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It is with deep regret that we inform members of the death of Andy Wright at the age of 63. He died as a result of a traffic accident on 12th January 1985.

During World War 2, Andy served in the British Army and was one of the first arrivals in the landing at Normandy.

Andy left England to work as an engineering inspector in various parts of the world. He eventually settled in Perth in 1979 and a few months later he joined the Veterans' Club.

Andy cheerfully undertook the duties of Club armourer and handicapper, as well as giving enthusiastic assistance at all Club meets and Championships.

Andy himself was successful in the Australian Veterans' Champion-ships in field events, and many age group events on the track and road (including marathons). Whatever the race, Andy gave his best. He will always be remembered for his great determination at the finish line. One of his proudest moments was winning the Club Patron's Trophy.

Until his employment took him out of the metropolitan area, Andy regularly attended Club meetings. He always extolled the benefits of the sport.

His friendliness and kindliness will be greatly missed by all.

Our deepest sympathy is extended to his daughter Mrs Anna Cosford, her husband Paul, grandchildren and baby great grand daughter.

CHANGE OF PROGRAMME. Would everyone please note that there has been a substantial change in the MARCH programme. The programme now reads:-

March 10th. Club A.G.M. & Group Jog.

McCallum Park North Mole Fremantle Oam

March 17th. Butchers Run.

Gerry Archer Track Belmon

March 23td/24th Track & Field Champs. Three Way Relay. March 31st

McCallum Park. 8.00am

A.G.M. Members are notified that the Annual General Meeting Will take place at McCallum Fark on Sunday 10th March 1985 starting at 8.00am

All positions are open for nomination, these are: - President, Vice President Patron, Secretary, Treasurer, Four (4) Committee members, Auditor, Librarian, Newsletter Editor, Handicapper, Armourer, Statisticians for Track & Field, and for Club Runs.

At the time of writing only the Secretary and Treasurer have stated that they are willing to stand again next year. (The editor is standing down as I feel that it is time that a different point of veiw is put into the Clubs Mewsletter, I am quite willing to help anyone taking over the job until they

are settled in).

At the back of the newsletter you will find nominating forms, please fill them in and return to the secretary as soon as possible, but do not forget to get your nominee to sign it to show he is willing to take the job you are

nominating him or her for.

CLUE MEMBERSHIP. The treasurer stated that at the present time club membership is in quite a healthy state with 251 members, with 72 women and 179 men. Of these 43 are 'Family Memberships' (couples).

STATE VETERANS TRACK & FIELD CHAMPIONSHIPS.

The entries close for these Champ: on the 5th March., If you have not got your entry in by then you will miss out. SO GET YOUR ENTRY IN NOW WHILST YOU REMEMBER. OFFICIALS REQUIRED. If you can help officiate, even if its only between your events would you please let DICK HORSLEY know as soon as possible on 387 6805 or at club events, there is an urgent need as the A.A.W.A. are holding events (relays) and we have not been able to get those who have officiated in the past.

CLUB VESTS. The treasurer is ordering another batch of the clubs official running vest, it is in the same design but in a different material, aertex type, as we cannot get them from the original supplier. He has samples of the material you can see which is a polyster/cotton. If you require a new vest give him a ring stating your size as soon as possible on 387 1152. The cost will be approx \$10.00 per vest

NEW MEMBERS: -Alan Stone 53A, Bentwood Avenue, Woodlands. 6018. 446 9258 M50 20/Jul/32 Patsy Reside 25, Perina Way, City Eeach. 6015. 341 1303 W35 02/NOV/48

CHANGE OF ADDRESS: - Derek & Jo-Anne Walker, 249, Willcox Street, Chidlow. 65. 095 724 244

Does anyone know the new address of David Bremner?? He has moved recently.

MATIONAL VETERANS MARATHON CHAMPIONSHIPS. These will be held in conjunction with the Nike Canberra Marathon to be held on the 14th April 1985. The closing date for entries is 28th February 1985. and the entry fee is \$10.00. There is a time limit of 42hrs. Average temperature is 10c rising to 16c at 11am. If you are interested in running this marathon then Duncan has entry dorms.

