

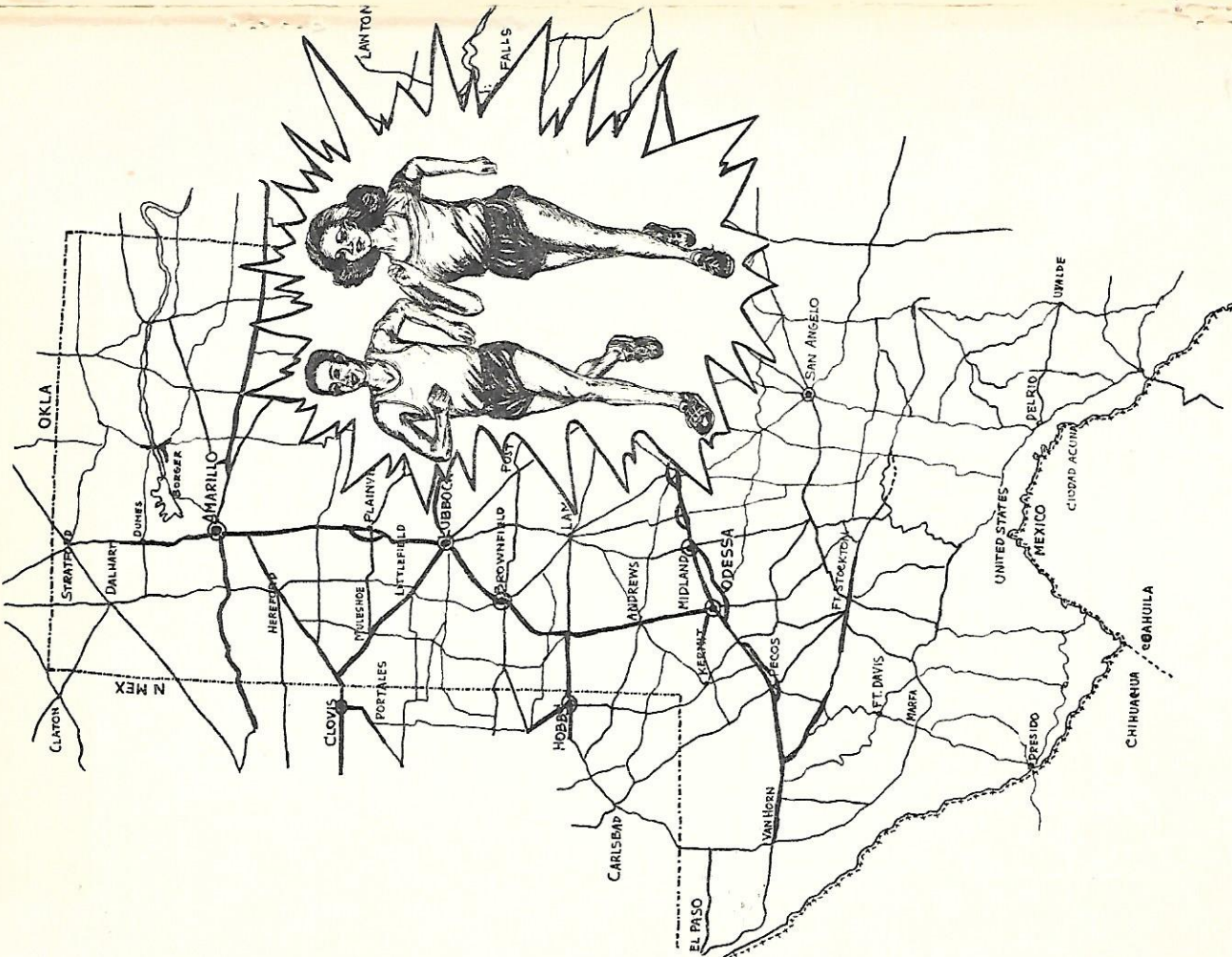
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WEST TEXAS RUNNING CLUB NEWSLETTER

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TWELFTH ANNUAL FIRECRACKER 10 MILE & 3 MILE RUNS

PLUS YOUNGSTER'S 1 MILE

DATE: Friday July 4, 1980
 TIME: Youngster's 1 Mile: 8:45 AM
 10 Mile & 3 Mile: 9:00 AM
 LOCATION: Colonial Heights School (1100 E. Reppto), Brownfield, TX.
 Race starts at corner of Elm & Hester Sts. on school grounds
 (see map).

