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2001 PORTLAND BOYS \& GIRLS CLUB
Patriots Day 5 Miler and One Mile Fun Run


Start of the 1 Mile Fun Run


1 Mile Fun Run


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## Message

May 2001

## Dear MTC Members

As this edition of News Run goes to press, I shall be in Albuquerque, New Mexico attending the RRCA National Convention along with a delegation of MTC members. We are anticipating having an enjoyable time seeing the sights of New Mexico, meeting with hundreds of fellow RRCA members from all over the U.S. sharing ideas and programs. We will be sharing our experiences with you at a future meeting.

As we are about to start another busy running season, please keep in mind our new 2001 races. On Sunday May $13^{\text {th }}$ the first running of the Portland Sea Dogs Slugger's Moms 5K and Kid's run at Hadlock Field. Sunday, June $3^{\text {rd }}$ is the Officer Friendly One Mile Youth run and the Flatfoot 4Miler in South Portland. Saturday, June $9^{\text {h }}$ the Portland Police and Fire Department present the Walk for Wishes and Dash for Dreams 5K in Portland. Call the MTC (7412084) for information and applications. Volunteers are always needed.

As you read in the April edition, we will be having our first special event of the year on Wednesday, May 16, at 6:00 p.m. Call Sue Davenny (829-6475) or Cathy Burnie (829-5208) cburnie@maine.rr.com for more information.
Our next membership meeting will be on Wednesday, June $13^{\text {th }}$ at SMTC (Machine Tool Building- Jewett Auditorium) at 6:30p.m. I am very encouraged by the number of people attending our meetings and especially by the large numbers of newer members. Now, if only more of our "Veteran" members would make a real effort to attend, if only.
I would like to use this forum to thank the club members who took their time and talents to submit creative, funny and informative articles for the News Run. Your efforts have played a big part in making this an award-winning newsletter one of the top three in the country. Thank you and keep up the good work.
Congratulation to Allison Kish and Bob Boothe on the birth of their daughter Carina. Both mother and daughter are doing well.
Enjoy the day,

## Mel Finberg

## THANK YOU

Patriot's Day 5-Miler Volunteers Volunteers Needed

## for upcoming races

please call the contact phone numbers on page 3

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## Eastern Prom Trail Fun Run

## Wednesday, May 16th, 6:00 PM

- The start is near the corner of India and Commercial St., go to the start of the Eastern Prom Trail.
- Pizza after at Bill's Pizza on Commercial St. (bring money).
- Wear M.T.C. clothing if possible. Phil Meech will have clothing for sale at the start.

For more information contact:
Phil at 839-4946 or Philip.d.meech@verizon.com or
Cathy Burnie at 829-5208 or cburnie@maine.rr.com


## Please cut this out and save:

## MTC Membership Meeting

Wednesday, June 13, 6:30 p.m. SMTC, So. Portland -
Machine Tool Building Jewett Auditorium

Please plan to join us<br>For more information call Mel Fineberg at 774-8868 or email mortecaimel@aol.com

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I would like to thank the following people for their support of the Leukemia and Lymphoma Society: Marcey McHatten, Eileen Dunfey, Sindee Gozansky, Mel Fineberg, Bob Aube, Don Penta, and Cathy \& Chuck Burnie. Also, congratulations to Don Penta for being my largest contributor!!!
Thanks,

## Cathy Kilburn



## Kayakers Needed:

If you have a seaworthy kayak, Peaks to Portland entries could use your help. Myself, along with several other swimmers need kayakers for this year's race. We could use people for race day and/or training swims.
Contact me, Cathy Kilburn @854-9441 or Celia Grand @767-0750.

## Aprill $11^{\text {th }}$ Membership Meeting

The MTC monthly membership meetings are back at their old home! - the Jewett Auditorium at Southern Maine Technical College, at the end of Broadway in South Portland. At the April meeting it was good to see some of the same faces I'd seen 16 years ago when I attended my first MTC meeting - and to see a number of new faces. Welcome! Former MTC (and Road Runners Club of America) president Jane Dolley was there, visiting from her new home in North Carolina. Also, Pat and Clyde ("here come the judge") Coolidge had made the trip over from their home in New Hampshire. And it was great to see Russ Bradley walk in the door.
On new business, President Mel introduced the new Volunteer of the Month award, with four given out this time "to make up for lost time". The recipients were Howard Spear, Don Penta, Chuck Burnie and Gail Desjardins. In the future, one volunteer award a month will be given at the membership meeting - maybe to you!
The inauguration of a new MTC scholarship was announced, $\$ 500$ to be given yearly to a male or female Southern Maine Technical College graduate who has excelled both academically and in athletics. This award represents the club's appreciation of SMTC's willingness over a number of years to allow us to use the auditorium for our monthly meetings without charge.


Greg Knapton The evening's speaker

Mel went over several new MTC races, the Seadogs 5K on May 13th, Mother's Day, and the Dash for Dreams 5k on June 9th. Also new this year is the Flatfoot Four Miler and Kid's Race on June 3rd. On the latter, Donna Moulton spoke about the four training sessions (with assistance from MTC members), 55 slots for kids 5 to 15 that will take place on four Saturdays in May to prepare them for their half-mile race on June 3rd.
The MTC summer coaching program this year, will again be under the direction of Dave Dowling, track coach at Greeley High School. Dave spoke about the great race results last year's participants enjoyed and reminded us of the tremendous bargain this coaching program is, ten weeks for only $\$ 30$ (open only to MTC members, joining by June 1, 2001, see page 4 for more details). I heard more than once last year that those taking part had very good race times after completing the sessions.
The evening's speaker was Greg Knapton, runner and physical therapist specializing in sports medicine, of HealthSouth in Portland. It was good to be reminded of the need to replace running shoes after, at the most, 500 miles of wear, and to have reinforced the benefits of stretching. After working very hard at the gym this winter, it was gratifying to me to hear Greg stress the great importance to runners of strengthening the upper body, the abs and back for injury prevention, endurance and speed. Greg also emphasized the principal reason runners - beginners and otherwise - get injured: Increasing too quickly.
MAKE PLANS TO BE AT THE EASTERN PROM FUN RUN ON MAY 16 AT 6:00 PM., at the corner of Commercial and India Streets, Portland, at the beginning of the Eastern Prom Trail. This will be in place of the May membership meeting. To Bill's Pizza afterward!

