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Obituary



Hugh Klein Staiger

Hugh Klein (HK) Staiger of Palmyra, VA departed this life peacefully on June 9, 2022. He was born October 8, 1922, in Crafton, PA, the first son of Daniel Staiger and Juliana Flora Klein. Hugh frequently commented that in his younger life, during the Great Depression, he didn't know that the family was poor since everybody was poor. He attended the proverbial one room school, where he ate a lunch made by "Mother." Surely he must have played marbles and such on the playground.

There were no buses then and he walked through the woods along the one-mile-long trail no matter the weather. Home life was simple, with a bed to share, crows to shoot, a cow to milk, water to haul, and chickens to pluck. There was the weekly Grit newspaper for news since they had no radio. Electricity and running water came just before he left home, while indoor plumbing and freedom from the outhouse became realities after he left home. His chores served him well, teaching him independence and thankfulness for the "good" life.

Hugh was a superior student and in 1940 he graduated from Slippery Rock High School in Slippery Rock, PA. He attended Keystone School in Pittsburgh, PA and worked as a draftsman for Duquesne Light Co. In December 1942, he joined the U.S. Navy as an Aviation Cadet and was commissioned as an Ensign in April 1944. While attached to ZP-15 in Brunswick, GA, he met Addie Lucille Haygood and they were married on March 25, 1945. After the war he remained on active duty with the Navy, where he worked at various duty stations on the east coast, and in Panama and Iceland. Hugh and Lucille bought his current home and farm in Palmyra, VA in late 1963. He retired from the Navy as a Lt. Commander in 1964.

Hugh enjoyed his life and counted many friends. He was a good father and did his best to instill in his children a confidence for their potential. His constant example of thrift, honesty and diligence had a lasting positive influence on each of them. He was an excellent cook and will be remembered for his good bread. While in high school, he received a blue ribbon for his homemade cake entry at the county fair. He enjoyed entertaining friends, sharing his home-cooked meals of "Chicken and Almonds" and "Spareribs and Sauerkraut"—to name a few. One of his greatest enjoyments in his younger years was flyfishing. Later, he and Lucille enjoyed many years of square dancing and its close circle of friends.

Hugh was noted for his charity to friends and neighbors. One of his most memorable services was the sponsoring of a family of Vietnamese refugees. The success and contributions of this family were, and continue to be, a source of great satisfaction to him.

Hugh was an avid woodworker. He built two fine fishing boats, his lovely home, and was noted for his skill in building small boxes. He enjoyed his farming years and took pleasure in seeing that he actually made a mark on the land. He and Lucille put their farm in a conservation easement which will assure that the woods they loved will remain for generations to come.

Hugh met his declining years with courage. His poor vision didn't stop his woodworking. His puppies brought him joy and appreciation for the gift of life. His work ethic is left to emulate. He will be missed.

Hugh and his wife, Addie Lucille Haygood Staiger, raised five children: Merle Daniel Staiger and wife, Rosa Lee, of Idaho Falls, ID; Linda Faye Staiger, M.D., of Palmyra, VA; William Andrew Staiger and wife, Karen, of Lehi, UT; Paul Jackson Staiger and wife, Tammy, of Buzzards Bay, MA; and Juliana Lucille Harris and husband, Johnny, of Palmyra, VA. Hugh was the patron to an extended posterity comprising 15 grandchildren, 38 great-grandchildren, and two great-great grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his wife of 69 years, Lucille Staiger, in 2014; his parents, Daniel and Juliana Flora Klein Staiger, formerly of Slippery Rock, PA; his siblings, Virginia Jewel Staiger McClelland formerly of Butler, PA, Merle Dale Staiger formerly of Slippery Rock, PA and John Daniel Staiger formerly of Butler, PA; his granddaughter, Kira Yvonne Staiger, formerly of Springville, UT; and his daughter-in-law, Susan Ross Staiger (wife of son, Paul), of Fork Union, VA.

The family wishes to thank Hospice of the Piedmont staff, Rose Scott, Pearl Washington, Valerie Kidd and Janet Carr, and the Sheridan Funeral Home of Kents Store, VA, for their service.

Hugh was a member of the Rivanna Ward of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints. There will be a family visitation and memorial gathering at the Beaver Dam Baptist Church on Saturday, July 30, 2022, from 2-4 p.m. (1794 Richmond Road, Troy, VA).

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Tadpole Land & Trail Conservancy (to which Hugh contributed during his lifetime) at 630 Courthouse Road, Palmyra, VA 22963.

