



# OFF 'N' RUNNING

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JPL Running Club Newsletter

## Two Corporate Challenges Coming Up

Elliot Andrews and Caltech Coach Jim O'Brien are looking for 10K male runners and 5K female runners to participate in the Santa Anita Spring Classic on May 21. Call Jim at (818) 303-6080 or Richard Dissly at Caltech 6447. With help from some of our faster runners in *all* age groups, Caltech/JPL could do very well. All runners are invited to participate.

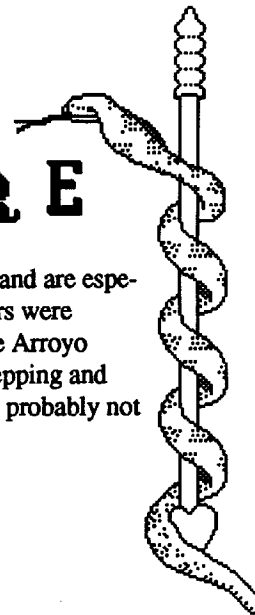
Also coming up is the Manufacturer's Hanover Corporate Challenge. The 3.5-mile regional race, which is run in Griffith Park, has been moved up this year to July 27. Last year our women's team won the regionals and placed 5th in the finals. We can field as many men's, women's, and co-ed team as we want, and everyone is invited to run. However, our best bet this year will probably again be a women's team. Give me a call if you're interested. (And if you're a fast female runner I may also soon be calling you.)

## 1989 Dues

If you haven't yet paid your 1989 dues (and you know who you are), here's another chance for you to do so.

## BEWARE

The snakes are out early this year and are especially grumpy right now. Three rattlers were sighted on three successive days in the Arroyo Seco canyon. Watch where you're stepping and stay off the brushy trails. (El Prieto is probably not a good idea right now.)



## NASA Intercenter Challenge

If you haven't done so already, be sure to submit your 10k and 2-mile times to Bill Read by the end of April. If you missed the club-sponsored 10k on April 19, you can run a 10k on April 29 in Palos Verdes. Call (213) 374-8990. Also, 25 laps on the Caltech track or twice around the Rose Bowl are other options. Check with Bill Read for more information (4-6773).

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\*Membership fee is \$3 per calendar year.

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Send this form with fee to: Valerie Pickett, M/S 264-419  
or JPL, 4800 Oak Grove Drive, Pasadena, CA 91109

## Angeles Forest 5-Mile Cross Country Run Race Report

This is a great race on a great course. Despite poor directorship, the race itself went very smoothly in its second annual running, and is an event with tremendous potential. There are far too few traditional cross-country races in LA, and our own Arroyo Seco is ideally suited for this kind of event. The race benefits the Caltech Child Education Center, and draws plenty of enthusiastic volunteers.

About 125 runners showed up on a cold January morning to run. The race begins in the Arroyo Seco park, runs through the east lot and up the canyon, then finishes at the gates of the Child Education Center on Foothill Blvd. There is one stream crossing. This year, finishers were greeted with a sprinkling of snow. Both the men's and women's runs were competitive, with Art Van Veen winning in 27:05, and our own Mike Blakely winning the masters division in 30:25. Kathy Britcliffe won the women's race (time unknown), with Becky Parker winning the master's division in 40:48. Yours truly ran a 40:17. The tee-shirts were exceptionally nice, the post race refreshments adequate, and the handmade finishers medallions (supplied by the CEC children) a nice touch. Somebody needs to take on the directorship of this race and do a better job of promoting it and putting it on. Sam?????

## 2-Mile Handicap Race Results

	<u>Handicap</u>	<u>Actual</u>
1 Scott Arnold	15.50	14.27
2 Chuck Sarture	16.07	14.50
3 Bill Mandeville	14.00	12.56
4 Ray Jurgens	17.01	16.25
5 Dick Horn	14.48	14.17
6 Sam Dolinar	14.32	14.01
7 Randy Brown	11.29	11.03
8 Bob Ibaven	12.40	12.21
9 Phil Callahan	12.56	12.52
10 Duncan McCormock	12.53	12.51
11 Rene Aguero	11.12	11.12
12 Roy Kakuda	11.31	11.38
13 Ken Erickson	14.26	14.35
14 Ted Ortiz	15.00	14.70
15 Rod Britten	14.22	14.36
16 Steve Stedry	11.49	12.08
17 Len Effron	11.30	11.57
18 Bill Epping	13.33	14.06
19 Bill Mogensen	14.06	14.43
20 Charles Voge	13.06	14.48
21 Ted Clarke	17.25	19.43

## Arroyo Seco Freako Rescheduled

The Arroyo Seco Freako has been rescheduled for May 10. Hopefully it won't be so hot and fewer snakes will be out.

Sam Dolinar  
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