

# Official Newsletter of the RANDOLPH ROADRUNNERS (AVA44)

Volume 2014 – October, 2014 No. 10 Next Meeting – October 15, 2014 Esplanade Gardens, Converse, TX A member of the American Volkssport Association (AVA) & the International Federation of Popular Sports (IVV) The Public is always welcome

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www.randolphroadrunners.info

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www.ava.org

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www.walktexas.org

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### Renewal Time

The following membership renewals are currently due: Beverly Patton, Maeve Reddin, Kathy Crane, Shelia & Robert Fleming, Al & Gloria Mick, Bert Pickell, Julia Way, Margaret Carrasco, Nicole Davis & Payton Storey, Marsha LaFleur, David & Wilma Reves Angela Segraves, Shirley Conrad, Rodney & Diana Hammond, James Russell, Joan Whealen, Ted Cieslak, Laura Cortez, Susan Fine, Betsy Kernahan, Sandra Lamprecht and Gerry Wagner. Please send in your renewal fees now. We value your membership. To renew your membership, fill out the renewal application attached or print one from the following website address: www.RandolphRoadrunners.info

### Welcome new members

and send it with your fees to Nancy

Paulson c/o the club address.

Ann Menchaca San Antonio Jess Meyer New Braunfels

## From the Desk of the RR Pres-

A heartfelt "thank you" to John and Susan Ives for coordinating the Quihi event.

"Thank you's" also to Tony and Nancy Paulson, Pat Gunter, Darlene Oner, Joanne and Carlen Forinash, Pat Roberts, Bill Radigan, Rick White, and Mike Hermes. It was nice to see a sense of community as the Quihi church members had a work day to prepare for an upcoming anniversary celebration. The church folks did a wonderful job preparing and serving breakfast tacos which were very much appreciated.

The RR's club has some very important positions to fill. If it's in your heart, please step forward to fill the publicity slot. Spreading the word about the club's great events is of the upmost importance.

Membership is also looking for a replacement. Nancy Paulson has filled the membership position for ten years. She would like a break.

In the even numbered years the offices of president and treasurer are up for election. Please make your desires known at the October 15th meeting.

**NEW MEETING LOCATION!** Starting Oct. 1, the Universal

City Library will be closed. Our new RR meeting Place is: **Esplanade Gardens** 10790 Toepperwein Road Converse, TX 78109

www.esplanadeseniorcampus.com

The next RR meeting is October 15 with a meet and greet at 6:30 pm, and the general meeting starting at 6:45 pm.

The U.C. Library could use some volunteers during the day to help pack up the library for their construction move. If interested, please call the library at 659-7048 or e-mail at librarian@uctx.gov to set up a time.

Walk Texas special program books are available for \$10 from Ellen. Since this is a Texas Volkssport program, please make your check out to the TVA. Don't forget the TVA Texas Historical Landmark special program and the AVA OST special program. Both programs are coordinated by the RR's. Contact Ellen for information.

Upcoming RR walks:

Mark your 2015 calendars: 10 January for 2 walks - Alamo Heights & Lincoln Heights

21 February - Del Webb

14 March - Walker Ranch.

Ellen



# From Oct/Nov Issue of TAW Great accomplishments by Roadrunners. Way to go!!

### **EVENTS COMPLETED:**

30 – Mike Schwencke

50 - Cindy Krueger

75 – Deanna Repp

125 – Susan Ives

125 – Susan IV

150- John Ives

225 - Susan Medlin

350 - Marta Knape

350 – Reuben Knape

550 – Tom Elms

800 - Doug Eide

1150 – Pat Heller

3200 - Darlene Oner

4100 - Bill Radigan

#### DISTANCE:

1000 km – Deanna Repp

2000 km - Susan Medlin

7000 km - Douglas Eide

13000 km - Ted Cieslak

14000 km – Patricia Heller

#### **BIKE**

1000 km - Doug Eide

Please congratulate all the above Roadrunners for their Volkssport accomplishments.