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Plans developed to give county children access to inclusive playground

CONTRIBUTED BY MIKE FEAZEL

LMOA is working with Fluvanna County Schools and the Lake Monticello Community Foundation to assure that special needs families from outside the Lake will be able to use the new All-Inclusive Playground at Lafayette Park when work on it is completed, said officials from LMOA and the Foundation.

"We are working with the county to identify special needs families who may access the All-Inclusive Playground," said LMOA General Manager Tom Schauder in his weekly GM Corner message.

LMOA and the Foundation have asked the schools to provide a list of special needs children in the county who could benefit from the new playground. The names will be added to the list of those who could be admitted through LMOA gates. The system would be similar to that for people outside the Lake who access The Pub, the golf course and the pool for swim team, and visitors would be limited to using the playground.

"We always planned for this All-Inclusive Playground to benefit children with special needs from throughout Fluvanna County," said Foundation President Nancy Parsons. "We're very pleased that LMOA agrees and that they're providing a very effective and efficient way for those children to get access to the playground."

Lake Monticello Community Foundation recently announced it had raised 70 percent of the \$100,000 needed to pay for the All-Inclusive Playground, having achieved that in just eight months. It is launching a fund drive to raise the remaining \$30,000, as well as scheduling a variety of fundraising activities, including a professional magic show Sept. 30 and a dock concert Aug. 6.

The key playground equipment has already been purchased and is scheduled to be delivered in October, when an official groundbreaking ceremony is tentatively planned.

Fluvanna Farmers Market growing

BY PAGE H. GIFFORD
CORRESPONDENT



The Fluvanna Farmers Market, whose roots began at Pleasant Grove, has been around for years. Its multiple vendors have sold just about everything, including lamb, beef, eggs, plants, baked items, jams, and homegrown produce.

The market in Fluvanna, however, has faced headwinds including a disagreement with the county over insurance. The market has continued to look for a permanent home after setting up at the edge of the road at Pleasant Grove and in the back of CVS building. But then the pandemic hit, and the market was shut down.

On August 1, 2021, the market opened in the parking lot of ACE Hardware at Crofton Plaza with five volunteers organizing it, including Peggy Shanklin. Shanklin said it has been a bumpy restart. She blames the economy for the low turnout yet remains optimistic that more vendors will join and help the market grow.

According to the USDA Farmers Market directory, markets have been expanding. Farmers market *continues page 6.*

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Fluvanna Business Corner

The Chamber Summer kick-off!

By Kelsey McCrann, Fluvanna Chamber Administrator

The Chamber kicked-off Summer by welcoming our newest community business, Bump2Baby 3D Ultrasound Studio! They enjoyed a warm welcome and ribbon cutting on June 4th and are now open Monday thru Saturday for expecting mothers to get a detailed look at their bundle of joy!



We're also excited to welcome our new Chamber Administrator, Kelsey McCrann! In her first week, she has already hit the ground running and is making connections with many local business owners. She brings a vision to enhance the Chamber's role in business development and become a valued resource to Chamber members.



If you're a Chamber member, don't hesitate to get in touch with Kelsey to see how she can help take your business to the next level! If you're not yet a member, it's not too late to join. Register today at www.fluvannachamber.org to receive immediate business support.

We also had a great time at the Women In Business (WIB) after-hours networking event on Wednesday, July 13th. With a turn-out of over 20 local business owners and friends, we filled the Hardware Hills Vineyard tasting room! At the event, we enjoyed wine and pot-luck style snacks while meeting like-minded women.

The Chamber and WIB will be co-hosting this event every second Wednesday of the month from 5:30pm - 7:30pm at Hardware Hills Vineyard. Build your business and social network with us next month!



The Women In Business (WIB) after-hours networking event on Wednesday, July 13th at the Hardware Hills Vineyard was well attended.

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Farmers market from page 5.

throughout the U.S. since 1994. Though the pandemic has had an effect, it has not stopped the markets from emerging and attracting customers with the lure of fresh produce.

Locally, some residents have cited Sunday as not being the best day for the market. Some said they go to church and then go home to eat lunch and by the time they come to the market everyone is packing up to leave. Others say the opening hours of 11 a.m.-2 p.m. are too hot to shop outdoors. When it was held at Pleasant Grove, the market was open on Tuesdays from 2-6 p.m. and when it was behind CVS it was held on Saturday mornings.

"We wanted to have a community event after church to bring people together," said Shanklin of the reason for choosing Sunday afternoons.

