43 Celebrate 25th Spring Runoff

43 hardy runners faced cold wins and sunny skies in the 25th running of the Sub Zero Running Clubs Spring Runoff Road Race and Walk for Diabetes. The cool temperatures slowed times slightly with Dawson Creek's Sean Hawryluk winning the featured 10 km event in a time of 37:18.85. Grande Prairie's Penny Thompson teamed up with GP's Bill Corcoran to be the only other runners to break the magical 40 minute barrier for 10 km. Thompson won the Masters Womens category in 39:15.91 while Corcoran took the Masters Mens race in 39:14.39. Runners enjoyed celebratory anniversary cake after the prizes were presented. Organizers would like to thank all the volunteers who braved the cold to make the race happen. They would also like to thank Moose FM, Mark Josephs, and Ritchie Brothers for donating many of the prizes.

FULL RESULTS

Boys Sirls Girls

- 1. Benjamin Blackmon 4:03.9
- 2. Ben Maxfield 4:50.3
- 3. Dayton Barrow 8:45.8
- 4. Graeme Neto 9:59.2

All 1 km runners were from Fort St. John.

1. Erin Maxfield - 4:52.3

3 km Moose FM Fun Run

Donated prizes were won by Dillon Popkes with a time of 12:24.5, Brandon Watt with a time of 12:46.7, Amy Popkes with a time of 17:14.2 and Megan Abbott with a time of 18:41.1. All 3 km runners were from Fort St. John.

5 km Estimated Time Race

Winners are determined by who came closest to their predicted time.

- 1. Nancy Maxfield who missed her guess by 4.29 sec. (FSJ)
- 2. Martin Palibroday who missed his guess by 4.94 sec. (FSJ)
- 3. Rick Scott who missed his guess by 42.42 sec. (GP)

10 km Race

17-19 Years of Age

Male

1. Sean Hawryluk - DC - 37:18.8

Female

- 1. Kathryn Stone GP 43:16.5
- 2. Emily Palibroda FSJ 45:41
- 3. Lara Gibson FSJ 55:49.

20-34 Years of Age

Male

- 1. Luke Rounds DC 40:26.1
- 2. Mark Bruneau GP 54:31.8
- 3. Mike Eling HH 57:58.4

Female

- 1. Lisa Boda FSJ 48:26.5
- 2. Kathryn Fairweather FSJ 57:58.4

35-49 Years of Age Male

- 1. Bill Corcoran GP 39:14.3
- 2. Eric Wolf DC 40:30.79
- 3. Dave Sloan FSJ 45:49.5

50 + Years of Age

Male

- 1. Gord Harris FSJ 43:19.6
- Patrick Coppens GP 48:09.1
 Cal White Grimshaw 49:27.7

Female

- 1. Penny Thompson FSJ 39:15.9 2. Marlene Corcoran GP 42:59.2
- 3. Stacey Schmidt Grimshaw 51:24.6