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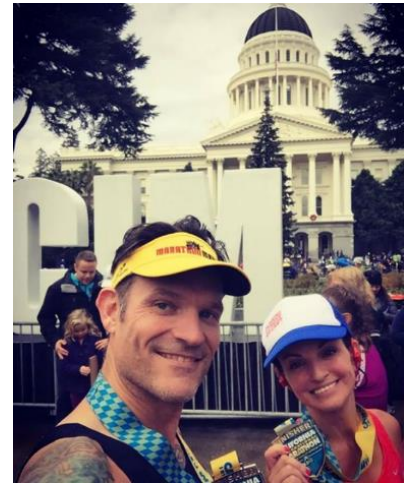
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Ed



Jim Boyd

HALF FANATICS

Marathon Maniacs running half marathons...
YES, it's true!

Tired of running marathons and ultras (HA!!)?
Need to back down on that weekly mileage
and concentrate on getting faster? Then join
the Half Fanatics (halffanatics.com). There are
currently over 13,000+ members in the
Fanatic Asylum, and I'm sure you'll recognize
a few names in the group. So jump on the
bandwagon now, get your qualifying races in
and join this new, zany group!

www.halffanatics.com





Todd



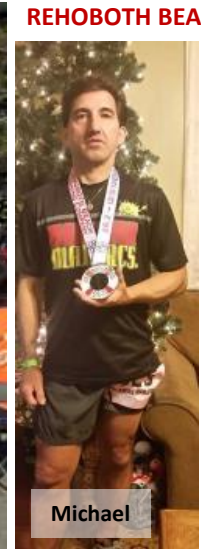
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REHOBOTH BEACH MARATHON

REHOBOTH BEACH, DELAWARE



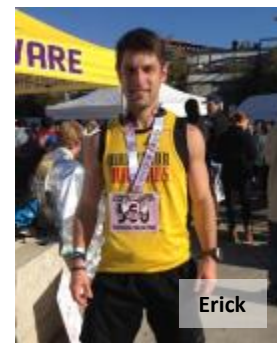
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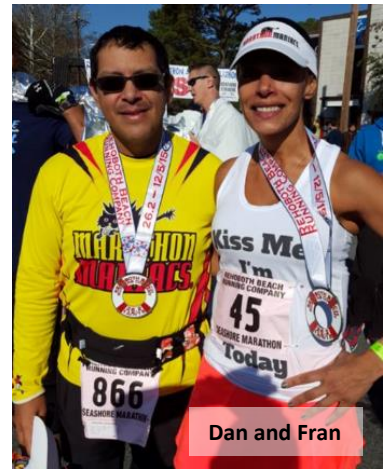
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Glen



Bob and Kerri



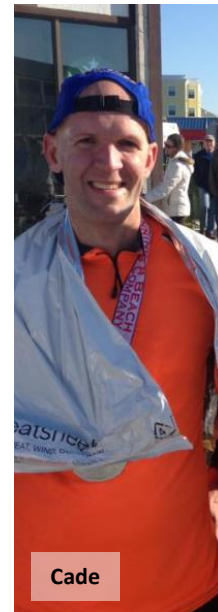
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Denis and Glen



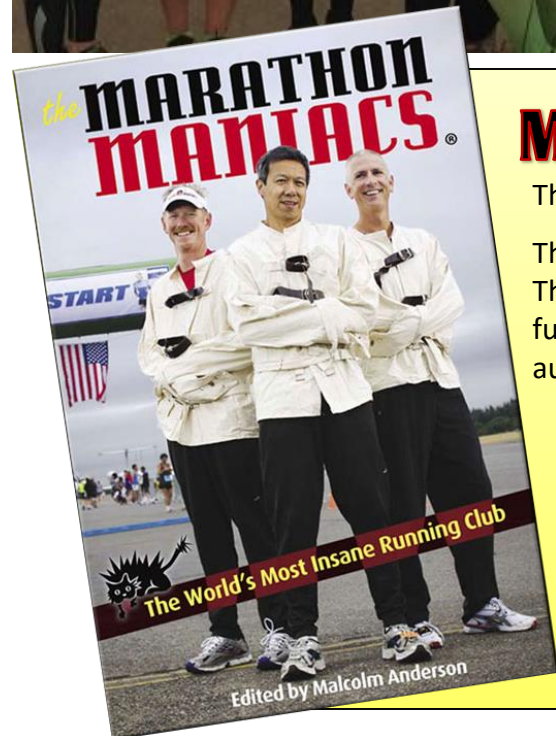
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Cade



Henry and Larry



MARATHON MANIACS: THE BOOK

The Marathon Maniacs have released a book!

This book is collection of stories by members of the Marathon Maniacs. These stories are sure to be encouraging and motivation to current and future members. The book was edited by Maniac Malcolm Anderson author of the book "The Messengers".

Be sure to get your copy of the book and enjoy the stories of the World's Most Insane Running Club!

<http://www.databarevents.com/store/product/101/Marathon-Maniacs-Book>

Autographed Copy:

<http://www.databarevents.com/store/product/103/Autographed-MM-Book>



Honolulu Marathon

HONOLULU, HAWAII



Jim



Marc

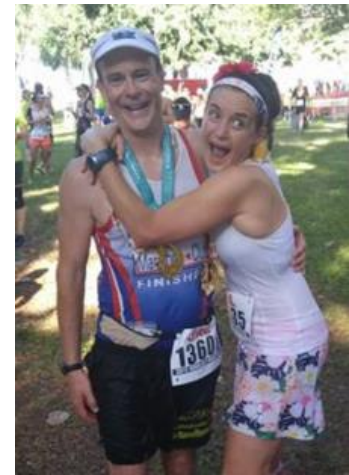


Andy



Steve





MARATHON MANIACS PACE TEAM

The Official Marathon Maniac Pace Teams

Did you know the Marathon Maniacs have an official pace team? Since Maniacs are no stranger to running 26.2 miles many of you are good running these runs.

