

Results from the 2nd Biennial

MAY MADNESS

MEDLEY MATCH RACE TOURNAMENT

May 30-31, 1985

A total of 27 runners showed up for this year's May Madness tournament. Only 6 women competed, which was not enough to constitute a separate Women's Division. Therefore, by unanimous consensus, the Women's Division was combined with the Senior Division. Bill Mandeville won the combined Women & Seniors Division championship, and Bill Read defeated defending champion Len Efron to take the Open Division.

Awards were won by the following runners:

| | OPEN DIVISION | WOMEN & SENIORS DIVISION |
|---------------------|------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|
| Tournament Champion | - Bill Read | - Bill Mandeville |
| Runnerup | - Len Efron | - Don Gray |
| Double Winners | - David Hansen - Ed Rinderle - Mark Ryne | - John Williams - Tom Hedvig - Maureen Quirk |

A complete list of results is attached. A runner's overall tournament standing is based first on number of wins, then on the three-digit number representing his/her 1st, 2nd, 3rd round finish places (lowest numbers are best). Included in the data are each runner's three match assignments, three finish places, three race times (for 1 mile, 1.5 miles, and 1/2 mile), two rest periods between races, and cumulative time for 3 miles (not counting rests). The timing data has no bearing on the tournament standings, but it is included for the runners' general information.

The race data is broken down by runner, rather than by match. However, all of the information is there, if you wish to determine how any individual match turned out. Just locate all the runners with a given match assignment number, and compare their times and places. For example, in Match IV in the 1st round of the Open Division, Bill Read finished 1st with a time of 6:02, Bill Mogensen was 2nd at 6:45, and Jack James and John Williams both placed 3rd with times of 6:51 and 7:05, respectively. (This was one of the matches in which last place and next-to-last place were equivalent.)

In the two divisions, there were a total of 33 separate matches, with 21 different runners experiencing the "thrill of victory" at least once. The six non-winners missed out by scant margins ranging from 5 seconds to 33 seconds.

Eight of the 33 matches were decided by 10 seconds or less. Mark Ryne earned his Open Division medal with a 5-second final-round victory over John Williams. In the same round, Jack James nipped Bruce Fischer by 6 seconds. In the Women & Seniors Division, Jim Chilton took a valiant 1st-round run at eventual champion Bill Mandeville, but finished 9 seconds behind. Kathy Bakshy was the only female 1st-round winner, edging Dick Horn by 6 seconds. The 2nd-round matches were especially exciting. Cindy Murga beat Dick Horn by 5 seconds, Ted Meyer finished 9 seconds ahead of Phil Salomon, and Tom Hedvig and Maureen Quirk won key matches on the way to earning their "double winner" medals. Tom defeated Jim Chilton by 5 seconds, and Maureen pulled away from Barbara Basta to win by 10 seconds.

The published results were made possible by the crew of volunteers who recorded finish times and places, and calculated match assignments. Thanks to Ed Rinderle, Elaine Hemenway, Joe Ferrall, Sam Dolinar, Meg James, Bruce Fischer, Duncan McCornock, Rich Benson, Kathy O'Hara, George Borrelli, Dick Horn, Ernie Murga, Jack James, Cindy Murga, Roger Carlson, Barbara Basta, Mark Gatti, Bill Read, Dave Hansen, and especially to our friends from the Radio Club, Bruce Beaudry and Stan Brokl.

