## 1st Annual Mike Bastian Memorial Christmas Classic Race

December 17, 2016 Cold, Overcast and Icy

| 1.2 Miles | 1.<br>2.<br>3.<br>4.<br>5.<br>6.<br>7.<br>8.<br>9. | Bob Chadwick Mike Vlasak Eileen Ferguson Renee Phillips Ken Dietz Jay Hughston Felix Coleman Si Jayne Erin Bastian Joe Bastian  | 11:55<br>13:25<br>16:15<br>19:56<br>19:57<br>22:13<br>22:13<br>24:52<br>24:54 | 1st M 60+ 2nd M 60+ 1st F 60+ 1st F 50-59 3rd M 60+ 4th M 60+ 1st M 50-59 5th M 60+ 2nd F 50-59 2nd M 50-59               |
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| 3.6 Miles | 1.<br>2.   | Don Lavelle<br>Hank Caldwell  | 41:51<br>50:06  | 1st M 60+<br>2nd M 60+  |
| 6 Miles   | 1.<br>2.<br>3.<br>4.<br>5.<br>6.<br>7.<br>8.<br>9. | Lance Caldwell Gary Ledonne Michael Fleischhaker Bill Thom Paul Angarone Daniela Munoz Eric Edgecombe Cheryl Benson Karen Davis | 39:48<br>43:25<br>47:30<br>48:12<br>50:22<br>50:23<br>53:05<br>86:20<br>86:30 | 1st M 40-49<br>2nd M 40-49<br>1st M 50-59<br>1st M 60+<br>2nd M 60+<br>1st F 30-39<br>3rd M 60+<br>1st F 60+<br>2nd F 60+ |

Adverse weather reports did not stop the Striders from running in the 1st annual Mike Bastian Memorial Race. Hank Caldwell's grandson and granddaughter won their division in the 6 mile race. Track star Gary Ledonne made his first appearance at Riis in many a year. The men's winning time was the fastest since 2007 and the women's since 2001--on a cold day and slippery course--well done! Erin Bastian was gracious to bring a large supply of bagels and cream cheese for an after run treat and Bill Thom supplied donuts to help celebrate Mike Fleischhaker's birthday. Thanks to all who made a food for the hungry donation and to Pete Block for donating the t-shirts and prizes. Let's hope next year for better conditions and an even bigger turnout.

<u>Joined the Striders for 2017:</u> Bastian family, Hank Caldwell, Hendrickson family, Si Jayne, Gary Ledonne and Bill and Michelle Thom. Membership is still \$20 and entitles you to a t-shirt and free admission to all runs at Riis Park.