There are many great reasons to join the pace team and many rewarding aspects to being a pacer.



Requirements to be a Pacer

- Must have completed 15 marathons for your desired distance to pace
- Marathon Pacer: Must have completed the marathon distance 20 minutes faster than your pace time for the full marathon (example: to pace a 4:00 hour you must have run a 3:40 marathon)
- To be in good standing with the Marathon Maniacs and all dues current
- Have your MM race page updated so that we can link your information
- CPR Certification by event date-please contact your local fire department for a FREE class

Pacer Perks

- Free to join!
- Waived entry fee
- Sublimated Pace Shirts
- A chance to carry the coveted maniac cat pace sign
- Discounts on lodging when applicable
- Fun pacing runners to their goal finish time

Best of luck to you securing your spot on the pace team!

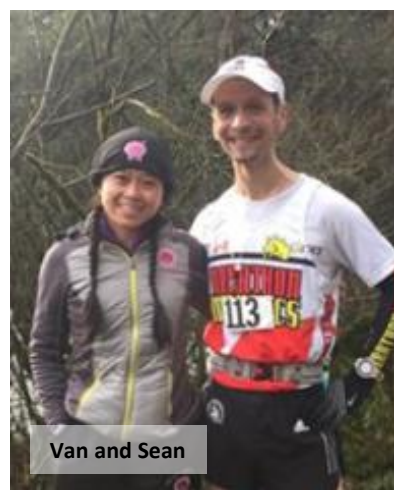
For more information on which races we are looking for pacers and on getting signed up please visit:

<http://www.marathonmaniacs.com/marathon-maniacs/pacer-team>

Marathon Maniac Pacing Coordinator: **Sabrina Seher** (MM #3397)



Roger and Rikki



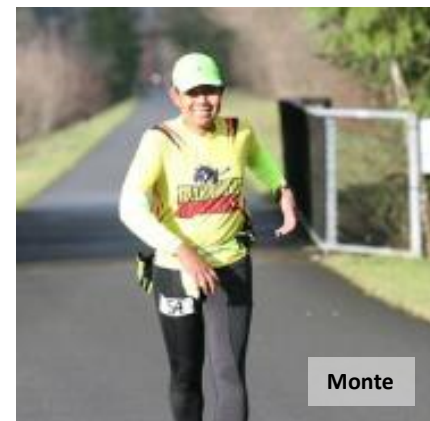
Van and Sean



Shawn



Steven Yee



Monte



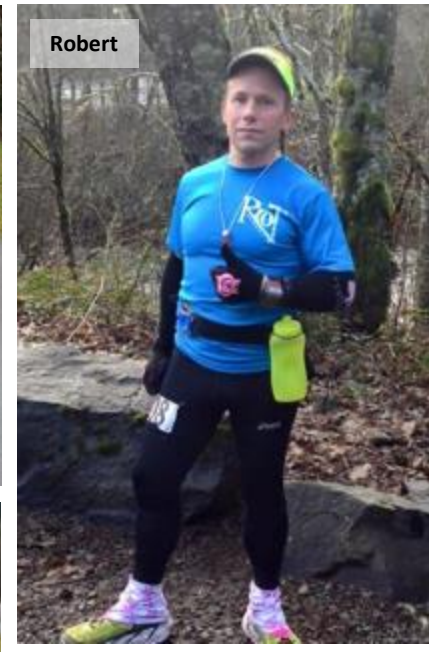
Scott



Dane



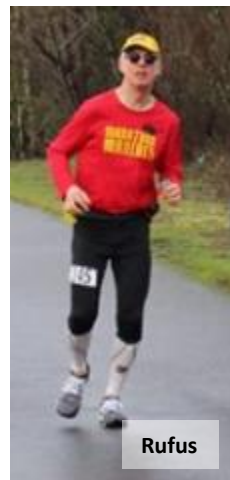
Heidi



Robert



Patti



Rufus



Deb and Marie



Jane and Rick

PIGTAILS FLAT ASS MARATHON & 50K

MAPLE VALLEY WASHINGTON



Steve and Candy



Houston



Glen and Larry



Steve runs his 100th marathon in the state of Oregon!



Scott



Sean

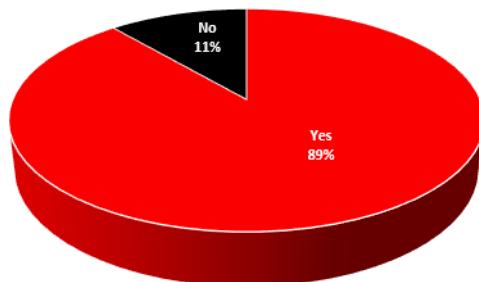


MANIAC POLL

Each month there will be a "Maniac poll". This poll will be posted online. Please take a few moments to answer this poll. I will post the results in the next newsletter.

How many states have you run a marathon in?

Please vote online between now and February 29: <http://tinyurl.com/MMpoll2016a>



Last month's question:

Do you save the bib numbers from races that you run?

89% of Maniacs save their marathon bibs.

Thanks for voting!



