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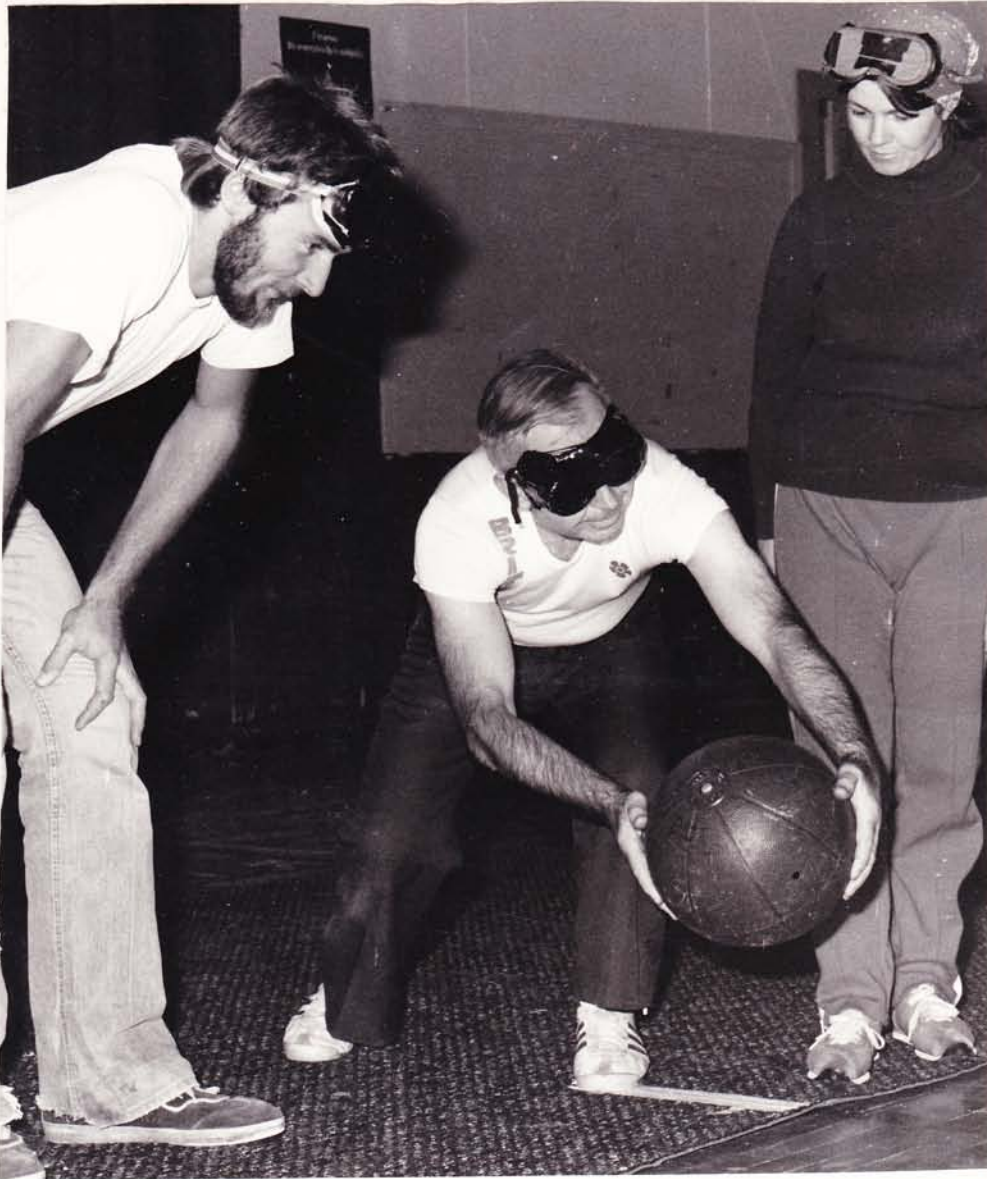
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***** OTHER CLUB ACTIVITIES *****



ROADRUNNERS CLUB JOINS GOAL BALL LEAGUE

Phil Bower, CENTRE, a member of the Charlottetown Big Macs goal ball team, shows the correct method of playing the game to newcomers Sterling Boulter and Kay Lund, members of the P.E.I. Roadrunners Club, during a clinic Tuesday night at St. Jean's School. The league officially starts next week and a similar clinic has been scheduled for Wednesday night at 7:00 at Elm Street School in Summerside. Six teams will take part in the first ever goal ball league on the Island.

(October 17, 1978)

Runners support Big Brothers

Approximately 100 runners from Prince Edward Island will participate in a national fund raising event in support of Big Brothers of Canada June 5-7 across the Island.

The Big Run For Little Brothers started simultaneously in St. John's, Nfld., and Victoria, B.C. Saturday, May 27 and runners will arrive at Borden 7 a.m. June 5.

P.E.I. participants will then take the batons containing a ceremonial scroll to be signed by dignitaries in each location. Runners will arrive in Summerside by 10 a.m. where they will stay for one hour. Then on to Miminegash, passing through villages along the way. The runners are scheduled to arrive in Miminegash at 1:15 a.m. June 6.

Parker Lund who is in charge of the Island runners says they will arrive in Charlottetown 6 p.m. June 6 and will visit the grounds of Government House where they will be met by Lt. Governor Gordon Bennett and Mayor Frank Moran.

During this period the signing of the scroll will take place.

