

2nd Annual Boston Primer 15-miler & The Race of Undisclosed Distance

April 5, 1980 | Readfield



The Second Annual Boston Primer, a tough 15 mile road race, and the Race of Undisclosed Distance were held Saturday April 5th. The Boston Primer began at the Maranacook Community School in Readfield and worked its way up and down the hills surrounding Maranacook Lake down to Winthrop and back to Readfield. Many of the state's finest long distance runners participated in the grueling race. Colin Peddie a 17 year old Junior from Hall Dale High School in Hallowell led the pack at what can be said a "blistering pace". The cool wet weather may have helped produce the excellent times run by many. The Primer had 85 finishers in all. The Race of Undisclosed Distance was 4.25 miles and 43 good natured runners competed in this unusual race where they were not informed as to the length prior to the race. They were willing to try anything once. Dwight Blease mastered the course as the winner.

15-Miler Results:

1. Colin Peddie	1:21:02	20. John Daly	1:36:02
2. Gene Coffin	1:22:06	21. R. J. Harper	1:36:06
3. Rock E. Green	1:23:50	22. Allan Pierce	1:36:17
4. O.J. Logue	1:24:28	23. Dick McDonald	1:36:26
5. John Keller	1:24:41	24. Bill Gayton	1:36:57
6. Fred Judkins	1:26:13	25. Dan Cake	1:37:41
7. Henry Chipman	1:27:28	26. Bill Barker	1:37:56
8. Steve Russell	1:28:29	27. Dale Dorr	1:38:01
9. Lloyd Ferries	1:28:51	28. Mike Hanley	1:38:11
10. Gary Quimby	1:30:10	29. David Delois	1:38:20
11. Mickey Lackey	1:31:36	30. Gene Roy	1:38:23
12. Andy Schmitt	1:31:42	31. Dean Rasmussen	1:38:31
13. Larry Deans	1:32:06	32. Wayne Larochelle	1:38:56
14. Steve Mulhern	1:32:48	33. Gary Grady	1:39:07
15. John Lemming	1:33:43	34. George Liming	1:39:45
16. Darren Billings	1:34:02	35. Bob Hillgrove	1:40:32
17. Richard Stuart	1:34:24	36. John Jansen	1:40:39
18. Larry Pelletier	1:34:38	37. Steve Norton	1:41:31
19. Ralph Fletcher	1:36:02	38. Ken Remsen	1:41:32

39. Mike Daly	1:41:38	63. Ben Milster	1:50:59
40. Don Sanborn	1:41:46	64. Charles Francis	1:52:40
41. Russ Connors	1:41:47	65. Don Winant	1:52:40
42. Ed Rice	1:41:48	66. Margaret Clapper	1:53:42
43. John Moncure	1:42:02	67. Ed Atlee	1:54:03
44. Herb Strom	1:42:46	68. John Hidgins	1:54:06
45. Jon Beverly	1:44:08	69. Ben Benskus	1:54:07
46. Bob Booker	1:44:51	70. David Johnson	1:54:11
47. Bill Sylvester	1:45:37	71. Stephen Rainsford	1:58:12
48. Mark O'Flynn	1:46:11	72. Gary Keilty	2:02:11
49. Ronnie Paul	1:46:33	73. Edmond Brissette	2:02:22
50. Leo Fournier	1:47:02	74. Natalie Harris	2:05:11
51. Robert Nicholson	1:47:34	75. Chris Jackson	2:05:34
52. Gilbert Roderick	1:47:42	76. Karen Judkins	2:07:22
53. Paul Quattropiani	1:48:01	77. Gary Barrett	2:07:32
54. Dave Silverband	1:48:11	78. Nelson Belisle	2:08:48
55. Bob Jolicoeur	1:48:21	79. Byron Bennett	2:10:59
56. Carlton Mendell	1:48:25	80. Susan Elias	2:11:47
57. Jon Wescott	1:49:18	81. Sonja McLaughlin	2:11:47
58. Dick Sabine	1:50:10	82. Diane Bournier	2:13:20
59. Brian Shacter	1:50:30	83. Joanne Petkus	2:13:20
60. Gary Sander	1:50:40	84. Mary Ann Shick	2:15:07
61. Michael Curtis	1:50:43	85. Linda Zaruba	2:24:33
62. Bob Day	1:50:44		

The Race of Undisclosed Distance:

1. Dwight Blease	22:46	18. Darin Bryant	27:51
2. Mat Isham	23:11	19. Doug McDonald	28:11
3. Tom Sakson	23:43	1. 20: Darcy Finley	28:18
4. Dana Maxim	23:49	20. Pat Gabrion	29:01
5. Greg Nelson	24:16	21. Ronnie Dunn	29:41
6. Rick Savage	24:31	22. Robert Perkins	29:46
7. Ron Savage	24:41	23. Don Abrams	30:01
8. Cav. Kelly	24:41	24. Errol Dearborn	30:27
9. Peter Crovo	25:13	25. Bill Thornton	31:34
10. Art Warren	25:39	26. Mary Jane Day	31:48
11. Doug Ludwig	25:40	27. Rich Abramson	32:52
12. Rob. Sisby	25:50	28. Robert Carroll	31:55
13. Pete Kelliher	26:21	29. Rodney Ellis	32:18
14. Andy Abrams	26:30	30. Chris Ranco	32:39
15. Scott Cullins	27:01	31. Shawn Brewer	32:43
16. Brian Warner	27:29	32. Betsy White	32:51
17. Roland St Pierre	27:40	33. Rosalyn Randall	33:33

34. Cheryl Herrington	33:48	39. Ellen Spring	35:20
35. Roger Mills	34:32	40. Pat Dunn	36:42
36. Elfie Sylvester	34:50	41. Michael Levey	37:18
37. Susan Bernier	35:04	42. Norma Mitton	46:58
38. Robbie Brewer	35:13		