DIVISIONS & AWARDS (Number of Trophies):

	10 MILE	3 MILE	1 MILE
Open	6	6	3
High School & Under	3	15 & Under	6 7 & Under
30-39	6	6 8-9	6 8-9
40-49	6	High School & Under *10	10-11
50 & Over	3	30-39	3 Girls 10 & Under
Ladies	4	3 40 & Over	3 Girls 14 & Under
		Girls 24 & Under	3 Place ribbons to 4-6
		Girls 25-34	3 All Divisions
		Ladies 35 & Over	

*Trophies to first 6
 Medals to 7th thru 10th

COURSE: Asphalt Road - Flat, out & back
 ENTRY FEE: 10 Mile and 3 Mile: Club Members \$1.00
 Non-Club Members \$2.00
 1 Mile: All Runners \$1.00

RACE DIRECTOR: (For Additional Information Contact)

James Morris
 1203 East Warren
 Brownfield, Texas 79316
 Telephone: (806) 637-2728

COURSE RECORDS

10 MILE

Overall Record: Dan Clark 21, Austin 52:44 1974
 Club Member's Record: Carlos Ybarra 16, Lamesa 57:36 1979
 High School Record: Kim Wrinkle 17, Big Spring 55:57 1975
 Club Member: Carlos Ybarra 16, Lamesa 57:36 1979
 30-39 Record: Bobby Cunningham 39, Abernathy 57:59 1979
 40-49 Record: Dale Thompson 43, Amarillo 61:30 1978
 Club Member: Bob Dunbar 42, Amarillo 62:04 1976
 50 & Over Record: John Alexander 59, Carlsbad, NM 74:08 1975
 Ladies Record: Sherrill Easterling 29, Coahoma 70:40 1979

3 MILE

Overall Record: Dennis Williams 29, Lubbock 14:23 1975
 Club Member: Cliff McCurdy 25, Lubbock 14:37 1979
 15 & Under Record: Carlos Ybarra 15, Lamesa 15:58 1978
 High School Record: Robert Schooler 16, Midland 15:10 1979
 30-39 Record: Jack Petty 33, Odessa 16:26 1977
 40 & Over Record: Bob Dunbar 44, Amarillo 16:44 1978
 Girls Record: Isabel Navarro 21, Brownfield 18:21 1978
 Ladies Record: Teri Valerc 26, Midland 21:53 1978

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

1. Friday July 4: 1st Annual 10 Mile and 3 Mile "Firecracker Runs," 9:00 AM, Colonial Heights School, Brownfield, TX.
 Contact: James Morris, 1203 E. Warren, Brownfield, TX 79316, Phone: (806) 637-2728.
2. Friday July 4: 4th Annual Kilgore Freedom Run, 13.1 miles, 3 miles, Main City Park, Contact: Kilgore Freedom Run, 905 Broadway, Kilgore, TX 75662 (phone) (214) 984-9084
3. Friday July 4: Northwest Hills 2 6 Mile Run, Austin Runners Club, Contact: Ed Walsh, Austin, TX (512) 476-6705.
4. Friday July 4: Firecracker 5000, 5K, 100 AM, Burleson High School, Contact: Marion Howard, (817) 295-7462 or (817) 295-5209.
5. Friday July 4: Mini Tri-Athlon (Swim, Bicycle, Run) Contact: Jeff Spears, 2004 Seaboard, Midland, TX 79701, Phone: 682-8970.
6. Saturday July 5: Half-Moon Run, Half-Moon Holidays, 10,000 meters, Shiner, TX Contact: Dan Kaspar, Box 1028, Shiner, TX 77984.

7. Saturday July 26: Independence Moonlight Run, 4 Miles, McAllister Park, San Antonio, TX. Contact: LeRoy Harvey, San Antonio Road Runners, P.O. Box 12474, San Antonio, TX 78212.

8. Saturday August 2: Aqua Festival Mile Runs, Contact: Clyde Boling, Austin YMCA, 1100 West First Street, Austin, TX 78703.

