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*Richard R. Horning*  
**1957-2005**

## A salute to strength & courage

*by Bob Dalton*

After a courageous two-year battle with cancer, Rich Horning crossed the final finish line on Sunday, Jan. 9, 2005. Our brother, friend, and comrade left us far too soon.

Rich had achieved many accomplishments in his relatively short lifetime: Eagle Scout, Air Force Academy Grad, Delta Pilot, Athlete, and Olympic Torch Bearer to name a few. But the honor of which he was the most proud, and which gave him no end of pleasure, was that of family man. As husband to Sandra and father to Sheridan, Rich was complete in his joy. He was absolutely devoted to his family and said his only regret would be not seeing his daughter grow up.

Rich joined the PTC Running Club in 1994. He served as Classic Race Director in 1999 and 2000. It was for the 2000 event that Rich instituted the innovative wind shirt. A popular collector's item, the shirt is frequently seen around town worn by those who were fortunate enough to earn one by taking part in the race that year.

Rich was selected to be an Olympic Torch Bearer this past year as the relay course wound its way through the U.S. on the way to the Athens Games. Rich was also one of only eight members inducted into the newly instituted PTC Running Club Hall of Fame this past December. In his remarks during the presentation, President George Martin stated, "Rich Horning was Classic Race Director for 1999 and 2000. He has also been very active behind the scenes as a coordinator in a number of different areas for the past eight years. And most importantly, over the past two years, Rich has shown us all the tremendous level of courage and tenacity that has been an inspiration to not only club members, but to anyone who knows Rich today."

Rich was determined to fight his illness to the very end. His optimism and courage was inspiring to all who knew him. As Dave Piet so eloquently stated in his eulogy, "When the time comes for me to go, I can only hope that I show the same strength of character that Rich did."

Rich, your comrades in the running club are unanimous as we salute you and say, "Well done good and faithful friend. You have fought the good fight and finished the race. Be thou at peace."



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# President's Column



I'd like to begin this month by expressing thanks to the membership for the kind and thoughtful actions paid to the Horning family before and after the passing of Rich. From the Christmas decorations, to the food supplied to the family, to the very nice memorial service and reception, the PTC Running Club family came together as always. The reception after the memorial service alone cost well over \$1,000, and it was completely paid for by contributions from the members. It makes you appreciate what a nice group of people we have, not just a bunch of runners, but actually a nice group of people.

The club will install a memorial stone honoring Rich at the water fountain in the Blue Smoke Recreation area along the cart paths Rich used to, and where many of us still do, run. Since that fountain is a fairly new one, the club is paying for a new fountain that will be installed at the corner of Riley Parkway and Flat Creek Road (replacing the "TJ Redmond" fountain) but the stone for Rich will be at Blue Smoke, in his neighborhood. We are tentatively planning to have a "dedication run" on Sat., March 26, starting at City Hall and running the old "Bridge to Bridge" course together as a group, stopping for a brief ceremony at the new fountain. More information will be forthcoming.

By now the "Rotary Club Elementary School Grand Prix" is underway, with the running of the Kedron Elementary 5K. Next up is the Oak Grove "Run for the Gold" followed by the "Huddleston Hustle" on April 23, and the Crabapple Elementary 5K on April 30. The PTC Rotary Club is the financial sponsor of this Grand Prix series, but the PTC Running Club is providing all the technical assistance. Over the course of the school year, this 5K series is expected to raise more than \$100,000 for the 10 local schools involved. It will also involve between 3,000-4,000 runners, many running for the first time. Please help us make this a success by spreading the word about the races, and if your calendar permits, participating in the races yourself. After the last race in May, Grand Prix awards will be given to the points winners in all age groups. We are planning a great awards ceremony at the end of the school year, and you could be winning one of those awards yourself.

Finally, thanks to the Boones for hosting the New Year's Day run, and thanks to all of the volunteers who helped make the Kedron 5K so successful.

## January/February Meeting Highlights

*The full minutes are available on the Peachtree City Running Club Web site at [www.ptcrc.com](http://www.ptcrc.com).*

### January

President George Martin called the Jan. 3, 2005 meeting of the Peachtree City Running Club to order at 7:30 p.m. at the Wyndham Conference Center. 75 members and guests were in attendance at the meeting. George welcomed the following new members and guests: Dan Zessin; Vaughn Woods; Les and Jane Sitzes, Holly Anderson's brother and sister-in-law; and Marlene Atwood, our Georgia State RRCA representative. The minutes of the November meeting were approved as posted on the Web site.

