



Santa Fe Striders

JANUARY 1981

HAPPY NEW YEAR!

In keeping with our resolution to have Striders' meetings at a regular time and place, we are holding the first meeting of 1981 on Tuesday, January 20th at First Northern Plaza. Please note: Third Tuesday of the month, normally at 8:00 p.m. (Because of the special nature of this meeting, we will begin at 7:00 p.m.)

JERIMIAH ONGWAE, a Kenyan runner who has represented his country in the Olympics, will be our speaker. UNM track and field coach Del Hessel will accompany him. Coach Alire and the Santa Fe High cross country team will be our special guests at the meeting. We urge everyone to be on time, as this program is bound to attract many, both members and outsiders.

BEFOREHAND: We will be taking Jeremiah and Coach Hessel out to dinner at LA TERTULIA. This will be no-host, and reservations must be made by January 18th at the latest. Dinner will begin at 6:00 p.m. If you'd like to join us, call Cecille Spall at 471-6748.

PAY YOUR DUES IF YOU WISH TO KEEP RECEIVING THE NEWSLETTER! At the risk of nagging, we must remind anyone who has not yet done so to pay their \$5.00. Negligence will mean being dropped from the mailing list. To pay up, see Marilyn Davis at the meeting.

CONGRATULATIONS TO THE 1981 OFFICERS:

PRESIDENT: Greg Ohlsen
VICE PRESIDENT: Phil Hunt
SECRETARY: Elaine Pinkerton
TREASURER: Marilyn Davis
MEMBER AT LARGE: Dick Ahrenkiel

STANDING COMMITTEES:
NEWSLETTER: Kenny Goering
PUBLICITY: Jerry Dorbin and Dirk Houtman
PROGRAM CHAIRMAN: Cecille Spall

WE WANT YOUR TIMES: Please, if you run a race or marathon, let us know your finishing time so that we can publish it. Our club has grown so that finding out by hearsay is inadequate. Call Kenny (983-6616) or Elaine (983-9747) and we will see that you are recognized! The same goes for upcoming running events. The only one we know about for now is the

PHOENIX MARATHON on March 1. For more information, contact Pete Fairman, The Phoenix Marathon, c/o Valley Events, Inc., 8131 Buena Terra Way, Scottsdale, Arizona 85253.

WELCOME TO NEW MEMBERS Cliff Rees, Ricardo Russo and Cheryl Alters. Please make it a point to make them feel at home.

FUN RUNS: Starting Sunday, January 25th at 2:00 p.m. and for the following three Sundays, there will be a series of timed fun runs of approximately 3½ miles each. The scenic, hilly route is in Hondo Hills. The fourth run, on February 15th, will be a handicap race with small awards and an entry fee of 50¢. The handicap will be based on an average of at least two of the previous timed runs. Running time is 2:00 p.m.

For further info, call Goerings at 983-6616. Bring your own snacks.

HAPPY RUNNING,

Elaine & Kenny

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