* 9. Saturday August 9: 5 Mile Run, 9:00 AM, Coleman Park, Brownfield, TX. Contact: Mickey McClure, 1211 E. Ward, Brownfield, TX 79316, Phone: (806) 637-2521 (Day) (806) 637-3781 (Evening)

* WTRC Regular Monthly Race

"Levelland Lope" 10KM and 5KM Runs
 Saturday, June 14, 1980 9:00 AM, Levelland, Texas
 Temp: 74° F. Humidity: 57% Wind: From South at 14 MPH

Although it was called the "Levelland Lope" Steve Stallings charged the 10K course to win with a 33:01 in the Open division. Second overall and first in the High School division was that burner from Midland, Robert Schooler, in a time of 33:34. Sherill Easterling lead the ladies once again with a 42:39. These and others turned in outstanding performances in spite of running over a mile into a strong south wind.

One of the most outstanding performances in the 5K was turned in by nine year old Armando Montaño. He won the 15 & Under division with a fine 25:48. Open winner was Buddy Hutto, who easily pulled away from the pack to run a 16:13. Coming in from El Paso was Norman Pittenger to win the 40 and over division with a 20:06. Girls division winner was Brownfield's Elizabeth Holguin in a 21:54. Fran Dupree carried the Ladies first place trophy home by running a fine 28:05.

The WTRC's first ever race in Levelland was a well organized affair thanks to the efforts of Race Director Bobby Birdsong and a large crew of willing volunteers. They deservedly get a tip of the old sombrero for a smoothly run race.

10 KM RESULTS

	Time	Per Mi Avg.	Per Km Avg.
1. Steve Stallings	28 Midland 33:01	5:18.8	3:18.1
2. Robert Schooler	17 Midland 33:34	5:24.1	3:21.4
3. John Bednarski	31 Odessa 34:01	5:28.5	3:24.1
4. Cliff McCurdy	26 Lubbock 34:32	5:33.5	3:27.2
5. Henry Arellano	22 Lubbock 35:28	5:42.6	3:32.8
6. Bobby Cunningham	40 Abernathy 37:10	5:58.9	3:43.0
7. Herbert Perez	19 Brownfield 39:38	6:22.7	3:57.8

8. John Trompler	32 Lubbock	39:38	6:22.7	3:57.8
9. Joe Longoria	29 Plainview	40:08	6:27.5	4:00.8
10. Rick Ricketts	31 Midland	40:15	6:28.7	4:01.5
11. Joe Hernandez	18 Levelland	40:31	6:31.2	4:03.1
12. Charles Davis	36 Lubbock	41:07	6:37.0	4:06.7
13. Gene Carlisle	40 Canyon	41:23	6:39.6	4:08.3
14. George Jury	43 Lubbock	41:25	6:39.9	4:08.5
15. Juan Hernandez	29 Snyder	41:28	6:40.4	4:08.8
16. Bob Hamrin	45 Lubbock	41:32	6:41.0	4:09.2
17. John Dupree	40 Lubbock	42:11	6:47.3	4:13.1
18. Pete Diaz	16 Levelland	42:22	6:49.1	4:14.2
19. John Long	27 Snyder	42:34	6:51.0	4:15.4
20. Sherill Easterling	30 Coahoma	42:39	6:51.8	4:15.9
21. Jim Bowman	23 Levelland	43:00	6:55.2	4:18.0
22. Darrell Hunt	32 Plainview	43:22	6:58.8	4:20.2
23. Howard Millsap	44 Odessa	43:23	6:58.9	4:20.3
24. Pee Wee Halsell	22 Plainview	43:50	7:03.3	4:23.0
25. Bernard Hartman	46 Lubbock	44:51	7:13.1	4:29.1
26. Gene Coppin	46 Plainview	45:09	7:16.0	4:30.9
27. Don Smith	30 Lubbock	45:17	7:17.3	4:31.7
28. Byrnie Bass	33 Lubbock	45:52	7:22.9	4:35.2
29. Mike Kelly	31 Lubbock	46:08	7:25.5	4:36.8
30. Ray Lamont	34 Lubbock	46:18	7:27.1	4:37.8
31. Don Kephart	28 Lubbock	46:28	7:28.7	4:38.8
32. John Miller	47 Lubbock	47:07	7:35.0	4:42.7
33. John Rhyne	15 Levelland	47:23	7:37.5	4:43.3
34. Robby Timberlake	31 Levelland	47:24	7:37.7	4:44.4