TEDDY BIRDS PICNIC RUN. There will be a 50c entry fee for this event and tea and coffee will be provided at the finish. After the run there is also a BYO Earbecue and all runners are invited to stay on and socialise.

APOLOGIES. Barry Evans birthday in the last newsletter listed him as turning 45, this should have read 55 and he now becomes M55. Sorry about that Barry. P.S. I think the Vets is about the only organisation I know where people DON'T try to make their age YOUNGER.

DEFINITIONS. Blisters: The foot's natural allergic reaction to running. Second Wind: An elusive, almost mystical condition sought by runners. The only way to make sure you will catch it is to lie down and rest for a while.

ATHLETICS MISCELLANY

To continue from last month, the success of the Varsities meeting prompted the first English Championships. Again, the results are known and the winners were:

100 yards 440 yards 880 yards 1 mile 120 yards High Hurdles High Jump	F. M. Colmore J. H. Ridley P. M. Thornton Charles B. Lawes T. Milvain T. G. Little and	10.5 55.0 2m 05.0 4m 39.0 17.75
Broad Jump 7 mile Walk Hammer Pole Vault	J. H. S. Raupel R. Fitzherbert J. G. Chambers R. J. James J. Wheeler	5' 9" 19' 8" 59m 32.0 78' 5" 10' 0"

These Championships were held on March 23, 1866 and annually thereafter except for War years.

Across the Atlantic the Americans got onto the bandwagon. The New York Athletic Club was formed in 1868 and adopted as its Rules those of the London Athletic Club. It held its first indoor meeting in November that year. The NYAC conducted the first National Track and Field Championships in New York in 1876. Comparison of the winners' performances with the A.A.A.'s of 1866 puts the Englishmen slightly ahead.

100 yards	F. C. Saportas	10.5				
440 yards	Edward Merritt	54.5				
880 yards	H. Lambe	2m 10.0				
1 mile	H. Lambe	4m 51.2				
120 yards High Hurdles	George Hitchcock	19.0				
High Jump	H. E. Ficken	5'5"				
Long Jump	I. Frazier	17'4"				
Shot Putt	H. E. Buermeyer	32 ! 5"				
161b Hammer	William B. Curtis	76 ! 4"				

The NYAC conducted these Championships until 1888 when the AAU took them over.

Anglo-American rivalry seems to have developed slowly but resulted in the first modern international match. This was between Oxford and Yale in London, July 16, 1894, with Oxford victorious. The following year Yale beat a visiting Cambridge team in New York. 1895 was memorable for another international match. On September 21, 1895 in New York, the NYAC competed against London Athletic Club. The results were:

100 yards 220 yards 440 yards 1 mile 3 miles	Bernard Wefers Bernard Wefers Charles Kilpatrick Thomas Conneff Thomas Conneff Stephen Chase	9.8 21.6 49.0 4m 18.2 15m 36.2
120 yards High Hurdles (loose top rails) High Jump Long Jump	Michael Sweeney Edwin Bloss	6' 5.625" 22' 6"
Shot Putt Hammer	George Gray James Mitchell	43' 5" 137' 5 2 "

The London A.C., which was virtually a National Team, was "whitewashed". Incredibly, the Americans won every event, although when the quality of the performances is considered, perhaps the English were just outclassed. Wefers set World Records in his two events, Kilpatrick in the 440, Chase in the Hurdles and the fantastic Sweeney in the High Jump. Sweeney was only $5'8\frac{1}{4}$ " tall, but in developing the Eastern Cut-off set a Record that stood for 17 years.

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The first modern Olympic Games almost brings this short history of organised athletics to a close; yet two significant developments were still to come. The first was women's athletics. It was not until 1923 that the first National Championships were held for women in the U.S.A. and England. The second was Veterans' athletics with the upsurge of National and World Championships during the 1970's. I can think of no better note on which to end this history.

