



USATF Cross Country and Masters LDR

2001 Master Harriers of the Year Report

Attached are the top Age Graded finishers from the four USATF National Masters Cross Country Championships held since the November 29 to December 3, 2000 USATF Annual Meeting in Albuquerque, NM. These include the following championship events:

1. 9855m USATF Fall National Cross Country Championship held at Franklin Park, Boston, MA on November 25, 2000.
Note 1: The course measures 9855m but the race was age graded using the 1996 10k age grading tables.
Note 2: This event was included in the 2001 report because results were not received in time for the 2000 report.
2. 10k USATF Winter National Masters Cross Country Championship held at Fort Vancouver Park, Vancouver, Washington on February 17, 2001.
3. 8k USATF National Masters Cross Country Championship held at Black Creek Park, Rochester, New York on November 4, 2001.
4. 5k USATF National Masters Cross Country Championship held at Sperling Sports Complex, Deland, FL on November 18, 2001.

2001 USATF Master Harriers of the Year Winners:

Male USATF Master Cross Country Harrier of the Year **Tom Dalton**

Female USATF Master Cross Country Harrier of the Year **Caroline Smith-Hanna
& Joan Ottaway**

2000 USA Fall National Cross Country Championships

Presented by: The Boston Athletic Association and Adidas

Nov. 25, 2000, 9855 meters, Franklin Park, Boston, MA

Note: The course measures 9855m but the race was age graded using the 10k age grading tables. Timing By: Granite State Race Services www.gsrs.com

Top 5 Age Graded Master Women

AG	Place	Time	Name	Age	Age Grade %
1	2	38:57	Carolyn Smith-Hanna	50	87.36%
2	6	40:33	Susan Gustafson	54	87.17
3	3	39:07	Susan Maslowski	48	85.43
4	7	40:35	Carol Hogan	50	83.84
5	1	37:48	Susan LaChance	40	83.25

Top 5 Age Graded Master Men

AG	Place	Time	Name	Age	Age Grade %
1	1	30:48	Thomas Dalton	42	91.79%
2	34	34:32	Larry Olsen	54	89.89
3	2	31:40	Craig Fram	42	89.28
4	62	36:50	Bill Borla	60	88.91
5	3	31:48	Tim Minor	42	88.90

Note: I was not the USATF Masters Cross Country Rep in 2000 and did not attend this event. There were no 'official' age graded results published. I have used the 1996 age graded tables to generate the above age graded results since the '2000' updated age grading tables were not published until 2002 and would not have been available for this event. – Bill Quinlisk

2001 USA Cross Country Winter National Championships

Vancouver, WA, US • Elevation: 26 Ft

Saturday, February 17, 2001

Ft. Vancouver National Historic Site

Course: One 10k race for both Master Men and Master Women

Top 5 Age Graded Master Women

AG	Place	Time	Name	Age	Age Grade %
1	8	43:06	Joan Ottoway	56	83.67%
2	1	39:37	Denise Foote	41	79.44
3	3	40:06	Jennifer Teppo	42	79.13
4	7	42:36	Laura Caldwell	48	78.45
5	2	39:55	Myra Klettke	40	78.19

Top 5 Age Graded Master Men

AG	Place	Time	Name	Age	Age Grade %
1	1	32:28	Tim Minor	42	87.08%
2	2	32:59	Armando Siqueros	42	85.72
3	3	33:26	Bruce Ross	43	85.18
4	6	34:57	Marcial Soto	48	84.61
5	7	35:00	Mark Billett	47	83.84

Note: I was not the USATF Masters Cross Country Rep in 2000 and did not attend this event. There were no 'official' age graded results published. I have used the 1996 age graded tables to generate the above age graded results since the '2000' updated age grading tables were not published until 2002 and would not have been available for this event. – Bill Quinlisk

2001 USATF Masters 8k Cross Country National Championships

Black Creek Park, Rochester, NY

November 4, 2001

Sponsored by Monroe County Sports Development and the Genesee Valley Harriers

Course: One 8k race for both Master Men and Master Women

Top 5 Age Graded Master Women

AG	Place	Time	Name	Age	Age Grade %
1	1	31:14	Kathryn Martin	50	86.32%
2	4	33:31	Carolyn Smith-Hanna	51	81.20
3	3	32:03	Suzanne Myette	44	79.77
4	2	31:43	Gillian Sharp	40	77.96
5	20	39:30	Mary Shaver	62	77.21

Top 5 Age Graded Master Men

AG	Place	Time	Name	Age	Age Grade %
1	1	25:15	TomDalton	43	89.29%
2	32	29:45	Bill Borla	61	87.99
3	4	27:13	Gary Romesser	50	87.37
4	2	26:34	Bob Carroll	45	86.12
5	23	29:13	Terry Delph	56	85.57

Note: I was not the USATF Masters Cross Country Rep in 2000 but I was the co-Meet Director for this event. There were no 'official' age graded results published. I have used the 1996 age graded tables to generate the above age graded results since the '2000' updated age grading tables were not published until 2002 and would not have been available for this event. – Bill Quinlisk

2001 USATF Masters 5k Cross Country National Championships

Sperling Sports Complex, Deland, FL

November 18, 2001

Event Management-Alta Vista Sports, Race Director: John Boyle

Top 5 Age Graded Master Women

AG	Place	Time	Name	Age	Age Grade %
1	2	19:38	Claudia Kassen	44	79.59%
2	1	19:13	Sarah Kramer	41	79.30
3	3	20:10	Sue O'Malley	41	75.56
4	4	21:45	Sheila Haire	46	73.10
5	7	26:02	Alicia Kelley	59	69.26

Top 5 Age Graded Master Men

AG	Place	Time	Name	Age	Age Grade %
1	1	15:42	Tom Dalton	43	87.74%
2	2	16:40	Steve Gallagher	45	83.87
3	18	20:09	Thom Weddle	63	80.95
4	5	17:41	Tim McMullen	48	80.88
5	3	17:24	Gary Moore	45	80.34

Note: I was not the USATF Masters Cross Country Rep. in 2000 but I did compete in this event. I ran 23:37 and finished 23rd of 30 Master Men. I was 4th in the M50-54 age group. Race Director John Boyle, the Vice-Chair of Masters LDR, offered to host the race at the last minute after a cancellation. This was shortly after the 911 attack and many people were still afraid to fly so, it was a very small field (30 men, 8 women). The 'official' age graded results published were calculated using the age grade adjusted times. I have used the 1996 age graded tables to generate the above age graded per cents with no change in the published age graded placings. – Bill Quinlisk