

# **Bill Burley MidSummer Race Slated For Roxbury Series**

## **July 19**

**ROXBURY – The annual Bill Burley MidSummer Championship will be run Saturday, July 19, at 8:30 a.m. over a challenging 5.0-mile course as part of the weekly Roxbury Road Race Series.**

**It is named after the former longtime Roxbury resident and New Milford schools principal, who launched the series in 1977 and served as its head director through 1979.**

**There will be a \$5 entry fee that can be paid be paid that morning from 7 to 8:20. Proceeds will go to the Roxbury park improvement fund.**

**The course will include a trip up the steep hill on Squire Road.**

**The top overall male and female finisher will each receive a \$10 gift certificate to an area running store.**

**During the post-race awards ceremony, the latest inductees to the Roxbury Road Race Series Hall of Fame will be introduced.**

**The event is part of the weekly Roxbury Road Race Series, which is sanctioned by the Roxbury Recreation Commission. The races start and finish near the Everett Hurlburt Community Park at 18 Apple Lane.**

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