LA FRONTRUNNERS

Newsletter

Pride Run 2015!

July 2015



Pride Run 2015 is in the books! It was another great race, with a few changes and a healthy profit. The beneficiary (and a very popular one) was PAWS/LA. We were able to raise 100% of our \$5000 donation through sponsors which enabled us to keep all the profit from the race for the club. You can see the complete Pride Run financial report on page 3. Our profit was \$7,460.35. We also had a minor scheduling change in that we held the kids race in between the 5K and 10K, which enabled us to provide a safer route for them to run. All the runners were still there, having either just run the 5K or preparing to run the 10K, so the kids had a very loud and supportive (and captive) audience.

The running was also spectacular, with many outstanding performances by LAFRs. Eric Alvarez (pictured right running the 10K with Mike Heredia) led all LAFRs in the 5K, the 10K, and the Ultra. You can read more about Eric's great year of racing thus far on page 3. There was also total LAFR domination in one of the male age groups. You can read about it on page 3. As always, LAFR volunteers came out in full force and were awesome, helping to make the race welcoming and well-run. We could not put on such a great race without all the wonderful club volunteers.





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7/25	Lee Lightfoot	8/20	Duane Howard
7/25	Charles Holmes	8/24	Henri Faucher
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LAFR Board Meeting 7/11/15

- Finance bank balance healthy (please see full Treasurer's Report for Jan-July 2015 at the end of the newsletter)
- \$5785 donated to charity YTD in addition to \$5000 Pride Run donation, so total YTD is \$10,785
- 3. 501(c)(3) status approved by IRS
- 4. Pride Run follow-up
 - Pride Run net \$7460.35
 - Changed time for kids race a success
 - Next year add discounted membership option to reg.
 - Gemini had some errors, will look for a new company
 - Lack of organization on the part of CSW again problematic
 - Angus will buy tables/chairs for future races
 - Next year we will attend more CSW meetings to try to help matters and also to raise awareness about vehicles on course
 - CSW would still need to provide portapotties and cones
- Membership Renewal Bruce to update Constant Contact
 Website
 - Angus met with designer, budget set at \$800
 - Platform will be WordPress, with focus on ease of use
- 7. Upcoming Events

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- PAWS volunteer food delivery July 18
- August 15 Pool Party
- August 23 Santa Rosa
- October 4 Chili Cook-Off
- November 20-22 Catalina trip
- 8. Next BOD meeting, Saturday, 8/29 at Angus & Mark's



Scottish Frontrunners: Neil and Andrew from Glasgow Frontrunners visited us on July 5th and joined us for the Sunday long run. Close to 30 LAFRs came to the run and John McGuinness led a group (including Neil & Andrew) up to the Hollywood sign. Afterwards, 18 of us went to breakfast with the lads.

Pride Run Financials and Stories

Right: Mike Carbuto, David Dassey and Bill Winkelmann

Below: Charlie Holmes





60-64 Domination!

The 60-64 LAFR guys swept the top 3 in all three races at the Pride Run. Pictured above, David Dassey, Mike Carbuto & Bill Winkelmann were 1/2/3 in the 10K and the Ultra. And in the 5K, David and Mike were again 1/2, with Charlie Holmes grabbing 3^{rd.}

Eric & 2015

Eric Alvarez has had a blazing first half of 2015. He won the SRLA 18 mile Friendship Run back in February and also won the Long Beach Pride 5K in May. He led all LAFRs at the LAFR Pride Run, finishing 3rd OA in the 5K (16:50, fastest LAFR male in 2015), 2nd OA in the 10K (36:05) and 2nd OA in the Ultra Pride. He also shattered his marathon PR back in April, running 2:44:02 on a windy and rainy Boston Marathon course.



One More Second?

Both Mike Kerkman (18:24) and Moises Medina (18:27) tied their 5K PRs to the second at the Pride Run. Our guess is neither one of them realized it because you'd think they both could've mustered up one measly second to set a new PR had they known...©

The \$\$\$

Income Race Registrations Sponsors	\$13,538.37 \$5,000.00
Total Income	\$18,538.37
Expanses	
<u>Expenses</u> PAWS/LA Donation	\$5,000.00
Medals	\$969.01
T-Shirts	\$2,240.93
Gemini Timing	\$2,224.00
Bibs/supplies	\$106.99
Bullhorns	\$36.78
Kids Bags Toys	\$105.00
Food/Water	\$395.30
	+
Total Expenses	\$11,078.01
Profit	\$7,460.36



Pride Run Runners!!



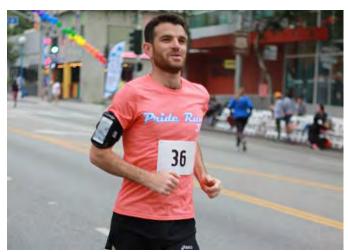
The women runners, Cat, Connie, Amy, Keeley and Carl



Mike Kerkman runs the 10K



Legacy runner Jack Hill (#194) running his 34th race



New LAFR Bordeaux Martin runs the 5K



David flanked by Keeley, Cat, and Pat.



5K 40-44 Winners: LAFRs Danny O'Hara and John McGuinness with Los Feliz Flyer Amado Ulloa

6/14 Pride Run Crew



Piyush and Patrick taking a break from volunteering at the registration area



Norman, Neil, and Amy checking in the runners



Keith and Pride Run T-Shirt designer Eddie manning the kiddie table



John, Allen, and Yumi prepping all the food



Maggie and Cruiser cheering their humans Richard and Eric. It was Eric's birthday, too!