Bob Sammells

Perfect conditions saw 37 runners start the 8th Annual Lake Leschenaultia 7.2km Run at 5.30pm on Boxing Day. We had 11 Ladies (runners of the female gender, but Ladies to me) and 2 invitation runners. First to the bottom of the hill, 5km mark, was Derek Crowther in 17.49, looking good and running we followed by Bob Harrison and Don Caplin in 18.27. Derek held his style and lead to finish well in 27.49, Fob was second with Frank Smith third after takin a heavy fall (too much grog Frank?) Our first lady was Joanne Collins in a new womens record of 33.23, an excellent run even though Joanne is a local Mount Helena resident and knows the terrain well. Bob Sammells ran well in 7th place in 29.55 just 4 sec behind Dave Carr who was only 1.07 off his own M50 record on a slightly tougher course, due to local shire fencing.

The run went well, with runner's thoughtfully spaced, so I could write the names and times down easily. Thanks to Wally Cross for his assistance.

			Larrie Robins	on.		
RESULTS:-	Bot Hill	Finish		Finish		Finish
Derek Crowther	17.50	27.49	F Dallad	33.28	Keith Forden	37.18
Fob Harrison	18.27	28.21	Dave Hough	33.53	Margery Forden	37.28
Frank Smith	10.30	29.06	Allen Tyson	33.54	Lorna Butcher	38.15
Don Caplin	19.27	29.13	Derek Walker	34.25	Marilyn Acreman	40.00
Kevin Anderson	18.38	29.19	Tony Butler	34.37	Alan Acreman	40.00
Dave Carr	18.53	29.51	John Benning			42.05
Eob Sammells	18.40	29.55		35.37	Pat Carr	44.45
John Pellier	19.30	30.42	Joan Pellier	35.45	S. Cameron	45.19
Jim Greenfield	19.50	31.18	Tuula Vaalst	a36.01	Nota Berry	45.56
Graham Thornton	19.55	31.54	Ian Thomsett	36.55	T. Carr	46.05
Keijo Vaalsta	20.12	31.55	John Rowland	s37.00	Mike Berry '	46.06
J. Scott	A 2		Barrie Thoms			
Joanne Collins	20.39	33.23		37.08		

DAVE JONES COURSE PARLOUF. 8 laps 17.9km

5km Course: - Enid Crowther 29.14: Shirley Cross 30.08

Approx 50 members turned out for the parlouf relay on a warm sunny morning. The teams were sorted out by Jeff Whittam (bribes were accepted), the teams then went into a huddle to decide how to run the race, Joan Pellier's team decided on one lap each plus extra at the finish but changed tactics to ½ laps then to shorter distances as the race progressed. Some teams opted to run each leg then return to their individual start points, whilst other progressed around the course running each succeeding lap on the next leg. The winning team runners doing the same leg on each lap.

Everyone seemed to thoroughly enjoy themselves no matter what their team

tactics were.

Our thanks to Bryan Hardy, Wally Cross and Basil Worner for their assistance, and to Kath Penton who arrived on her bicycle just in time to supply the bell for the start of the last lap and the flag for the finish, even if it was a red one and not the usual particle.

Dorothy & Jeff Whittam.

RESULTS: - SANDI'S TEAM. Sandi Walton W35 Elza O'Dea W45		- 1 15 (2	3	4	5	6	7	finish
Steve Mitchell in Dave Carr M50 John Smith M45 Joe Yates M40	inv D	7.04 7.04		7.14 21.44		7.26 36.37		7.37 51.47	7.38 59.25
Don Caplin M Keith Forden M Barrie ThomsettM	V55 V145 V140	7.05 7.05		8.12 22.43	7.26 30.09	7.39 37.48		8.00 53.37	7.52 61.29
PHYLLIS'S TEAM. Phyllis Farrell Ray Lawrence Ernie Moyle Colin Leman Vic Beaumont Keijo Vaalsta		7.20 7.20	7.28 14.48	7.46 22.34	7.42 30.16	7.58 38.14	8.06 46.20	7.58 54.18	7.45 62.03
Shirley Cross Tuula Vaalsta Dick Horsley Bob Sammells Ken Whistler Bob Farrell		7.41 7.41	8.04 15.45	7.46 23.31	7.47 31.18	8.14 39.32	7.56 47.28		7.30 62.48
JOAN'S TEAM. Joan Pellier Pat Carr Bill Mitchell Dalton Moffett Peter Sanders Tony Butler		7.51 7.51	10.10 18.01	7.27 25.28	7.26 32.54	7.30	8.00 48.24	7.46 56.10	7.21 63.41
J n Pellier		7.05 7.05		8.11 23.55	8.06 32.01	8.01 40.02	8.00 48.02	7.55 55.57	7.50 63.47
MARY'S TEAM. Mary Robinson Marilyn Acreman Cliff Bould Hugh Kirkman Bernard Godwin Duncan Strachan		8.05 8.05	7.56 16.01		7.53 31.50		8.25 48.09	8.32 56.41	8.19 65.00