DIVISION AWARD WINNERS (Cont'd)

35. Ed Dabrowski	22	Levelland	47:55	7:42.7	4:47.5
36. Dub Manis	43	Lubbock	47:56	7:42.8	4:47.6
37. John Ferguson	26	Lubbock	47:58	7:43.2	4:47.8
38. Roger Haynes	15	Lubbock	49:14	7:55.4	4:55.4
39. George Payne	34	Lubbock	49:26	7:57.3	4:56.6
40. James Livermore	33	Lubbock	49:49	8:01.0	4:58.9
41. Ed Vernon	50	Snyder	50:27	8:07.1	5:02.7
42. Buddy Wise	50	Lubbock	50:41	8:09.4	5:04.1
43. Bob Schultz	38	Lubbock	51:04	8:13.1	5:06.4
44. Hoa Ho	21	Lubbock	52:31	*:27.1	5:15.1
45. Jacky Payne	28	Lubbock	52:31	8:27.1	5:15.1
46. Jerri L. Ward	25	Lubbock	56:35	9:06.4	5:39.5
47. Bill Mitchell	22	Lubbock	56:57	9:09.9	5:41.7
48. Herbert Hicks	47	Seminole	57:30	9:15.2	5:45.0
49. Deborah Payne	27	Levelland	57:30	9:16.5	5:45.8
50. Hugh Haynes	48	Lubbock	58:26	9:24.2	5:50.6
51. John Prenti	27	Lubbock	58:57	9:29.2	5:53.7

DIVISION AWARD WINNERS

<u>Open</u>		<u>High School & Under</u>		<u>30-39</u>	
1st	Steve Stallings	Robert Schooler	John Bednarski		
2nd	Cliff McCurdy	Joe Hernandez	John Trompler		
3rd	Henry Arellano	Pete Diaz	Rick Ricketts		
4th	Herbert Perez		Charles Davis		
5th	Joe Longoria		Darrell Hunt		
6th	Juan M. Hernandez		Don Smith		

<u>40-49</u>		<u>Ladies</u>		<u>50 & Over</u>	
1st	Bobby Cunningham	Sherill Easterling	Ed Vernon		
2nd	Gene Carlisle	Ho Hoa	Buddy Wise		
3rd	G. W. Jury	Jerri Ward			
4th	Bob Hamrin	Deborah Payne			
5th	John Dupree				
6th	Joward Millsap				

5 KM RESULTS

			<u>Time</u>	<u>Per Mi</u>	<u>Per Km</u>
				<u>Avg.</u>	<u>Avg.</u>
1.	Buddy Hutto	19 Clovis, NM	16:13	5:13.2	3:14.6
2.	Jimmy Whitley	29 Midland	17:06	5:30.2	3:25.2
3.	Roger Robles	18 Lubbock	17:36	5:39.9	3:31.2
4.	Greg Kitten	28 Lubbock	17:43	5:42.1	3:32.6
5.	Octaviano Ramirez	22 Brownfield	17:48	5:43.8	3:33.6
6.	Stan Leech	19 Brownfield	17:50	5:44.4	3:34.0
7.	Karie Wolfe	16 Big Spring	17:57	5:46.7	3:35.4
8.	Greg Moon	17 Lubbock	18:10	5:50.8	3:38.0
9.	Ron Shew	28 Lubbock	18:31	5:57.6	3:42.2
10.	Bernie Wall	31 Odessa	18:49	6:03.4	3:45.8
11.	Robert Guajardo	37 Levelland	19:40	6:19.8	3:56.0
12.	Alonzo Mendoza, Jr.	22 Levelland	19:51	6:23.3	3:58.2
13.	Norman Pittenger	43 El Paso	20:06	6:28.2	4:01.2
14.	Danny Williams	26 Lubbock	20:31	6:36.2	4:06.2
15.	Greg Anderle	29 Lubbock	20:40	6:39.1	4:08.0
16.	Bobby Birdsong	39 Levelland	20:47	6:41.4	4:09.4
17.	Roberto Bidwell	24 Lubbock	21:24	6:53.3	4:16.8
18.	Tommy Jaenz	18 Levelland	21:41	6:58.8	4:20.2
19.	Geoff Nasl	23 Odessa	21:45	7:00.0	4:21.0

30-39 40 & Over Ladies Girls
 1st Bernie Wall Norman Pittenger Fran Dupre Elizabeth Holguin
 2nd Robert Guajardo Jim Blessingame Sandra Barker Theresa Alambar
 3rd Bobby Birdsong Bob Schooler Sherrrie Harmon

Winners of Subscriptions to "Texas Runners Magazine":
 John Long
 Jim Bowman
 Alonzo Mendoza, Jr.