The water boys: Alex, Andy, Andrew, Alex and Brian

Pride Run Race Results

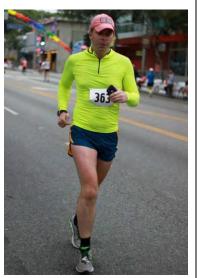
LAFR Pride Run (Grand Prix)

WeHo, CA 6/14

<u>5K</u>	
Eric Alvarez16:50	3 rd OA
	1 st 45-49
Mike Kerkman 18:24	2 nd 35-39/PR
Moises Medina18:37	2 nd 45-49/PR
Danny O'Hara18:38	1 st 40-44/PR
Bill Sadler 19:08	3 rd 30-34
Duane Howard 20:03	
Carl Maravilla20:27	1 st 55-59
John McGuinness20:30	2 nd 40-44
Barry Hamaguchi21:14	PR
Marcelino Goncalves 21:33	PR
David Gonzalez21:56	
Kent Hamilton 22:00	
Bill Austin	
Scott Lasker	3 rd 50-54
David Dassey22:27	1 st 60-64
Jon Alami23:07	3 rd 20-24/PR
Martin Carlson 23:27	5 20 2 1/1 1
Raul Borja23:37	
Kevin Shiramizu24:02	
Rand Smith24:46	PR
Michael Carbuto25:51	2 nd 60-64
Charles Holmes25:51	3 rd 60-64
John Miles	PR
Lui Sanchez	PR
Bill Winkelmann 27:35	
Jim Martinez	
Bradley Henkle 29:06	
Adam Comeau 29:06	PR
David Grudzien29:08	
Bordeaux Martin 29:22	
Christian Eimer 30:31	
Mark Grumet	
Karen Carey 31:21	
Christopher Tapper 31:26	PR
Richard West 32:24	2 nd 65-69
Eric Fischer	3 rd 65-69
Steven Morchak 34:34	
Jason Coleman 34:52	
Juan Moreno35:35	1 st OA RW
Patricia Bates	3 rd 65-69
Margie Gonzales39:16	2 nd 60-64
Lee Lightfoot	2 nd 70-74
Bill Walsky45:36	
Amy Ross	1 st OA RW
,	3 rd 60-64
Connie Hammen49:29	1 st 70-74
Cat White	
Keeley Webster 49:38	



David Gonzalez ran both the 5K & 10K

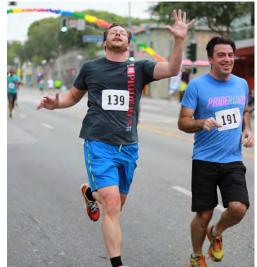


New LAFR Christian Eimer in the 5K



Lee Lightfoot was 2nd 70-74 In the 5K PRIDE RUN RESULTS

Best dressed Jackie Rubio ran both the 5K & 10K



Adam Comeau and Bradley Henkle in the 5K



Karen Carey in the 5K LOS ANGELES FRONTRUNNERS

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Pride Run Race Results

LAFR Pride Run (Grand Prix)

WeHo, CA 6/14

<u>10K</u>

<u>10K</u>	
Eric Alvarez 36:05	2 nd OA
	1 st 45-49
Mike Heredia37:37	1 st 30-34
Bill Sadler 38:53	2 nd 30-34/PR
Mike Kerkman39:27	1 st 35-39
Moises Medina39:38	2 nd 45-49
Jeff Lymburner 42:24	1 st 55-59
Darwin Marenco42:32	PR
Bruce Bair42:51	
John McGuinness43:34	2 nd 40-44
Duane Howard44:33	
Angus Kennedy44:39	
Marcelino Goncalves45:06	PR
Barry Hamaguchi46:25	PR
Mario Mota46:45	3 rd 50-54/PR
David Gonzalez47:33	
Michael Carter 47:48	
David Dassey47:48	1 st 60-64
Bill Austin 48:06	
Raul Borja49:19	
Jeff Masino49:40	
Martin Carlson50:59	
Richard Peng51:06	
Bordeaux Martin51:16	
Jason Bautista51:34	
Kent Hamilton53:57	
Andrew Sanchez54:16	
Rand Smith55:00	PR
John Miles55:38	
Kirk Luetkehans 56:18	PR
David Jaquez 56:20	PR
Richard Nelson 56:33	2 nd 65-69
Michael Carbuto56:42	2 nd 60-64
Bill Winkelmann57:50	3 rd 60-64
Juan Moreno1:02:40	
David Grudzien1:09:08	
Jason Coleman1:11:24	
Christopher Tapper 1:15:16	
Doug Jones1:18:14	
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TO REPORT RACE RESULTS, PLEASE USE THE RACE REPORTING TOOL ON THE GRAND PRIX PAGE AT WWW.LAFRONTRUNNERS.COM



