

March 20, 2021

SHELDON, LESCH PREVAIL IN ROXBURY 3.7-MILE TIME TRIAL EVENT

ROXBURY -- Former season champion Jeff Sheldon easily bested the field over a rolling 3.7-mile route at the Roxbury Road Runners Club series.

Sheldon of Southbury was clocked in 22-minutes, 26-seconds – a 6:04-per-mile pace – on Saturday, March 20, along the loop, which included a trip up the incline on Ranney Hill Road.

Donna Lesch of Southbury was the first female finisher and placed eighth overall in 29:26.

The time trial events will continue on Saturday, March 27, at 8:30 a.m. with a 3.52-mile run that will include a jaunt down the long hill on Hemlock Road.

Runners can enter through the \$25 season membership or the weekly waiver, which costs \$5 to purchase a timing chip. If you already have a chip, it would be \$2.

The time trial events, which are sanctioned by the Roxbury Recreation Commission, start and finish near the Everett B. Hurlburt Community Park at 18 Apple Lane.

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