JOIN THE MANIACS ON THESE SOCIAL NETWORKS



FACEBOOK:

Marathon Maniac page:

<http://www.facebook.com/pages/Marathon-Maniacs/144969288167>

Marathon Maniacs group:

<http://www.facebook.com/groups/marathonmaniacs/>

INSTAGRAM:

@marathonmaniacs - <http://instagram.com/marathonmaniacs>

TWITTER:

@mainmaniacs - <http://twitter.com/mainmaniacs>

Across all social networks use the hash tag:

#marathonmaniacs

Desert Solstice Classic

On Dec 19-20, some of the countries best ultra marathons ran a 24 hour invitational race in Phoenix, Arizona. Invited were two Marathon Maniacs, Bob Hearn and Ed Ettinghausen.

Bob finished second setting a new American age group record with 149.24 miles.

Ed finished fourth with 123.53 miles.

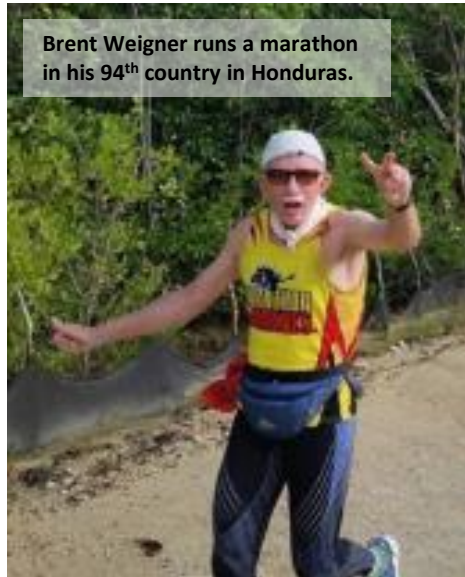
During this same event, Zach Bitter set a new American record for 100 miles with a time of 11:40:55!



Ed



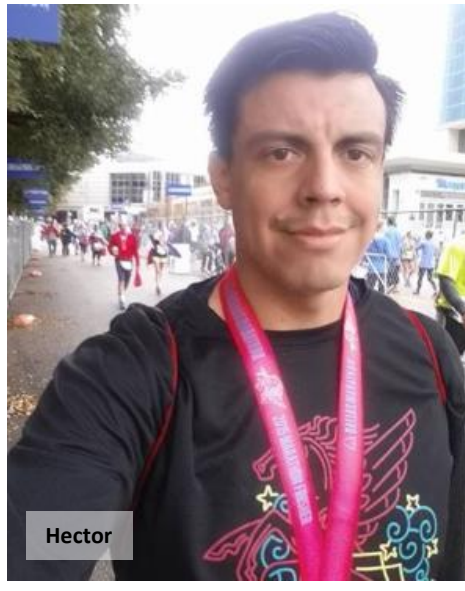
Bob



Brent Weigner runs a marathon in his 94th country in Honduras.



Heidi reaches 8 stars!



Hector



Brian



DOUBLE AGENTS

Since the formation of the Half Fanatics in 2009, a runner who is a member of both clubs is called a Double Agent.

Well, the Main Maniacs have decided to create an asylum dedicated to those who are Double Agents. In order to be assigned a Double Agent number you must have your dues paid and updated in both the MM and HF. Your name and e-mail address must match both clubs. Each day a program will run to generate new members.

New gear is available for Double Agents as well as a whole new set of challenges as you climb peaks.

For more information visit the Maniacs web site.



DOUBLE AGENTS

NEW DOUBLE AGENTS IN DECEMBER:

Sandra Randall (#1982)
 Michael Shiach (#1983)
 Amy Yeh (#1984)
 Benjamin Sommers (#1985)
 Gloria Hinton (#1986)
 Doug St. Peters (#1987)
 Crystal Ryder (#1988)
 Forbes Tait (#1989)
 Renee Causey (#1990)
 Brittany Martin (#1991)
 shawn fisher (#1992)
 Artney Walker (#1993)
 Dawn Ryan (#1994)
 Imaobong Ekanem (#1995)
 Justin Stroud (#1996)
 Tracy Voorthuyzen (#1997)
 Tonisia Billups (#1998)
 Lauren Morse (#1999)
 Juvenal Martin Escamilla (#2000)
 Shawn Aebi (#2001)
 Rebecca Snell (#2002)
 Tonya Weaver (#2003)
 Yvette Garcia (#2004)
 Bonnie Kimpling-kelly (#2005)
 Terri Haney (#2006)
 Corey Aulbach (#2007)
 Khianna "KBrunsDisney" (#2008)
 LeeAnn Moore (#2009)
 Charles Redditt (#2010)
 Hyalker Amaral (#2011)
 Linda Manaugh (#2012)
 Alexandria Emgushov (#2013)
 Cheryl McNally (#2014)
 Mariah Spengler (#2015)
 Wendy Wall (#13434) (#2016)
 Elyn Macek (#2017)
 Robert Clarkson (#2018)
 Satish Kasula (#2019)
 shelly mack (#2020)
 Christle (#2021)
 Gerard Tilley (#2022)
 Tammy Henderson (#2023)
 Jessica Crockett (#2024)
 Erin Orrick (#2025)
 Demetria Adams (#2026)