Bruce Bair in the 10K



Jeff Lymburner was 1st 55-59 in the 10K



New LAFR Rand Smith ran both the 5K and 10K

<u>Ultra: 5K & 10K</u>	
Eric Alvarez52:55	2 nd OA
	1 st 40-49
Mike Kerkman 57:51	3 rd OA
	1 st 30-39
Bill Sadler 58:01	2 nd 30-39
Moises Medina58:15	2 nd 40-49
John McGuinness1:04:04	3 rd 40-49
Duane Howard1:04:36	
Marcelino Goncalves1:06:39	
Barry Hamaguchi1:07:39	
David Gonzalez1:09:29	
Bill Austin1:10:12	
David Dassey1:10:15	1 st 60+
Raul Borja1:12:56	
Martin Carlson1:14:26	
Kent Hamilton 1:15:57	
Rand Smith1:19:46	
Bordeaux Martin1:20:38	
John Miles1:22:11	
Michael Carbuto1:22:33	2 nd 60+
Bill Winkelmann1:25:25	3 rd 60+
Juan Moreno1:38:15	
David Grudzien1:38:16	
Jason Coleman1:46:16	
Christopher Tapper 1:46:42	

New LAFR Darwin Marenco ran the 10K



New LAFR Mario Mota was 3rd 50-54 in the 10K

PRIDE RUN RESULTS

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Mark Grumet = John McGuiness & Doug Jones = Amy Ross David Grudzien = Allan Weiss = Allyne Winderman Mike Carbuto & Chris Tapper = Michael Carter Katrina Klaasmeyer = Jim Martinez = John Kawaharada

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Notes from the Back of the Pack

By Bill Walsky

Summer is almost here; are you ready to race? Your fellow Frontrunners are and they agreed to share some of their favorite events. Have a peek and see if



something grabs your interest or intrigues you enough to explore new territory.

- David D Mayor's Midnight Sun Marathon, Anchorage because it's run at the summer solstice on a beautiful course of bike paths and trails. San Francisco Marathon - because it's San Francisco-do you need another excuse to go? AFC Half Marathon, San Diego - because it runs along the coast and finishes in Balboa Park.
- Margie G The Fontana Half-because for a few miles I can pretend that I'm fast. The LA Pride 5k/10k-because I get to see so many people that I love.
- Bernie T San Francisco Marathon...a good excuse to visit San Francisco, running on the Golden Gate Bridge, through Golden Gate Park and Haight Ashbury
- WTF San Diego Pride...Flat and fast, the race is just before the parade so the entire route is lined with cheering spectators.

- Sean O Mt. Disappointment 25k/50k...Rugged, difficult, hot and beautiful.
- Angus K Santa Rosa Marathon...Beautiful course, great weather, well organized race, perfect end to the summer.
- Amy R Our Pride Run...because it's the race that got me started in Frontrunners nearly 35 years ago.
- Deo J San Francisco Marathon...running across the Golden Gate Bridge.
- Bill A For several years in the 80's the Cypress 5k/10k was a popular club race because they gave medals ten deep in each age category but also because of the small town atmosphere. The race started and finished at an elementary school adjacent to City Hall and after there was a country fair. A trip back to the race last summer was much the same, only our times were much slower.
- Wink AFC...My first half marathon, 1:30, and I could have done better. Oh those were the days. The Cypress 5k/10k are still fun to do. Flat and fast... multiple awards 8-10 deep used to be a treat.
- Me Cypress gets my vote because it is flat & fast... the last 1.5 miles of each race is a straight shot to the finish line. And don't let me forget the great ice pops after you finish...delicious.

Interesting that most of the races mentioned are outside of Los Angeles...Frontrunners must like their road trips. Thanks to everyone who took the time to share their wisdom. Now go out and explore.

Race	Date	Website	City	Code
Foothill 5K Challenge	7/29/15	http://la.backonmyfeet.org/5kchallenge	Glendale	CHALLENGEME
San Diego Beer Run	08/29/15	www.beerrunsd.com	San Diego	RACESHED 20
LA Dodgers 5K/10K	09/13/15	http://dodgers.race-mlb.com	LA	Race Shed
Revel Canyon City Marathon	11/07/15	www.runrevel.com	Azusa	
Santa Clarita Half and Full	11/08/15	http://scmarathon.org	Santa Clarita	RETURNING
Seaside Half	02/21/16	www.seasidehalf.com	Ventura	Seaside16
Ojai Half	04/26/16	www.ojaihalfmarathon.com	Ojai	Ojai61

Discount Diva and Frugal Frontrunner

Race	Race Date	Website	City
Summer Fun	07/11/15	http://www.abetterworldrunning.com	Van Nuys
Shoreline Half	07/12/15	http://www.shorelinehalf.com	Ventura
Summer Spectacular	07/19/15	http://www.abetterworldrunning.com/	Santa Monica
Summer Showdown	08/01/15	http://www.abetterworldrunning.com/	Long Beach
Arroyo Creek Half	08/09/15	http://arroyocreekhalf.com	Simi Valley
Harvest Half	09/20/15	http://www.harvesthalf.com	Camarillo
Surfer's Point Half and full	11/15/15	http://www.surferspointmarathon.com	Ventura

PAWS/LA!

PAWS LA www.pawsla.org

PAWS/LA Volunteer Pet Food delivery on July 18: Mike, Carl, Brett & Moises, Eric & Richard (hiding behind David), David, Mike & Mike. The guys had a great time bringing food and supplies to PAWS/LA clients. We will plan another volunteer delivery day in the coming months.



http://ds66thefrockumentary.com

GSTRIP 66 was more than a nightclub; it was an explosion of creativity, community, and self expression that welcomed everybody to experience its misfit inspired magic. Please take a look at the website, watch the video, and support us on Facebook and Twitter. I hope you'll see that this documentary tells a story, not only of what was, but also what can be. You may already know that DRAGSTRIP 66 was legendary. Now it's time to let the rest of the world know! Thank you for your support.

