

RACE WINNERS

WOMEN

2005 Cedar Bougeois	51:44
2004 Cedar Petrosius	53:09
2003 Nina Kemppl	56:46
2002 Nina Kemppl	53:04
2001 Nina Kemppl	56:59
2000 Nina Kemppl	54:20
1999 Nina Kemppl	61:47
1998 Nina Kemppl	59:36
1997 Nina Kemppl	55:08
1996 Nina Kemppl	53:08
1995 Nancy Pease	53:50
1994 Nina Kemppl	57:46
1993 Parli Foldager	56:36
1992 Nancy Pease	51:41
1991 Nancy Pease	53:06
1990 Nancy Pease	50:30
1989 Nancy Pease	51:13
1988 Carmen Young	53:53
1987 Carmen Young	52:15
1986 Carmen Young	50:54
1985 Parli Foldager	58:17
1984 Nancy Pease	54:09
1983 Lynn Galanes	53:19
1982 Carmen Young	57:07
1981 Betsy Haines	60:01
1980 Betsy Haines	61:14
1979 Betsy Haines	57:38
1978 Liz Carey	58:06
1977 Judy Zienhik	73:10
1976 Allison Spencer	57:39
1975 Debbie Haines	63:53
1974 Kathy Anderson	58:23
1973 Lynn Spencer	60:39
1972 Kathy Spivy	77:03
1971 Marge Mahoney	65:25
1970 Marge Mahoney	67:24
1969 Ann Livingston	86:17
1968 Grace Hochman	85:33
1967 Joyce Patten	76:10
1966 Marlis Klicher	90:13

JUNIOR GIRLS

2005 Denali Foldager	35:20
2004 Sarah Glaser	37:28
2003 Leah Besh	35:47
2002 Leah Besh	35:22
2001 Dominique Colberg	35:00
2000 Kikkan Randall	33:28
1999 Kikkan Randall	34:44
1998 Kikkan Randall	35:01
1997 Audrey Smith	33:01
1996 Audrey Smith	34:42
1995 Audrey Smith	38:39
1994 Kristel Nilsen	36:00
1993 Emily Ransom	38:00
1992 Emily Ransom	35:05
1991 Kristel Nelson	35:21
1990 Emily Ransom	34:17
1989 Emily Ransom	36:30
1988 Kendra Besh	40:12
1987 Debbie Moseley	42:24

MEN

2005 Brian Bernhard	45:17
2004 Tobias Schwöcker	43:39
2003 Todd Boonstra	47:32
2002 Brad Precosky	46:17
2001 Brad Precosky	45:07
2000 Brad Precosky	45:31
1999 Brad Precosky	46:10
1998 Todd Boonstra	46:17
1997 Todd Boonstra	45:17
1996 Todd Boonstra	47:30
1995 Marten Martensen	46:49
1994 Steve Buchanan	49:02
1993 Steve Buchanan	47:17
1992 Marten Martensen	46:54
1991 Bill Spencer	46:15
1990 Marten Martensen	47:57
1989 Michael Graham	49:16
1988 Michael Graham	46:24
1987 Jim Renkert	46:33
1986 Sam Young & Bill Spencer	45:32
1985 Sam Young	44:49
1984 Sam Young	50:49
1983 Bill Spencer	46:01
1982 Bill Spencer	45:59
1981 Bill Spencer	43:23
1980 Jeff Johnson	46:35
1979 Jeff Johnson	46:17
1978 Jeff Johnson	46:46
1977 Tom Besh	44:59
1976 Bill Spencer	44:25
1975 Bill Spencer	44:37
1974 Bill Spencer	44:11
1973 Tom Besh	45:49
1972 Gene Morgan	46:16
1971 Terry Aldrich	48:10
1970 Dale Shea	46:57
1969 Tom Besh	46:36
1968 Jonathan Chaffee	44:25
1967 Jonathan Chaffee	44:28
1966 William Spencer	48:21

JUNIOR BOYS

2005 Matt Adams	27:47
2004 Rory Egglus	26:35
2003 Rory Egglus	27:14
2002 Rory Egglus	28:13
2001 Mark Johnson	30:57
2000 Jacob Elhard	28:46
1999 Eric Strabel	28:30
1998 Ryan Quinn	29:44
1997 Tony Dugan	26:51
1996 Tony Dugan	27:14
1995 Jason Eastman	30:58
1994 Jason Eastman	29:52
1993 Matt Porter	33:20
1992 Darryl Sela	30:52
1991 Darryl Sela	30:18
1990 Jeremy Crawford	30:43
1989 Justin Meyers	27:52
1988 Troy Fritz	31:28
1987 Andrew Johnson	31:03

Race Schedule:

Junior Race (17 & under)

9:30 a.m.

Women's Race (18 & above)

11:15 & 11:20 a.m.

Men's Race (18 & above)

3:00 & 3:05 p.m.

