane Martinez and Nick Leyva. Those two will still coordinate the visit by the running contingent from Chihuahua, Mexico. Part of that is finding housing here for those visitors. They are looking for club members who can host a couple of our visitors. Hence:

> If you can house a runner from Mexico, please call Marijane or Nick at 564-6043.

The tail end of the Cinco will change this year since the finish line is being moved to avoid the congestion on the main drag inside the Fairgrounds. The entrance to the Fairgrounds will NOT be from Beulah, but probably from the side Horseman's entrance.

Marty Garcia and Total Terrain are again sponsoring the Cinco this year.

**Ordinary Mortals** 

If you intend to compete in this May 15 triathlon, you'd be wise to register early since this race field fills up early and will be limited to 198 entries. There will be NO RACE-DAY REGISTRATION. SCR members will get a \$2 discount, especially if they register before the field is filled.

For the soul ...

"Exhilaration comes from being stretched to your limits to accomplish something that was incredibly difficult for you." - Don Hahn

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