## Pat Buckley

# MTC RACE Schedule 

May 13 - Portland Sea Dogs Slugger's Mom 5K and Kids' Run; Hadlock Field, Portland, 9:00 AM, Contact: Maine Track Club - 741-2084

June 2 - YMCA Back Bay 5K; Back Cove Path, Portland, 10:00 AM, Contact: John and Betsy Morse 443-3948 or 443-4112
June 3 - Flatfoot 4-Miler and Kid's 1-Miler; South Portland Rec Center, Kid's Race 9:30 AM,Adult's 10:00 AM, Contact: Maine Track Club 741-2084
June 9-5K Walk for Wishes \& 5K Dash for Dreams; Payson Park, Portland, 9:00AM (Walk) \& 10:30 AM (Run), contact:Tom Peaco 800-491-3171 or Sgt. Jon Goodman 874-8555
June 13 - Commute Another Way Week 5 K ; Backcove Path, Portland, Contact: Greater Portland Council of Governments 774-9891
July 21 - Pat's Pizza Clam Festival Classic 5-Miler; Yarmouth, 8:00 AM, Contact: Maine Track Club - 741-2084
July 28 - Peaks Island 5-Miler; Peaks Island Lions Club, 10:30 AM, Contact: Larry Dyer -725-6962
August 10 - St. Peter's Road Race (4 miles); Portland, 7:00 PM, Contact: Maine Track Club - 741-2084
August 31 - Maine Running Hall of Fame 5K; Back Cove Path, Portland, 6:45 PM, Contact: Maine Track Club - 741-2084
September 16 - Anthem Women's Distance 5 K and Walk; Eastland Park Hotel, Portland, 9:00 AM, Contact: Ron Deprez 772-4312 or rdeprez@phrg.com
October 7 - Sportshoe Center Maine Marathon/Relay/Half Marathon; USM's Sullivan Gym, Portland, 8:00 AM, Contact: 741-2084 or marathon@maine.rr.com
October 20 - M.T.C. 50 Miler, Brunswick, 6:30AM, Contact:Al \& Sandy Utterstrom 797 4710
November 17 - Turkey Trot 5K; Pond Cove Elementary School, Cape Elizabeth, 9:00 AM, Contact: Maine Track Club - 7412084
November 22 - Thanksgiving Day 4 Miler; One City Center, Portland, 9:00 AM, Contact: George Towle - 780-5595

Mt. Washington Road Race

Saturday, June 16, 2001, 10:00 A.M.

The MTC MWRR lottery will take place on MAY 12th, please call or email me if you would like to be considered, BY MAY 11 TH . Also let me know if you plan to bring a volunteer or volunteer yourself next year. [in order to receive a MTC lottery spot a volunteer commitment must be met].

If you would like to Volunteer Only, please contact me. The actual race date is Saturday, June 16th 10am. Race information may be found at www.gsrs.com or www.coolrunning.com. go to the Mount Washington section. You may email me at mdoyle@synergentcorp.com or phone me at 871-0051 and leave a message.
Thank You, Mike Doyle


## Coached Weekly, Track Workouts June 6th through August 8th

The Maine Track Club is pleased to be able to provide quality coaching to ALL members wishing to take advantage of the
 opportunity. Coach Dave Dowling will be back this year. The ten-week session will be on Wednesday evenings starting at 6:00am. (June 6th - August 8th) They will be held at the Greeley High School Track in Cumberland.

To be eligible you must be a member as of June 1, 2001 . Please send back the registration form and questionnaire, included with this newsletter, with the $\$ 30$ fee by June 1st.
For additional information, contact Dave Dowling at 829-3186 or ddowlin1@maine.rr.com or Mel Fineberg at 7748869 or mortecaimel@aol.com.

## Notice About Race Fliers

Anyone who wishes to have their race fliers included in the Maine Track Club newsletter must provide 500 fliers and a payment of $\$ 40$. Fliers will not be included in any mailing if not accompanied by the $\$ 40$ service fee. The fee applies only to races not run by the MTC, so if the race fee is already being paid to the club, there is no charge for race fliers. Please call or e-mail Mike Doyle to arrange for flier inclusion.

## Group Runs

The Maine Track Club includes all kinds of runners doing many different distances and paces ... from the weekend jogger to the daily 20 -minute runner to the serious road racer. Whatever your pleasure may be (social, speed, long distance), we probably have a running/training group near your area. For more information, contact any of the following:

## Kennebunk

The Kennebunk Thursday Night group runs every Thursday night year-round, rain or shine. Welcome to MTC members and fellow runners. Our group size ranges from 7 or 8 to over 20 depending on the weather and time of year. Pace ranges from some running 7 s to several running 8 s to 9 s and sometimes slower. Distance is up to 6.5 miles. Following the run, tradition insists on a trip to Federal Jack's Brew Pub in K'port for libations and dinner and we are always home by 9 . Several of the group also run Sunday mornings in Kennebunk or in No. Berwick. Please try to join us, we would love the company. For more info call Steve Jacobsen, 985-4107 PM or 985-3244 Days.

## Portland

The Rat Pack runs Sunday mornings at 7 a.m. from Payson Park. Contact Ron Deprez (772-4312) or Mike Reali (829-2014).
YMCA Noon Runs from the YMCA on Forest Ave. Contact Marla Keefe (775-9620) or Mike Pratico (874-1111).
The Maine Front Runners, a gay and lesbian running club, runs from Back Cove across from Shop \& Save on Saturday mornings at 9 a.m. Contact Jim Estes (7612059).

South Portland
South Portland Road Runners run Thursday nights at $5: 30$ p.m. from the high school. Contact Russ Bradley (799-3864) or Donna Moulton (799-2894).
Biddeford, Saco
Anyone interested in weekly morning runs and weekend early afternoon runs, contact Guy Roy (284-8036). If you know of a group run that isn't listed above, please contact either Colleen Redmond or Mike Doyle (871-0051) to let us know where, when and a contact person for inclusion in the monthly newsletter.

## 2001 RACE SCHEDULE Race dates and times may be subject to change. Please check with Race Director for accuracy

This schedule is published for your convenience. The Maine Track Club endorses and certifies only those races that are in bold below.