# The Next NEC meeting is October 17-18, 2014

The next NEC meeting will be held at the Sovereign Hotel in Albany, New York. The hotel address is: 1228 Western Avenue, Albany, New York 12203. Phone 518-489-2981 or email sales@sovereignhotels.com for hotel reservations. The meeting will start Friday night at 7pm.

Club proposed agenda items for this meeting must be sent to the Regional Director for the club no later than August 18, midnight.

### New Rules for Logging Kilometers Over 22,000 Kilometers

The NEC voted at the June 2014 meeting to allow new rules for logging kilometers earned over 22,000. Presently, once you reach 22,000 you

fill a yellow book for 3,000 to reach 25,000 and continue in the yellow book for 5,000 after that. You now have the option of continuing to use the orange book after reaching 22,000 kilometers. As you finish each new 1,000 kilometers over 22,000, you will receive a certificate. You will receive the normal pins, patches and certificates for 22.000, 25.000 and increments of 5.000 over 25,000. Please make sure each orange book you send in has the total kilometers at the top that you have reached so Karen may log in the correct level you have obtained. This change is effective immediately.



Patch design courtesy of Dorm Batson Northwest Region

### National Volkssport Month

Patches are now available, contact Theresa at Theresa@ava.org to order. Patches are \$2.50 each to clubs with no discount or shipping. Patches cannot be returned for credit.

June 13-21, 2015
9 Walks to discover Oregon
Social Activities
Biennial National Meeting
Workshops and Vendors
The Grand Hotel, at the
Salem Convention Center,
is the Convention site:
201 Liberty St SE,
Salem, OR 97301



### Coming Texas Events:

10/4/2014 - 10/4/2014 - Walk **Event Number:** 98691 10km/5km

**Start:** Castroville Chamber of

Commerce Building

**Event City:** Castroville - Walk Back

Into History

Host Club: Castroville Chamber of

Commerce

Event Website: <u>castroville.com</u>
More Details: <u>Click here for directions</u>,

ratings, etc.

Write for more information to:

PO Box 572

Castroville, Tx 78009

Contact: Brenda Kempf, (830) 538 -

3142

E-Mail:brenda@castroville.com

10/4/2014 - 10/4/2014 - Walk

**Event Number:** 99234 10km & 5km **Start:** Washington-on-the Brazos State

Historic Site-Pavilion 1

**Event City:** Washington - Washington

Host Club: Houston Happy Hikers

**Event Website:** 

More Details: Click here for directions,

ratings, etc.

Write for more information to:

P. O. Box 101

Orchard, Tx 77464

Contact: Catherine Kellner, (979) 478 -

6203

EMail: hhhpresident@HoustonHappyHikers.com

ClubWebsite:

www.houstonhappyhikers.com

10/11/2014 - 10/11/2014 - Walk

**Event Number:** 99001 10km/5km **Start:** Mitchell Lake Audubon Center

**Event City:** San Antonio - Mitchell

Lake Audubon Center

Host Club: Texas Wanderers

**Event Website:** 

More Details: Click here for directions,

ratings, etc.

Write for more information to:

102 Wildridge Trail

Universal City, Tx 78148

Contact: Gerald Kamicka, (210) 658 -

2160

E-Mail:GeraldK726@aol.com

Club

Website: www.walktx.org/TexasWand

erers

10/18/2014 - 10/18/2014 - Walk **Event Number:** 99188 10km/5km **Start:** Leon Vista Park Trailhead @ Leon Creek Greenway NOTE: LOCATION OF THIS EVENT CHANGED FROM SEGUIN TO LEON CREEK GREENWAY.

Event City: San Antonio - Walkin' the

Leon Creek Greenbelt **Host Club:** LoneStar Walkers

**Event Website:** 

More Details: Click here for directions, ratings, etc.