#### Program

Bob Dalton introduced author Phil Campbell who has written *Ready, Set, Go* and numerous fitness articles for various magazines. He told the club about a special training technique called the Sprint 8 training program.

#### Old Business

Hood-to-Coast Relay on August 26-27, 2005. \$80 is due now to the PTCRC if you want to be on the 12 man-team.

Race times should be turned into Bill Fuller for the newsletter.

Gate River Run 15K at Jacksonville, Florida on March 12, 2005. Sign up now.

Roy Robison has 2005 calendars on sale for \$5. They have events, races, and birthdays.

#### New Business

Leslie Salinski is now in charge of the Flash Track Program.

She needs volunteers on Tuesdays and Thursdays when they practice as well as several meets. They hope to increase the number of participants from 50 to 100 children this year.

George passed out a handout of Programs and Plans for 2005.

George presented the 2005 Budget which will be voted on at the February meeting. If you have any questions or concerns let George know before then.

#### Reports by Officers

Activities Vice President Ed Finucan gave out Grand Prix awards and explained the Grand Prix series to new members.

Treasurer Marino Fuentes announced we have \$9,530.81 in the checking account and two CD's of \$28,000 in the reserve fund.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:00 p.m.

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### WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

Amy Ervin (Newnan)

Sandra Dallas (Peachtree City)

Sandy Forero (Fayetteville)

Rhonda Fuentes (Peachtree City)

Terri Lake (Fayetteville)

Jed Smith (Peachtree City)

# Paul Blaum recognized for outstanding college athletic career

*Paul Blaum was honored by his college, Drexel University, in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania on Dec. 11 as an inductee into the Athletic Hall of Fame. He attended the university from 1978-1982. Paul and his wife Ann traveled to Philadelphia to attend the induction/banquet where he was one of twelve athletes honored. The following biography was used during the induction ceremony and reveals just what kind of athlete Paul really is. Congratulations to Paul on this tremendous accomplishment!*

Paul Blaum was one of the most versatile swimmers in Drexel history. He often swam in up to seven events in some meets during his career, including freestyle and butterfly events. Paul is the only male Drexel swimmer to make the East Coast Conference finals in every event, including relays, for four consecutive years in the history of Drexel Swimming. He was an integral part of the team, serving as captain in his junior and senior years. Paul was an ECC championship finalist three times during his career.

After graduation, Paul worked as a project controls engineer in the nuclear power industry. He lived in Augusta, Georgia for seven years while working in the power industry before moving to Peachtree City, Georgia, where he has continued to work as a project controls manager in the chemical industry.

Paul has kept his athletic flame burning after leaving Drexel by competing in over 160 triathlons. He was named a Triathlon All-American four times, from 1986 to 1988, and again in 2002. In 1983, he was a member of the U.S. Rowing Team that went to the International Dragon Boat Races in Hong Kong that placed second



**Former PTCRC President Paul Blaum was recently inducted into the Drexel University Athletic Hall of Fame.**

only to China. Paul is an avid runner and has been a member of the Peachtree City Running Club since 1989. He earned the Scott Hamilton President of the Year Award from the Road Runners Club in 1998.

Paul married his wife Ann in 1991 in Atlanta, and they have two children, Donna (age 5) and Jack (age 3).