FRIENDSHIP RUN. Kings Park. 13th January 1985. 12.4km

84 runners assembled for this run, on what the organisers thought was a nice cool day. This thought was soon dispelled when he saw the runners at the end of the first lap, all were dripping with sweat and most stopped for water, some for several cups.

Despite the humidity Frank Smith beat the course record for the men and Tuula Vaalsta beat the course record for the LADIES. Don Caplin missed by 1sec

The only mishap was Derek Crowther going wrong, where Arthur Leggett was positioned. Apparently Arthur shouted at him until he was hoarse, with no effect. This presents me with a problem for next year! I.E. Do I buy Derek a hearing aid or Arthur a megaphone???

After the run most people enjoyed tea or coffee and stayed on for a B.Y.O.

barbecue.

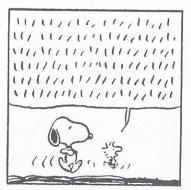
Now the most important item. I Would like to thank Kath Mitchell, Jackie Beaumont and Wally Cross, an excellent recording team. Also Jackie Greenfield for recording the 1 lap runners, Rose Johnston and Ann Smith for "manning"!! the water station, Arthur Leggett for marshalling and everybody else who I forgot to mention. For which I apologise.

John Pellier.

P.S. And Joan Pelli RESULTS:- 12.4km	ler for taking names	at the start a	nd helping mark the	cours
Frank Smith M40 Colin Leman M35 Eob Harrison M40 Don Caplin M45 Hugh Kirkman M40	43.20* Barrie Slinge 44.54 Dave Roberts 45.13 Maurice Johns 45.14 Joe Yates 47.00 Morris Warren	140 52.32 tonM45 52.44 M40 53.03 M45 53.18	Keith Forden M45 Peter Davies M55 Barrie ThomsettM40 Cliff Bould M65 Phyllis FarrellW40	62 1 62 41
Ted Maslen M45 Dave Hough M50	47.25 Jim Greenfiel 48.04 Hamish McGlas 48.50 Rod Marston 49.48 Bill Mitchell 50.28 Dave Carr 50.58 Tony Butler	henM45 53.49 M40 54.25 M50 55.17 M50 55.48	Gerry Noordyk M60 Pat Hayden W45 Alan Fomery M50 Ken Whistler M50 Anne Deanus W40 INVITATION.	63.16 67.39 67.54 67.55 68.31
Keijo Vaalsta M50 Frank McLindenM50 Grahmm ThorntonM40 Ted Costello M45 Joe Stickles M45	51.05 Duncan Strach 51.29 Bob Farrell 51.41 Pernard Godwi 51.49 Allen Tyson 52.01 Vic Beaumont 52.11 Stan Lockwood 52.21 Tuula Vaalsta	an M60 56.46 M40 56.47 n M45 57.16 M55 57.58 M55 58.06 M55 58.13	Jack Noordyk Bob Argyle Basil Hanna Simon Beaumont Richard Sparkes Margaret Warren did short course by abo in 65.00 approx.	51.16 55.47 d a
John BenningtonE45 Arnold JenkinsE40 Merv Moyle M55 Basil Worner M50 Margery FordenW40 Dave Benson M40	24.01 John Smith 27.28 Sandi Walton 28.00 Lorna Butcher 28.20 Dick Horsley 28.53 Mary Robinson 29.39 Pat Catr 29.46 Jill Pearton	W35 31.11 W50 32.31 M70 33.24 W45 33.42 W50 34.22	Sheila Maslen W45 Barbara GodwinW45 Pat Spencer W40 Shirley Cross W45 Jeff Whittam M50 June Strachan W55 Dorothy WhittamW45	34.50 34.52 34.6 36.07 36.10 36.27 39.00
Mark Jones 27.42	29.46 Judith Forbes		Sue Madsen Lucinda Jenkins	36.27 38.47











