

Saturday, September 10, 2022

Masopust Posts Pond Victory

ROXBURY – University of Connecticut graduate Alison Masopust scored her second overall victory of the season and her ninth triumph in the women's division at the weekly Roxbury Road Runners Club series.

The 38-year-old Morris resident covered the 8.7-mile Battleswamp Pond Preserve course in 1-hour, 2-minutes and 39-seconds – a 7:12-per-mile pace – in the Saturday, September 10, event.

Jon Binzen, 65, of New Milford was second overall in 1:05.38.

Chris Deming, 55, of Danbury leads the season standings with 882 points. Kateri Danay, 24, of Waterbury is second overall and leads the female runners with 856 points.

The series will continue on Saturday, September 17, at 8:30 a.m. with the challenging 11-mile Botsford Hill loop.

Runners can enter through the \$25 season membership. They also can compete by completing the weekly waiver form. If they have a timing chip, the cost is \$2. If they do not have a timing chip the fee is \$5. Youth runners can compete for free after completing the weekly waiver form.

The series will sponsor its fifth annual Roxbury Thanksgiving Day Charity Race on Thursday, November 24, at 9 a.m. over a 3.1-mile course.

Runners can pre-register through Ultra Sign-up at <https://ultrasignup.com/register.aspx?did=95688>. The fee is \$10 plus a handling charge.

Post-registration of \$15 per runner will be taken on November 24 from 7:30 to 8:50 a.m.

Proceeds will go to the Sydney Alworth Scholarship through the Roxbury Scholarship Foundation.

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

For further information, contact Scott Benjamin, the race director, at ScottBenjaminWCSU2014@gmail.com, (Voice-mail) (860) 354-3521 or access www.roxburyraces.net or the Roxbury Races Facebook page.