-Phil Scanlon

5/17 Long Beach Pride Run!



Deo, Carl, Patrick and Rick



Jim, Margie, Richard and Bill







The Gang!



LAFRs Running Everywhere!





Clockwise from top left:

5/27 Jorge, who now lives in NYC, still sports his LAFR uni at the NYC Pride Run

5/27 Joan Miro also proudly showing his LAFR shirt at the NYC Pride Run

5/07 Jowenne Herrera wearing his LAFR jersey to a workout in Toronto

5/23 Margie & Stephanie at the Spring 5K

3/28 Raul nearing the finish line at the Griffith Park Trail Marathon

Jane Dods RaceWalked her first half marathon in Eugene

Photos on the left show Bill A, Angus, Deo, and Bill W at the Mother's Day race.



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A Busy Weekend in April

The weekend of April 18-19 turned out to be full of events. Four different races saw LAFR representation. Leona Divide 50K/50M on 4/18 was rated R for ruggedness, Bare Burro on 4/19 rated X for nudity, Boston on 4/20 rated T for tradition, and Victory for Victim on 4/19 rated H for hominess.



Left: Deo and Raul ran the marathon at Leona Divide.

Sean, Danny, and John ran the 50 miler. They were cheered on by William, Yumi, Allen, and fellow racer Raul.

As tradition, a large group pigged out at Outback Steakhouse afterwards.





The top and bottom pictures of naked people are from the Bare Burro 5K. The top shows the excellent turn-out and the bottom shows the medal winners.

Top right: Moises, Eric, and Mark ran Boston (2:59, 2:44, 3:02 respectively) Bottom right: Karen, Bill A, and Margie ran Victory for Victims.







Race Results

Bandit 50K Simi Valley, CA 2/15

Orange Curtain 50K Cerritos, CA 2/28 Deo Jaravata......6:27:31 RW

Coaster Run 5K Knotts Berry Farm, CA 3/8

Jason Coleman......38:21

Heart of the City 5K Los Angeles, CA 3/28 Jason Coleman......34:31

Old Goats

50K

50 Mile

LA, CA 3/28

10K

Half

Lake Elsinore, CA 3/21

Sean O'Brien......5:54:25 1st OA

Jim Sullivan...... 10:33:04

Raul Borja.....2:03:12

Hollywood, CA 4/11

Oriflamme 50K Julien, CA 4/11

Walnut, CA 4/12

Encino, CA 4/19

Deo Jaravata

Danny O'Hara...... 6:41:04 2nd 40-44

Griffith Park Trail Half (Grand Prix)

Angus Kennedy......1:54:02 1st 45-49

Hollywood Half (Grand Prix)

Karen Carey..... 1:12:51 PR

Danny O'Hara......5:34:03 3rd 40-44

Mt SAC Relays RaceWalk Track

Victory 4 Victims 5K (Grand Prix)

Jason Coleman......2:32:05

5K......34:46

Bill Austin..... 22:13

Karen Carey...... 32:05

Margie Gonzales..... 39:14

Tomoka Half Ormond Beach, FL 3/29

David Grudzien.....2:18:52

Derby Day 5K Santa Anita, CA 4/4

Bill Austin.....22:38 Bill Winkelmann......27:38

NYRR Scotland Run 10K New York, NY 4/4 David Grudzien......61:07

Palmetto Half Columbia, SC 4/11 David Grudzien......2:26:37

RnR Raleigh Half Raleigh, NC 4/12 David Grudzien......2:29:48

Beach Bash 5K Santa Monica, CA 4/18

Jason Coleman......34:31

ATC Singleton 5K Norcross, GA 4/18 David Grudzien......44:21

Coastal Run 5K Playa del Rey, CA 4/18 Jason Coleman......33:14



1st 50-54

Angus Kennedy and Raul Borja after running the Griffith Park Trail Half Marathon. Mark Johnson and David Dassey were there to cheer.

Leona Divide (Grand Prix) Lake Hughes, CA 4/18

50K Raul Borja.....6:48:20

Deo Jaravata......6:51:41

50 Mile

Sean O'Brien...... 9:27:37 1st 50-54 Danny O'Hara.....10:06:09 John Kawaharada....11:50:12

Bare Burro 5K (Grand Prix)

Colton, CA 4/20

Mike Kerkman23:01	3 rd OA 1 st 30-39
Mike Heredia23:04	2 nd 30-39
William Fang24:34	3 rd 30-39
Danny O'Hara 26:15	1 st 40-49
Carl Maravilla26:30	3 rd 50-59
Duane Howard 27:37	
Jeff Lymburner 27:48	
Jeff Bennett 28:06	
Kent Hamilton29:37	3 rd 40-49
Mong Noiboonsook32:26	
Mike Carbuto32:31	2 nd 60-69
Bill Winkelmann 35:44	
Rich Crook	
Robb Briggs36:40	
Jim Martinez37:51	
Christopher Tapper 38:33	
David Grudzien39:16	
Drew Brabb40:33	
Jason Coleman 47:58	
Lost Boys 50 Mile	
Borrego Springs CA 4/25	