May 13, 2001 - Portland Sea Dogs Slugger's Mom 5K and Kid's Run; Hadlock Field, Portland, 9:00 AM, Contact: MTC 741-2084

May 19, 2001 - National Theatre Workshop of the Handicapped 5 K Challenge for runners, walkers, persons with disabilities and Wheelchairs; Belfast, 10:00 AM, Contact: Martha Ames 338-6894 or ntwhcrby@mint.net

- Bone Density Dash 5K; Back Cove Path, Portland, 10:00AM, Contact: 828-1133

May 20, 2001 - Sugarloaf/USA Marathon; Eustis, ME, 7:00AM Carrabassett Valley (Also, Marathon Relay/15K), Contact: Sue Foster, c/o Sugarloaf USA Outdoor Center, RR1 Box 5000, Carrabassett Valley, ME 04947, (207-237-6830) outdoor@somtel.com

June 2, 2001 - YMCA Back Bay 5K; Back Cove Path, Portland 10:00 AM, Contact: Portland YMCA 874-1111 - YMCA World Largest 5K Run and Fun Walk; Auburn, 10:00 AM, Contact Doug McFarland 795-4095

- Bath YMCA 5K; 10:00AM, Contact: John \& Betsey Morse 443-3948 or 443-4112

June 3, 2001 - Flatfoot 4-Miler and Kids 1 Miler; South Portland, Kids start 9:30AM, Adults 10:00AM, Contact: M.T.C. 741-2084

June 9, 2001-5K Walk for Wishes \& 5K Dash for Dreams; Payson Park, Portland, 9:00AM (Walk) 10:30AM (Run), Contact: Tom Peaco 800-491-3171 or Sgt. Jon Goodman 874-8555

June 10, 2001 - Deering Ram Run 4 Miler; Deering High School, Portland, 8:00AM, Contact: John Cole 575-9089
June 13, 2001 - Commute Another Way Week 5K; Back Cove Path, Portland, Contact: Portland YMCA 874-111

June 16, 2001 - Close To The Coast $10 \mathrm{~K} / 5 \mathrm{~K}$; Winslow State Park, Freeport, 9:00AM, Contact: Nelson Larkins 865-1412
June 23, 2001 - Falmouth PARKFEST 4M, Falmouth, ME, 8:30AM Community Parks (Also, Kids FR), Contact: Kim White, c/o Tumblekidz Studio, 417 US Route One, Falmouth, ME 04105, (207-781-8083) tmblkdz@maine.rr.com

- Camden Area YMCA Harbor View 5K; Camden, ME USA 9:00AM Camden Area YMCA, Contact: Jasen Wood, Camden Area YMCA, 50 Chestnut Street, Camden, ME 04843, (207-236-3375) info@camdenareay.com
- Raymond Founders' Day Kids $1 \mathrm{~K}, 5 \mathrm{~K}$, or 10 K Run; Sheri Gagnon Park, Raymond, 7:30AM, Contact: Bob Payne 655-2165/534-8814 or Louise Lester 655-4224/655-4742

June 24, 2001 - Literacy Volunteers 5K; Portland Athletic Club, Falmouth, 9:00AM, Contact: 878-3907
June 30, 2001 - Strawberry Festival 5-Miler; Marshwood Jr. High, So. Berwick, 8:00AM, Contact: 439-1033 or hiknrun@aol.com

July 4, 2001-25th Bridgton Four on the Fourth; Bridgton, ME 8:00AM Stevens Brook School (4M), Contact: Jay \& Lorraine Spenciner, RR3 Box 1002, Bridgton, ME 04009, (207-647-3347) - L.L. Bean 10K; Town Park, Freeport, 7:30AM, Contact: Lili Hall 552-2356

July 7, 2001 - Beech Mountain 15.7M Trail Run; Mt. Desert, mE 8:00AM Camp Beech Cliff, Beech Mountain Road (Also, 3.8M), Contact: Peter John Keeney, 50 Ledgelawn Avenue \#3, Bar Harbor, ME 04609, (207-288-8381)
July 21, 2001 - Pat's Pizza Clam Festival Classic 5Miler; Yarmouth, 8:00 AM, Contact: MTC 741-2084
July 28, 2001 - Peaks Island 5-Miler; Peaks Island Lions Club, 10:30 AM, Contact: Larry Dyer 725-6962
August 4, 2001 - Peoples Beach to Beacon 10K; Cape Elizabeth, 8:00 AM, Contact: peoplesheritage.com/beac/beac
August 10, 2001 - St. Peter's Road Race (4 miles); Portland, 7:00 PM, Contact MTC 741-2084
August 12, 2001 - Alvin Sproul Samoset 10K; Bristol, ME 9:15AM Bristol Consolidated School (Also, 10K W/1M FR), Contact: Carlene Sproul, PO Box 55, Chamberlain, ME 04541, (207-6772586) nannyc@midcoast.com

August 18, 2001 - Breakaway 5K; 0.0.B., 9:00AM, Contact: 934-2500
August 26, 2001 - Gregg Hagerman 10K Memorial; Bridgton, ME 8:00AM Highland Lake Public Beach, Contact: Roxanne Hagerman, 17 Main Street, Bridgton, ME 04009, (207-6473551) roxy@megalink.net

August 31, 2001 - Maine Running Hall of Fame 5 K ; Back Cove Path, Portland, 6:45 PM, Contact: MTC 741-2084
September 9, 2001 - L/A 5K Bridge Run; Lewiston/Auburn Boys and Girls Club, Auburn, 8:30AM, Contact: Mike Lacompte
September 16, 2001 - Anthem Women's Distance 5K \& Walk, Eastland Park Hotel, Portland, 9:00 AM, Contact: Ron Deprez 772-4312 or rdeprez@phrg.com

September 23, 2001 Portland Trails Tukey Trot 10K, Portland, 8:30AM, Contact: 775-2411 or Laura@trails.org
September 29, 2001 - Eliot Festival Day 5K, Eliot, ME 8:30AM Eliot Fire Station, Route 103 (Also, Kids Run), Contact: Randy Bartlett, 2 Garrison Drive, Eliot, ME 03903, (207-439-3707) eliot5k@fcgnetworks.net

October 7, 2001-10th Sportshoe Center Maine Marathon/Relay/Half Marathon; Portland, ME, 8:00AM USM Sullivan Gym, Contact: Maine Marathon, PO Box 10836, Portland, ME 04104, (207-741-2084)
marathon@maine.rr.com

October 20, 2001 - M.T.C. 50 Miler, Brunswick, 6:30AM, Contact: Maine Track Club 741-2084

November 17, 2001 - Turkey Trot 5K; Pond Cove Elementary School, Cape Elizabeth, 9:00 AM, Contact: MTC 741-2084

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## Maine Track Club Fleet Feet Children's Running Program and Flatfoot One Mile \& Four Mile Road Races

## The Maine Track Club has decided to start a children's running program.

The purpose of the program is to get children started in a fitness program to enhance their lifestyle for the future, running is one way to accomplish this.
We are targeting youngsters in grades $\mathrm{K}-5$. For four consecutive Saturdays, the Maine Track Club will work with them, teaching proper stretching, running form, nutrition, and racing strategies.

The So. Portland Parks and Recreation Department are involved. They are using this program in the place of the summer rec. running program. Registration can be done through their office on Nelson Road and the training will be on the South Portland track next door.
Please contact Donna Moulton at 799-2894 for additional information.

