

Riis Park Striders Results

June 17, 2023 Pleasant

1 Mile	1. Mike Vlasak	17:34	1st M 60-69
	2. Tom Matuch	17:38	2nd M 60-69
	Ken Dietz	17:38	1st M 70-79
	3. Felix Coleman	24:38	3rd M 60-69
	4. Mark Blaszczyk	29:06	4th M 60-69
2 Miles	1. Michael Fleishhacker	16:19	1st M 50-59
	2. Bob Chadwick	24:27	1st M 80-89
	3. Jay Hughston	33:40	1st M 60-69
7 Miles	1. Brian Sheridan	62:56	1st M 50-59
	2. Bill Thom	67:28	1st M 60-69

Another nice Saturday ... so nice that many of the runners decided to take a leisurely jog through the park. Diane and Mark Blaszczyk brought non-alcoholic beer and donuts to celebrate Mark's birthday. Bill Thom brought the hard stuff and some cake and Brian Sheridan supplied the water. Paul Angarone ran the Police Memorial 5k at the lakefront and he and Sylvia joined the Striders at the park afterwards. Strider co-founder Mike Martorano joined the Striders with a very generous contribution.

Today (June 24th) In History Quiz

1844 - He was granted U.S. patent #3,633 for vulcanized rubber.

1922 - This team was renamed Chicago Bears by team founder, owner and head coach George Halas

1936 - This rookie ties 3 MLB records in New York's 10-run 5th inning against the White Sox, hitting 2 home runs for 8 total bases; Yankees beat Chicago, 18-4

1947 - He steals home for first of 19 times in his career as the Brooklyn Dodgers beat Pittsburgh Pirates, 4-2

1955 - This Washington Senator hits the 1st of his 573 HRs.

1968 - He stops Mexican challenger Manuel Ramos in 2nd round TKO at Madison Square Garden in his first heavyweight boxing title defense

1983 - This NLER becomes 8th pitcher to strikeout 3,000 batters

1997 - He strikes out 19 Oakland A's but still loses 4-1.