1 x CLIFF FOULD COURSE. 20th January 1985. 5.2km

A good turnout, considering the other attractions, on a cool windy morning, where the maximum temperature seemed to have occurred about 7am.

The start and finish were moved further up the field to avoid the throwing

circles and the one day cricket test taking place close by.

Five records were set (2 inaugural and 3 broken). After the event we were joined by quite a few members who had been running in the Christchurch Run. First man home was Barry Harwood closely followed by Fraser Deanus. First woman home was Cheryl Amies, up from Boyanup. followed by Joan Pellier. Thanks to Sandi, Wally and Jeff and to Cindy Dartnell who acted as runner

with the times.

RESULTS: -Barry Harwood M40 19.53 George Peet M50 23.29 Carole Cole W40 28.45 Fraser Deanus M45 19.59 , M55 Ray Lawrence 23.31 Barbara GodwinW45. 28.52 Mike Khan M40 20.36 23.33* Joan Pelliër W45 Shirley Cross W45 29.00 John Spencer M45 20.54 John Smith F145 Anne Deanus 29.02 W40 21.23 Armold JenkinsM40 24.14 24.32 bryan Hardy M40 Pat Spencer W40 29.07 E rie SlingerM45 22.09 Cliff Bould Trian Aldrich M65 Elza O'Dea W45 29.31 Paul Jones M4.5 22.11 M50 25.11 Mary Robinson W45 Cheryl Amies

W35 22.17% Kait Johnson M55 25.11 W40 Sue Madsen Merv Moyle M55 22.23 Ernie Moyle Duncan StrachanM60 22.28* Torna Eutcher M55 25.16 Jeanette Tomlinson W50 26.58 W50 30.53 John BenningtonM45 22.29 Joan Slinger 26.58 W40 Dorothy WhittamW45 31.00 Jon Dartnel E35

22.33 22.50 27.57 28.05 32.16 35.14 Gerry Noordyk M60 Lucinda JenkinsInv Allen Tyson M55 Fred Hagger M55 M70 June Strachan W55 Eernard GodwinM45 23.01 Dick Horsley 28.05* Alison AldrichW40 35.14

Val Tyson

W60

41.16×

* Course record.

.A.A.W.A. RESULTS. 5	th Janua	ry 1985.		
100m. Val Prescott	15.25	200m. 30.	9 400.	Triple jump
Jim De Gruchy	-	28.	8 67.2	_
Barrie Kernag	han -	-	- 55.6	-
Peter Muller	-	_	-	13.12?
12th January 1985	100H	200	800	1/jump
	14.7	25.70		1/jumu 5.61
Val Prescott	Mark.	29.56	-	_
Dave Carr	_	-	2.24.7	_
Earrie Kernaghan Jim De Gruchy		23.7	2.20.0	<u> </u>
Jim De Gruchy		28.4	2.48.3	_
Erian Waldhuter			2 14 0	

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19th January 1985.	100m	&100H into wind.	400m	800m	
Eileen Hindle	12.7	14.5	_	beets.	W35
Val Prescott	14.4	-	-	Mare	W40
Earrie Kernaghan	12.0	_		2.19.0	M40
Hilary De Souza	13.3	_	_	_	M45
Dave Carr	-	-	60.4	2.20.0	M50
Jim De Gruchy	-		67.3	2.44.0	M55

