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Press Notes on the Eighth Annual  
SANTA FE RUN-AROUND

*We Give You the Run-Around*

8 a.m., Saturday, June 7, 1986

P.O. Box 1818, Santa Fe, N.M. 87504

PAST WINNERS

A Norwegian, a Frenchman, a South African, and one or two who may have been from Jupiter are among the past winners of the Santa Fe Run-Around ten kilometre road race. One year (1982) four touring members of a British national team happened upon Santa Fe on the morning of the race, jumped in and finished second, fourth, eighth and ninth, or so. They weren't acclimated to the 7,400-foot altitude.

Most of the other men and women who have finished first in this early summer fixture have been from Santa Fe, Los Alamos or Albuquerque. The biggest name among them may have been Lynn Bjorklund, who though from Los Alamos, has been nationally ranked among female road racers in recent years. In 1981, she won the women's division of the Run-Around in 37:38.

Year	Men	Time	Women	Time
1979	Tom Childers (Albuquerque)	31:08	Cathy Ducaj (now Quintana; Santa Fe)	43:14
1980	Gerald Harnett (California)	30:58 *	Odette Bonnet (Albuquerque)	37:34 *
1981	Ben Sandoval (Albuquerque)	33:04	Lynn Bjorklund (Los Alamos)	37:38
1982	Colin Cumming (South Africa)	33:01	Gretchen Bajema (Santa Fe)	41:35
1983	Wesley Smith (Gallup)	32:40	Rita Warren (Univ. of Arizona)	39:14
1984	Erik Vedeler (Santa Fe; native of Norway)	32:45	Cathy Quintana (Santa Fe)	39:33
1985	Deni Ramanich (Marignane, Fra.)	33:42 **	Cathy Quintana	38:42

\* Race (not course) about 150 yards short in 1980

\*\* Suffered few seconds mix-up at turn-around in 1985

!Course Records!

For one innocent reason or another, the Santa Fe Run-Around was run on at least a slightly different course in each of its first seven years. So none of the above performances is considered a 'course record.' 1986 will mark the first year the race has been run on precisely the same course two years in a row.

"One of the hundred best 10K's in t nation..." —RUNNING TIMES, June 1986

-BACKGROUND-

-Continuation-

of press material on the  
Eighth Annual Santa Fe Run-Around

The race will start and finish on the south side of the historic Plaza, end of the Santa Fe Trail. The starting pack will head east up San Francisco Street, toward St. Francis Cathedral, built a hundred years ago by the Archbishop Jean Baptiste Lamy. Thence through Santa Fe's picturesque east side, past thick-walled adobe homes built sixty years ago by the founders of the city's renowned art colony.

Elevation at the start, 6,992 feet; at the high point, where Camino Cruz Blanca runs into Camino Cabra near the entrance to St. John's College, 7,375 feet. At that point, with less than three kilometres to go, the course heads steeply downhill.

There were approximately 500 entrants and exactly 403 finishers in 1979, the race's first year. Between 350 and 400 entrants are expected this year.

PRESS BUS ✓

The bright yellow 'Roadrunner' press bus will act as lead car for the Santa Fe Run-Around. It will seat more than 20 reporters, cameramen or columnists. No advance press reservations are necessary. Newspaper, magazine, radio or TV people wishing to cover the Run-Around from the press bus should be at the Plaza by 7:40 to 7:45 a.m.

The start can be photographed from the back of the bus. It is also possible to arrange to drop off the bus during the race, but reporters or photographers wishing to do so should give the driver enough warning that he can speed up, drop them off, and get going again ahead of the runners.

'Foot' Note

At about the nine-kilometre point of the 1980 Run-Around, the police car leading the runners around the course departed from the accurately measured route and led the pack into the old Santa Fe High football stadium (that year's staging and finish area) by a street which shortened the race an estimated 150 yards. Thus performances of that year (see previous page) are for a distance of less than ten kilometres, and are not equitable for comparison to other years.

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## MILE MARKERS



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The next Strider gathering will be a potluck at Tim Burrell's house June 10th at 7:00 PM. The meeting will follow and will begin at 8:15 PM. His address is 2050 Placita de Vida and is located at the first right south of St. Michaels off of Pacheco. Phone 471-3041.

As of June 4 at 3:00 pm we have 112 registered runners for the Run-Around. No one seems to know whether this is an increase or a decrease but there is speculation that there will be more race day entrants as the difference in early and late registration is only \$2.00. The expense of putting the race on continues to increase. The prime cause is that the city is requiring about \$800.00 for traffic control to be paid in advance. At two hundred runners this is \$4 per runner for police alone. Depending on the turnout for the run we might want to consider moving the race from the plaza and talk about how this might be received by our sponsors.