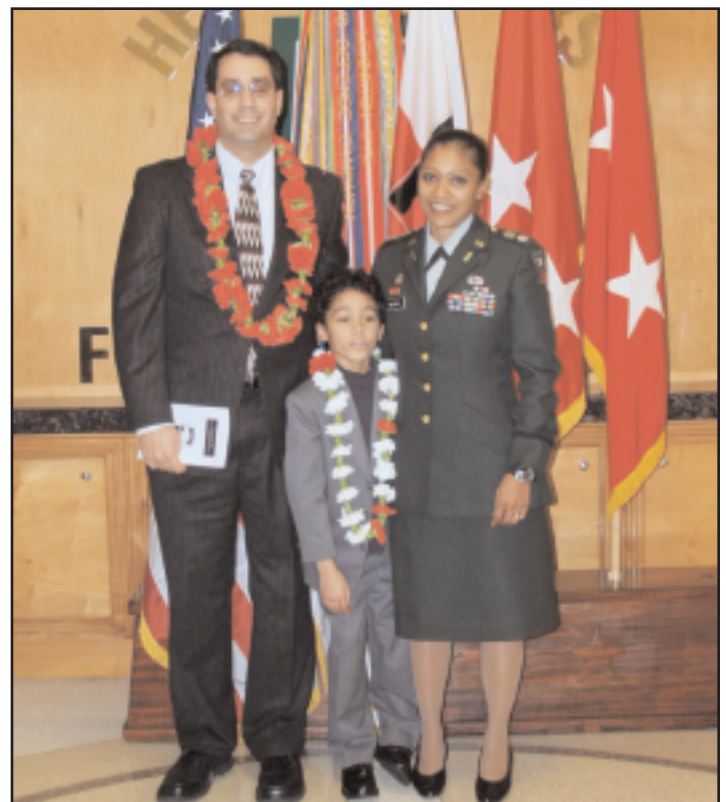
## Sue Bozgoz earns well-deserved promotion

*By Bob Dalton*

On Jan. 7, club member and U.S. Army officer Sue Bozgoz was promoted to Lieutenant Colonel. The ceremony was held at First Army Headquarters at Ft. Gillem and was hosted by the Deputy Commanding General, Major General Yingling. Sue's extended family was in attendance, including her husband Robert, her son Austin, her parents, and her 84-year-old maternal grandfather, who served a full career in the Army, as well as many friends, colleagues, and well-wishers.

In a unique touch, Sue, who is half Hawaiian, presented each member of her family with a traditional lei draped around the neck as a token of appreciation for their support throughout her career.

Sue currently serves as the Chief of Plans, Operations, and Military Support to Civilian Authorities. It is a critical position integral to the Homeland Security effort. Sue has served 19 years in the Army in a wide variety of positions at such posts as Ft. Riley, Kansas, Ft. Clayton in the Panama Canal Zone, Ft. Baker, California, and Ft. McPherson. She also served in Desert Shield/Desert Storm from November 1990 through May 1991 as the Combat Readiness maintenance Material Officer with the First Infantry Division. "Colonel Sue" is looking forward to her eventual military retirement and working full time at her passion, personal fitness training.



**Lt. Colonel Sue Bozgoz is all smiles with husband Robert and son Austin after her promotion ceremony.**



# 2004 PTCRC Hall of Fame Honorees

## Rich Horning

Rich Horning received the PTC Running Club Hall of Fame award on Dec. 12, 2004, becoming the first recipient of this prestigious award. Rich died three weeks later on Jan. 9, 2005. His many contributions and accomplishments are highlighted in this edition of the *Legacy*, which is dedicated to his memory.



Rich



Ronnie

## Ronnie Godwin

Ronnie was a charter member of the PTC Running Club. He served as the Vice President of the club in 1983 and the President of the Club in 1984. He was also the Classic Race Director in 1984. Ronnie died of cancer in 1986. Ronnie is survived by his wife Pat and their children Joey and Tracey.

In addition to the leadership role he played in the early years of the PTC Running Club, Ronnie was also the first to develop an interest in Triathlons. According to other early club members, Ronnie would work all night (he was a mechanic and pre-flight inspector at Delta), come home and spend time with the kids before school, and then train during the day, catching power naps when he could. Ronnie was the first member of the club to reach the Hawaii Iron Man competition, although he inspired many others to follow in his footsteps.

A quote from the PTC Running Club newsletter of August, 1984 said a lot about Ronnie Godwin. "He was a great leader and 'Iron Man,' who competed in the Iron Man Triathlon on the big island of Hawaii. But Ronnie was much more than an Iron Man. He was always full of encouragement and good advice for beginning runners and bikers. One day, on his first long bike ride with other people in our club, a newcomer was bringing up the rear and struggling to keep up. Ronnie came back to help him and told him to put it in fifth gear and stay close on his tail. Ronnie drafted the newcomer past half the group and really lifted his spirits. That's the kind of guy he was."