Though local produce starts to pop up at markets in July, August is the prime season in Virginia.

"We have had vendors try to re-sell produce but we will only take vendors who are selling right off their farms," she said. But there are other options, including fresh eggs, home-baked bread, and jams. In the old days, Sam Goin used to take orders for his grass-fed beef.

"It's healthier eating, it's local and we are not moving it to four corners of the U.S.," Shanklin said. "It's all organic and fresh. No pesticides." She added that people have complained about the prices but Shanklin pointed out that these are small farms, not expansive corporate-owned farms able to churn out produce. Studies show that prices at Farmers Market are often competitive and in some cases may be less than retail.

Shanklin and the other volunteers already have other ideas for attracting more customers and expanding the market. They have four farmers selling goods now, including Muddy Paws, Two Labs Coffee, Crick Hollow Farm, and Totes McGoats as well as a vendor selling CBD oil, the popular Simply A'glazing selling doughnuts, and crafters.

"We have picnic tables, a food truck, and we are planning activities for kids," she said. Some of their plans include coordinating with the Fluvanna County Public Library for children's activities as well as face painting and treasure hunts.

Across the U.S. many Farmers Markets are addressing the same issues and are trying to make the markets more attractive for customers by offering a variety of activities and events. California and New York have the most Farmers Markets followed by Massachusetts and the mid-west. Virginia is tied with Iowa with 280 markets statewide. In the fertile Hudson Valley where they have thriving cattle farms, produce, and wineries, they believe the future is rosy for Farmers Markets. The bottom line everyone agrees upon is that locally grown produce tastes better.

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This show will be curated by Louisa photographer/artist Alison Thomas who was recently featured in the Purcell Gallery. Alison was born in Frankfurt, Germany and grew up

in Falls Church, Virginia. She became interested in photography as an art form at the age of 19 and has been perfecting and evolving her technique ever since. Throughout her life she has found her spiritual and artistic center in nature. She started doing art festivals and exhibits in 2003. Over time, her work changed from standard nature shots to vertical and horizontal panoramas that are digitally manipulated. She has received several awards for her work, most recently a first place in photography from the Virginia Fall Foliage Festival in Waynesboro, Virginia. She strives to capture not necessarily the exact record of a scene but its essence, the essence of Virginia.

There will be an opening reception on Friday, July 29 from 6 to 8 p.m. at the gallery, and the show will run through Friday, September 16.

The gallery is open free of charge to the public during box office hours, Tuesday – Friday, 12 – 2 p.m. and one hour before each performance in the Cooke-Haley Theater.

Men's Travelers Golf group to play seven matches

BY DUNCAN NIXON
CORRESPONDENT

For a number of years now the men's golfers at Lake Monticello have fielded a Travelers team that plays home and away matches with teams from other golf courses. This year the Travelers coordinator Karl Bergstesser said that the Travelers will be playing seven home and away matches against nearby clubs. All are within an hour's drive time. Four clubs that were in the competition last year are, Birdwood, Glenmore, Stoney Creek and Orchard Creek (formerly Waynesboro.) New this year are Ironwood (in Staunton) and from the Richmond area, The Dominion Club and the Richmond Country Club.

On July 7, the Lake Monticello Travelers hosted Orchard Creek. The format was two person better ball Nassau. Each foursome has two players from each team. On each hole the better net score of the two players counts as the team's score. In this contest, there were ten foursomes. Seven of the Travelers teams beat their opponents and one tied. The Nassau score is one point for the front nine, one point for the back nine and one point for the total eighteen. In the Nassau scoring, it was Travelers 21.5 and Orchard Creek 8.5.

The Travelers record rose to 2-3 with their win over Orchard Creek. Bergstesser said that the home team almost always wins. That has been the case in all five of the Travelers matches in 2022. Local knowledge matters. Last season, the Travelers finished 5-4 with three matches cancelled.

On July 14, the Travelers hosted for the third time, with the team from the Richmond Country Club coming to visit. They said that they wanted to play with 24 golfers. This forced Bergstesser to scramble a little as his roster only has 21 regulars and two alternates. To be a member of the Travelers you are required to have a golf membership, and the Travelers roster naturally includes most of the better players at the Lake who can play on Wednesday mornings. Being a roster player gives golfers the advantage of being able to

play a number of interesting and challenging nearby courses for only the cart fee.