Borrego Springs, CA 4/25 Danny O'Hara.....11:15:14

1st 50-54

1st 50-54

2nd 55-59

Race Results

Boston Marathon

Eric Alvarez..... 2:44:02 PR

Moises Medina......2:59:11

Mark Johnson......3:02:58

North Hollywood, CA 4/18

Independence Series

LA River Fun Run 5K

Bill Austin...... 22:36

Bill Winkelmann......26:34

Allyne Winderman..26:43

Deo Jaravata......45:00

Carl Maravilla......56:04

Raul Borja.....65:30

Mike Carbuto......68:02

Eugene Half Marathon

Glendale, CA 5/4

Eugene, OR 5/10

Half Marathon, 5 Days, 4/29-5/3

4/29: Elkton, MD.....2:34:10 1st 55-59

4/30: Bear, DE..... 2:42:32 1st 55-59

5/1: Birsdboro, PA.. 3:08:56 2nd 55-59

5/2: Clinton, NJ.....2:13:35 2nd 55-59

5/3: New Paltz, NY.. 2:36:03 3rd 55-59

Verdugo Mtns. 10K (Grand Prix)

Boston, MA 4/21

Innovation 5K

David Grudzien

LA, CA 5/3

Sunset Strip Half WeHo, CA 4/19

Deo Jaravata......1:59:43

Conquer Our Run 5K Playa del Rey, CA 4/25 Jason Coleman......34:16

Kids 4 Kids 5K Los Angeles, CA 4/26

Jason Coleman......35:47

San Luis Obispo Half SLO, CA 4/26 David Dassey.....1:48:41

Ojai Half Ojai, CA 4/26

Deo Jaravata.....1:50:13

NYRR Run as One 4 Mile New York, NY 4/26

David Grudzien......36:32

Miwok 100K Stinson Beach, CA 5/2

Sean O'Brien......12:43:16 John Kawaharada....14:02:00

Orange County Half Costa Mesa, CA 5/3

William Fang......1:27:11 Jason Coleman.....2:38:44 Bill Walsky......3:18:08 RW

Oh, Boy! Half Waterbury, CT 5/4 David Grudzien......2:41:47

Mother's Marathon Huntington Beach, CA 5/9

Deo Jaravata......4:01:33

Running w/ Cows 1/2 Bucyrus, KS 5/9

David Grudzien......2:20:22

Wine Country Half Santa Ynez, CA 5/9

David Gonzalez.....1:40:19



1st 55-59

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1st 60-64

1st 60-64

1st 55-59

Mark Johnson. Eric Alvarez & Moises Medina after running the Boston Marathon in April

Mother's Day (Grand Prix) Van Nuys, CA 5/10 5K Bill Austin...... 22:10 1st OA 1st 55-59 2nd 40-44 15K Angus Kennedy......69:10 1st OA 1st 45-49 Bill Winkelmann..... 1:26:56 1st 60-64 Full

Freedom Run

West Hills, CA 5/16

5K

Jason Coleman......30:55 Margie Gonzales..... 35:17

10K Jason Coleman......1:16:31 2nd 35-39

3rd 35-39

3rd 60-64

Spring Break 5K

Santa Monica, CA 5/23

Margie Gonzales......38:34 1st 60-64

Nanny Goat 12 Hour Riverside, CA 5/23

Deo Jaravata......64 Miles 1st OA

1st 50-54 Mtns. to Beach Half (Grand Prix) Ventura, CA 5/25

Raul Borja.....1:45:05

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Jane Dods......3:15:00 1st 75-79/RW

Race Results

Helsinki City Half Helsinki, Finland 5/16 David Grudzien......2:25:04

COR Heroes Memory 5K Playa del Rey, CA 5/23 Jason Coleman......32:56

Avacado Half Fallbrook, CA 5/23

David Grudzien......2:24:09

Memorial Day Half Laguna Hills, CA 5/25 David Grudzien......2:19:55

UAE Healthy Kidney 10K New York, NY 5/30 David Grudzien......1:09:04

Volition America 5K Chicago, IL 6/6 Jason Coleman......34:41

NYRR Retro 4 Miler New York, NY 6/7 David Grudzien.......35:23

RnR Seattle Half Seattle, WA 6/13

David Grudzien......2:29:02

COR Dad's Rule 5K Playa del Rey, CA 6/13 Jason Coleman......35:24

SD County Fair 5K Del Mar, CA 6/20

Jason Coleman......33:15

Atlanta FR Pride 5K Atlanta, GA 6/20 David Grudzien.......31:18

NYFR Pride 5 Miler New York, NY 6/27

David Grudzien......49:31

La Palma 5K (Grand Prix) La Palma, CA 7/4

Bill Walsky......45:53 RW



The LAFR gang at breakfast on Sunday, July 5, with visiting FRs from Scotland

Shoreline FR Pride (Grand Prix) Long Beach, CA 5/17 <u>5K</u> Eric Alvarez......17:02 1st OA

