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Great Pumpkin Run Results (See photos on back page)

Better late than never, here are the Great Pumpkin Run results. The race, directed by Nora Collas and myself, had an excellent turnout, and everyone seemed to enjoy themselves. The team of Linfield and Blakely proved unbeatable, though Bill Read flew up and down the canyon and no one came close to catching him on the first leg of the race. Clara Thoms and Elaine Hemenway won the best costume award, with Nora Collas and Dan Carvin taking a close second. It was nice to see some new faces at this event, including Christian Sylvester, a new JPL employee, who has previously represented his native country of Ghana in international track events.

Results, combined time, 1.5 miles (approx.)

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| 1. | Roger Linfield | Mike Blakely | 14:08 |
| 2. | Mark Vincent | Steve Matousek | 15:11 |
| 3. | Dave Hanson | Sam Dolinar | 15:55 |
| 4. | Bill Read | Sue Merrill | 16:05 |
| 5. | Paul Stella | Christian Sylvester | 16:43 |
| 6. | Nora Collas | Dan Carvin | 16:54 |
| 7. | Phil Callahan | Jim Frautnick | 17:47 |
| 8. | Michael Eastwood | Chuck Sarture | 18:43 |
| 9. | Loretta Falcone | Nora Mainland | 19:08 |
| 10. | Lucia Iriks | Yvonne Vigue | 21:56 |
| 11. | Clara Thoms | Elaine Hemenway | 26:42 |

USC Masters Track Club

Bob Strobel, who works down at the JPL Foot-hill facility, has invited all USC students and alumni (and even those who aren't) who are 30 and over to join the USC masters track club. The club is affiliated with the USC Track Team and competes once a year in June against other schools. The club also puts on 5k and other distance runs and acts as boosters for the USC Track Team. For more info, call Bob at 7-7340.

Arroyo Seco Run/Mountainbike 5k/8k

Don't have much news yet, but I heard a rumor that Bill Read blew everyone away at this co-sponsored JPL Running Club/Bicycle Club event. Congratulations, Bill, and congratulations too on your recent (32:10?) 10k PR.



Pumpkins in hand, the first leg of the team prepares to start



Christian Sylvester gets ready to hand off his pumpkin



Elaine Hemenway and Clara Thoms won best costume