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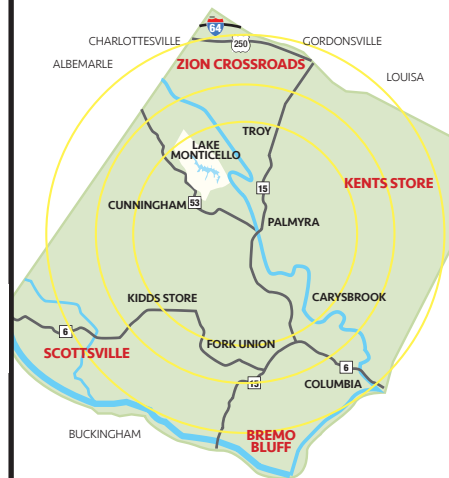
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Central, West Central schools to consolidate

Won't Result in Changes for Students, Staff

BY HEATHER MICHON
CORRESPONDENT

Change was a theme of the evening for the Fluvanna County School Board during its meeting on Thursday (July 14).

First, the board was introduced to two new assistant principals – both with deep Fluco roots.

Stacey Holland, who has been working as school counselor for the last several years, will become the assistant principal at Fluvanna County High School. Hannah Collins, a veteran of the Fairfax County school system, will take the assistant post at Fluvanna Middle School.

Both are Fluvanna County natives and FCHS graduates. Don Stribling, executive director

for Human Resources, said this gives both women an understanding of the Fluco philosophy and mission.

"They say the best journey takes you home," said Collins, who added that her children are happy to be moving close to their grandparents and Fluvanna cousins.

Consolidation

The major issue on the agenda for the meeting was how to deal with Central and West Central schools in light of a new mandate handed down by the state.

In June, the General Assembly approved a

change to the Standards of Quality (SOQ) requiring every elementary school to have its own full-time principal.

Fluvanna County technically has two elementary schools: West Central for pre-K and kindergarten, and Central for Grades 1-2. When the principal for Central resigned in 2016, the school system decided to have one principal and one assistant principal handle both schools, which share a campus and facilities on Central Plains Road.

Under the revised SOQ, the board had to decide whether to add a new principal or formally consolidate the two schools into, simply, Central Elementary.

Consolidation was the clear choice for the board, which approved the motion by a vote of 5-0.

In an email following the meeting, Superintendent Peter Gretz reassured the community that "for staff, families and students of those schools, nothing changes in the way you will experience the operation of the school. Mrs.

Barnabei and Mrs. Smith will continue their excellent leadership of the school community, and the transition will be seamless."

Several board members, however, expressed frustration that the state was requiring them to make an unnecessary administrative change.

Nor was it without financial ramifications. Had they elected to add a principal, the state would have provided \$100,000 for salary and benefits. The way the new SOQ is structured, the decision to consolidate will remove \$26,000 from the annual state funding package.

Plus, if the board decides to add an additional assistant principal for Central somewhere down the road, it will have to come up with the \$90,000 or so to fund a new position.

"State regulations have various and sundry impacts on the local levels and this is one of those occasions," said Chair James Kelley.

Planning Commission defers zoning for new commercial development

BY HEATHER MICHON
CORRESPONDENT

A rezoning request for a proposed retail and commercial development on Lake Monticello Road has been deferred after members of the Planning Commission raised issues with their application package at their Tuesday meeting (July 12).

Joseph Jones of Wolfpack Properties has been holding extensive discussions with the

Lake Monticello Owners Association (LMOA) and residents about potential uses for a 35-acre parcel located on Lake Monticello Road (Rt. 618) across from River Run Drive.

He hopes to be able to deliver on two long-sought items on the local wish list: a 24-hour emergency or urgent care center, and a second grocery store.

The property could also include substantial retail and office space, and provide an additional gate for access into Lake Monticello

The application to change the zoning from A-1 (Agricultural) to B-1 (Business) ran aground on two separate issues.

During the public hearing, local business owners Corven Flynn and Cyndra Kerley renewed their arguments that the county was not following stated procedures in the handling of zoning and planning applications.

In this case, they said the documentation showed that the application was not submitted until after the proposal had been discussed with the Technical Review Committee (TRC). Under the checklist provided by the

county, the proposal should only come to the TRC after the application package was filed.

Reviewing documents going back to 2019, Flynn and Kerley say there is a clear pattern of applications being submitted late in the process.

County Attorney Fred Payne and Director of Community Development Douglas Miles pushed back on some of these allegations later in the meeting.

Payne said that the checklist was developed under the previous department head as a way to help both applicants and staff move through the application process.