10 KILOMETER HANDICAP RESULTS

	Handicap Time	Actual Time	Difference
1. * Sherrill Easterling	45:11	42:39	-2:32
2. * Henry Arellano	36:50	35:28	-1:22
3. * George Jury	42:37	41:25	-1:12
4. **James Livermore	50:36	49:49	- :47
5.***Ray Lamont	47:04	46:18	- :46
6. Bob Hamrin	42:13	41:32	- :41
7. Steve Stallings	33:39	33:01	- :38
8. Robert Schooler	34:00	33:34	- :26
9. Gene Carlisle	41:33	41:23	- :104
10. John Bednarski	34:05	34:01	- :04
11. Cliff McCurdy	34:28	34:32	+ :04
12. Gene Coppin	44:50	45:09	+ :19
13. H. Bernard Hartman	44:29	44:51	+ :22
14. Ed Vernon	50:01	50:27	+ :26
15. Bobby Cunningham	36:28	37:10	+ :43
16. Buddy Wise	51:24	50:41	+ :43
17. Joe Longoria	39:22	40:08	+ :46
18. John Miller	45:40	47:07	+1:27

20. Elizabeth Holguin	17	Bornwfield	21:54	7:02.9	4:22.8
21. Frank Barker	37	Levelland	22:40	7:17.7	4:32.0
22. Jerry Birdsong	18	Levelland	23:22	7:31.3	4:40.4
23. Jim Blessingame	42	Levelland	23:30	7:33.8	4:42.0
24. Scott Yarbrough	18	Levelland	23:47	7:39.3	4:45.4
25. Bob Fallon	30	Levelland	24:33	7:54.1	4:54.6
26. Gabriel Garza	31	San Angelo	25:10	8:06.0	5:02.0
27. Armando Montalvo	9	Dimmitt	25:48	8:18.3	5:09.6
28. Terry Northup	39	Plainview	25:55	8:20.5	5:11.0
29. Stacy Harmon	14	Levelland	25:56	8:20.8	5:11.2
30. Rip Patterson	36	Big Spring	25:58	8:21.5	5:11.6
31. Brenda Kemp	13	Levelland	26:10	8:25.3	5:14.0
32. Bob Schooler	49	Midland	26:44	8:36.3	5:20.8
33. Jerry Whitten	36	Canyon	26:58	8:40.8	5:23.6
34. Theresa Alambar	17	Levelland	27:10	8:44.6	5:26.0
35. Andy Kupper	33	Levelland	27:54	8:58.8	5:34.8
36. Amy Dupre	12	Lubbock	28:05	9:03.9	5:37.0
37. Fran Dupre	39	Lubbock	28:05	9:03.9	5:37.0
38. Carl Fesmire	53	Midland	30:44	9:55.5	6:08.8
39. Sandra Barker	37	Levelland	32:02	10:18.6	6:24.4
40. Sherry Harmon	17	Levelland	33:39	10:49.8	6:43.8

DIVISION AWARD WINNERS

	Open	15 & Under	High School
1st	Buddy Hutto	Armando Montalvo	Roger Robles
2nd	Jimmy Whitley	Stacy Harmon	Karl Wolfe
3rd	Greg Kitten	Brenda Kemp	Greg Moon
4th	Octaviano Ramirez		
5th	Stan Leech		
6th	Ron Shaw		