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	1 st 45-49
Carlos Vizcarra 17:41	3 rd OA
	1 st 40-44
Bill Austin 22:23	1 st 55-59
Richard Nelson 25:44	1 st 65-69
Mong Noiboonsook26:03	2 nd 50-54
Jim Martinez 28:34	1 st 60-64
Christopher Tapper 32:45	3 rd 45-49
Jason Coleman33:15	
Margie Gonzales39:54	2 nd 60-64
Bill Walsky44:59	2 nd 60-64/
<u>10K</u>	
Moises Medina39:03	2 nd OA
	1 st 45-49
Carl Maravilla41:41	1 st 55-59
Duane Howard41:56	1 st 30-34
John McGuinness42:18	1 st 40-44
Rick Allison46:13	1 st 50-54/I
David Dassey46:39	1 st 60-64
Patrick Owen46:39	2 nd 55-59
Deo Jaravata50:33	3 rd 45-49
Richard Peng51:30	2 nd 40-44
Bill Winkelmann53:42	2 nd 60-64
Mike Carbuto53:55	3 rd 60-64
Brian Dunbar56:02	

Whistler Half Vancouver, Canada 6/6 Mike Kerkman..... 1:27:54 1st 35-39

Wrigley River Run Long Beach, CA 6/6

<u>5K</u>		
Bill Austin	21:38	1 st 55-59
Mike Carbuto	26:33	3 rd 60-64
Bill Walsky	44:59	RW
<u>10K</u>		
Mong Noiboonsoo	ok52:19	
Mike Carbuto	53:48	

Father's Celebration 5K

Long Beach, CA 6/20

Margie Gonzales..... 38:36 1st 60-64

/RW Father's Day (Grand Prix)

Van Nuys, CA 6/21

<u>5K</u>		
Bill Austin	.21:50	2 nd OA
		1 st 55-59
Karen Carey	.31:27	3 rd 40-44

/PR <u>15K</u>

Bill Winkelmann..... 1:26:23 1st 60-64

Half Jason Coleman...... 3:16:01

Will Rogers (Grand Prix)

Pacific Palisades, CA 7/4

<u>5K</u>

<u>5K</u>		
Reg Willson	21:32	3 rd 55-59
Richard Nelson	25:37	1 st 65-69
<u>10K</u>		
John McGuinness	43:11	
Scott Lasker	.49:07	
Mike Carbuto	.56:00	
Doug Jones	.1:27:29	

Grand Prix Series Standings as of 7/21 CHAMPIONS RACE AGE GROUP MEN AGE GROUP WO

The Champions Race determines overall male and female Grand Prix champions. Points are calculated using the WAVA Age-Graded tables (see website for more info).

	vision	Races	Average	
	ALE .			
1.		5	86.59	
2.		3	82.26	
3.		4	81.73	
	Moises Medina	5	77.01	
5.		4	72.64	
6.	Bill Austin	3	71.09	
7.	Bruce Bair	1	70.50	
8.	Bill Sadler	2	69.04	
9.	Jojo Herrera	1	68.92	
10.	Tom Haskins	1	68.80	
FE	MALE			
1.	Allyne Winderman	2	73.87	
2.			61.38	
3.		1	57.53	
4.		2	52.64	
5.	0	3	47.20	
6.	,	1	44.26	
7.	Regina Robinson	1	28.20	
	CEWALK			
1.		1	87.41	
2.	Lee Lightfoot	1	61.50	
2. 3.		6	60.38	
3. 4.	Juan Moreno	2	57.13	
ч. 5.	Connie Hammen	1	56.95	
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7. 8.		1	43.44	
о. 9.	Keeley Webster Cat White	1		
9.		I	42.76	

AGE GROUP MEN

Division Races Points Male 20-29						
	Jon Alami	1	145			
	Anthony Yeung	1	135			
		•	100			
Ма	ile 30-34					
1.	David Gonzalez	6	605			
2.	Duane Howard	5	465			
3.	Bill Sadler	3	355			
4.	Mike Heredia	2	260			
5.	Piyush Prakash	1	115			
Male 35-39						
1.	Barry Hamaguchi	6	715			
2.	Raul Borja	6	705			
3.	Jason Coleman	6	670			
4.	Mike Kerkman	4	570			
5.	Bordeaux Martin	3	240			
	William Fang	2	240			

AGE GROUP MEN				
		Races	Points	
1. 2. 3. 4.	le 40-44 Danny O'Hara John McGuinness Richard Peng Carlos Vizcarra Mike Smith	6 5 4 3 1	795 590 430 400 115	
Ма	le 45-49			
2. 3.	Eric Alvarez Moises Medina Deo Jaravata Angus Kennedy Marcelino Goncalve	6 6 5 s 4	905 735 710 590 395	
Ма	le 50-54			
2. 3. 4.	Juan Moreno John Miles Sean O'Brien Lui Sanchez Brian Dunbar Scott Lasker	4 3 2 2 3 2	370 290 290 240 225 225	
	le 55-59			
2. 3. 4.	Bill Austin Carl Maravilla Reg Willson David Grudzien Rand Smith	6 4 3 4 3	800 500 380 300 260	
	le 60+			
1. 3. 4. 5.	Bill Winkelmann Mike Carbuto David Dassey Jim Martinez Richard Nelson	6 6 4 5 3	710 710 500 430 355	