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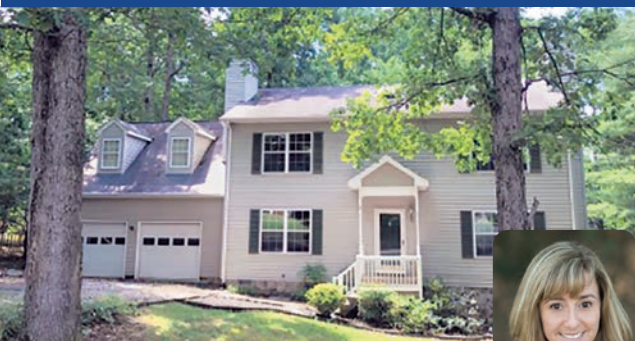


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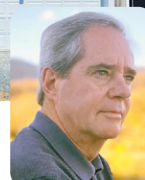
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He added that failure to follow these internal processes did not violate local ordinances or state statutes.

Miles said that he prefers to have several up-front discussions with potential applicants because there are fees and obligations that take effect once the application package is submitted, and he wants to make sure people understand the process before it begins.

A more serious issue for the commissioners was the lack of signed proffers.

Proffers are specific promises made by the

applicant to adhere to technical and design specifications. They are usually agreed to and signed ahead of public meetings on an application.

While Mr. Payne agreed that the unsigned proffers certainly indicated an intention to sign and follow them, "intention is not legally enforceable."

Jones, citing discussions with county staff, indicated that he had misunderstood that the proffers needed to be signed before meeting.

To give him the opportunity to correct the package, the commissioners vote 5-0 to defer the matter until their Aug. 9 meeting.

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The Weekly Crossword

by Margie E. Burke

ACROSS

- 1 Big name in chocolates
- 5 Agrees (with)
- 10 Canned lunch meat
- 14 Shoestring
- 15 Eucalyptus eater
- 16 ___ of voice
- 17 Unintentional
- 19 Barrel of laughs
- 20 Disinfectant chemical
- 21 Amazon snake
- 23 More modern
- 25 Fireplace shelf
- 26 Envelope abbr.
- 28 Kind of stone
- 31 Sideshow performer
- 33 Outdoor shelters
- 37 Similar (to)
- 38 Engine unit
- 40 Fix in place
- 41 Happen again
- 43 Monastery dining hall
- 45 Soften by soaking
- 47 Shepard of "Parenthood"
- 48 Bygone money of Spain
- 51 Type of club or goat
- 53 "The Hunger Games" actress
- 56 Ascends
- 59 ___ Minor
- 60 What a priest hears
- 62 Dry run
- 63 Finish with
- 64 Sandwich fish
- 65 Threat ending
- 66 Roll back to zero
- 67 Urban haze

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- 1 Blow from Moe
- 2 To ___ his own
- 3 Quirky
- 4 English Channel feeder
- 5 Beyond gaunt
- 6 Electrified particle
- 7 Facts and figures
- 8 "Lean" anagram
- 9 Deli offering
- 10 Most muscular, maybe
- 11 Sharp end
- 12 Positive pole
- 13 Rock genre
- 18 Use a divining rod
- 22 Pessimist's word
- 24 Quit for good
- 26 Many miles away
- 27 Peak sighter Zebulon
- 29 One of the Monkees
- 30 Modular home
- 32 List
- 34 Type of magnet
- 35 Fictional plantation
- 36 "Come Sail Away" band

- 39 Reserved
- 42 Hourly charge
- 44 Spreadsheet units
- 46 Zodiac sign
- 48 Word after home or dinner
- 49 Oil holder
- 50 Cheese choice
- 52 Leans to one side
- 54 Roadwork marker
- 55 Wraps up
- 57 One-named Irish singer
- 58 Pantyhose flaw
- 61 Adversary

Answers to Previous Crossword:

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Sharks take first win of season

CONTRIBUTED BY DANA CARRICO



Kinsley Beck prepares for her 25 Meter Freestyle as Coach FeFe Nardone looks on. Photo courtesy of Dana Carrico

The Lake Monticello Sharks took their first win of the season on Wednesday, July 13, against the Charlottesville City Swordfish, with a final score of 561-502.

According to Coach FeFe Nardone, "every single swimmer did an amazing job tonight! In every event there were time improvements. The coaches are extremely proud not just because of the win but the dedication and improvements of each swimmer."