There will be a second Strider meeting (non-potluck) in June. On June 24th at 7:00 pm Kay Porter will speak. She will speak on motivation and the mental aspects of training for sports. She is an author and has produced tapes on the subject. She normally commands a \$500.00 fee for speaking but is willing to speak to us in exchange for lodging. The meeting will be held at the community room of the Shadow Ridge Apartment complex. To get there go past the Sheraton and The Santa Fe Spa on the frontage road and continue straight. Look for a blue canopy with "Shadow Ridge" written on it. It is the large meeting room behind the pool. Everyone is invited! Call 988-2091 if confused.

### *Notas del presidente*

*Greetings Striders,*

*The Santa Fe Run-Around is fast approaching. Please encourage all your friends and acquaintances to run and support Alpine Sports, The Ore House, Sunwest Bank, and the Santa Fe Striders. If you cannot run contact Jary Weller (983-9762) or Bill Earl (988-9113) to help on race day.*

*The third annual Corrida de los Niños was a great success thanks to the hard work of Dr. David Giles, his secretary Gerry McKinny and the great volunteer help we had. We had 265 entrants and approximately 240 actually ran. A special thanks is also in order to Dede Collins and Jerry Dorbin for their roles in the entertainment of the little ones on race day. It is still difficult to determine who enjoyed the race the most out of those who were involved. The kids, parents, and race workers all agreed it was they who had the best time.*

*Tim*

Sunday (June 8) after the Run-Around there will be a run from Bill Earl's house starting at 7:30 am. The run will be through the mountains and will end at Black Canyon Campground followed by breakfast at the Evergreen Inn. This is a beautiful run on trails and is about 10 miles long. Call Bill at 988-9113 for information regarding cars, course etc.

On June 29 at 8:00 am there will be another run/picnic from Buckman Park (Dump Park) to the river. Bring food, drink, and a blanket or lawn chair. The mileage ranges from nothing to seventeen miles. Call Tim Burrell to help with the logistics.

I would like to solicit information regarding runs, interesting or boring, that you may know of or have run. This is an effort to gather information for the running map. I will try to publish these in the newsletter on a regular basis. You need not know exact information about distances but everything you could include will be appreciated. Send your ideas to 941 Calle Mejia # 1110, Santa Fe, NM 87501 or bring them to the Wednesday night runs.

