# Key West Southernmost Runners



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Key West Group Runs, 3-8 miles All Week 5-7:00 AM **Different Locations** Contact: dr.dedraling@gmail.com

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## KWSR-SFRF January, 2016



**MCBA Start** 

#### From the Editor and President

Hello Southernmost Runners:

Winter is here and the weather is the best for those long runs and great Keys Races. Join us up the Keys at Founders Park New Year's Day or No Name Key January 23.

There are many new fun and exciting races coming to Key West - check out the Southernmost Runners website and find us on Facebook to become a member, join us for our runs and socials, and find out about purchasing merchandise!

We are looking for a Merchandise Person to Carry and Sell our Club merchandise at our events. Let a Board member know if you can help!

Want to Run? If you enjoy our events please Volunteer to keep them happening! Without you there would be no KWSR

We need your volunteer support! Look at the calendar and pick

Remember Volunteers are needed for every race, KWSR needs the support of it members to make our races happen. Call Don: 305-304-0091

We need you!

## WHAT'S HAPPENING KWSR Races



Kids Run Start

# KIDS CUP RACING SERIES IN FULL STRIDE

The inaugural Kids Cup Racing Series, open to all Keys youth under 15, is underway. The series, sponsored by Key West Southernmost Runners, includes a dozen races in a winter season between October and April. Any young runner in the 9-and-under age group and the 10-14 age group is automatically included.

The MCBA Justice For All Crawl, on Saturday 12/12, is the next race (race #4) in the series. The following Saturday's race, A Positive Step 5K, will be race #5.

The scoring system is based on a runner's place in his/her age group, using a 10-8-7-6-5-4-3-2-1-1 scale. A runner's best six scores for the season will make up his/her final score. Trophies and awards, sponsored by Local Awards & Engraving, will be presented after the final race.

The KCRS is modeled after the KWSR Grand Prix and runs the same schedule of races.

The Kids Cup / GP season schedule:

10/03 - One Human Race 5K

11/07 - Zonta ABC 5K

11/28 - Hog's Breath 5K Hog Trot

12/12 - MCBA Justice For All Crawl 5K

12/19 - A Positive Step 5K

1/23 - No Name Key 5K

2/13 - Christina's Courage 5K

2/20 - Blimp Road 4-Miler 3/05 - Sombrero Beach Run 5K

3/12 - Menendez Miler 5K

3/19 - Run With The Deer 5K

3/26 - Smokin' Tuna 5K

After 3 races, here are the Kids Cup leaders:

5 Erik Vecino

6 Aaron Portel

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4 Nicolas Clausen

2 Cole McCandless 2 Eiren Dunn

1 Dominic Purdham

3 David Teadok 3 Aidan Wilcox

1 Raini La Beet

Girls Age 10-14

20 Lou Navarro

7 Andrea Fricke

6 Isabella Barr

3 Victoria Hart

6 Caroline Althouse

5 Lindsey Clausen

5 Olivia Rodriguez

4 Morgan Zvolska

2 Victoria Daley-Willy

8 Marie Willy

1 Ore Cooper

Boys Age 9 & Under

20 Aiden Althouse

16 Atticus White

14 Victor Espinosa 12 Archie White

5 Rohan Alawani

4 Skylar Barras 3 Jack Bridger

Girls Age 9 & Under 16 Caylaa Makimaa

10 Virginia McCrail

8 Nalani La Beet

7 Molly Higgins

Boys Age 10-14 16 Owen Allen

15 Jack Shvero

10 Elio Navarro

8 Zachary Rodriguez 8 Paul Crespo

8 Nick Criss

7 Michael Cates

6 Sergio Martinez

6 Aaron Portel

1 Jennelle Palomino 1 Emily McCrail

The next two races could shake this up pretty well before the New Year. Check for updated standings, as well as race results and info at: www.southernmostrunners.com.

December 19, 8 AM. A Positive Step 5K Run/Walk

Time to Run the holiday Run for a great cause, starting and finishing at the Southernmost Beach Café, don't miss the great post race festivities.

#### Jan. 1, 8:00 AM, Village of Islamorada's Founders Park, Run Walk or Crawl 5K.

Once again we will be taking a crew up the line to Islamorada for this First Race of the Year event. If you can help out please call me otherwise come Run in the New Year in this beautiful upper Keys location. Register any daytime hours at the park or by mail or on online from our website..

## January 6, 6:30 KWSR Sweaty Social Mc Coy Park

Come for a group run at 6:30 and social potluck post run. Hear about our Grand Prix leaders and Youth Gran Prix.

January 23, 8:00 AM 14th Annual No Name 5K Run/Walk Sponsored by the Domestic Abuse Shelter and the Key West Southernmost Runners, this is a great Race in a great Place. If you haven't heard of it, No Name Key is a great place if you can find it. Come on out and enjoy the outback of the Keys, where the Deer and the people play. Starts and finishes at the Old Wooden Bridge Fish Camp, Big Pine Key.

February 13, 8:00 AM Christina's Courage 5K Run/Walk 3rd year on stock Island, starting at the Sheriff's Headquarters Office. Come run or volunteer to support the Monroe County Christina's Courage Rape and Child Abuse Center.

# March 5, 8:00 AM. Marathon Sombrero Beach 10K Run 5K Fun, Run/Walk and 15K Challenge

This community rallies together to make this an experience the runners will never forget. Restaurants, hotels, businesses and individuals generously donate, raffles, overall prizes, food, entertainment, time. That's why this race is so special!

Other Keys Events, look for info on our website. Call 305-304-0091 to volunteer!

See our website for information on all upcoming events. www. southernmostrunners.com

# WHAT HAPPENED

### November 21, 7:30 AM, Mariners Hospital 5K-10K Run/ Walk, Islamorada,

Saturday November 21, Over 250 Runners and Walkers toed two Start lines, one at Coral Shores High School for the 12th Annual Mariners Hospital 5K, Run/Walk and the other at Treasure Village Montessori School for 10K run. The day was perfect for the runs both finishing at Treasure Village Montessori Charter School, where a post race health fair and awards party waited.

Overall 5K Run winner was Marathon High School Runner, Joel Zaila, running a 18:39. Overall Female Winner was Gabriela Diaz-Pinger, from Tavernier with a time of 21:25, running close to her last years winning time. Masters Category 5K (First runner over 40) winners were Joan Scholz, who was the first 5K