Debbie Berg (#2027)
 Karen Gordon (#2028)
 Debbie Lybarger (#2029)
 Erika Lunsford (#2030)
 Susan Mock (#2031)
 Isabel Rodriguez (#2032)
 Jacinta Williams (#2033)
 Sarah Kent (#2034)
 Gayle Herman (#2035)
 Deveril Wint (#2036)
 Sarah Eastman (#2037)
 Thomas Scotney (#2038)
 Joan Topham (#2039)
 Darla Brown (#2040)
 Leigha Jones (#2041)
 Melissa Minard (#2042)
 Robin Dalrymple (#2043)
 Cindy Haddad (#2044)
 Christy Shelton (#2045)
 Kristen Powell (#2046)
 Chuck Compson (#2047)
 Todd Ernsberger (#2048)
 Cheree Crawley (#2049)
 Amber Brown (#2050)
 Lynette Watts (#2051)
 Brandye Smith (#2052)
 Brenda Hilligoss (#2053)
 Sonia Stratton (#2054)
 sherry wilson (#2055)
 Kathleen Marie Brunner (#2056)
 Jennifer Seward (#2057)
 Julie Leahy (#2058)
 Ron Smith (#2059)
 Teri O'Neal (#2060)
 Marie Schaff (#2061)
 Julie Horne (#2062)
 Ashley Lemaster (#2063)
 Della Bell-Freeman (#2064)
 Melinda Langlois (#2065)
 LaTasha Fields (#2066)
 Janet Holland (#2067)
 Rob Lowry (#2068)
 Kandi Lowry (#2069)
 April Hunt (#2070)
 Jacqueline Whitney (#2071)



Germaine

Candy



Maria



Melissa



Jim



Larry, Stacey and Charlotte



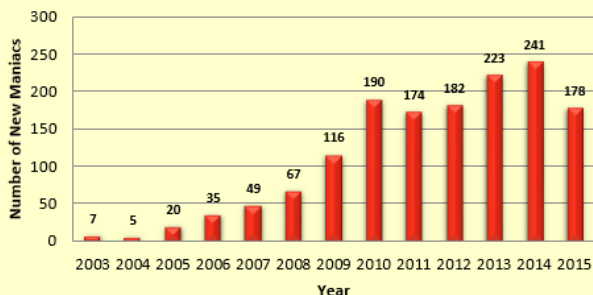
REPORT FROM THE INSANE ASYLUM

The following is a statistical update on the growth of the Marathon Maniacs. It may not mean much to you, but I find it very interesting.

Monthly Growth

Month	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Yearly
Averages	84.3	61.9	75.1	63.2	100.3	75.8	47.8	28.5	35.4	101.3	118.8	109.1	765.6
Record	225	177	189	138	249	175	101	56	73	257	334	241	2,110
2014	225	177	189	137	249	175	81	52	70	257	257	241	2,110
2015	214	129	180	141	178	124	54	45	50	188	238	178	1,719

New Maniacs for December



**NEW
MANIACS
in
December
2015**

178

**NEW
MANIACS
in
2015**

1,719

**TOTAL
MANIACS
12,251**

**TOTAL
DOUBLE
AGENTS
2,071**

MARATHON MANIACS CRITERIA

New Maniacs at each level

★★★★★ **TITANIUM** ★★★★★★

- 52 Marathons or more within 365 days.
- 30 Marathons in 30 different US states within 365 days.
- 20 Countries within 365 days.

Evelyn Smith, Wesley Hardacre
Dotti Lupariello, Tim Mullican

★★★★★ **PLATINUM** ★★★★★

- 45 - 51 Marathons within 365 days.
- 23 Marathons in 23 different US states within 365 days.
- 28 Marathons within 183 days.

None

★★★★★ **PALLADIUM** ★★★★★

- 38 - 44 Marathons within 365 days.
- 20 Marathons in 20 different US states within 365 days
- 13 Marathons within 79 days.

None

★★★★ **OSMIUM** ★★★★★

- 31 - 37 Marathons within 365 days.
- 16 Marathons in 16 different US states within 365 days.
- 6 Marathons within 16 days.
- 4 Marathons in 4 days = QUADZILLA.

Donna Dullys, Ross Comer

★★★ **RUTHENIUM** ★★★★★

- 31 - 37 Marathons within 365 days.
- 16 Marathons in 16 different US states within 365 days.
- 6 Marathons within 16 days.
- 4 Marathons in 4 days = QUADZILLA.

Nadia Guimont

★★★ **IRIDIUM** ★★★★★

- 4 Marathons in 23 days.
- 19 - 25 Marathons within 365 days.
- 2 Marathons in 2 days (or 48 hours)
- 9 Marathons in 9 different US states within 365 days.

Meg Sauve

★★★ **GOLD** ★

- 4 Marathons within 37 days.
- 12 - 18 Marathons within 365 days.
- 4 Marathons in 4 different US states within 51 days

None

★ **SILVER** ★

- 3 Marathons within a 16 day time frame.
- 6 Marathons in 6 consecutive calendar months.
- 8 - 11 Marathons within 365 days.

None

BRONZE ★

- 2 Marathons within a 16 day time frame.
- 3 Marathons within a 90 day time frame.

If you reached a higher Maniac level and want the recognition in the Newsletter Please fill out this form: <http://tinyurl.com/MMupgrade>

New Titanium Maniacs!!



Evelyn Smith



Wesley Hardacre



Dotti Lupariello



Tim Mullican

TITANIUM MANIACS

★ ★ ★ ★ ★ ★ ★ ★ ★ ★ CLASS OF 2015



Rosemary Nixon



Loren Starr



Midnight Tenenbaum



Robert Holland



Chuck Harvey



Dan Ruiz



Roger Smothers



Jeff Burleson



Leah Piper



Stacy Allen Bolyard



Sabrina Seher



Chavet Breslin



Paul Piper



Donna Richards



Seth Kramer



Karen Murray



Greg Burress



Juli Johnson



Olivier Hamar



Lara Michelle



Cheryl Symons



David Clare



April Graves



Shalisa Davis



George Rose



Jessica Hardy



Clint Burleson



Stefan Hornke



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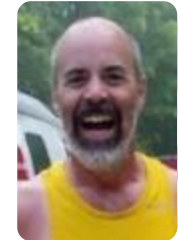
Trisha Klein



