

## 24<sup>th</sup> Annual Duck Pond Run Results

Saturday October 2, 2010

### Watersmeet, Michigan

The 24<sup>th</sup> Annual Duck Pond Run was held in Watersmeet, Mi on Saturday October 2, 2010. This 5K course is one of the finest in the U.P. and the scenery is breath-taking. The event is put on and sponsored by the Martin family and in memory of their daughter and sister Agnes Martin who lost her life to suicide. Race director giiwe Martin has held the event every year since her sister's death in 1986 to remember her sister and others as well, who have lost loved ones to suicide

Over-all winner in the male division was Kyle Nelson 36, of Flint, MI with a time of 16:35. Nelson was followed by Watersmeet, Willy Martin 57, who finished in second place over-all with a time of 17:24 respectively. Erin Bakos 32, (Kyle's sister) of Elko, MN captured the female 1<sup>st</sup> place over-all with a time of 24:14 respectively. Giiwe Martin finished 2<sup>nd</sup> over-all behind Bakos with a time of 26:01. This was Erin's first run in 17 years. Erin and Kyle picked this event as a "special event" in memory of their father who lost his life to suicide as well.

Congratulations to Jason and Jenny Schlender of Red Cliff, WI who ran their first 5K race!

#### Age group results:

**9 and under:** 1<sup>st</sup> Place Male: Edmond Williams (5) – Bruce Crossing 43:50

**10-12:** 1<sup>st</sup> Place Male: Dylan Taivalmaa (10), Ironwood, 24:14 2<sup>nd</sup> Place Male: Garrett Williams 10, Bruce Crossing, 42:56

**13-18:** 1<sup>st</sup> Place Male: Damen Baldwin, 14 Watersmeet, MI 26:14 2<sup>nd</sup> Place Male: Kayne Williams, Bruce Crossing, 33:48.

1<sup>st</sup> Place Female: Nicole Taivalmaa, 13 Ironwood, 58:00.

**30-35:** 1<sup>st</sup> Place Male: Jason Schlender, 35 Red Cliff, WI 33:50.

1<sup>st</sup> Place Female : Toni Edwards-Williams, 35 43:01, 2<sup>nd</sup> Place Female Jenny Schlender, 32, Superior, Wi. 46:47.

**36-39:** 1<sup>st</sup> Place Male: David Baldwin 37 Watersmeet 44:24.

1<sup>st</sup> Place Female: Shelly Allen 37, Watersmeet, 26:54, Joette Pete-Baldwin 37, Watersmeet, 42:45.

**39-49:** 1<sup>st</sup> Place Male: Jim Williams, Jr. 42, 44:24.

1<sup>st</sup> Place Female: Laurie Celeski 39, Ironwood, 58:00

**50-59:** 1<sup>st</sup> Place Male: Willy Martin, 57 Watersmeet, MI 17:24.

**60 +:** Male 1<sup>st</sup> Place Neil Kmiecik, Ironwood, MI 20:32, 2<sup>nd</sup> Marty Celeski, Ironwood, MI 33:33.

1<sup>st</sup> Place Female: giiwe Martin, Watersmeet, MI 26:01. 2<sup>nd</sup> Place Female: Margaret Celeski, Ironwood, MI 58:00

Respectfully submitted: giiwegiizhigookway Martin, Race Director

Attachments (2) photos.