Ronnie is the namesake for the Ronnie Godwin Memorial Scholarships that we give to graduating seniors in Fayette County every year. Those scholarships began with the graduating class of 1987 and have benefited dozens of young athletes since then. Our club currently presents a total of 16 scholarships a year, at four different high schools, in his name. They are awarded to college-bound athletes who have been standouts in cross country or track and field. More than 20 years after his death, Ronnie continues to inspire people to push themselves to achievements they didn't think possible. A finer legacy is not possible.

# RRCA News

## 2005 RRCA National Convention to be held in New Orleans

The 48th annual Road Runners Club of America National Convention will be hosted by the New Orleans Track Club May 13-15.

This year's convention will highlight the reestablishment of the RRCA as the single national organization representing grass roots running. It is anticipated that the merger of the American Association of Running Clubs (AARC) and the RRCA will be complete, and we will be celebrating a newly revitalized RRCA.

Since 1958, the Road Runners Club of America has held a national convention for its members to conduct business and elect officers. The convention provides the opportunity for all RRCA club members to gather to discuss and vote on issues that face the sport of running and the organization. Educational components with a variety of workshops, seminars, social functions and numerous networking opportunities are a vital part of the weekend.

An important part of the convention is the daily club runs and the highlighted race of the weekend. This year's Gospel and Blues 5K Run and Walk and the daily club-sponsored runs will capture the unique history, architecture, and flavor of New Orleans.

All club members are invited to attend. For more information, contact Club President George Martin.

## USATF Georgia Association Grand Prix

Many of our RRCA Georgia clubs are involved in the USATF Georgia Association Grand Prix series of races. This is an 8-race series that includes:

- 2/19/05 – Silver Comet Ultra Run 50K, Rockmart, GA
- 3/5/05 – Chattahoochee 10K, Atlanta, GA (RRCA Club)
- 3/19/05 – Leprechaun 5K, Dublin, GA (RRCA Club)
- 4/15/05 – Savannah Track Meet 10K, Savannah, GA
- 10/15/04 – Peachtree City Classic 15K, Peachtree City, GA (RRCA Club)
- 11/12/05 – Millen Cross Country 4.8 Mile Race, Millen, GA
- 11/24/05 – Atlanta Half Marathon, Atlanta, GA (RRCA Club)
- 12/10/05 – Carpet Capital 10 Miler, Dalton, GA (RRCA Club)

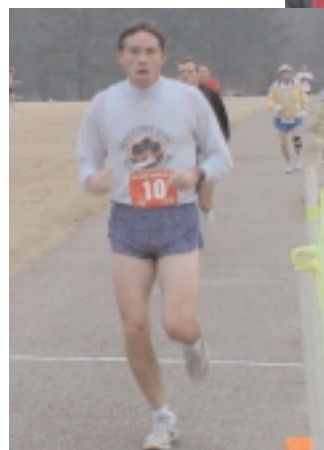
The Grand Prix Series Year End Awards: Male and Female respectively: \$500, \$300, \$200, \$100, \$100. Awards will be presented at the conclusion of the final Grand Prix race of the calendar year — the Carpet Capital 10 Miler in Dalton.

You must be a Georgia resident and a USATF member to be eligible for awards.

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*The Road Runners Club of America is a non-profit organization of over 600 running clubs and 130,000 members across the United States. The RRCA chapters organize races, have training runs, provide safety guidelines, promote children's and masters fitness running programs, and have social programs.*

## ATC/PTCRC partnership thrives with annual 5K/10K race



# A Tribute to Rich

*Have you heard, a runner has fallen? The runner fell, finish in sight  
The runner got up and picked up his pace. The runner who fell, can he still win the race?*

A suburb of Cleveland, Garfield Heights, a boy was born, the timing was right

February 3rd, 1957, Violet and Leonard, a son sent from Heaven.

“We’ll name him Richard” there’s just one glitch, his family and friends would all call him “Rich”

Ohio’s a great place to grow and be cool, to graduate from Brecksville, Rich’s high school.

Rich was a Boy Scout, an Eagle in fact. He ran cross country and out on the track

He had two brothers, Lenny and Jeff. Great guys, great friends, the family was blessed.

What would be next for this dashing young man? Was college and career part of his plan?

His goal at the time was to get high, to soar with the eagles, to fly in the sky.