Below: Connie Hammen, Keeley Webster & Cat White at the Pride Run

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Division	Races	Points

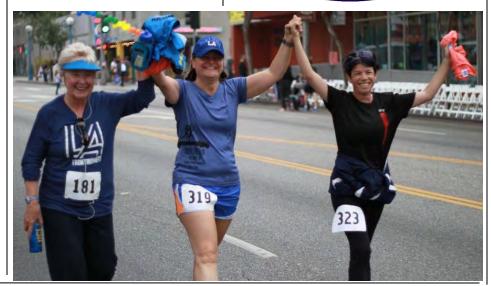
	lsion	Races	Points		
Fe	Female 40-49				
1.	Karen Carey	5	615		
2.	Bernadette Greene	1	135		
3.	Hazel Garganera	1	125		
4.	Regina Robinson	1	100		
5.	Cat White	1	90		
Fe	male 60+				
	male 60+ Margie Gonzales	4	475		
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1. 2. 3.	Margie Gonzales Allyne Winderman	1	145		
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TRAIL MASTER

The Trail Master Race is a combination points & age-graded accrual competition that determines the club Trail Running Champion. Runners are are ranked by <u>average score</u> until Sept. when runners with most races will be ranked first.

Athlete		Races	Average
1.	Jonathan Toker	2	116.28
2.	Mike Kerkman	1	112.61
3.	Bernie Tan	1	100.98
4.	Sean O'Brien	5	99.75
5.	Angus Kennedy	2	97.54
6.	Jojo Herrera	1	93.92
7.	Richard Peng	1	87.55
8.	Carl Maravilla	2	87.52
9.	Jim Sullivan	1	87.06
10	. Mike Heredia	1	86.58





GRAND PRIX STANDINGS

LOS ANGELES FRONTRUNNERS

JULY 2015

5K Challenge Standings as of 7/21

<u>MOST</u> Jason Coleman	
Jason Coleman	
	24
	14
	8
Bill Winkelmann	7
David Grudzien	7
Karen Carey	6
Jim Martinez	5
Bill Walsky	4
Danny O'Hara	3
Mike Carbuto	3 3 3 2
Christopher Tapper	3
13 LAFRs	2
38 LAFRs	1
Biggest PR	
Lui Sanchez	
LA Mar. 5K, LAFR 5K	1:37
Allyne Winderman	
LA River 5K	1:28
Marcelino Goncalves	
LAFR 5K	:52
Danny O'Hara	
LAFR 5K	:38
	:20
	:18
	:12
	Bill Austin Margie Gonzales Bill Winkelmann David Grudzien Karen Carey Jim Martinez Bill Walsky Danny O'Hara Mike Carbuto Christopher Tapper 13 LAFRs 38 LAFRs 38 LAFRs Biggest PR Lui Sanchez LA Mar. 5K, LAFR 5K Allyne Winderman LA River 5K Marcelino Goncalves LAFR 5K Danny O'Hara

Rank	Fastest Male	
1	Eric Alvarez	
	LAFR 5K	16:50
2	Carlos Vizcarra	
	LB Pride 5K	17:41
3	Mike Kerkman	
	LAFR 5K	18:24
4	Moises Medina	
	LAFR 5K	18:37
5	Danny O'Hara	
	LAFR 5K	18:38
6	Bill Sadler	
	LAFR 5K	19:08
7	Duane Howard	
	LAFR 5K	20:03
8	Carl Maravilla	
	LAFR 5K	20:27
9	John McGuinness	
	LAFR 5K	20:30
10	Barry Hamaguchi	
	LAFR 5K	21:14

Biggest PR: Like our other grand prix categories, the PR you're trying to best for the 5K Challenge is a 5-year PR (your fastest 5K from 2010-2014). This is cumulative for the entire year – so, for example, if you set a new PR in January by 2 minutes and then break the new PR by 3 minutes in May, your total is 5 minutes.

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		LA Big 5K	57:26
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5K Challenge fastest female Allyne Winderman





10th for the fastest males

Margie Gonzales sits in 3rd place for most 5Ks with 8

GRAND PRIX STANDINGS



Upcoming Events

Grand Prix Races

Full schedule @ www.lafrontrunners.com



Sunday 7/26 in San Francisco San Francisco Marathon Half and Full Marathon http://www.thesfmarathon.com

Saturday 8/1 Starting in Wrightwood Angeles Crest 100 Mile Ending in Alta Dena <u>www.ac100.com</u>

Early August in Stockholm Euro Games! Tons of activities to choose from www.eurogamesstockholm.com

Saturday 8/15 in Long Beach Summer Sizzle 5K/10K/Half/Full www.abetterworldrunning.com

Saturday 8/22 Malibu Creek State Park Bulldog 25K/50K www.trailrunevents.com

Sunday 8/23 in Santa Rosa Santa Rosa Marathon 5K/Half/Full www.thesantarosamarathon.com



BTW, a group of 20+ is planning on doing the Santa Rosa Marathon. Google it and check it out!

3rd Annual Pool Party!



Saturday, August 15, 2015, 1-6PM at the beautiful home of Eric Fischer and Richard West

Save the date for the annual LAFR Pool Party! We've always had tons of fun at this event. Keep your eye out for emails with details and a RSVP links as August approaches. With a month to go, you can still work on your abs. Or just come as you are, since we love you that way.

Save the Date! Catalina Eco-Marathon Trip November 20-22 Half Marathon Added!