Ken Locke



Kate Stoker



Mark Parrotte



Amanda Locke



Tim Mahler



Alex Portwine



Paul Spooner



Curtis Chong



Bill Odendahl



Terance Lee



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Don Baker

TITANIUM MANIACS

★ ★ ★ ★ ★ ★ ★ ★ ★ ★ CLASS OF 2015



Gary Brampton



Paula Eyvonne Steinbach



Keenan Haga



Philip Rand



Gwendolyn Rucker



Carolyn Thomson Easter



James Alexander



Eddy Angkawibawa



Karl Randall



Stephen Greenhalgh



Evelyn Smith



Leah and Paul Piper



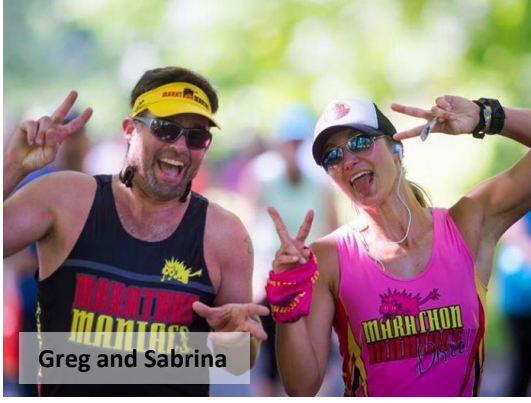
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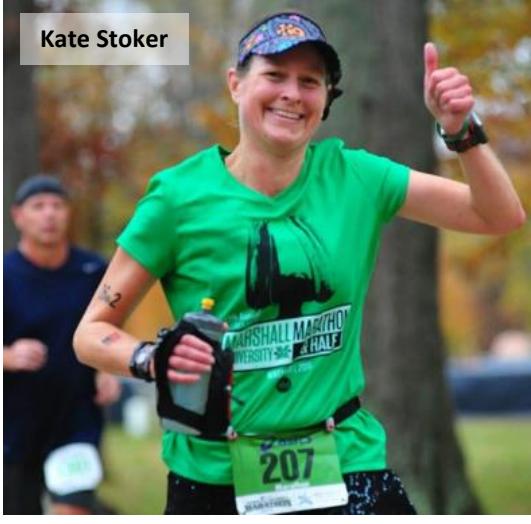
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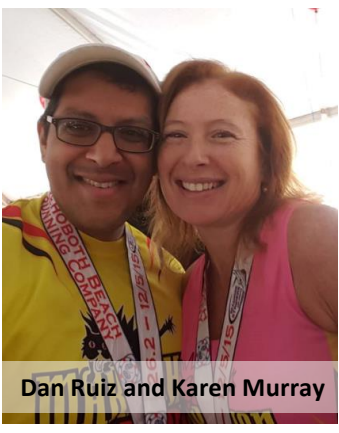
Bill and Chavet



Amanda and Ken Locke



Kate Stoker



Dan Ruiz and Karen Murray



Stacy and Gwendolyn

Upcoming Races!