19. David Bass	43:51	45:52	+2:01	537.4	531.7	505.5	66:25
20. John Trompler	36:58	39:38	+2:40	481.7	----	481.7	67:44
21. Howard Millsap	40:23	43:23	+3:00	481.5	----	481.5	67:45
				473.6	----	473.6	68:12
				465.8	----	465.8	68:39
*24. Danny Kennedy				464.9	----	464.9	*68:42
25. Gene Carlisle				453.7	458.4	462.5	68:50
*26. Vance Morrison				457.9	----	457.9	*69:06
27. Norman Pittenger				476.2	430.7	452.0	69:28
28. Leo Karlin				450.9	----	450.9	69:32
29. Pee Wee Halsell				508.2	392.1	448.1	69:42
30. Howard Millsap				487.9	403.7	443.8	69:58
31. Steve Wilson				441.2	----	441.2	70:07
32. George Jury				424.0	457.4	435.4	70:28
*33. Alonzo Mendoza				none	445.6	425.8	*71:04
34. Tom Bowser				424.5	----	424.5	71:09
35. Bob Hamrin				434.9	454.1	416.5	71:39
36. Robert Gorsline				413.7	----	413.7	71:50
*37. Swoose Alexander				403.6	----	403.6	*72:29
38. Byrnie Bass				429.9	342.5	401.7	72:36
39. Bobby Birdsong				403.3	391.9	401.4	72:37
*40. David Bass				391.8	----	391.8	*73:15
41. Bruce Blankenship				389.8	----	389.8	73:23
42. Tom Lowry				384.0	----	384.0	73:47
43. H. Bernard Hartman				375.7	370.5	378.1	74:11
44. Gene Coppin				367.0	359.5	370.1	74:43
*45. John Mitchell				369.5	----	369.5	*74:46

HANDICAPS FOR JULY 4, 1980, 10 MILE RUN

	10 KM or 5		New Avg Perf Level	10 Mi Handicap Tm
	Prev Avg Perf Level	KM Perf Level		
1. Steve Stallings	730.8	758.7	728.4	55:45
2. John Bednerski	712.2	715.0	716.0	56:37
3. Cliff McCurdy	696.4	693.5	705.1	57:03
4. Robert Schooler	715.6	734.3	701.9	57:11
5. Carlos Ybarra	681.4	----	661.4	58:02
5. Jimmy Whitley	716.9	638.0	656.8	59:04
7. Henry Arellano	604.8	656.1	637.4	59:55
8. Bob Dunbar	602.7	----	602.7	61:31
9. Bobby Richardson	599.8	----	599.8	61:39
10. Bobby Cunningham	618.3	592.8	599.5	61:40
11. Shane Cunningham	596.8	----	596.8	61:47
12. John Cisweiler	563.0	----	563.0	63:25
13. Karl Wolfe	none	572.2	561.4	63:30
14. John Trompler	599.7	510.7	562.6	63:34
15. Jeff Stewart	526.3	----	526.3	65:18
*16. David Drennan	515.9	----	515.9	*65:51
17. Bob Giffin	508.8	----	508.8	66:14
18. Joe Longoria	519.2	495.3	507.3	66:19

*Not Eligible - Won Division or Age Group Trophy

**Not Eligible - Won Handicap Award Last Month

***Handicap Winner

46. Doyle Golden	365.8	----	365.8	75:02
47. Sherrill Easterling	358.7	423.2	363.3	75:12
48. Greg Anderle	334.4	398.3	358.9	75:31
49. Robert Ezzell	346.7	----	346.7	76:23
50. Frank Barrow	345.7	----	345.7	76:27
51. Jerry Birdsong	393.6	265.6	335.0	77:14
52. Mike R. Greer	318.6	----	318.6	78:28
53. Frank Barker	327.3	296.9	306.8	79:22
54. Ray Lamont	315.1	332.5	303.9	79:36
55. Warren Brown	301.9	----	301.9	79:45
56. John Miller	347.1	314.2	299.5	79:56
*57. Baugh Lewis	291.0	----	291.0	*80:37
58. Doug Hale	285.1	----	285.1	81:06
*59. Janet Mitchell	284.7	----	284.7	*81:08
60. Scott Yarborough	none	247.8	275.6	81:53
61. James Livermore	242.5	257.7	250.7	83:59
62. Ed Vernon	254.0	245.4	245.5	84:27
63. Buddy Wise	227.5	240.9	241.3	84:49
64. Sarah Lamont	239.3	----	239.3	84:59
65. Jay Whitten	226.8	----	226.8	86:08
66. Pat Gordon	215.6	----	215.6	87:11
*67. Nancy Adams	215.2	----	215.2	87:13 *
68. Suzanne Wilson	194.5	----	194.5	89:12
69. Arlyne Ragan	158.0	----	158.0	92:57
*70. Bob Schooler	109.0	137.6	143.3	94:33 *
71. Roxanne Whitten	127.5	----	127.5	96:20