LMST swimmer James Johnson (13) dominated in several events, taking first in the Boys 13-14 50 SC Meter Freestyle, the Boys 13-14 50 SC Meter Breaststroke and the Boys 13-14 100 SC Meter Freestyle. In addition, he participated in the Boys 13-14 200 SC Meter Medley Relay, along with Andrew Mikesh (14), Aaron

Fairbanks (13) and Matthew Rea (14), earning 10 points for the Sharks.

Lila Kate Robinson (12) also won several events, including the Girls 11-12 50 SC Meter Breaststroke, the Girls 11-12 50 SC Meter Backstroke, and the Girls 11-12 100 SC Meter Freestyle. She also helped win the Girls 11-12 200 SC Meter Medley Relay, along with Chyler Miller (12), Madison Clark (12) and Ann Kraft (12). Way to Go Sharks!

For their final away meet, the Lake Monticello Swim Team will take on the Key West Killer Whales.

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Breakfast G.I style

Central VA Veterans (CVV) will meet Saturday, **July 30**, for a breakfast, "G.I. style", and fellowship, 8:30 a.m. at Wahoo BBQ Bar/Grill, LM Slice Road Gate across from LM Rescue garage. Cost is \$12 per person. This is an informal gathering of fellow veterans and supporters and spouses from all eras. Contact Paul Bethke at 434 530-7540 for information.

H.U.G.S. meeting

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Thank you to all of the amazing participants, volunteers, and staff who helped make the 4th of July of 2022 a great success!
Here are the winners for all of the exciting events that were held over the weekend!



5K Spirit Run

Special Thanks to John Platt for coordinating the event.

MEN'S DIVISION OVERALL WINNER:

Matt Barresi – Time 17:30

MEN'S DIVISION WINNERS:

Age 7 and Under:

- 1st Place: CJ King
- 2nd Place: Colin Evans
- 3rd Place: Beckett Gray

Age 8 – 12:

- 1st Place: Max Cantagallo
- 2nd Place: Reid Arnold
- 3rd Place: Alex Emerson

Age 13 – 17:

- 1st Place: Matthew Cantagallo
- 2nd Place: Nathan Godsay
- 3rd Place: Jack Platt

Age 18 – 30:

- 1st Place: Matt Valentic
- 2nd Place: Andy Riddler
- 3rd Place: Andrew Fawkes

Age 31 – 40:

- 1st Place: Tim Sick
- 2nd Place: John Huffman
- 3rd Place: Anthony Portare

Age 41 – 50:

- 1st Place: Mathew Cantagallo
- 2nd Place: Brock Johnson
- 3rd Place: Matt Michael

Age 51 – 65:

- 1st Place: Bill Pemberton
- 2nd Place: Ray Good
- 3rd Place: Rob Dixon

Age 66 and Over:

- 1st Place: Paul Sick
- 2nd Place: Keye Sabol
- 3rd Place: Paul Steinbach

WOMEN'S DIVISION OVERALL WINNER:

Sophie Farley – Time 21:29

WOMEN'S DIVISION WINNERS:

Age 7 and Under:

- 1st Place: Gabriella Barresi
- 2nd Place: None
- 3rd Place: None

Age 8 – 12:

- 1st Place: Allison Krogh
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- 3rd Place: Elise Michael

Age 13 – 17:

- 1st Place: Kayla Kozella
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- 1st Place: Michele Mogavero
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Age 51 – 65:

- 1st Place: Deb Lugar
- 2nd Place: Susan Fournier
- 3rd Place: Tammy Charron

Age 66 and Over:

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MEN'S DIVISION OVERALL WINNER:

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MEN'S DIVISION WINNERS:

Age 10 – 12:

- 1st Place: DA Roberts
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Age 13 – 17:

- 1st Place: Jaxon Brooks
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Age 18 – 24:

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- 1st Place: David Roberts
- 2nd Place: Rob Cook
- 3rd Place: Eric Krough

Age 55 – 64:

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- 2nd Place: Gib Kerr
- 3rd Place: Rosolino Cracchiolo

Age 65 and Over:

- 1st Place: Greg Stamper
- 2nd Place: Kent Buckley-Ess
- 3rd Place: Fred Skaer

WOMEN'S DIVISION OVERALL WINNER:

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WOMEN'S DIVISION WINNERS:

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Age 55 – 64:

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- 3rd Place: Cheryl Smith

Age 65 and Over:

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- 2nd Place: Alexis Waksmunski
- 3rd Place: Ionica Barcelona

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- 3rd Place: Barry Yost and Jarrett Massie

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