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2008 Club Officers

New club officers for 2008 were voted on at the December 8th Christmas Cookie Social!

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Upcoming Races & Events

**For race applications & web links, visit www.svrchome.org*

March 6 Club Meeting/Social @ The Granary, MH 6pm

March 16 Emerald Nuts Run Across The Bay 12k, Sausalito

Apr. 5 Susan Alves Scholarship 5/10k; San Jose

Club meeting & dinner socials are held the 1st Thursday of each month at 6 PM at The Granary, 17500 Depot St (x 2nd St), downtown Morgan Hill. Potluck-pizza provided, please bring a side dish to share. Meeting/guest speaker following.

Local Race Calendar

Looking for a race? Beginning with this issue, we'll be listing runs around the bay area (note: These are not Grand Prix races, but ANY race may be used as a wildcard).

*March 15: Pleasanton Ridge Run 5k & 7mi ebtrailrunners.com

*March 15: Romancing the Island 12k & 25k, Angel Island envirosports.com

*March 22: Big Bunny Fun Run 5k, Cupertino cupertino.org/event_calendar

*March 22: Greek Independence Day 5k & 10k, Oakland theschedule.com

*March 30: Run Like The Wind 5k & 1/2 m, San Ramon, sanramon.ca.gov/sports/races/

*March 30: Embarcadero 10k, San Francisco dserunners.com

Grand Prix

The latest Grand Prix race was "Together With Love," held February 10th in Pacific Grove. Club member Ken Oliver said "The race was well organized, well attended, and had great weather for February. The race starts at Lover's Point Park in Pacific Grove. It is an out and back course along the road next to the beach. The ocean side has waves crashing and otter's frolicking, the inland side has golf course greens with deer grazing. The course is more or less flat until the 10K turn-around where the road heads up by Asilomar, though in no time you are turned around and flying back down the hill. My only race complaint is the 5K uses the same course, so upon the 10K return, the last mile and a half is weaving around the 5K walkers.

There are strollers to avoid, dog's on leashes and people generally oblivious to the runners coming up from behind."

2008 Points To Date

Only 2 races have passed, and the points are already adding up!

- Total points leader/highest 2 race average: Ken Oliver, 1516 points
- Highest Single Race Score/highest average overall: Jorn Jensen, 797 points.



SVRC runners going the distance!

Napa Valley Marathon

First time Marathoners Jennifer Moyano and Bernadette Simmons will participate in the 30th running of the Napa Valley Marathon on Sunday, March 2nd! The run begins in Calistoga and heads down Silverado Trail, finishing in Napa.

Way Too Cool 50k

Kim Moyano, Craig Lore, Allan Abrams, Kevin Stuart, Lynn Alastos, and Julianne Whitelaw will be running the Way Too Cool 50k in Cool, CA (near Placerville). The course will wind through trails of the Sierra foothills!

American River 50 Miler

And if 50 k isn't enough...Kim Moyano, Craig Lore, Allan Abrams, Kevin Stuart, and Lynn Alastos dare to run the AR 50 from Sacramento to Auburn on Saturday, April 5th!

GOOD LUCK TO ALL!

Saturday Morning!

A great time to hook up with other runners is SVRC's Saturday morning runs! This is because there are multiple groups of runners doing a variety of speeds and distances. Whatever you are running for, this is the run for you!

Informal Morning Run

Looking for an early run? Runners are meeting on Tuesdays at 5:15 AM at Mantelli & Rancho Hills (base of the hill) in Gilroy.