72. Mary Ann Whitten	104.8	----	104.8	99:06
73. Jerry Whitten	45.6	----	75.9	1:42:39
74. Tina Kennedy	6.0	----	6.0	1:52:38
75. James Whitten	below zero	below zero	0.0	1:53:35
76. Sandra Barker	below zero	below zero	0.0	1:53:35

*Must run in Club Race on July 4, 1980 to remain on Handicap List

HIGH SCHOOL ELIGIBILITY

It was brought to our attention after the awards had been handed out and everyone had gone home, that runners who had already graduated from high school had entered the High School Division in the June race. It's worth pointing out that the High School division is not an age group. In order to enter the High School division you must have High School eligibility remaining. If you have already graduated, you will have to run in the Open Division.

75 MILE CLUB

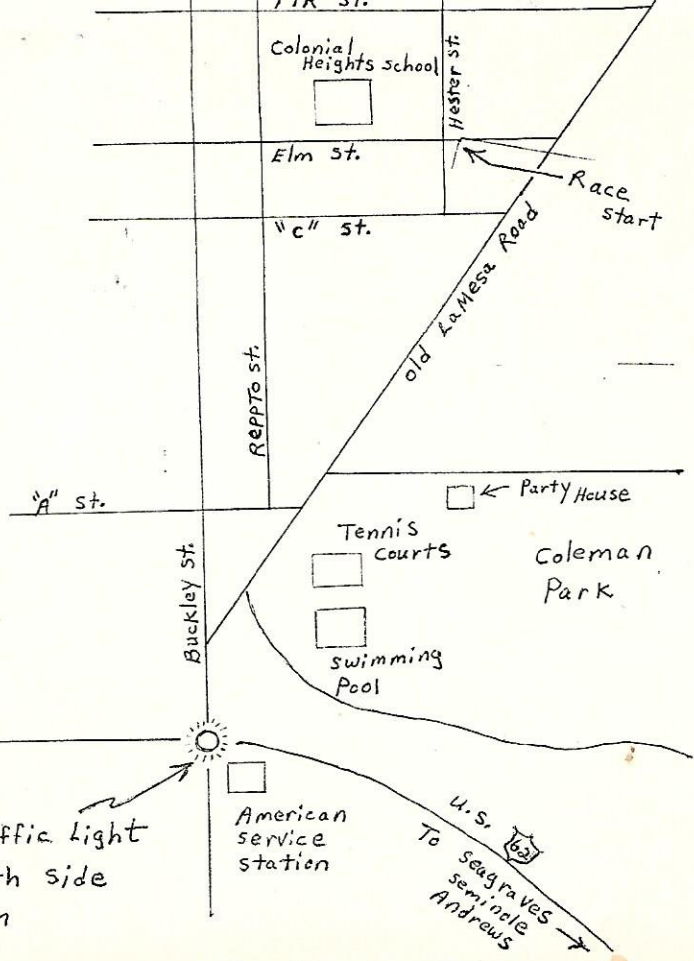
As a result of the June race, four more runners completed enough miles to make the 75 mile club. The new members are:

Bobby Cunningham
George Jury
Joe Longoria
Ed Vernon

Since this was the last race of the 1979-80 Club Year, they are the final four members of the 75-Mile Club this year. The July race begins a new year, so now is the time to resolve that you are going to make that 75 miles in 1980-81 and compete for one of the annual awards. 75 Mile Club patches and annual awards will be presented at the July race.

4TH OF JULY PICNIC

Don't forget that it's customary to bring or buy your lunch, and adjourn to Coleman Park following the race and awards presentation to mingle with your fellow club members. It's an excellent opportunity to become better acquainted, tell war stories, lie to your competition about how little you've been training, etc. Although you'll have to provide your own lunches, there will be some cold watermelon and various types of liquid refreshment available.



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