Marathon/Ultra Calendar between November 26-January 1

2/4	Yukon Arctic Ultra and Marathon	26.2	YT	2/20	Black Warrior 50K	50K	AL
2/5	Rouge Orleans 126.2m	Ultra	LA	2/20	Montara Mountain Trail Run	26.2	CA
2/6	Rainshadow Orcas Island	50K	WA	2/20	Thrill in the Hills	26.2	GA
2/6	Tejas Trails Rocky Raccoon 100m	100mi	TX	2/20	Surfside Beach Marathon	26.2	TX
2/6	Sedona Marathon	26.2	AZ	2/20	Olde Girdled Grit 50k and Marathon	Ultra	OH
2/6	White Rock Classic 50k	50K	AR	2/20	Ultra Adventures Antelope Canyon 50m/55k	Ultra	AZ
2/6	Tarawera 100k/85k/60k	Ultra	AUK	2/20	Calico Red Rock Canyon Marathon	26.2	NV
2/6	Iron Horse 100m/100k/50m	Ultra	FL	2/20	Aravaipa Elephant Mountain	50K	AZ
2/6	Las 50 de San Jorge 50m/50k	Ultra	PR	2/20	Blackwater Trail Challenge	50K	FL
2/6	Golden Gate Trail Runs (50k & Marathon)	26.2	CA	2/20	Maple Leaf Indoor Marathons	26.2	IN
2/6	Death Valley Marathon	26.2	CA	2/21	Five Points of Life Marathon	26.2	FL
2/6	Groundhog Marathon	26.2	MI	2/21	NYCRuns Central Park Marathon	26.2	NY
2/6	Hayes Arboretum Trail Marathon	26.2	IN	2/21	Q50 Trail Extravaganza 50m/50k/26.2	Ultra	LA
2/6	Orcas Island 50K	50K	WA	2/21	Warm up for Boston	26.2	OH
2/6	Piney Woods TrailFest 2016	50K	TX	2/21	Frozen Heart 50k	50K	MD
2/6	Jed Smith 50K	50K	CA	2/21	Dry Creek Trail Marathon	26.2	TN
2/6	John Dick Memorial 50k	50K	WI	2/21	El Paso Marathon	26.2	TX
2/6	Fort Ord Trail Run	50K	CA	2/21	Lord Hill 50k	50K	WA
2/6	Hallucination 24 Hour	Ultra	SC	2/21	Shelby Forest Loop Marathon	26.2	TN
2/7	Sean O'Brien 50m/50k/26.2m	26.2	CA	2/21	Off the Beaten Track	50K	OTH
2/7	West Seattle Fat Ass	50K	WA	2/21	Roots Rock Fishline	50K	WA
2/7	Tallahassee Marathon	26.2	FL	2/26	LoVit 100m	100mi	AR
2/7	Virginia Beach Distance Races 100k/50k	Ultra	VA	2/27	LOViT 100k	100K	AR
2/7	Florida Marathon	26.2	FL	2/27	Gusher Marathon	26.2	TX
2/7	Surf City Marathon	26.2	CA	2/27	Post Oak Challenge Day One	50K	OK
2/12	Jackpot Ultra 48h	Ultra	NV	2/27	Blood, Sweat, and Beers	26.2	NV
2/12	Marathon Cairo	26.2	C	2/27	Orange Curtain 100K/50K	Ultra	CA
2/13	Ft. Ebey Kettles Trail	26.2	WA	2/27	Phoenix Marathon	26.2	AZ
2/13	Jackpot Ultra Running Festival	Ultra	NV	2/27	Cummins Falls Marathon	26.2	TN
2/13	Woolley 50k/26.2	Ultra	WA	2/27	Three Capes Marathon and Marathon Relay	26.2	OR
2/13	Moab Red Hot 55k	Ultra	UT	2/27	Sycamore Canyon 100K	100K	CA
2/13	Aravaipa Black Canyon 100k/50k	Ultra	AZ	2/27	Salmon Falls 50K	50K	CA
2/13	Tejas Trails Rocky Raccoon 50m	50mi	TX	2/27	Soggy Bottom Endurance Ultra	26.2	MO
2/13	Hilton Head Island Marathon	26.2	SC	2/27	Mount Cheaha 50K	50K	AL
2/13	Destin Beach 24h/100m	Ultra	FL	2/27	Richland Run Fest	26.2	WA
2/13	Mississippi River Marathon	26.2	MS	2/28	Vodafone Malta Marathon	26.2	OTH
2/13	Red Rock and Beyond 100m/50m/26.2m/16m	Ultra	NV	2/28	Rock N Roll New Orleans	26.2	LA
2/13	Holiday Lake 50K	50K	VA	2/28	Cowtown 50k/26.2	Ultra	TX
2/13	Bullseye 50k Mid-Maryland Ultra 50k	50K	MD	2/28	Hyannis Marathon	26.2	MA
2/13	Cross Timbers Trail Marathon	26.2	TX	2/28	Tokyo Marathon	26.2	23
2/13	San Miguel Buzz Marathon	26.2	CA	2/28	Kilimanjaro Marathon	26.2	1
2/14	George Washington's Birthday Marathon	26.2	MD	2/28	Post Oak Challenge Day Two	26.2	OK
2/14	Maratona do Vinho	26.2	SC	2/29	Leap Day Marathon	26.2	OR
2/14	Fort Smith Marathon	26.2	AR	3/5	Seneca Creek Greenway Race	50K	MD
2/14	Winterman Marathon	26.2	ON	3/5	Way Too Cool 50k	50K	CA
2/14	Marathon Eiffage de l'Autoroute de Dakar	26.2	DK	3/5	Delano Park	26.2	AL
2/14	Paradise Coast Marathon	26.2	FL	3/5	Sierra Vista Trail Runs	50K	NM
2/14	Mercedes Marathon	26.2	AL	3/5	Griffith Park Trail Marathon	26.2	CA
2/14	Destin Beach 50m/50k	100mi	FL	3/5	Carl Touchstone Memorial Mississippi Trail 50m/50k	Ultra	MS
2/14	IMS Arizona Marathon	26.2	AZ	3/5	Dupont City Trail Marathon	26.2	WA
2/14	26.2 With Donna Marathon	26.2	FL	3/5	Tejas Trails Pandoras Box of Rox 50m/26.2	Ultra	TX
2/14	Fort Lauderdale A1A Marathon	26.2	FL	3/5	Myrtle Beach Marathon	26.2	SC
2/14	Austin Marathon	26.2	TX	3/5	Woodlands Marathon	26.2	TX
2/14	Los Angeles Marathon	26.2	CA	3/5	Albany Marathon	26.2	GA
2/14	Lost Dutchman Marathon	26.2	AZ	3/5	Run Hard Columbia Marathon	26.2	SC
2/14	Galveston Marathon	26.2	TX	3/5	Green Jewel 50k	50K	OH
2/14	Birch Bay Marathon	26.2	WA	3/5	Old Pueblo 50 Mile	50mi	AZ
2/15	Gord's Frozen Ass Fifty	50K	AB	3/6	Long Play Race	Ultra	FL
2/19	Maritime Marathon	26.2	NS	3/6	Napa Valley Marathon	26.2	CA
2/20	Tagaytay 60Km Ultramarathon	26.2	RIZ	3/6	Little Rock Marathon	26.2	AR
2/20	FOURmidable	50K	CA	3/6	Chattanooga Marathon	26.2	TN
2/20	FebApple Frozen 50	50K	NJ	3/6	Beaufort 60k Ultramarathon	Ultra	14

