

# River Valley Runners Meeting Notes

Date: December 12, 2024

Location: Grace Baptist Church, Russellville AR

Time: 7:00 PM

River Valley Runners (RVR) met for the annual Christmas Party, Awards Ceremony and Officer Elections. Jerry welcomed everyone, Lisa Bass blessed meal; meal was served.

Meeting was called to order by Jerry Fuller, Vice President after dinner was complete.

Officers Present:

Jerry Fuller – Vice President

Michael Witt – Treasurer

Carmen Estes – Secretary

Officers Absent:

Cassy Pettus – President - who resigned her position in November via FaceBook Post to the RVR Active Members Page, stating personal reasons.

Nominations were requested for officers:

President: Lisa Bass and Amber Kastner

Vice President: Amber Kastner and Lisa Bass

Secretary: Tina Rotenbury

Treasurer: Anita Sellers (accepted nomination if Michael Witt would agree to share responsibility)

New Positions and Nominations:

Timing Coordinator: Brian Bass

Sponsor/Fund Raising Coordinator: Robin Lambert

Volunteer Coordinator: NONE

Votes were cast – counted by Jerry and Carmen

Results:

President: Lisa Bass

Vice President: Amber Kastner

Secretary: Tina Rotenbury (no opposition)

Co-Treasurers: Micheal Witt (Senior Treasurer) Anita Sellers (Junior Treasurer)

Timing Coordinator: Brian Bass (no opposition)

Sponsor/Marketing Coordinator: Robin Lambert (no opposition)

Volunteer Coordinator: NONE

Need to add Lisa Bass – Pres., Amber Kastner - VP and Anita Sellers – Jr. Treasurer, and keep Michael Witt as Sr. Treasurer to the RVR Account at Chambers Bank. Remove Cassy Pettus and Carmen Estes from all RVR banking accounts

After the elections Jerry and Carmen proceeded with the annual awards.

Club Awards:

Males:

Overall – James Carter – received T-shirt quilt

Masters – David Lankford – received T-shirt pillow

Grand Masters – Brian Harris (1<sup>st</sup> place) – received T-shirt Pillow

2<sup>nd</sup> Place – Jim Burgess – received award made by Carmen

Sr. Grand Masters – Dale Burris – received T-shirt pillow

2<sup>nd</sup> Place – Tom Aspel - received award made by Carmen

Females:

Overall – Gwen Laferr - received T-shirt quilt

Masters – 1<sup>st</sup> place Robin Lambert – received T-shirt pillow

2<sup>nd</sup> Place – Kyra Wallace - received award made by Carmen

3<sup>rd</sup> Place – Amanda Metz - received award made by Carmen

Grand Masters – 1<sup>st</sup> Place – Kathy McCool - received T-shirt pillow

2<sup>nd</sup> Place – Andrea Denk - received award made by Carmen

3<sup>rd</sup> Place – Rhonda Burgos - received award made by Carmen

Sr Grand Masters 1<sup>st</sup> Place – Jennifer Metz - received T-shirt pillow

2<sup>nd</sup> Place Barbara Pakay - received award made by Carmen

3<sup>rd</sup> Place Rebecca Burris - received award made by Carmen

Grand Prix Series:

Participants must have completed the required number of races to receive awards.

State Series – received sweat shirts

Jerry Fuller

E'liza Metz

Jennifer Metz

Amanda Metz

New Local Series (RVR Grand Prix) – received sweatshirts

Amanda Metz

Kyra Wallace

Barbara Pakay

Rebecca Burris

Outgoing Officers received quilts or cup.

Amber Kastner was presented with photo album containing photos of the races where she took photos – presented by Anita Sellers

Meeting adjourned at 8:00 PM

RVR Group photo was taken