## TRAINING SCHEDULE

Saturday - May 12th, May 19th, May 26th, June 2nd
9:00 AM - 10:00 AM
Sunday, June 3rd is The Officer Friendly One Mile Youth Run, 9:30AM

Kids are free, there will be refreshments following the race and finishers medals for all children.

## 3rd ANNUAL 4 MILE DEERING RAM RUN

On June 10th , the 3rd Annual 4 mile Deering Ram Run starts at 8:00AM. The run begins at the Ludlow Street parking lot of Deering High School. The purpose of the run is to raise funds to send Deering Wrestlers to camp over the summer. But it's really much more than a fund raiser. Wrestling by nature requires good cardiovascular conditioning and running has always been a key component to any varsity program at the high school, college, club basis or Olympic levels. This race helps encourage wrestlers and any athlete to keep in top shape not only during their school years, but through their lives.
Often students, parents, and coaches desire some event outside the wrestling season that allows them to gather. Since Deering Wresting has seen over 700 young adults work their programs over the past 24 years, this provides an opportunity to spark the light for those Alumni to gather and participate in an event that is fun, competitive as it fits one's needs, and mostly encourages reconnection of friends. Oh and let's not forget parents: they can run, walk or volunteer. We encourage that. We also encourage any parent that has a child who wants to know more about wrestling, running or the Deering program to join us and see how it
 all fits together. Ah but there is more.
Wrestling families are a close group and for that we strive to celebrate our role by encouraging our neighbors to run or walk with us. As you can see from the map on our web site, the race traverses the streets of the Deering center. So mark you calendar for June $10^{\text {th }}$ at $8: 00 \mathrm{AM}$ and enjoy the race.
By the way our wrestlers will be running in preparation for the J. Robeinson Intensive Camp in Erie, PA soon after the race. Currently six are planning on attending and the last event they do in that two week camp is to run a half-marathon. It's an intense period of conditioning and of knowledge transfer.
See ya June 10th, at 8am.
See our web site and enroll: www.ramrun.jumpsports.com
We encourage good cross-training between wrestling, running and weight training balanced with healthy nutrition.
NEW THIS YEAR - There will be prize money and awards for mens and womens place winners.
Regards - Deering Wrestling Boosters
Race Flyers are enclosed

## How They Train - New England Style

## Britt Wolfe

## by Michael A. Musca mmusca@maine.rr.com

Britt Wolfe wasn't the first person to correct my grammar. He was, however, the only person to instruct me while cranking the pace through the Middle Road hillss. It must be in his nature. By day, our running friend Britt is "Mr. Wolfe, history teacher" to the tenth and eleventh grade students of Old Orchard Beach High School.
Britt has a history lesson of his own: "When I was in tenth grade, track was cut from our athletic program due to lack of participation in my school of 140 students; something I've grown to regret more and more. I remember our track from freshman year, powdered lime lines lain around the outside of our soccer field, except the low part at the 200 m corner which was under water until mid-May. Wicked accurate. Not. I also remember
 transportation to meets: upperclassmen
(3) in the front of coach's pick-up, frosh and sophs (4) in the back with the javelins and shots. We didn't have any starting blocks. This was Buckfield HS, spring of ' 80 ."
Britt is blessed with long legs, a keen sense of pace and the patience of a saint. Case in point: while many of us trained throughout the summer for the October 2000 Maine Marathon, Britt bided his time and earned his first sub-three-hour marathon at Ocean State Marathon in November of that year. As we toed the line together in Providence, RI, on that cool, clear morning I could see the sense of purpose in his eyes and thought, "Yup, he's got this one in the bag." 2 hours and 59 minutes later he crossed the finish line. Nice job, Britt!

Name: Britt Wolfe
College: Bowdoin '87
Best Marks:
Marathon- 2:59:05 (Ocean State '00)
10 Miles - 63:52 (Mid Winter Classic)
$10 \mathrm{~K}-35: 51$ (Beach to Beacon '00)
4 Miles - 22:54 (St. Peter's 00)
5K - 17:25.
Personal Statistics:
DOB: 8/1/65 Height: 6'2" Weight: 170
Started running in middle school ('79), ran XC in HS.
My family: Ellen, Katrin (7), Jake (2). Katy is involved in USATF summer age group track/field.
Pre-Training Warm-up: Getting out of bed, fumbling for running clothes in dark, trying to touch toes, usually unsuccessfully.
Stretching: Not before running. I try to do it 2-3 times/week in the evening while watching TV.
Log Book: Over the years has gotten more basic, more shorthand. I record distance, time only if it was a speed/tempo run, weather if it was abnormal, running partners. If I don't run and it was a scheduled day, I usually write the reason I didn't: meeting, family activity, no motivation, sore, etc. I think this is a good thing to keep track of.
Daily workouts: I'm a pretty firm believer in taking it easy during the winter months. Body needs that time to recover, rebuild. Over the past few
years I've averaged 30-35 miles a week Dec-Feb, 40-45 March-May, 45-55 June-Oct, 40-45 Nov.

I do hill repeats $1 \mathrm{x} /$ week for 6 weeks or so in March/April, then speedwork 1x/week between April and end of June. I only do speedwork during the summer if there's a dry spell between races.
Weekly schedule:
Sun: long run w/ Rat Pack; 12-23 miles depending on season.
Mon: day off (usually)
Tues: moderate/easy run, generally 5-7 miles if marathon training, otherwise hill reps or speedwork.

Wed: midweek long run of 10-14 miles at marathon pace if marathon training, otherwise easy recovery run. Thurs: easy recovery run if marathon training otherwise 5-7 mile tempo or interval run.
Fri: easy 6-9 miles if marathon training otherwise easy 4-6 miles.
Sat: easy to moderate run; depends on how I feel. With son Jake in jogging stroller if no snow/ice.
Favorite/best race(s): Saint Peter's 4 Miler: I'm good on hills, get a rush from out and back courses, a lot of MTC friends work the race so I get support at every turn. Also the postrace festivities.
I also really like the Great Pumpkin 10 K . Flat and fast, beautiful time of year, know lots of people who run it, Dunkin Donuts and hot coffee after the race.
Favorite race course: Beach to Beacon: challenging but fast; you can't say its an easy course but times are good. Cape residents love the race and make it a blast.
Favorite workout: On the track, my HARDEST workout is an interval workout as follows: x number ( 8 up to 16 , adding 2 per week) x 400 m starting every 2 min ; goal is to keep each under (say) 85 , meaning 35 secs to jog in place, walk in circles between repeats. (Near end, suck wind w/ head between knees).
Done at or just above AT (threshold) pace. It helps to have a partner to do this with.
My FAVORITE track workout is a series (4-6) of 300 m repeats, all-out, w/ full recovery in between. (One lap jogging, then walking, jumping, etc.) No hurry in between. This helps to build leg strength and kick. Generally I jog easily to the track ( 1.5 miles, then 1 mile on track, then stretch, then do some pick-ups to acclimate the muscles to speed, then the workout, then warm down by jogging back home.
Favorite running route: Since moving to Saco recently I've discovered some great ones. I like running on the Boom Road, which is a 10 mile loop w/rolling hills past farms in North Saco. I also like running on the road around Camp Ellis, in and around Ferry Beach State Park, trails in Ocean Park. Also the beach at low tide is nice as part of an easy run.
Running Heroes: Billy Mills, Haile Gebreselassie, Lasse Viren, Joan Benoit-Samuelson.