HAPPY MIRTHDAY TO THE FOLLOWING MEMBERS:-

Pavid Clive turns	48	remains	M45	27	Allen Tyson	turns	60	becomes	F.60	06
Pat Carr "	53	* *	W50	18	Dennis Wilmott	- 11	54	remains	1450	08
Ann Deanus "	45	becomes	W45	01	Colin Walsh	11	53	11	M50	16
Ken Gilbert "	43	remains	M40	.03	George Hoakes	11	72	11	E70	25
Winston Hough "		11	M40	12	Joe Froudist	**	39	11	1435	18
Alison Johnstone	38	11	W35	09	John Smith	.11	50	becomes	1.50	23
Val Lishman "	55	becomes	M55	14	Johan Sanders	-11		remäins		
Jan Middleton "	51	remains	W50	21	Douglas Boakes	11	41	11	140	04
Val Pach "	4.6	11	W45	01	John Bissett	11	45	becomes	M45	22
Val Prescott "	41	. 11	W40	08	Mary McGinnis	11	45	11	W45	02

CLUP RECORD RUNS FOR FEBRUARY. TEDDY FIRDS PICNIC BUN 15km. W35 J Stone 79.23; W45 M Robinson 80.19: M35 C Leman 55.13; H40 F Smith 58.31; M45 D Caplin 57.53; M50 R Shand 63.42; M55 A Tyson 68.36; M60 D Strachan 73 7km. W35 S Leman 42.29; W45 E O'Dea 42.33; W55 V Tyson 52.14: M40 B Farrell 40.09; M45 D Hoye 30.32; M50 V Eeaumont 37.52; M55 F Hagger 39.52; M70 D Hor-

sley 36.26:

WEST COAST CHALLENGE. 8km. W30 J Chambers 30.27; W35 J Fearton 39.56; W40

J Pellier 38.27; W45 T Vaalsta 37.59; W50 L Eutcher 37.52; W55 J Strachan 44.47

M35 C Leman 27.54; M40 F Smith 27.10; M45 R Jones 29.42; M50 R Shand 31.02;

N55 A Tycon 33.38; M60 D Strachan 34.37:

Choalwater '10'. W30 J Chambers 45.22; W35 J Stone 53.28; W40 J Pellier 53.38;

W45 M Warren 60.04; W50 L Butcher 57.44; W55 J Strachan 66.15: M35 C Teman 39.17; M40 D Caplin/P Smith 41.16; M45 R Shand 41.28; M50 R Shand 43.20; M55 A Tyson 48.37; M60 J Gilmour 41.34: 6km. W40 J Slinger 30.30; W55 V Tyson 41.11: M55 F Hagger 32.02 M60 F Usher 32.02.

BATTERHAM'S BUSH BASH. 6th January 1985. 7.5km No write - up for this event, but by all accounts a very warm morning with the sea breeze coming in immediately the run had concluded. A good turnout of members and all seemed to agree that the hill past the old quarantine station seems to get steeper each year. Our thanks to Linley and Dennis for op ing their house and pool to us. This year we had 2 Victorian runners with us Jan and Ren Morrey, we hope they enjoyed the run

RESULTS:-		e nobe	they enjoyed the	run.				
Brian Danby		28.16	Joan Pellier	W45	35.39*	Ray Lawrence	M55	39.31
Kevin Anderson	M40	29.09	Derek Crowther	M40	35.41	Ern Moyle		
Fraser Deanus	M45	31.33	Merv Moyle	M55	35.56	Sandi Walton		
Mike Khan	M40	31.33	Peter Davies	M55	36.14			40.48
Graham Thornton	M40	32.02	Bill Mitchell	M50	36.29			42.3
Dalton Moffett	M50	32.18	Arnold Jenkins	M40	36.44	Maxine Tappe:		
John Maddison	M45	32.36	Bernard Godwin	M45	36.52	Margaret War:		
Barry Harwood	M40	32.41	Stan Lockwood	M55	37.03	margaret war.		44.18
Frank McLinden	M50	33.08		M55	37.31	Anne Deanus		
John Pellier	M45	33.10	Cliff Bould		37.50			
Bob Sammells	M45	33.10	Dave Carr			Phyllis Farre	377	11 15
Joe Yates		34.00	Margery Forden			Torono Davidado e	W40	44.70
Rod Marston	M40	34.28			70.20	Lorna Butches		
Duncan Strachan	M60	34,58*			38.39	Mary Robinson		
			Keith Forden		38.40	Pat Carr		
Morris Warren	M45	35.26	Barrie Thomsett	t1440	39.27	Nora Berry	W55	47.15
THVLTATION		· · · · ·			,	Shirley Cross	5W45	50.42
INVITATION		31.55	Jan Morrey	AIC	35.56	June Strachar	1W55	50.44
Ian ?		21.44	Ren Morrey	ATC	38.53	Jennifer ? 4	7.07	

