

Saturday, June 1, 2024

Abraham Is Faster Than Rocky, Bullwinkle On The Moosehorn

ROXBURY – Mike Abraham a former season champion at the Roxbury Road Runners Club series and a former cross-country coach at New Milford High School, was the top harrier over a trip along steep dirt hills and winding paved roads during the annual run of the Moosehorn.

Abraham, 64, of Roxbury prevailed with a clocking of 1-hour, 21-minutes and 52-seconds – an 8:16-per-mile pace – on Saturday, June 1, over the 9.9-mile route that included a trip up Moosehorn Road.

Steve Leslie, 59, of Brookfield placed second in 1:22.16.

Miriam Acevedo, 47, of New Milford took third overall and was the first female finisher with a time of 1:22.35.

The weekly series will continue on Saturday, June 8, at 8:30 a.m. with a 6.2-mile run that will include a trip along parts of Judd's Bridge Road and Sentry Hill Road in both directions.

Runners can participate through the \$30 season membership. They also can complete the weekly waiver form and pay \$5. Youth entrants and current and former members of the military and first responders can compete for free after completing the weekly waiver form.

The races, 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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