Who inspired you to run? There was a guy in my neighborhood when I was growing up, stepfather of one of my friends, who was a journalist and author. He'd often take breaks from work in the evenings and run laps around our block with a hand-held stopwatch. Sometime around the time I was 11 years old, I just sort of fell in beside him once when he went by my house and found I could keep going.
Why do you run? Like most who run, I have a fairly intense, goal oriented personality. The mountain is there to be climbed. It's my stressrelief, thinking time, alone time, social time with "da guys". I feel too much like a hamster on the wheel when I work out in fitness clubs. There's a Zen to running that comes from evacuating the mind that some find rewarding and others find excruciatingly boring.

## The Portland Boys \& Girls Club And The Maine Track Club Present

The Seventy-Second Annual Patriots Day 5 Miler
507 Finishers ( 121 Female \& 386 Male)
Scenic Certified (\#ME91003) Loop Course
From The Portland Boys \& Girls Club \& Back Cove 12 Noon, Monday, April 16th, 2001
Complete Results Courtesy of the Maine Track Club

| Top Overall Finishers |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Place/Name | Age | Town | Time | Pace |
| 1 Todd Coffin 1,overall | 39 | Freeport | 25:09 | 5:02 |
| 2 Larry Sayers 2,overall | 41 | Bellows Falls, VT | 25:11 | 5:02 |
| 3 Michael Payson (MTC) 3,overall | 37 | Falmouth | 25:25 | 5:05 |
| 4 Andy Spaulding 1,30-39 | 30 |  | 25:38 | 5:08 |
| 5 Christian Muentener 1,20-29 | 27 | South Portland | 26:13 | 5:15 |
| 16 Christine Snow-Reaser 1,overall | 35 | Dayton | 29:17* | 5:51 |
| 20 Samantha Pelletier 2,overall | 18 | Wells | 29:33* | 5:55 |
| 56 Lorna Humphries (MTC) 3,overall | 35 | North Yarmouth | 32:57* | 6:35 |
| 60 Carrie McCusker (MTC) 1,30-39 | 31 | South Portland | 33:08* | 6:38 |
| 68 Cheryl Van Wie 1,40-49 | 40 | New Gloucester | 33:46* | 6:45 |
| Other Top Divisional Finishers |  |  |  |  |
| 8 Danny Paul 40-49 | 47 | Yarmouth | 27:53 | 5:35 |
| 9 Pat Tarpy 19\&under | 18 | Yarmouth | 28:09 | 5:38 |
| 13 Guy Berthiaume 50-59 | 55 | Chelsea | 28:58 | 5:48 |
| 122 Teresa McDonald 20-29 | 24 | South Portland | 35:47* | 7:09 |
| 129 Nellie Beaudry 19\%under | 16 | Portland | 36:09* | 7:14 |
| 162 Ernie Tracy 60-69 | 65 |  | 37:16 | 7:27 |
| 305 Polly Kenniston (MTC) 60-6 | 64 | Scarborough | 40:52* | 8:10 |
| 340 Michele Flynn (MTC) 50-59 | 52 | Cape Elizabeth | 42:43* | 8:33 |
| 441 Mel Uchenick (MTC) 70\&over | 70 | Kennebunk | 47:55 | 9:35 |
| 507 Ruth Hefflefinger (MTC) 70\&over |  | Portland | 68:15* | 13:39 |

## Other Maine Track Club Finishers

| 7 Dan Dearing 3,30-39 | 39 | Lisbon Falls | $26: 56$ | $5: 23$ |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 18 Dave Howard | 34 | Portland | $29: 26$ | $5: 53$ |
| 19 Richard Flagg | 32 | Wells | $29: 33$ | $5: 55$ |
| 25 Russell Boisvert 2,50-59 | 50 | Portland | $30: 17$ | $6: 03$ |
| 46 Michael Bosse | 30 | Portland | $32: 01$ | $6: 24$ |
| 49 Curt Moulton | 38 | Sanford | $32: 15$ | $6: 27$ |
| 55 Brian Cliffe | 40 | Cape Elizabeth | $32: 38$ | $6: 32$ |
| 58 Will Lund | 45 | Portland | $33: 02$ | $6: 36$ |
| 64 Jay Wilson, Sr. | 42 | Portland | $33: 34$ | $6: 43$ |
| 73 Jay Wilson, Jr. | 15 | Portland | $33: 58$ | $6: 48$ |
| 79 Alison Kisch 2,30-39 | 35 | Portland | $34: 19^{*}$ | $6: 51$ |
| 80 Kevin Butterfield | 30 | Portland | $34: 23$ | $6: 53$ |
| 81 Kathy Hepner 2,40-49 | 40 | Gorham | $34: 24^{*}$ | $6: 53$ |
| 86 Paul Toohey | 43 | Scarborough | $34: 35$ | $6: 55$ |
| 88 Nancy Kneeland 3,40-49 | 46 | Bar Mills | $34: 38^{*}$ | $6: 56$ |
| 96 Scott Hamilton | 50 | North Waterboro | $34: 59$ | $7: 00$ |
| 111 Dennis Smith | 51 | Yarmouth | $35: 32$ | $7: 06$ |
| 127 Harry White | 58 | Scarborough | $36: 01$ | $7: 12$ |
| 134 Robert McGowan | 40 | Portland | $36: 20$ | $7: 16$ |
| 141 Ed Doughty | 46 | Gray | $36: 38$ | $7: 20$ |
| 144 Les Berry | 53 | Gorham | $36: 48$ | $7: 22$ |
| 145 Loren Lathrop | 52 | South Portland | $36: 48$ | $7: 22$ |
| 155 Colleen Redmond | 36 | Portland | $37: 07^{*}$ | $7: 25$ |
| 156 Julia Drinker | 40 | Arlington, MA | $37: 08^{*}$ | $7: 26$ |
| 163 Dale Rines | 48 | Gorham | $37: 17$ | $7: 27$ |
| 165 John Keeley | 49 | Portland | $37: 21$ | $7: 28$ |
| 168 Ned Ayers | 51 | Falmouth | $37: 23$ | $7: 29$ |
| 177 Terry Clark | 56 | Windham | $37: 35$ | $7: 31$ |
| 187 Patty Medina | 43 | Cape Elizabeth | $38: 06^{*}$ | $7: 37$ |
| 210 Dick Lajoie 2,60-69 | 60 | Durham | $38: 34$ | $7: 43$ |


