Masopust Rambles To Victory Over 7.25-mile Roxbury Route

ROXBURY – Two-time defending women's series champion Alison Masopust turned in another performance that could have received a trophy from J.P. Power.

The 35-year-old Morris resident easily won the 7.25-mile race at the Roxbury Road Races Club series on Saturday, September 21, with a time of 50-minutes, 27-seconds.

Her victory along the route, which included a trip up the long incline along Painter Hill Road, marked the 15th time in 2019 that she as the first female finisher. It was the fourth time that she annexed the overall title.

Mark Andrejczyk, 46, placed second in 51:37.

The series will resume with the annual 32nd annual Ed Sandifer 2.4-mile staggered start run on Saturday, September 28, at 8:30 a.m. in which the entrants will take off from the starting line according to their ability.

The race is named after a former 12-time season champion in the weekly series.

Runners can participate through the \$25 season membership or the \$2 weekly waiver. Youth runners can enter for free by completing the weekly waiver form.

Runners can register for the 16th annual Roxbury Marathon and Roxbury Half Marathon through the Ultra Sign-up link at www.roxburyraces.net.

Those events are slated for Saturday, November 9, at 8:30 a.m.

The third annual Roxbury Thanksgiving Day Charity Race will be held on Thursday, November 28, at 9 a.m. The pre-registration fee of \$12.50 can be paid through November 20 in the Ultra Sign-up link at www.roxburyraces.net. Post registration will be taken on race day from 7:30 to 8:45 a.m. at \$15 per runner.

Proceeds will go to the Joe Awlasewicz Fund through the Roxbury Scholarship Foundation.

The runners also will be collecting non-perishable food donations during each of their races in November.

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

For further information, contact Scott Benjamin, the race director, at ScottBenjaminWCSU2014@gmail.com or (860) 354-3521.

7.25-mile Race

- 1.. Alison Masopust 50:27
- 2. Mark Andrecjczyk 51:37
- 3. Dan Readyoff 52:45
- 4. Rick Lowry 53:53
- 5. David McNamara 56:46
- 6. Lou Denaro 58:01
- 7. Steven Leslie 58:25
- 8. Randy Watkins 58:37
- **9. Monique Crane 1.00:00**
- 10. Dan Lamb 1L00.51
- 11. Brian Bassett 1:03.44
- 12. Cynthia DeGirolamo 1:05.55
- 13. Scott Cooney 1:07.00
- 14. Larry Deming 1:09.55
- 15. Paul Butler 1:11.23
- 16. Drew Arifian 1:11.48
- 17. David Pepi 1:11.57
- 18. Scott Benjamin 1:16 .10
- 19. Charlie Euston 1:42.23

Alternate Courses

Joseline Danay 2.05 miles Joseph Danay 2.46 miles. Sharon Gawe 3.5 miles 36:32. Russ Pribanic 4.2 miles.

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