Write for more information to:

27727 Ramblewood San Antonio, Tx 78261

Contact: Heinz Johnson, (830) 980 -

5723

E-Mail: heinzhj@gvtc.com

10/25/2014 - 10/25/2014 - Walk **Event Number:** 100792

10km/5km

Start: Allen Cafe

Event City: Allen - Allen Adventure

Walk in October

Host Club: Plano Walking Club

**Event Website:** 

More Details: Click here for directions,

ratings, etc.

Write for more information to:

4221 Whistler Dr Plano, TX 75093

**Contact:** Maggie Cole, (469) 233 -

0161

E-Mail: maggiec01@verizon.net Club Website:

www.walktx.org/planowalkingclub

10/25/2014 - 10/26/2014 - Walk **Event Number:** 98940 10km/5km

Start: Waring VFD Hall Event City: Waring - The Camp

Capers Caper

Host Club: Hill Country

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More Details: Click here for directions,

ratings, etc.

Write for more information to:

102 Edgewood Drive Comfort, TX 78013

Contact: John Bohnert, (830) 995 -

2421

E-Mail:tinabohnert@gmail.com

10/25/2014 - 10/26/2014 - Walk **Event Number:** 98825 10km/5km

Start: Waring VFD Hall

**Event City:** Waring - The River Trail

**Host Club:** Hill Country

Volkssportverein

More Details: Click here for directions,

ratings, etc.

Write for more information to:

102 Edgewood Drive Comfort, TX 78013 Contact: John Bohnert, (830) 995 -

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E-Mail:tinabohnert@gmail.com



11/1/2014 - 11/1/2014 - Walk **Event Number:** 99160 10 km/5 km **Start:** Pavilion, Berry Springs, Williamson County Park 1801 CR 152,

Georgetown, Tx. 78626

**Event City:** Georgetown - Berry

Springs Park and Preserve

Host Club: Colorado River Walkers More Details: Click here for directions, ratings, etc.

Write for more information to:

3109 Rogge Ln. Austin, TX 78723

Contact: Carol Obianwu, (512) 771 -

9566

E-Mail:cobianwu@utexas.edu

**Club Website:** 

www.coloradoriverwalkers.org/

### Junction Sunrise YRE- 9/6/14





Darlene Oner, Pat Gunter & Dolly at Junction walk 9/6/14.



The trail along the Junction walk 9/6/14

### Walk for the Q-Quihi 9/13/14



Mike Hermes and John Ives at the start point - Quihi walk 9/13/14.



Carlen Forinash, Carol Talpey, Brian Fisher, Joyce Davis, Dora Pfleging, Nancy & Tony Paulson stop for a picture on the way to the finish in Quihi.



Martin Callahan & Dolly stop next to the Texas Centennial marker commemorating the founding of Quihi, Texas, along the walk trail.



Kerrville Schreiner Park walk 9/20/14



Bilita Van Cleave and her two pups Sadie and Sable walk along a rugged portion of the trail – Kerrville 9/20/14



Heinz & Priscilla Johnson at Start table Kerrville Schreiner Park Walk



### RANDOLPH ROADRUNNERS

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# RANDOLPH ROADRUNNERS APPLICATION

PO Box 2744, Universal City TX 78148-1744			
Please check applicable box (es):  ☐ Renewal	□ New Member	☐ Family	y member(s) included (see instructions below) DATE
Name			<b>NEW MEMBER FEE:</b> \$4.00 for 1 year \$10.00 for three years
Address		Apt No.	This fee applies to the primary member. Additional family members require a \$2.00 fee per individual.  RENEWAL FEE: \$4.00 for one year
City	State	Zip code	\$10.00 for three years
application. Telephone number now by E-mail address			This renewal fee includes each family member who paid \$2.00 with the original  If the \$2.00 fee was not paid with the original application, add family members including \$2.00 for each person.
			Lifetime membership for (1) one person is available for a \$30 fee.
Family members Amount submitted \$			AVA Volkssport Associate
Amount submitted \$			Eager to serve as club officer or committee chair