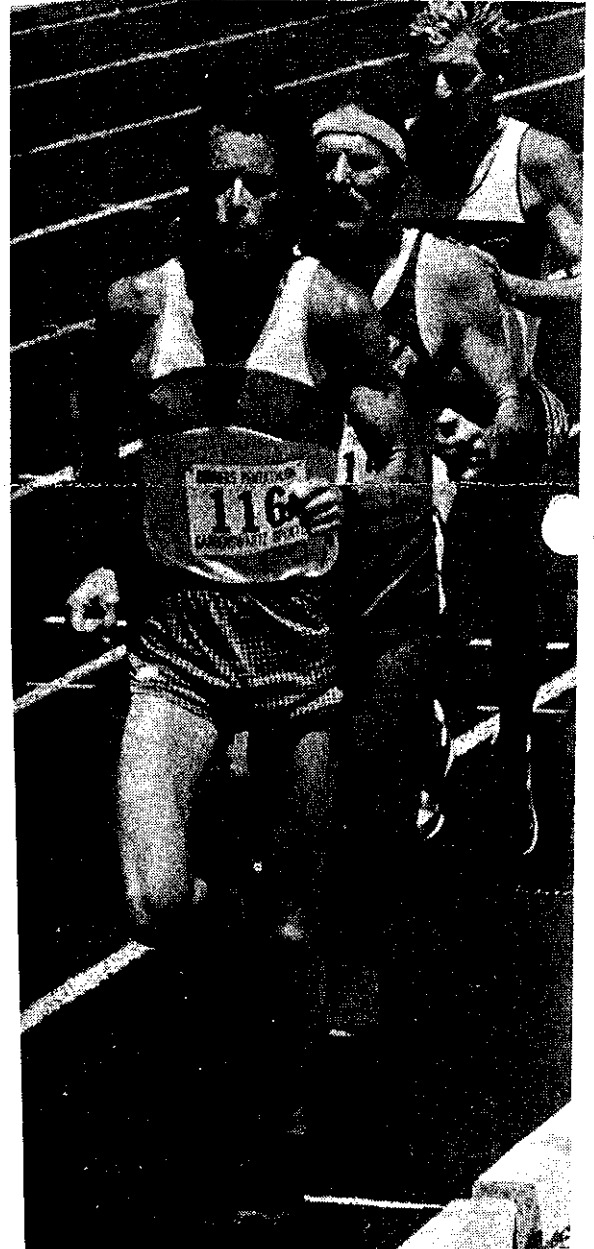


**STRIDER PENTATHLETES**—The Southwest Runners' Pentathlon in Albuquerque drew competitors from five states. All four Strider entrants and one former member placed. Left to right, Bill Forsyth, now of Albuquerque, third in men, 35-39; Kenny Goering, first woman, 50-54; Mary Nichols, first woman masters; Dale Goering, first man, 55-59; and Sean McCormick, second masters man. Mary was first OVERALL woman in the 3,200 meters. See Results page.

**MASTERFUL 3,200 METERS**—Sean McCormick was first masters in the 1,600 and 3,200-meter races at the NM Runners' Pentathlon in Albuquerque, and 2nd, overall, among men 40-44. (See Results column).



**DE AGONY OF DE FEET**—Masterful Mary Nichols snorts oxygen at the finish of the 400-meter sprint in the Runners' Pentathlon. She was first woman Masters (First Mistress?) See Results page.



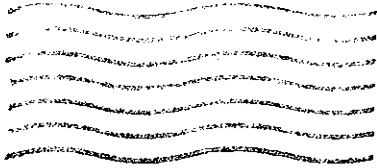
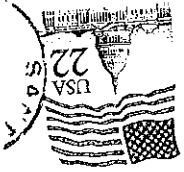
+RECENT RESULTS+

- BANDELIER MARATHON—Bill Harker, 3:35; Graydon Anderson, 3:37.
- MARINE CORPS MUSCULAR DYSTROPHY 10K—Sean McCormick, 3rd overall and 1st man, 40-49, 36 flat; Cathy Quintana, 1st woman, overall, 38:45; Dale Goering, 1st man, 50-59, 39:42; and Dennis Cooper, 40:30.
- PROJECT HEART START 5K—Jerry Dorbin, 23:05.
- CORRIDA de los NIÑOS—Josie Wurst, 1st h.s. girl, 12:39; Margie Wurst, 2nd, 13:12; other club members in grade school 1-mile, Dylan Weller, Este Malnar and Lara Weller.
- ACOMA 10?K—Dale Goering, 37:26, and Kenny Goering, 45:40.
- RUNNERS' PENTATHLON—Sean McCormick was first among all masters in the 3,200 meters (10:55) and the 1,600 (5:12); but second place finishes in the shorter races left him in 2nd place overall among men aged 40-44. He ran the 800 in 2:16:04; 200 in 27.97, and the 400 in 59.09. Dale Goering, 1st man, 55-59, with a 12:08 3,200; 2:39.9 in the 800; 30.65 in the 200; 1:11.2 for the 400, and 6:02, 1,600 meters. Mary Nichols was 1st woman masters with her 12:27 for the 3,200; 2:48.19 800; 33.51 in the 200 meters; 1:15.36, 400; and 6:07 for the 1,600, which is almost exactly a mile. Kenny Goering was first woman, 50-54, with her 14:42 in the 3,200, 3:14 in the 800, 42.58 in the 200, 1:31.05 in the 400 and 7:06.9 for 1,600.
- RUN To The ZOO 1-Mile—Este Malnar, 9:23, p.r. 10K—Dennis Cooper, 40:20; Bill Earl, 42:29; Chuck Merritt, 43:52; Dave Otto, 44:56; Debbie Hathaway, 45:40; Jerry Dorbin, 47:06; Jary Weller, 47:40; and Dave Boyer, 48:46.
- BILL RECINOS 10K (left out of last month's report)—Mike Rivera, 38:21; and Dave Sneesby, 42:20.
- DEVIL'S THRONE (Cerrillos) 15K—Lou Marjon, 4th overall and 2nd, 40-49, 53:48; George Croshaw, 3rd 40-49, 58:30; Ed Heffern, 58:58; Tim Burrell, 3rd 20-29, 1:10:32; Dale Goering, 1st, 50-59, 1:02:13; Dennis Cooper, 1:05:35; Mary Nichols, 3rd woman, overall, and 1st 40-49, 1:05:48; Bill Earl, 1:10:05; Jary Weller, 1:19:58; Greg Ohlsen, 1:19:59; and Debi Wielgusz, 1:22:58. 5K—Dave Giles, 1st man 40-49, 21:43; Chuck Merritt, 2nd 40-49 in his first award-winner ever, 22:38; Jerry Dorbin, 2nd 50-59, 24:45; Kenny Goering, 1st woman, 50-59, 25:54; Maureen Herrick, still recovering from injuries, 2nd woman 20-29, 33:05.7; June Dickinson, just off arthroscopic surgery, 2nd woman, 50-59, 37:57.
- BEARMAN MEMORIAL 5-MILE—Sean McCormick, 12th man overall in 28 flat; Mike Rivera, 29:49; and John Arnold, 40:33.