1985 MAY MADNESS MEDLEY MATCH RACE TOURNAMENT Results

| WOMEN & SENIORS DIVISION | | Finishes by Rounds | | | Matches by Rounds | | | T I M E S | | | | | |
|-----------------------------|------|--------------------------|-----|-----|-------------------------|-----|-----|-----------|------|--------|------|--------|---------|
| Name | Wins | 1st | 2nd | 3rd | 1st | 2nd | 3rd | 1 mile | Rest | 1.5 mi | Rest | 1/2 mi | 3 miles |
| Bill Mandeville | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | II | 1A | 11 | 7:20 | 1:26 | 9:40 | 3:50 | 2:41 | 19:41 |
| Don Gray | 2 | 1 | 1 | 2 | IV | 1B | 11 | 7:29 | 1:11 | 10:48 | 0:48 | 3:00 | 21:17 |
| John Williams | 2 | 1 | 2 | 1 | I | 1A | 12 | 7:01 | 2:45 | 9:53 | 4:32 | 3:03 | 19:57 |
| Tom Hedvig | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | I | 2A | 21 | 7:34 | 2:42 | 10:45 | 3:53 | 3:17 | 21:36 |
| Maureen Guirk | 2 | 3 | 1 | 1 | II | 3A | 31 | 8:16 | 1:34 | 11:03 | 4:35 | 3:16 | 22:35 |
| Kathy Bakshy | 1 | 1 | 2 | 2 | III | 1B | 12 | 7:52 | 1:48 | 11:13 | 1:18 | 3:43 | 22:48 |
| Cindy Murga | 1 | 2 | 1 | 2 | IV | 2B | 21 | 7:50 | 2:00 | 11:18 | 0:46 | 4:10 | 23:18 |
| Jim Chilton | 1 | 2 | 2 | 1 | II | 2A | 22 | 7:29 | 1:47 | 10:50 | 4:31 | 3:27 | 21:46 |
| Ted Meyer | 1 | 3 | 1 | 2 | III | 3B | 31 | 8:27 | 3:13 | 11:40 | 1:08 | 3:52 | 23:59 |
| Barbara Basta | 1 | 3 | 2 | 1 | I | 3A | 32 | 8:01 | 2:49 | 11:13 | 5:28 | 3:05 | 22:19 |
| Kathy O'Hara | 1 | 3 | 3 | 1 | I | 3A | 33 | 8:56 | 1:54 | 12:23 | 5:21 | 4:03 | 25:22 |
| Dick Horn | 0 | 2 | 2 | 2 | III | 2B | 22 | 7:58 | 2:52 | 11:23 | 1:24 | 4:08 | 23:29 |
| Phil Salomon | 0 | 3 | 2 | 2 | IV | 3B | 32 | 8:23 | 2:17 | 11:49 | 2:02 | 3:55 | 24:07 |
| Elaine Hemenway | 0 | 3 | 3 | 2 | IV | 3B | 33 | 10:05 | 0:35 | 14:28 | 0:26 | 4:34 | 29:07 |

| OPEN DIVISION | | Finishes by Rounds | | | Matches by Rounds | | | T I M E S | | | | | |
|------------------|------|--------------------------|-----|-----|-------------------------|-----|-----|-----------|------|--------|------|--------|---------|
| Name | Wins | 1st | 2nd | 3rd | 1st | 2nd | 3rd | 1 mile | Rest | 1.5 mi | Rest | 1/2 mi | 3 miles |
| Bill Read | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | IV | 1B | 11 | 6:02 | 1:47 | 8:45 | 0:36 | 2:10 | 16:57 |
| Len Efron | 2 | 1 | 1 | 2 | II | 1A | 11 | 6:22 | 1:02 | 9:29 | 2:17 | 2:34 | 18:25 |
| David Hansen | 2 | 1 | 2 | 1 | III | 1B | 12 | 6:37 | 2:12 | 10:54 | 1:24 | 2:36 | 20:07 |
| Ed Rinderle | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | II | 2A | 21 | 6:46 | 0:52 | 9:49 | 2:26 | 2:53 | 19:28 |
| Mark Ryne | 2 | 3 | 1 | 1 | I | 3A | 31 | 7:05 | 3:01 | 10:29 | 2:14 | 3:03 | 20:37 |
| Paul Stella | 1 | 1 | 2 | 2 | I | 1A | 12 | 6:30 | 1:54 | 10:21 | 4:22 | 2:54 | 19:45 |
| Booth Hartley | 1 | 2 | 1 | 2 | III | 2B | 21 | 6:57 | 1:30 | 9:55 | 0:31 | 3:13 | 20:05 |
| Jim Bogush | 1 | 2 | 2 | 1 | I | 2A | 22 | 6:47 | 1:51 | 10:53 | 2:35 | 3:09 | 20:49 |
| John Williams | 1 | 3 | 1 | 2 | IV | 3B | 31 | 7:05 | 1:03 | 10:16 | 1:25 | 3:08 | 20:29 |
| Jack James | 1 | 3 | 2 | 1 | IV | 3B | 32 | 6:51 | 1:17 | 10:32 | 1:51 | 3:08 | 20:31 |
| Bill Mogensen | 0 | 2 | 2 | 2 | IV | 2B | 22 | 6:45 | 0:42 | 10:55 | 0:44 | 3:22 | 21:02 |
| Bruce Fischer | 0 | 3 | 2 | 2 | III | 3A | 32 | 7:28 | 0:38 | 10:45 | 2:40 | 3:14 | 21:27 |
| George Borrelli | 0 | 3 | 2 | 3 | II | 3A | 32 | 7:46 | 1:20 | 12:22 | 1:03 | 3:41 | 23:49 |