What better place than Colorado Springs? He could march, run cross country and do other things

The home of the Falcons, the Air Force, a good time. Rich graduated a lieutenant in ’79.

And fly, he did, in 135’s. He taught for awhile and saved a man’s life

Goodbye to the Air Force, a job he must try. Fly Boeing’s for Western, the only way to fly.

It’s not quite clear, perhaps even funny, how Rich fell in love with a playboy bunny

The fact is he did, a love sweet as candy. When the time was right he proposed to his Sandi.

He and his bride drawn in a carriage. The ushers in golf carts during their marriage

A prince and his princess, a little bit witty. Rich married Sandi in Salt Lake City.

Salt Lake was fine for him and his love. Rich now flew for Delta, Atlanta’s its hub

So off they moved to the hub’s proximity. Sandi and Rich moved to Peachtree City.

Two years later, about ’94, Rich joined a club, his running would soar

A perfect activity near Delta’s hub. The Hornings were now in the running club.

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*The runner got up and picked up his pace. The runner who fell, will he win the race?*

To qualify for Boston, if he possibly can, he ran a 3:0:8 marathon in Birmingham

A great run in Boston, with his time he was pleased. He twisted his ankle, still ran 3:0:3.

What was missing for Sandi and Rich? There was room for something to fill a small niche

A beautiful small child came into their lives. A daughter, named Sheridan, opened their eyes.

Life was great for the Hornings, all three. Flying and running, a daughter to please

He ran a 10K in 38:50. Life was fun, running was nifty.

The Classic was growing, a leader it needed. Rich volunteered, he promptly proceeded

To excel at the effort two years in a row. Because of commitment it continued to grow.

I remember one time while out on a run, at a playground, the Hornings, Sheridan was young

A storybook family is what I thought then. Whenever I saw them I felt that again.

Life took a turn in 2002. A visit to the doctor brought some bad news

Rich was ill, ahead lay some strife. Rich would begin the run of his life.

We were awed as we watched Rich fighting back, from medicine, chemo, staying on track

We thought he had beat it, the sickness had gone. With sadness we learned that we had been wrong

Rich finished his run in style and grace. A runner, a friend, he won the great race

He completed the run last Sunday near seven. He began in our life and ended in Heaven.

Sandi, your Rich was loved and admired, by all who knew him, by all he inspired

Sheridan, you dad was a man we all loved. We’ll never forget him in his home up above.

Rich, we will miss you, your legacy won’t end. A husband, a father, a brother, a friend

You’ll always be with us just like when we ran. From the depths of our hearts, we love you man!

*Have you heard, a runner has fallen? The runner fell, finish in sight*

*The runner got up and picked up his pace. The runner who fell, he won the race!*





July 7, 2004

Dear Rick,  
 During my lifetime I have had the  
 privilege of knowing a few  
 men of great courage (courage  
 being defined by one ancient as  
 "enduring just one moment more").  
 The unflagging courage you have  
 shown in your fight against  
 cancer certainly places you among  
 them. We all hope for your  
 recovery but we also lived by  
 your quiet resolve.

Congratulations upon being chosen  
 to carry the Olympic torch. Since  
 I had the honor in 1996, I knew  
 how much this meant to you.

Sincerely  
 Joe Maloy

- "Those who serve and stand  
 ready to sacrifice are the  
 torch bearers. We run with  
 hope until we fall, content  
 if we can pass them on to  
 other runners."

an excerpt from a letter  
 written by T. Roosevelt  
 during World Wars



## - Club Notes and News -

### Beginner's Women's Running Program

The City Recreation Department will host a brand new Beginner's Women's Running Program starting in early March of this year. Our own Sue Bozgoz will be the instructor and will be introducing non-runners or novice runners to the basics of proper training, development, planning, and goal setting. But the emphasis will be on simply enjoying a healthy alternative to riding the couch. If you know of anyone who may be interested you can get more information by calling the PTC Recreation Department at 770-631-2542, or by contacting one of the club officers or Sue directly.