| 213 Merle Hartford | 53 | Scarborough | $38: 38$ | $7: 44$ |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 217 Cathleen Kilburn | 34 | Westbrook | $38: 44^{*}$ | $7: 45$ |
| 221 Jim Estes | 51 | Portland | $38: 54$ | $7: 47$ |
| 227 Bob Green | 52 | Gorham | $39: 05$ | $7: 49$ |
| 230 Mick McCall | 47 | Cumberland | $39: 17$ | $7: 51$ |
| 231 john Howe 3,60-69 | 66 | Waterford | $39: 19$ | $7: 52$ |
| 239 Drew Cheney | 47 | Cumberland | $39: 27$ | $7: 53$ |
| 244 James Robbins | 39 | Cape Elizabeth | $39: 37$ | $7: 55$ |
| 245 Tom Mundhenk | 51 | Portland | $39: 37$ | $7: 55$ |
| 260 Andrea Gordon | 37 | Brunswick | $39: 53^{*}$ | $7: 59$ |
| 268 Karla Stockmeyer | 13 | Portland | $40: 01^{*}$ | $8: 00$ |
| 271 Neil Chivington | 53 | Hollis Center | $40: 10$ | $8: 02$ |
| 272 Marla Keefe | 48 | Casco | $40: 11^{*}$ | $8: 02$ |
| 282 Gregory Welch | 49 | South Portland | $40: 18$ | $8: 04$ |
| 285 Larry Kinner | 51 | Old Orchard Bch | $40: 20$ | $8: 04$ |
| 287 Diane Daley | 45 | Casco | $40: 25^{*}$ | $8: 05$ |
| 304 Mike Brooks | 55 | Danville | $40: 50$ | $8: 10$ |
| 310 Dan Hogan | 50 | Portland | $41: 03$ | $8: 13$ |
| 316 Jack Reagan | 48 | Portland | $41: 20$ | $8: 16$ |
| 318 Mark Grandonico | 41 | Portland | $41: 24$ | $8: 17$ |
| 337 Dennis Morrill | 61 | Portland | $42: 32$ | $8: 30$ |
| 357 Cathy Burnie 2,50-59 | 52 | Cumberland | $43: 19^{*}$ | $8: 40$ |
| 394 Rebecca Sargent | 22 | Yarmouth | $44: 51^{*}$ | $8: 58$ |
| 399 Jim Tyrrell | 53 | Cape Elizabeth | $45: 18$ | $9: 04$ |
| 404 John Littlefield | 45 | Scarborough | $45: 27$ | $9: 05$ |
| 405 Katy Littlefield | 37 | Scarborough | $45: 27^{*}$ | $9: 05$ |
| 426 Phillips Sargent | 54 | Yarmouth | $46: 28$ | $9: 18$ |
| 459 Sherry Grandonico | 47 | Portland | $49: 0^{* *}$ | $9: 50$ |
| 465 Sally Paterson | 59 | Portland | $49: 33^{*}$ | $9: 55$ |
| 479 Philip Bartlett | 53 | Gorham | $51: 02$ | $10: 12$ |
| 482 Cheryl McCall | 44 | Cumberland | $51: 22^{*}$ | $10: 16$ |
| 494 Shelley LePage | 46 | South Portland | $52: 46^{*}$ | $10: 33$ |
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| Many thanks to Bob Aube and | the computer | team for |  |  |
| complete results! |  |  |  |  |

## Boston Marathon -- Maine Track Club Finishers: <br> Complete Maine Results Courtesy of the Portland Press Herald

| Place/Name | Town | S | Chip_T | Gun_T |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | ---: |
| 440 Barry Fifield | Gray | M | $2: 52: 31$ | $2: 52: 35$ |
| 771 Stephen Reed, M.D. | Wiscasset | M | $2: 58: 26$ | $2: 58: 31$ |
| 906 Mike Grant | Scarborough | M | $2: 59: 47$ | $3: 00: 29$ |
| 1461 Jim Toulouse | Cape Elizabeth | M | $3: 07: 15$ | $3: 07: 58$ |
| 1912 Kenneth Norton | Bath | M | $3: 11: 11$ | $3: 12: 38$ |
| 2067 David Chamberlain | Falmouth | M | $3: 13: 53$ | $3: 14: 13$ |
| 2340 Michael Gordon | Portland | M | $3: 15: 14$ | $3: 16: 21$ |
| 2955 Tom Shorty | Gorham | M | $3: 19: 20$ | $3: 21: 14$ |
| 3245 Ken Cotton | Bristol | M | $3: 23: 08$ | $3: 23: 26$ |
| 3782 Kimberly Moody | Cape Elizabeth | F | $3: 21: 54$ | $3: 27: 28$ |
| 4540 Ron Paquette | Biddeford | M | $3: 28: 11$ | $3: 32: 42$ |
| 4564 Philip Pierce | Falmouth | M | $3: 32: 32$ | $3: 32: 51$ |
| 4907 Jennifer DeSena | Cape Elizabeth | F | $3: 29: 42$ | $3: 35: 18$ |
| 4929 Ron Cedrone | Falmouth | M | $3: 30: 54$ | $3: 35: 29$ |
| 5240 William Sproul | New Gloucester | M | $3: 37: 04$ | $3: 37: 46$ |
| 5413 John Rolfe | Portland | M | $3: 34: 50$ | $3: 39: 00$ |
| 5473 Richard Robinov | Cumberland | M | $3: 35: 22$ | $3: 39: 27$ |
| 5909 Gerard Conley, Jr. | Portland | M | $3: 38: 36$ | $3: 42: 20$ |
| 5927 Eileen Dunfey | Cape Elizabeth | F | $3: 38: 26$ | $3: 42: 28$ |
| 6108 Rob Boudewijn | Portland | M | $3: 38: 53$ | $3: 43: 40$ |
| 6968 Paul Aceto | Scarborough | M | $3: 43: 57$ | $3: 49: 28$ |
| 7992 Sarah MacColl | Cape Elizabeth | F | $3: 49: 17$ | $3: 56: 23$ |
| 8400 Rosalyn Randall | Portland | F | $3: 51: 59$ | $3: 59: 22$ |
| 9049 Bob Coughlin | Cape Elizabeth | M | $4: 00: 28$ | $4: 05: 04$ |
| 9265 Beth Rand | Cape Elizabeth | F | $3: 55: 58$ | $4: 07: 06$ |