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TIME TRIAL RESULT	S. 6	- 7 - 8		9 22nd N	ove!!!	or 19	384	29th No	ovembe	er 1984
15th Movember 198		5000m		400m	pts	т/Ј.	pts	1500m	pts	javelin pts
Frank Smith Don Caplin Arnold Jenkins Frank McLinden Bob Gammells Bob Norton John Pellier Mel Sheud Aub Davie Merv Moyle Bill Hughes Bob Farrell Duncan Strachan Cliff Tould Joan Fellier Jan Fletcher Kath Penton Sandi Walton Mary Robinson June Strachan Lorna Butcher M garet Warren Frian Danby Brian Foley Dick Horsley A.N. Other Lob Faulkner Fill Monks Hamish McGlashen Bob Fergie Jeff Whittem Dorothy Whittam Val Prescott	M440050555005550055055005050505050505050	16.33 16.40 17.45 18.40 18.47 18.47 19.51 19.54 20.42 21.17 22.03 20.29 22.00 23.40 24.50 27.37	874 9730 7480 666 5756 666 5756 6756 6756 6756 6756	- 61.1 - 66.0 - 65.7 69.8 - 7966.2 - 760.5 	- 596 - 480 - 412 - - 560 - 20 - 132 23 632 - 548	7.08 7.50 8.40 		4.59 4.57 5.08 5.06 - - - 6.32 5.34 5.31 - 6.43	712 682 712 682 718 976 904 562 766 832 634 256 268 388	21.54 226 15.84 55. 28.86 347
TIME TRIATS 9 - 10		6th De	cember	1984.				13th Dec	ember	
Mel Shead A.N. OTHER Dave Jones Arnold Jenkins I Sammells Fob Fergie Val Tyson Lorna Butcher Dorothy Whittam Jan Fletcher Jeff Whittam Jack Collins Merv Moyle Ted Costello John Pellier Brian Hanks Maurice Johnston Frank McLinden Frank Smith Hank Stoffers Bob Harrison Cliff Bould Paul Jones Jim Greenfield John McGinnis Joan Pellier Phyllis Farrell	M45500550005550005500055000550005500055	100m 13.6 15.4 13.6 15.4 14.6 21.2 18.1 14.9	pts 580 580 580 580 580 380 480 20 180 720	2000Wa 12.02 12.56 12.31 12.05 13.25 14.04 12.40 14.29	alk	pts 272 296 20 - 5880* 284 596 280 404 		10km 39.02 43.29 -39.00 38.14 	pts 763 8 651 9 780 8 826 8	relinquishing the post of Armourer. We will need someone to look after the trailer and and bring equipment along to events. If YOU think you can help by taking over the armourer's job please let Brian know so he can nominate

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Letters from camp

A journey to running's heart of darkness

1 August. Hello, Walker. Hello, Charlie: Well, here I am at Kami-Kaze. I'm excited. I know that, through training, I'll get faster . . . just as soon as it stops raining. Camp Kami-Kaze is "located in the scenic Landfill Mountains, miles from nowhere." Four of us share a cabin: Ted, Earl, Mel and yours truly. Earl says there are also three women in our group—so there should be some social life here, after all—See ya, Terry.

2 August. Okay, Walker, you tell me. How is it possible that seven adults and one baby-faced instructor named Rudy can leave Camp K.K. running up a mountain and come back to camp still running up the mountain? Do all training trails lead up?