### Peachtree City Flash

The Peachtree City Flash (Youth Track Team) began workouts on Feb. 1. Thank you to those members who have been helping Jimmy Roberts and Leslie Salinski with this very worthwhile program. If you have a free hour or so, more volunteers are always needed. Practices are each Tuesday and Thursday from 6-7 p.m. and Saturdays from 9-10 a.m. All practices are held at Riley Field, adjacent to Peachtree City Elementary School near the football fields on Wisdom Road. There will also be at least three more developmental meets, tentatively scheduled for March 5, March 12, and March 19. If you can help at any of these meets, volunteers will be in short supply, and it will be most appreciated.

### Peachtree Road Race Applications

The PTC Running Club will once again consolidate Peachtree applications for mailing on Sat., March 19. Dr. Ed Finucan has agreed to allow his office to serve as that consolidation point on

that day from noon until 1 p.m. His office is at the corner of Hwy 74 and Aberdeen Parkway, next to the temporary PTC Library. Ed will have copies of the application from the newspaper at his office. If you want to get your application in ahead of the masses starting the next day, be sure to bring four things: Your drivers license or photo ID, a check for the registration fee, a stamped envelope, and proof of your 10K qualifying time if you have one. The "mail truck" leaves at 1:00 sharp so don't be late!

Congratulations to Tracy Welch who recently earned a position on the Atlanta Track Club Women's Competitive Team with a sub 6:10 mile. Way to go Tracy!

Congratulations to Mary Ann Crofton, who was named Oak Grove Elementary School's 2004-2005 Teacher of the Year. Great job Mary Ann!

### Marine Corps Marathon

Come and celebrate the 30th Marine Corps Marathon with us! If you don't want to run the marathon, sign up for the 8K. Online registration for both races start on April 6, 2005. There will be NO LOTTERY. The marathon will be open to only 30,000 runners. It will close in one day, so be prepared to take care of business and register on April 6!

If you are interested in running on a team, see Sue Bozgoz for details. Categories include Men, Women, Masters, Organizations, Military, and Mixed. All runners must already be individually registered and accepted. Teams will consist of at least three runners but not more than five runners. The team entry fee is \$35.

Also, we have reserved 25 rooms (first come, first served) at the Holiday Inn Capital within walking distance of the Capital Building. The rate is \$129 per night. (Beat that!) They are being held for Thurs., Oct. 27 through Mon., Oct. 31.

Everyone who has previously signed up, please e-mail Bill Fuller to reconfirm and also give the dates you wish for the hotel along with credit card details. If your name is not on the list but you want to go, then e-mail Bill at [mki.kammann@bt-bbs.com](mailto:mki.kammann@bt-bbs.com) ASAP with dates and credit card details. At this time we still have a chance to secure a few more rooms.

For more information about the trip, contact Bill or Sue. **DON'T FORGET TO REGISTER ON APRIL 6!**

### Rich Horning Fountain Dedication Run

On Sat., March 26, the club will run as usual at 8 a.m. from PTC City Hall. But on this Saturday, rather than running the normal 10K course, we will run north on the old Bridge to Bridge course. We will stop at about the 3-mile mark, at the Blue Smoke Park & Recreation area, where we will have a brief dedication ceremony at the Rich Horning Memorial water fountain. The club has purchased a new fountain and also a memorial stone to be placed at that location. Then we will continue the run back to City Hall. Depending on the finish chosen, the course will be a 5.5 to 6 mile run. Please plan to join us if you can.

### *Thank you!*

Thank you to all of the members who participated in, walked in, or contributed to this year's Memory Walk. The PTC Running Club contributed \$495 in cash, and the event raised a total of \$176,610! Thank you to Cathy Olson for organizing this year's club participation.

Thank you to Bernice Wassell for organizing both the Club's assistance to Rich and Sandra Horning in Rich's last days, as well as the very nice post-memorial service reception.

Thank you to Carolyn Gulick, Denise Best, Dick & Jan Allis, John Waterhouse, Dave Piet, Roy Robison, Bill Johnston, and the many, many other club members who helped both before and after the reception. It was a very nice tribute to Rich from the club he loved.

Thank you to Julia, Michael, Brantley, and the other ATC personnel, as well as to the many PTC Club volunteers who helped make the 2005 ATC/PTC 10K & 5K successes again. Special thanks to Gene Sedlacko for organizing the volunteers all the way from Valdosta.