| 9339 Mary Brandes | Falmouth | F | $3: 59: 35$ | $4: 07: 51$ |
| :---: | :--- | :--- | ---: | ---: |
| 9462 Doug McTernan | Kittery | M | $4: 05: 53$ | $4: 09: 05$ |
| 11408 Donna Cormier | Fryeburg | F | $4: 27: 12$ | $4: 35: 28$ |
| 12422 Carlton Mendell | Portland | M | $4: 58: 05$ | $4: 59: 17$ |
| 12786 Sarah Mahoney | Kennebunk | F | $4: 58: 43$ | $5: 13: 07$ |
| Julius Marzul | Gorham | M |  | $6: 32:$ |

The Kennebunk Rotary Presents<br>The Tenth Annual<br>Five Mile Presidential Road Race<br>198 Finishers (80 Female \& 118 Male)<br>Certified Modified Loop Course From Dock Square, Kennebunkport<br>11:00 a.m., Sunday, April 1st, 2001<br>Complete Results Courtesy of Granite State Race Services

| Top Overall Finishers |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Place/Name | Age | Town | Time | Pac |
| 1 Dan Dearing (MTC) overall | 39 | Lisbon Falls | 27:22 | 5:29 |
| 2 Andy St.Amour 1,20-29 | 23 | Bloomfield, VT | 28:1 | 40 |
| 3 David Scott 1,19\&under | 17 | Lyman | 28:5 | 5:47 |
| 4 Lance Guliani 1,40-49 | 42 | Bath | 28:58 | 5:48 |
| 5 Mark Swan 2,19\&under | 17 | Bowdoin | 28:59 | 5:48 |
| 8 Christine Snow-Reaser ove | 35 | Dayton | 29:37* | 5:56 |
| Leslie Mourmouras 1,30-39 | 32 | Biddefo | 33:08* | 6:38 |
| Sandy Noble 1,40-49 | 41 | Kennebunkport | 33:22* | 6:41 |
| 35 Laurie Gaudreau 2,30-39 | 32 | Stratham, NH | 34:49* | 6:58 |
| 37 Nancy Kneeland (MTC) 2,40-49 | 46 | Bar Mills | 34:56* |  |

Other Top Divisional Finishers

| 10 Bill Reilly (MTC) 50-59 | 53 | Brownfield | $29: 57$ | $6: 00$ |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 38 Krista Poissant 20-29 | 27 | Arundel | $35: 11^{*}$ | $7: 03$ |
| 46 Mary Rhoades 19\&under | 16 | Denmark | $36: 00^{*}$ | $7: 12$ |
| 73 Bill Engle 60\&over | 69 | Peterborough,NH $38: 49$ | $7: 46$ |  |
| 105 Betty Disanna 50-59 | 52 | Limington | $42.23^{*}$ | $8: 29$ |
| 189 Jane Rasmussen 60\&over | 64 | Tenants Harbor | $54: 41^{*}$ | $10: 57$ |

Other Maine Track Club Finishers

| Other Maine Track Club Finishers |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | :---: | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 18 Russell Boisvert 2,50-59 | 50 | Portland | 31:19 | $6: 16$ |
| 26 Curt Moulton | 37 | Sanford | $32: 33$ | $6: 31$ |
| 37 Gregory Welch | 49 | South Portland | $35: 18$ | $7: 04$ |
| 40 Ronald Paquette | 49 | Biddeford | $35: 23$ | $7: 05$ |
| 54 Chuck Massie | 46 | Saco | $37: 19$ | $7: 28$ |
| 57 Harry White | 58 | Scarborough | $37: 40$ | $7: 32$ |
| 70 Malcolm Washburn, Jr. | 47 | Buxton | $38: 25$ | $7: 41$ |
| 86 Mike Brooks | 55 | Danville | $40: 29$ | $8: 06$ |
| 91 Gail Saldanha | 44 | Scarborough | $40: 46^{*}$ | $8: 10$ |
| 107 John Keeley | 49 | Portland | $42: 32$ | $8: 31$ |
| 113 John Stevens | 58 | Wells | $43: 15$ | $8: 39$ |
| 114 Robert DeWitt | 57 | Lisbon | $43: 21$ | $8: 41$ |
| 133 Don Burnham | 59 | Kennebunk | $45: 15$ | $9: 03$ |
| 139 Denny Morrill 2,60-69 | 61 | Portland | $45: 54$ | $9: 11$ |
| 161 Donna Bisbiee | 44 | Portand | $48: 09^{*}$ | $9: 38$ |
| 168 Carlton Mendell USAT\&F | 79 | Portland | $48: 19$ | $9: 40$ |
| 170 Mel Uchenick | 70 | Kennebunk | $48: 31$ | $9: 43$ |
| 177 Celine Frueh | 29 | Portland | $51: 06^{*}$ | $10: 14$ |
| 187 Kathleen Reid | 31 | South Portland | $53: 24^{*}$ | $10: 41$ |
| 198 Julius Marzul | 74 | Gorham | $64: 52$ | $12: 59$ |

## Portland Trails 2nd Annual "Tukey Trot" 10K

## Sunday September 23 1t 8:30 AM

Run this scenic route along the Eastern Prom. and Back Cove Trails and help PT raise trail-building money. $100 \%$ organic cotton $t$-shirts to the first 200 applicants.

## Upcoming MTC Birthdays

## hapdy Birthday Mte MEMBERS!!

16: Joan Samuelson
17: Alyce Schultz
18: Brandon Bonsey
19: Michael Payson
21: Laurie Bowring, Sarah Mahoney
22: Lisa Barker
24: Jim Estes, Everett Moulton, Jill Shinnick, James Snow
26: Mary Anne Champeon
28: Tom Carll, Jane Dolley
29: Don Penta, Jim Toulouse
JUNE
1: Karen Curtis
3: Denise Brooks
4: Mark Grandinico, Kathy Hepner


5: Benjamin Parsons
7: Harry Nelson, Denise Robertson
8: Nelly Hall, Will Lund
9: Julius Marzul
10: Ron Deprez, Matthew Clement
13: Cameron Bonsey, Ron Pelton
14: Steven Bremner

## Race Report

## 105th Boston Marathon

"You can't always get what you want, no you can't always get what you want, but if you try sometime, you just might find, yeab you just might find, that you get what you need."