New Maniacs in December 2015

Sandra Randall (#12075)
Kevin Murphy (#12076)
Lesley Fearnley (#12077)
Elba Benzler (#12078)
Maggie Kim Hong Goh (#12079)
Michele (#12080)
Deb Swope (#12081)
Sandra Frenken (#12082)
Mabel Lee (#12083)
Chasteen Mesiona (#12084)
Herry Lesmana (#12085)
Kristel Alliaume (#12086)
Carol Neckel (#12087)
Jeremy Jongsma (#12088)
Wanda Yenkel (#12089)
Amanda Renkel (#12090)
Crystal Ryder (#12091)
Laura Lee (#12092)
Katie Buffington (#12093)
Kathleen Pyrce (#12094)
Imabong Ekanem (#12095)
Forbes Tait (#12096)
Renee Causey (#12097)
Tanisha Bailey (#12098)
Kendra Halsell (#12099)
Lisa Caskey (#12100)
karrie irwin (#12101)
Brittany Martin (#12102)
shawn fisher (#12103)
Artney Walker (#12104)
Dawn Ryan (#12105)
Shelley Fairchild (#12106)
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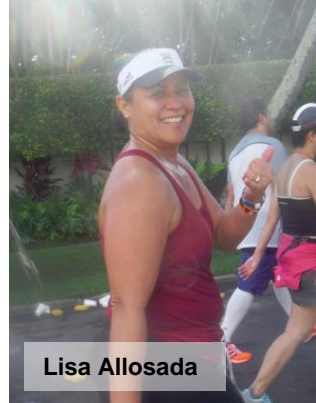
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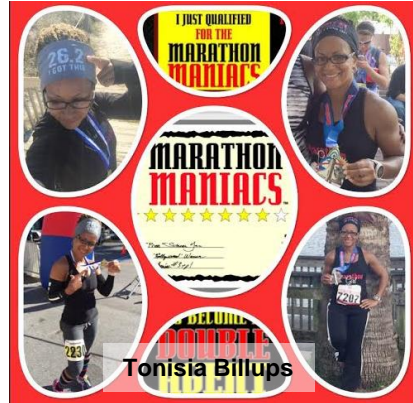
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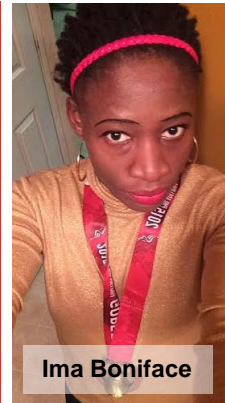
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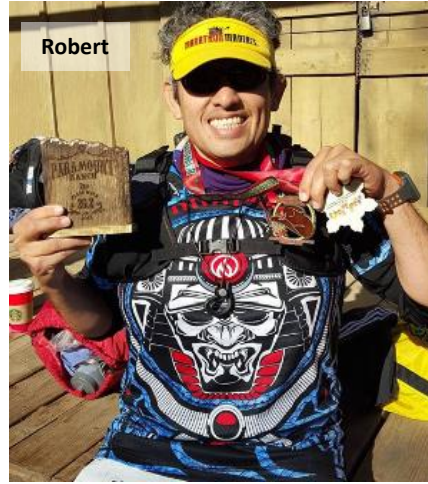


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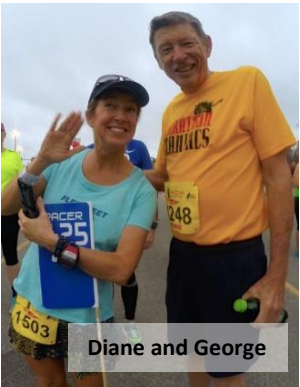
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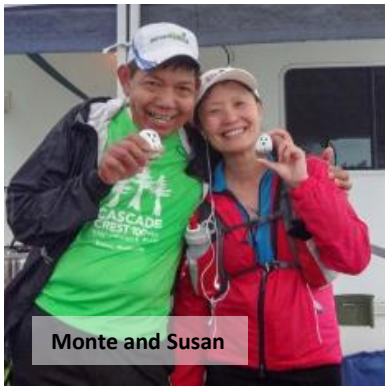
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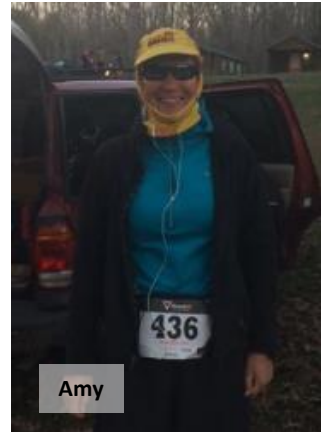
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Kim



Liz Gmerek becomes the 6th woman in the world to run 100 marathons in one year!



Amy



Stobhan



James Giles, Larry Macon and Steve Walters

FROM THE EDITOR...

I hope you had a great year in 2015. We saw 1,719 new members of the Maniacs, the birth of the Double Agents and a record 54 new Titanium Maniacs.

I hope you have a great 2016!

Happy Running!

- Steve "Marathon Freak" Walters MM#338

MANIAC ONGOING DISCOUNTS

Jeff "Boneman" Bollman (#1058)



With the new website comes a new way to identify race discounts. All discounts are now located on the race calendar page. Look for the gold coin following the race name, that signifies a discount. Click the coin and after a brief disclaimer reminding us that discounts are for members only, the code will be revealed along with the amount saved.

The programmers are working on lots of website items and one is a non-race related discount link. Until that's complete, you'll need to email Jeff Bollman (jeff@marathonmaniacs.com) for the running skirts and running warehouse discounts.