## PTC Running Club members around the world ...



### Yo ho ho and a bottle of rum ...

*These adventurous club members spent their vacation sailing the Caribbean. Looks like they had their share of fun! The "pirates" are from left, Roy Robison, Dave Gulick, Tom Crofton, Dave Raney (Tom's cousin), Dave Olson, and Phil Jones.*



*PTC running club athletes stop at nothing to find the best training surfaces and locations. Sprinting on the beach in Quepos, Costa Rica are Steve Poth, Bill Fuller, Marino Fuentes, Peter Maskrey, and Scott Allen. Below, the group gathers after their "hard" sunrise run. From left are George Martin, Marino Fuentes, Doug Russell, Peter Maskrey, Scott Allen, Steve Poth, and Bill Fuller.*



## January/February meeting highlights

### February

President George Martin called the Feb. 7, 2005 meeting to order at 7:30 p.m. at the Wyndham Conference Center. 75 members and guests were in attendance. He welcomed the following new members and guests: Sandy Forero, Rob & Amy Ervin, Jed Smith, and Rhonda Fuentes.

#### Awards and Recognition

1,000-mile jackets and 1,000-mile certificates were awarded from the Christmas Party. Chuck Garwood, Jerry Shoemaker, Sue Bozgoz and Chuck Smith were recognized for being on the cover of the *Running Journal* when they ran in the Rocket City Marathon.

#### Program

Bob Dalton introduced Ms. Tegan Fischer, Pilates Instructor, who told us the history of Pilates as well as showed us several exercises on the Wunda Chair. Members also got to try some of the exercises.

#### Old Business

Gate River Run 15K at Jacksonville, Florida on March 12, 2005. Sign up now. New Member Breakfast and Run on Feb. 26 at Teri Besch's home. A water fountain plaque dedication run/cer-

emony for Rich Horning will be held March 26 at Blue Smoke Recreation Area.

#### Reports by Officers

Activities V.P. Ed Finucan gave out February Grand Prix awards. The next Grand Prix is on March 5 and will be an Adventure Run.

Treasurer Marino Fuentes announced we have \$4,662.82 in the checking account and made 2 CD's of \$28,000 in the reserve fund. The budget was approved.

#### Reports from Coordinators

*Membership/ Social* - Bernice Wassell reported we have 94 members. We need to renew our membership by March 1 or members will receive no e-mails or newsletters. Joe will have membership cards at the March meeting. Bernice also asked our preference for the Christmas Party being on Friday or Saturday. Members did not have a preference so she will reserve a place for what is available.

*Classic Race Director* - Rose Kempton asked members to let her know if they want to continue being coordinators for the race next year or change to something else.

The next meeting is on Mon., March 7, 2005 at the Wyndham Conference Center.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:30 p.m.

# New Year's Day run kicks off 2005 Grand Prix



## January — Event 1 “Guess the Feet”

### Men's Open (50 and below)

1st place	Jerry Shoemaker	-94 deviation
2nd place	Steve Dorsey	126
3rd place	Mark Mascara	168
4th place	Mike Warren	-226
5th place	John Mrosek	-232

### Men's Masters (51 and above)

1st place	Roy Robison	38
2nd place	Chuck Garwood	-94
3rd place	Marino Fuentes	-120
4th place	Dan Twineham	315
5th place	Normer Adams	-382

### Women's Open (47 and below)

1st place	Tracy Welch	57
2nd place	Shannon Phillips	-179
3rd place	Beth Wiggins	213
4th place	Bonnie Hancock	-231
5th place	Kath Jones	302

### Women's Masters (48 and above)

1st place	Sandy Tuman	194
2nd place	Trish Vlastnik	-307
3rd place	Ann Shoemaker	-322
4th place	Martha Boone	-672
5th place	Rose Kempton	-762

## February — Event 2 Consistency Run

### Men's Open (50 and below)

1st place	Mark Mascara	1-second difference
2nd place (tie)	Vern Schmitz	2 seconds
2nd place (tie)	Mike Warren	2 seconds
4th place	Doug Fuentes	4 seconds
5th place (tie)	Steve Swope	5 seconds
5th place (tie)	Gary Kolb	5 seconds

### Men's Masters (51 and above)

1st place	Sam Dillingham	0-second difference
2nd place	Marino Fuentes	6 seconds
3rd place	Bill Fuller	7 seconds
4th place	Chuck Garwood	9 seconds
5th place	Dan Twineham	10 seconds