As for the food here, I'm afraid the chef has been studying the ancient Samurai diet texts: one mound brown rice, one lump pinto bean, one salmon patty garnished with parsley for dinner

tonight. 4 August. Dear Charlie: I'm writing this by flashlight, since policy here is lights out by 9:30. It's pretty hard to see the page anyway—the light attracts these mountain mosquitos the size of winged golf balls. You remember the women I mentioned? Two twins, Gretta and Heidi, 18, blonde and lithe as willow trees, who run 2:32 marathons for fun, and Cynthia, a middle-distance-motherof-three, here to work on her national marathon ranking. She makes it hard for me to maintain I'm aging gracefully.

Today we ran to the peak of nearby Mt. Killya, with water and lunch in our knapsacks. Great view of tomorrow's 30K trail and of those little white spots before the eyes. Rudy says I'll get used to the mountain altitude pretty soon.

5 August. Walker: 10:30 P.M., and Earl's just come back with a load of contraband Snickers and beer. He found a gap in the fence and made a connection with some hill folks. Says you can live on beer and candy bars; hope so, those simple hill people are charging \$2.50 a

6 August. Big trouble. Rudy found an "empty" in the bushes behind our cabin and this morning, there was a padlock on the snack machine, and Rudy was screaming at Earl in German. They've confiscated Mel's cash. He's trying to get a phone call through to his wife, but the lines are down.



Had a real treat this A.M. Sushi before the morning workout. We usually run a five-mile "flat" course in the morning, which means any incline of less than 30 degrees, I think. Then there's a light weight workout-for Ted and the women, that is. The rest of us can't move our limbs at that point. Then it's time for the evening run: dis-

tance, hill training, etc.

7 August. Charlie: They've caught me!
Halfway up Mt. Shinn, Rudy told me he'd intercepted my last letter. We were doing all-out 880s at the time, so I couldn't defend myself. He's taken my flashlight, but I've found a few old matches in the cabin. Rudy's got the face of an angel, the body of a gazelle, and the soul of the Marquis de Sade. Tomorrow, he's adding ankle weights to our program. Heidi and Gretta want theirs in matching colors. Cynthia wants hers heavier. Mel wants to go home.

8 August. Dear Walker: Hope you're getting these ... I've started smuggling them out via the garbage man. Pay him whatever he says I promised him. It's crucial."

Today we lost Ted. On the south face, he tore off his knapsack and went screaming off into one of the "scenic pine forests." Rudy murmured not to worry; Ted wouldn't get far, what with the dogs, the barbed wire and "his pitifully low VO2 max." Earl and I fought for Ted's knapsack, which contained a fish cake and two whole wheat rolls. Cynthia got his ankle weights .- T.

10 August. Charlie: The horror! The horror! Today Earl went round the bend. "No beer, no run," was all he would say. He tied his own shoelaces together and we had to leave him playing with pine chips on the Mt. Avalanche 30K trail. I trapped and ate a chipmunk today. The little rascals aren't half bad.—Terry

13 August. Charlie: I need food! I need support! I need more matches! Conversation! Mel's no good anymore-he just whimpers about a chocolate sundae with nuts and a cherry. We see the women only on the runs, when I'm too breathless to whisper my plans for breaking out. Besides, I suspect that the twins speak only German. In these situations, it's best to trust no one! If I could just figure out which way it is to the highway, I'm sure I could find Earl's hole in the barbed wire, evade the dogs, and then.

15 August. Walker! You've got to help me! I'm writing by the light of my last two matches. Through a tear in the curtain I can see Rudy and the chef by the flickering campfire loading our "lunches" for tomorrow's run to the peak of Mt. Killya. I swear I'm not crazy—they're putting in boulders! And there's Gretta-she's been in with them all along! It's taking all three of them to heft that hunk of granite into my knapsack.

Walker, you're my last-my only-hope. I've got to get out of here! Get Charlie and meet me with the car tomorrow at midnight. Here's where . . . At this point Camp Kami-Kaze correspondence breaks off. A form letter dated 16 August arrived from the camp stating that the author of these letters had enrolled in the "Lifetime Training Program." Repeat calls to the camp have gone unreturned. FINISH

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