The runners will continue, reaching Souris by 6:55 a.m. the next morning and will reach Wood Islands by 2:30 p.m. June 7.

CONFIRMATION

"By tomorrow I hope to have confirmation of all the runners participating," says Mr. Lund who is a big brother. "One runner will carry the baton but there may be nine or 10 runners running beside him for support."

Mr. Lund says runners will include individuals from the P.E.I. Roadrunners Club, and the Mount Carmel jogging club. Anyone interested in taking part is urged to contact Mr. Lund at 892-7544 or The Big Brothers of P.E.I. at 892-5979.

He noted the Island runners will cover some 372 miles.

The relay run has been organized to bring public attention to the work of Big Brothers as a money-raiser to expand the service and take on more little brothers.

Goal Ball League Sets Playoff Times

The McDonald's Island Goal Ball League championships will be decided this weekend at St. Jean's School in Charlottetown.

Five teams will be taking part in the event and will follow the following schedule:

SATURDAY

11:30 a.m., McSundaes vs McFries; 12:00 Roadrunners vs St. Eleanors Lions; 12:30 McMuffins vs McFries; 1:00 McSundaes vs Roadrunners; 1:30 St. Eleanors vs McMuffins; 2:00 McFries vs Roadrunners; 2:30 McMuffins

vs McSundaes' 3:00 St. Eleanors vs McFries; 3:30 Roadrunners vs McMuffins; 4:00 McSundaes vs St. Eleanors.

The top three teams, on record, will advance to Sunday's championship round and games are as follows:

SUNDAY

1:30 first vs second; 2:15 second vs third; 3:00 first vs third.

All ties will be resolved by a goals for-goals against differential.



Lehmann Cops Event

DUNK RIVER — Joe Lehmann of Fredericton, N.B. ran a consistent sub-six minute pace against strong winds and heavy rains to win the first Dunk River run in 40 minutes and 42 seconds.

A large field of 43 runners competed in the 12Km (7.5 mile) roadrace. Forty-two of the starters finished.

The first female runner in was Suzanne Schmidt of Charlottetown, recent winner of the Octobertest Fun for females only. Schmidt was 30th overall in 59:09.

Other medal winners were Kay Lund, Charlottetown, second in the female division placing 35th in 59:41 while Belinda Cummings was third (42nd) in 75:55.

Placing second overall to Lehmann was Mike Armitage, Charlottetown in 42:38. Only 21 seconds back in third place was Ed Fraser while Andrew Van Wicken was fourth in 43:08. Finishing fifth was Gary Andrus of Charlottetown in 43:23.

The top five finishers and the first female runner received trophies from Callbeck's Ltd., sponsors of the first P.E.I. Roadrunners Club race in Prince County.

MASTERS WINNER

Top medal winner in the masters (Male over 40) was 45 year old Ewen Stewart, recently chosen the club's Roadrunner-of-the-Year. Stewart placed sixth overall in 43:33. Second in masters was Parker Lund, 14th place in 49:08. Third went to Greenwood, N.S. native Rex Young who placed 16th in the field in 50:17. Fourth went to Don Reeves of Summerside (19th) in 50:38.

Following are the results of the race in order of finish for the top 20 runners:

Joe Lehman 40:42; Mike Armitage 42:38; Ed Fraser 42:59; Andrew Van Wicken 43:08; Gary Andrus 43:23; Ewen Stewart 43:33; Lawrence McLagan 43:56; Paul Wright 44:19; Roy Mason 46:32; Dick Hartnett 47:12; Don Pridmore 47:57;

Lance Miron 48:17; Carl Phillips 49:02; Parker Lund 49:08; Rob Price 50:17; Ron

Bellemare 50:27; Jake Baird 50:32; Don Reeves 50:38; Robert Postma 51:28.



Wins 'Dunk River Run'

William Callbeck (right), representing the sponsor — Callbeck's Ltd. of Central Bedeque — presents the Callbeck's Trophy to the overall winner of last Saturday's 'Dunk River Run' (the sixth event of the P.E.I. Roadrunners' 1978 road race circuit) — Joe Lehmann of the Fredericton, N.B. Track Club.

Lehmann finished the 12 kilometer (7.5 miles) race in 40 minutes and 42 seconds. The event began and finished at the Bedeque Area Rec. Centre.

A total of 43 runners competed in the race, and 42 conquered the wind and rain to finish. There were 38 Island runners competing, and six others from points in New Brunswick and Nova Scotia.

Finishing second overall was Mike Armitage of Charlottetown (42:38), and third overall was Eddie Fraser of Charlottetown (42:59). Ewen Stewart, Charlottetown, as usual, won the Master Division (over 40) in a time of 43:33. He was sixth overall.

Suzanne Schmidt of Charlottetown was first in the Women's Division, while Kay Lund of Charlottetown was second, and Belinda Cummings of Charlottetown was third. Schmidt was 30th overall in a time of 59:09; Lund was 35th overall (59:41), and Cummings was 42nd overall (75:55).

The advent of winter may not be far off, but the road-runners are still pouring it on. The next event on the schedule takes place tomorrow at Bedeque, where the P.E.I. Roadrunners' Club will stage "The Dunk River Run" at 2 p.m. The race will cover 7.5 miles, and will have six classifications: four for men; under 20 years, 20-29 years, 30-39; and over 40 years; and two for women: under 25 years, and over 25. They expect 50 entries for the event, which is being sponsored by Callbeck's Ltd.