- Mississippi River Marathon (AR & MS) 2/13/16: www.msrivermarathon.com
- Fort Smith Marathon (AR) 2/14/16: <http://fortsmithmarathon.com>
- Lost Dutchman Marathon (AZ) 2/14/16: www.lostdutchmanmarathon.org
- Paradise Coast Marathon (FL) 2/14/16: www.naplesmarathon.com
- Phoenix Marathon 2/27/16: <http://thephoenixmarathon.com>
- Cowtown Marathon (TX) 2/28/16: www.cowtownmarathon.org
- Myrtle Beach Marathon (SC) 3/5/16: www.mbmarathon.com
- New Mexico State Park Series 3/5-3/6/16: <http://mainlymarathons.com>
- Chattanooga Marathon 3/6/16: www.chattanoogaamarathon.com
- **Little Rock Marathon (AR) 3/6/16: <http://littlerockmarathon.com/>
- **Marathon of the Treasure Coast (FL) 3/6/16: <http://treasurecoastmarathon.com>
- Asheville Marathon (NC) 3/13/16: <http://ashevillamarathon.com/>
- Zydeco Marathon (LA) 3/13/16: <http://zydecomarathon.com>
- Raccoon Mountain Marathon (TN) 3/19/16: <http://runchattanooga.org/rmm/>
- Wrightsville Beach Marathon (NC) 3/20/16: www.wrightsvillebeachmarathon.com
- Dust Bowl Series 3/23-3/27/16: <http://mainlymarathons.com>
- Tomoka Marathon (FL) 3/26/16: www.tomokamarathon.com
- Queen City Marathon (MD) 4/2/16: www.runthequeencity.com
- Knoxville Marathon (TN) 4/3/16: www.knoxvillemarathon.com
- Blooms to Brews Marathon (WA) 4/10/16: <http://bloomstobrews.getboldevents.com/>
- Hogeeye Marathon (AR) 4/10/16: www.hogeyemarathon.com
- Carmel Marathon (IN) 4/16/16: www.carmelmarathon.com
- Garmin Marathon (KS) 4/16/16: <http://ozrun.org>
- Whidbey Island Marathon (WA) 4/16/16: www.whidbeyislandmarathon.com
- Riverboat Series 4/17-4/23/16: <http://mainlymarathons.com>
- Coastal Delaware Running Festival 4/24/16: www.codelrun.com
- HITS Kiwanis Kingston Classic Marathon (NY) 4/24/16: <http://hitsrunning.com/hits-kiwanis-kingston-classic/>
- Colorado Marathon 5/1/16: www.thecoloradomarathon.com
- Eugene Marathon 5/1/16: <http://eugenemarathon.com>
- **Providence Marathon (RI) 5/1/16: www.runri.us
- New Jersey Marathon 5/1/16: www.thenewjerseymarathon.com
- Tacoma City Marathon 5/1/16: www.tacomacitymarathon.com
- Wisconsin Marathon 5/7/16: www.wisconsinmarathon.com
- Brookings Marathon (SD) 5/14/16: www.brookingsmarathon.com
- Shipyard Maine Coast Marathon 5/15/16: <http://mainecoast262.com>
- Fargo Marathon 5/21/16: www.fargomarathon.com
- Vermont City Marathon 5/29/16: www.vermontcitymarathon.org
- **Casper Marathon (WY) 6/5/16: www.runwyoming.com
- **Deadwood Mickelson Trail Marathon (SD) 6/5/15: www.deadwoodmickelsontrailmarathon.com
- Windermere Marathon (WA) 6/5/16: <http://windermeremarathon.com/>
- Utah Valley Marathon 6/11/16: www.utahvalleymarathon.com



PLEASE RENEW YOUR ANNUAL MANIAC DUES (ON YOUR MANIAC BIRTHDAY)
 YOUR DUES HELP MAINTAIN THE CLUB AND KEEP THE COVETED MANIAC GEAR IN STOCK!!
 A REMINDER IS SENT WITH THE MONTHLY E-FLASH AND SOME OF YOU ARE OVERDUE!!

RHETORICAL REVELATIONS AND W(RITES)... FROM THE RAMBUNCTIOUS REV



Hiya Prez,

When we were about at 100 Maniacs in the club, we thought we were really quite different, remember? Oh, we had started as ordinary people, until we ran and ran and ran and ran.

Now, eleven years later, older, wiser, creakier, some of us with scores more marathons done, some with hundreds of more done, we are used to this frequent-marathoning idea, and the membership has climbed from knowing everyone to over 12,000 members, and so we are “less different” perhaps than we once were?

And the marathons themselves: are they getting to be old-hat? We’ve got the routine down, we more or less know what’s coming, the specialness...drifting away?

Doesn’t have to. Not at all.

Every marathon, if we look at afresh, has new experiences in it, something new to teach us, new memories to hold, new friends to make, and maybe, just maybe, somethings new to create.

Same thing with Christmas and the holidays, yet again. Oh, we’ve gotten rather used to the lights, the shoppers’ anxieties, the weight-bearing stollens, the traffic. And all those lights and tinsel, pretty as they might appear, rather come to obscure the elements that make Christmas timeless, profound, life-changing.

Like?

Christmas came out of a peculiar and unique miracle, reported by originally ordinary people. Themselves shocked, they spread the word that this Jesus had come back from the dead, after a nasty end-week of persecution and execution. They talked excitedly about a series of unexpected, unanticipated, experiences, experiences which opened eyes like ours, eyes that had followed him daily, though they did not at first grasp the subtleties or triumph in store. At first confused, then amazed and convinced, all the pieces came together, within weeks, and the prior years’ of stories now held together anew. Their perspectival-shift was about transcendent truth: God had visited us. God had started in the form of a baby, in a middle-eastern backwater town, laid in the animals’ trough, out back in a barn., and he had grown to be the Resurrected One.

Ingloriously begun, humble love, empowered by the Creator of the Universe began endless appreciation in those who saw it, and grew gratefulness in those who would see it yet.

Grasped today in the quiet, it makes the old carols meaningfully new again.

Glory indeed be to the newborn King, Prez. And may we get out, and go, and run, and effect peace on earth wherever our travels take us.

Luvya,
Rev

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