## - The Rolling Stones

## This pretty much sums up my Boston effort.

The morning started out just as everyone had hoped for, cool and cloudy. With temps predicted to be in the low 50 's, it was shaping up to be ideal conditions for 105 th running of the Boston Marathon. Following a trip to Starbucks for a cup of coffee and a quick glancing of the Boston Globe, it was time to head over to the buses. Before long, a contingent of Maine runners including Willie and Maureen Sproul, Gene Holm, TJ Hesler, Jim Toulouse, Ron Cedrone, Bob Coughlin, and myself, had assembled and boarded the buses for the ride to Hopkinton. During pre-race r\&r, we informally exchanged game plans for the race. Most everyone seemed reluctant to pinpoint a time goal, as Boston is notorious for leaving such plans in ruin. As for myself, I had a three tier goal: An outstanding race would bring me in at the mid 2:50's; a satisfying effort would be anything under 3hrs, and last, simply play out the hand you were dealt.
A group of four of us; TJ Hesler, Jesse Randall, Rob Fast and myself, were going to run as a group, with the goal being to set a mile pace in the mid-6:40's. The opening mile clocked in at 7:04, Mile 2-6:11 oops! "irrational exuberance" became the theme of the first 15 k of the race. Caught up in the adrenaline rush of the moment, our mid 6:40's goal pace became mid 6:30's. Slowly, the tandem of TJ and Jesse pulled away, leaving the two of us to settle in to a more reasonable pace. By Newton Falls, Rob and I had come to the realization that the pace of the first half was going to come back to haunt us. The temperature was now 10 degrees warmer than anticipated, and the cloud cover we had depended on was gone. Fluid intake had now become a top priority. With fatigue becoming a factor, we set our sights on the climb to Boston College. Somewhere between mile 18 and 19 , our paths diverged. The $6: 35$ pace we breezed through earlier in the race was now but a faint memory, as I was having to bear down to maintain a 7 min . pace through the hills. As anticipated, Boston College brought relief as the downhill was a welcome change of pace from the hamstring punishing ascent of Heartbreak Hill. However, the quadriceps were feeling the effect of the earlier downhills, and the result was the inability to make up for time given back during the last three miles. At this point I had resorted to tier 2 of my goal plan, and focused on trying to get across the line in under 3hrs. Miles 22 through 25 were somewhat less than flattering, as the people I had worked my way past through the hills were now passing me on both sides, with the ultimate insult being a guy wearing large pink rabbit ears going by me like I was walking! By mile 25 I was keeping a close eye on the watch, as I had used up all of my sub-3 cushion. At the one mile to go marker I was able to do enough math to figure a 7 minute mile would get me to the line in exactly three hrs. chip time. Mercifully, the final left turn on to Boylston Street arrived. Not sure of my pace, I gave one final push to try and get in under the wire. The final quarter mile was reminiscent of Burt Reynolds' five yard
touchdown run at the end of "the longest yard". You remember- the scene that just wouldn't end?

Well, few things in life can match the euphoria of crossing a marathon finish line. A seat-of-the-pants calculation, along with some wishful thinking, told me I snuck in under the 3 hr. mark with about 10 seconds to spare. Official time: 3:00:29 gross, 2:59:47 chip. A 9 minute Boston PR I'll take it. Considering I had tempted disaster by letting adrenalin, and not common sense, dictate my early pacing, I have to count my blessings and be pleased with my overall result. As for the other 3 in the original group, Jesse and TJ, of which neither was racing, per se, came in at a $2: 54$ and 2:59, respectively. Rob Fast, whose training was significantly hampered with injuries, crossed the line with a time of 3:04. Well, another Boston is in the books. A week or so, and the soreness will be gone, the blisters on the feet healed, and all the unpleasant memories of the marathon will be replaced with goals for the next one.

## Mike Grant

P.S.- this was my first marathon in lightweight trainers, and maybe the last. By mile ten, I realized that there's a reason they put cushioning in shoes.


My dog is faster than me.
My dog chased a cat up a tree.
A crow flying by landed to see.
The crow caused a ruckus and one became three. Three turned to thirteen all shrieking with glee. Up a tree, surrounded by crows, is not where the cat wished to be.
We continued our walk, so the cat could climb free. It was such an odd sight, I wanted to share it with thee.

Patriots' Day 5 Miler


Kathy Littlefield MTC of Scarborough John Littlefield (behind) Lisa \& Thomas Arnold of Saco

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## Portland Trails 10th Birthday Bash!

Friday, May 18th, 6:00-10:00 PM

## Eastland Park Hotel Ballroom

Come celebrate 10 years of building trails with live jazz and bluegrass, hor d'oeuvres, cash bar, a trip for two raffle, and a fantastic
 (to help build more trails).
$\$ 10$ admission Fee. Call Portland Trails at 775-2411 or go to www.trails.org for more information.

10th Annual Five Mile Presidential Road Race


## BE A PART OF HISTORY

The YMCA World's Largest Run is an unprecedented national event and you can play a part!

In celebration of the YMCA's 150th Anniversary in America, 300 YMCA's will be hosting a unified 5 K run and fun walk on June 2nd, 2001.
That's right, one race, one synchronized start time across the country. See our race schedule on page 5 for the race nearest you.


## M.T.C. Clothing Available

- Jerzee Heavyweight Cotton Forest Green Sweatshirts with the M.T.C. logo embroidered on the left chest. M/L/XL/XXL $\$ 20.00$
- Caps, 6 Panel unconstructed, pigment dyed, khaki/Dark Green adjustable leather strap with brass-look buckle snap fastner, embroidered M.T.C. logo $\$ 8.00$


## New M.T.C. Singlets Available To Members Only Aasics 100\% Coolmax

M. T.C. logo silkscreened front and back

- Mens Victory Singlet - Med./Lrg/XL.
- Womend Diamond Mesh Singlet - Small/Med./Lrg./XL.

Being sold at cost $\$ 15.00$
Contact Colleen Redmond or Mike Doyle 871-0051


The following area sporting goods stores have agreed to give MTC members discounts on running shoes and running clothing. It is necessary that you show your 2001 club ID card when requesting discounts.

## Peak Performance Sports

59 Middle St., Portland
15\%
ON ALLL PURCHASES

## Olympia Sporting Goodls

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$10 \%$ ON SHOES ONLY

## Coastal Athletics

84 Cove St, Portland

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10\% ON RUNNING SHOES

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## REMINDER

- Membership Meeting, June 13 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ 6:30 PM; SMTC, Machine Toll Building. See page 2 for details.