### Women's Open (47 and below)

1st place	Beth Wiggins	3-second difference
2nd place	Rhonda Fuentes	5 seconds
3rd place	Erica Hughey	13 seconds
4th place	Melissa Anderson	14 seconds
5th place	Bonnie Hancock	15 seconds

### Women's Masters (48 and above)

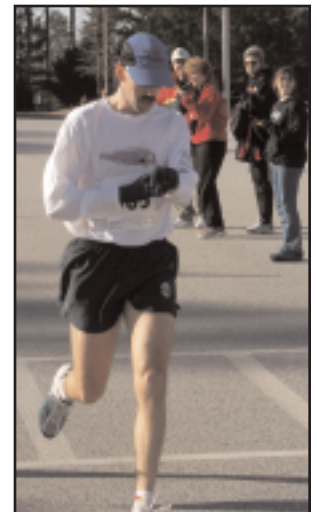
1st place	Ann Henderson	1-second difference
2nd place	Sandy Tuman	3 seconds
3rd place (tie)	Rene Flaherty	4 seconds
3rd place (tie)	Teri Besch	4 seconds
5th place	Sue Berschinski	5 seconds



# Inaugural 'Heart to Heart 5K' first in school Grand Prix series



The "Heart to Heart 5K and 1 Mile Run" held Feb. 12 at Kedron Elementary was the first in the newly established PTC Rotary Elementary School Grand Prix series. Kedron's first race was a success, earning the school more than \$9,000. Check the PTCRC calendar or Web site for the dates of the remaining races in the series. Come on out and support your local schools!



Kedron's overall 5K winner Len Horning (Rich's brother) left, and 3rd place finisher Mark Hamilton, above.

## RACE RESULTS

Runners Name	Race Name	Time	Place
Bill Everage	ATC-PTC 5K	22:35	
Paula May	ATC-PTC 5K	22:02	3rd in age group
Ben Gross	ATC-PTC 5K	28:04	2nd in age group
Tracy Welch	ATC-PTC 5K	21:37	1st in age group
Cynthia Maerz	ATC-PTC 5K	23:36	2nd in age group
Christi Gongola	ATC-PTC 5K	23:02	3rd in age group
Trish Vlasnik	ATC-PTC 5K	22:25	
Ann Akers	ATC-PTC 5K	25:29	1st in age group
George Martin	ATC-PTC 5K	28:20	
Prince Whatley	ATC-PTC 10K	40:43	3rd in age group
Bill Anderson	ATC-PTC 10K	40:46	2nd in age group
Tom Round	ATC-PTC 10K	44:57	
Jason Hendrix	ATC-PTC 10K	42:20	
Jed Smith	ATC-PTC 10K	40:28	
Hal Wolfe	ATC-PTC 10K	41:40	3rd in age group
Marino Fuentes	ATC-PTC 10K	54:20	
Logan Feldman	ATC-PTC 10K	54:30	
Bob Dalton	ATC-PTC 10K	39:21	3rd in age group
Steve Hancock	ATC-PTC 10K	58:55	
Tom Crofton	ATC-PTC 10K	43:40	
Bill Fuller	ATC-PTC 10K	44:17	
Jim Crowley	ATC-PTC 10K	50:43	
Joe Wassell	ATC-PTC 10K	58:07	
Bob Trombly	ATC-PTC 10K	45:30	2nd in age group
Dan Ahern	ATC-PTC 10K	61:11	
John Waterhouse	ATC-PTC 10K	49:48	3rd in age group
Mark Pauly	Sacramento Marathon	3:30:07	Boston Qualify
Bill Werling	Tybee Island 1/2 Marathon	2:16:18	
Wes Wilkins	Disney Marathon	3:35:00	PR, 369th OA
Prince Whatley	Mountain Mist Trail Run 50K	6:16:07	96 out of 224 finishers
Sue Bozgoz	Virginia Beach 1/2 Marathon	1:32:10	1st place Masters
Tracy Welch	Charles Harris 10K	43:00	PR
Jane Welch	Charles Harris 10K	55:00	PR
George Martin	Charles Harris 10K	54:19	
Dave Piet	Madi Gras Sugar Bowl Marathon	3:53:00	

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