After a year off, we are headed back to Catalina for the Catalina Eco-Marathon weekend. The good news is they added a half marathon to the event. So, if the marathon is too daunting and the 10K is not reason enough to make the journey, sign up for the half! We have three houses already rented for the weekend with space for 20 or so. Details on reserving space in the houses to come.

Running on the Trails





Clockwise from top: 5/24 The 3 trainees of the AC-100, Danny, Sean, John flanked by their pacers Mark and William

4/5 Can you tell who is in the field of gold in Serra Meadow near Malibu?

5/24 Taking it easy at Chilao, the mid-point of the AC-100

5/10 Duane and John running up to Mt Hollywood.

4/12 Arlington and his trusted human companion in the San Gabriel Mountains

5/23 Running along the 5-Fwy.







It All Happens in Griffith Park







If one spot represents LAFR, one could argue it must be Griffith Park, where our members gather frequently.

Clockwise from top left: 5/23 A good turnout of humans and dogs on the Saturday run during Memorial day weekend.

5/10 Sunday long run from GP

5/19 Tuesday evening run back in GP

5/02 Ruby enjoying multiple tummy rubs by Norman, Dan, and Brian on the grassy knoll of GP



Eating, a Side-Benefit to Running



Clockwise from top: 6/30 Henry and Mark at Z Pizza after the run

6/27 John with liquid lunch and Danny with onigiri at North Rim

7/15 Zack and Duane after Weds. night track

5/12 Alcove after the run

5/05 After the run, more Z Pizza







Focus on Trails: Grand Canyon R2R2R

Over the June 27 weekend, 4 LAFRs (John, Danny, William, and Sean) and friend Mark decided to run/hike rim-to-rim-to-rim (R2R2R). The 5 runners started from the South Rim, descending the South Kaibab trail at 4:30 AM. The sun was not quite up as the runners ran down 6.4 miles, dropping nearly 4000 ft to the Black Bridge.

The group wrapped up the first leg at Phantom Ranch at around 7:30AM. After a short water break, they continued on the next 6.5 miles on relatively flat North Kaibab trail from the "Box" to Cottonwood Camp. Temperature was getting into the high 70s to low 80s. At Cottonwood Camp was where Mark was scheduled to take it easy.

The next 7 miles was a climb of 4000 ft up to the North Rim. After Roaring Spring, the North Kaibab is basically a trail etched into the canyon rocks. The 2 or so miles in this section was ruggedly



Near the Supai tunnel on the North Rim.



Group selfie at the Silver Bridge, before ascending Bright Angel trail, the final leg of R2R2R for the group..

The remaining 6 miles back to Phantom Ranch was surprisingly hard, despite a gentle terrain, as the temperature climbed into 115F. Water became uncomfortably warm for drinking. Fortunately everyone made it back by 4PM, meeting up with Mark. The group then enjoyed the best steak dinner ever (at \$50/person!) then embarked on the final leg at 6PM. As the group reached Indian Garden at 8PM, about midpoint of the Bright Angel Trail, the sun set and darkness began to descend.

The last 4.5 miles were run in darkness, sometime utterly so. But as the heat relented and the end was within sight, spirits remained high. By 10PM, every reached South Rim for a joyous ending. R2R2R was spectacular. But one advice: Don't go in the summer!

beautiful, but low on water. The steep canyon provided some shade, but the strong summer noon sun was quite punishing. About a mile from the top, the landscape became gentler as the group entered alpine territories. The group finally reached North Rim at around noon.

After a break pigging out on GU and John's famous onigiri, the group began their return trip. Conditions were relatively favorable until Manazanita Spring, where the group ran into a somewhat disoriented young hiker from Korea separated from his group, who also seemed under prepared. We reported this to a park ranger later, who said no distress call was made. It was 2PM and getting hot.



Danny with his "I can do this" face on South Kaibab at the junction with Tonto Trail.

07/05/15

Los Angeles Frontrunners Profit and Loss Standard July 2015

	Jul '15	Jun '15	Jan – Jul '15
Ordinary Income/Expense Income			
Other Types of Income Miscellaneous Revenue Other Types of Income – O	0.00 0.00	0.00 0.00	1,830.44 5,412.98
Total Other Types of Income	0.00	0.00	7,243.42
Program Income Membership Dues Race Registrations	67.65 0.00	996.09 11,148.37	4,181.47 13,538.37
Total Program Income	67.65	12,144.46	17,719.84
Total Income	67.65	12,144.46	24,963.26
Expense Awards and Grants Business Expenses	0.00	969.01	7,579.73
Business Registration Fees	0.00	400.00	400.00
Total Business Expenses	0.00	400.00	400.00
Facilities and Equipment Equip Rental and Maintena Race Equipment Rent, Parking, Utilities	0.00 2,224.00 0.00	0.00 1,453.26 217.00	22.50 3,677.26 1,085.00
Total Facilities and Equipme	2,224.00	1,670.26	4,784.76
Licenses & Permits Operations	0.00	0.00	120.00
Bank Fees Food & Supplies Supplies Website	0.00 0.00 0.00 159.24	16.00 384.18 0.00 55.85	71.00 4,755.85 1,779.27 850.73
Total Operations	159.24	456.03	7,456.85
Other Types of Expenses Insurance - Liability, D and	0.00	0.00	1,212.85
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Total Expense	2,383.24	3,495.30	21,554.19
Net Ordinary Income	-2,315.59	8,649.16	3,409.07
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