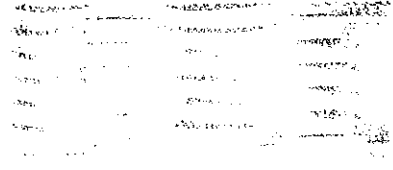
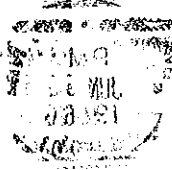
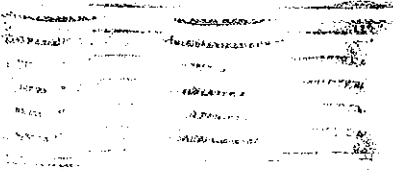
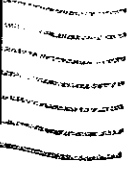
+COMING EVENTS+

- June 7—Our eighth annual SANTA FE RUN-AROUND 10K, 8 a.m., from the Plaza. Race-day morning registration costs \$10 for everyone. Plan to enter or work on race. Yell at Race Director Dennis Cooper for assignment. 988-8939.
- June 7—Taos 4-Mile Run. Taos City Recreation Dept.
- June 8—Garden of the Gods 10-Miler, Colorado Springs. Info, Nancy Hobbs (303) 590-7771.
- June 8—Jemez Pueblo Health Run 3-Mile, 8:30 a.m., pueblo civic center. Tee shirts, age-group medals, etc. Registration starts 7:30 a.m.
- June 14—Santa Fe Baldy Mountain Runner Series. For info call Los Alamos 662-7315, evenings.
- June 14—Billy the Kid Outlaw Run 5K & 10K, Fort Sumner. Write Chamber of Commerce, Box 28, Fort Sumner 88119.
- June 21—Atomic City Relay, Los Alamos. Four legs consisting of 4, 7, 4 and 2 miles starting 7:30 a.m., Ski Hill Road turn-off. Each team must have at least one male and at least one female. Family teams encouraged. \$10 per team. Entries must be received by June 19; no race-day registration. Call Steve Pattillo, 662-3433 for info.
- June 22—Taos Marathon & Relay (relay composed of four five-mile legs and a fifth of 6 miles, 385 yards); 7 a.m., N. Pueblo Road, Taos. Individuals \$10, relays \$8 per person. Mail Sun Sports, Albuquerque. Race day, \$5 additional.
- June 28—Stroh's Run For Liberty 8K, 8 a.m., Kit Carson (Zoo) Park, Albuquerque. \$8 by June 22 at Gil's Runners Shoe World. Packet pickup Fri., June 27 or at site, race day morning. \$10 late entry. \$2 from each entry goes to Statue of Liberty Foundation.
- July 3—Fourth of July Midnight Run, 7K, 11:30 p.m., east edge of main UNM campus, Albuquerque. Run in the rockets' red glare.
- July 7—Washington Pass Classic 10K, near Gallup
- July 12—Los Alamos Mini Marathon 5K & 20K, 7:30 a.m., 20th & Central, downtown L.A. \$11 before July 4; \$15 July 5-10; \$25 July 11 & 12. High Altitude Athletics Club, Box 298, Los Alamos 87544.
- July 12—Bastille Day, Las Cruces, Mesilla Valley TC, 523-0903.
- July 20—Third Annual Triathlon de Santa Fe, Cochiti Lake. Striders have work party at race. Contact Dede at 982-8846.

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The Santa Fe High School track, as measured by our wheel, is 400 meters long and not 440 yards. If you thought it was a quarter mile you have credited yourself with 7 feet 8 inches per lap that were unearned. So all you speed work fanatics who made this assumption must decrease your miles run on the track by .5806 % and revise your logs!