SENIOR WAVES ARE SPLIT EVENLY

Mt. Marathon Facts:

First Winner

James Walters

62:02 Minutes in 1915

Race Distance

18,211 Feet (269 feet short 3.5 miles)

Elevation gain: 3,022 feet

Oldest Winner

Todd Boonstra, 41,

Won in 2003 Time: 47:32

Youngest Winner

Ephriam Kalmakoff, 14

Won in 1928 Time: 52:35

Record Held the Longest

30 Years, 1929 - 1957

by Ephriam Kalmakoff

Most Wins

Nine by Nina Kemppl

1994, 1996 - 2003

Most Wins by Seward Resident

Six by Ralph Hatch

1946-50, 1953

Highest Number of Finishers

in Senior Races

577 in 2005

Most Consecutive Races

Fred Moore - 36 in 2005

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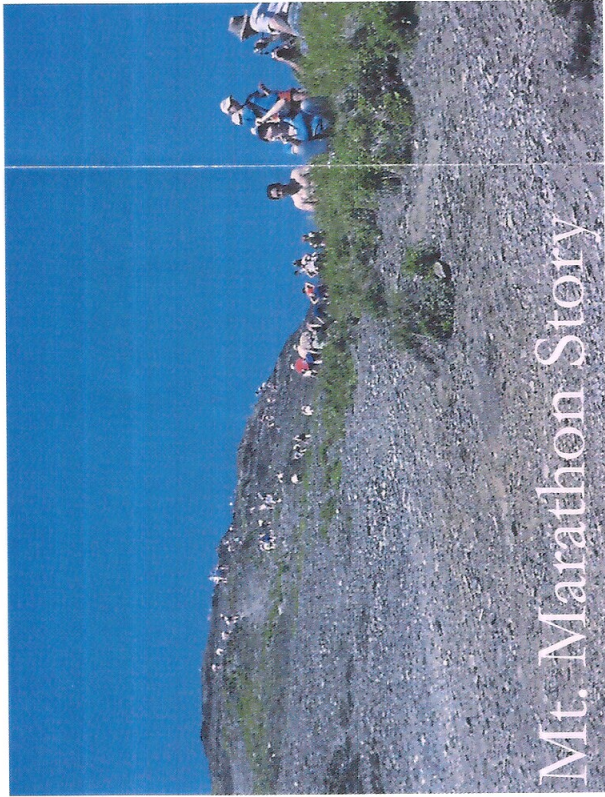
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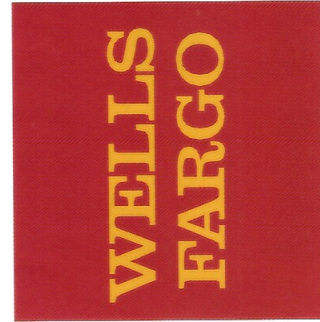
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The tradition of the Mt. Marathon Race®, according to folklore, began when two sourdoughs had an argument about whether it was possible to climb and descend the mountain in less than one hour. “Impossible” one said. To settle the argument and the resulting wager, it was decided to hold a race with the loser to furnish drinks for the crowd. At the same time, enterprising merchants put up a suit

of clothes and other attractions for the winner and proposed the race take place on a holiday - why not the 4th of July? The optimistic sourdough lost his bet - the winning racer took one hour and two minutes. Official records disclose that the Mt. Marathon Race® actually began as an organized run in 1915 and has since become a regular part of the Independence Day celebration in Seward.



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Men's Race

Each year over 500 entries are received for the 350 slots available for the race. The challenge of the mountain calls back racers every year and intrigues visitors from all over the world.

Record: Bill Spencer 1981 43:23

Record by Age Groups:

18-29	Bill Spencer	1981	43:23
30-39	Sam Young	1985	44:49
40-49	Barney Griffith	2005	46:54
50-59	Eddie Baxter	2005	52:53
60-69	Fred Moore	2000	1:00:56
70+	Heinrich Gruber	2001	1:23:23

Women's Race

In 1985, a separate race for senior women was established with 54 women finishing the race. In 1996, the race filled with 300 women running for the first time.

Record: Nancy Pease 1990 50:30

Record by Age Groups:

18-29	Nancy Pease	1990	50:30
30-39	Carmen Young	1986	50:54
40-49	Pam Richter	2000	1:01:50
50-59	Ellyn Brown	2004	1:04:23
60-69	Edda Stickle	2004	1:21:27

Junior Race

The Junior Race is for racers age 17 and under. This race follows the same trail to the finish line as the Senior Race, but only goes half-way to the summit. Junior races may race as individuals as well as on teams.

Records:

15-17 Age Group
Boys: Bill Spencer 1973 24:34
Girls: Aubrey Smith 1997 33:01

12-14 Age Group
Boys: Rory Egelus 2001 31:52
Girls: Denali Foldager 2004 37:34

11 and Under Age Group
Boys: Aaron Thrall 1994 30:51
Girls: Denali Foldager 2001 39:40