

## RULES OF THE SERIES

1. Participants in the series must complete the respective entry forms for each race in which they wish to compete. Race entries that prove unreadable or contain missing information (e.g. age or gender) shall be considered void for purposes of the series.
2. Individuals competing in the series must be registered as a 2012 USA Track & Field Mid-Atlantic athlete member before their performances will be scored. Registrars will be available at each series race to facilitate purchase of USATF athlete memberships.
3. Individuals who register through another association shall not be eligible for series scoring until their membership has been received by the Mid-Atlantic membership chair.
4. Each of the races in the series retains the right to manage its entries, to determine whether to offer prize money, and to operate its own award ceremony. The off-road series will function "after the fact" by using the official race results to determine over all standing. It is intended that current standings shall be on display at each race.
5. A Mid-Atlantic long-distance running rep. shall be present at each event to answer questions, interpret rules, and assist in purchasing USATF memberships.

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<http://www.mausatf.org>

FACEBOOK Group:

2012 Off Road Series - USATF Mid Atlantic

6. The 2012 series offers Mid-Atlantic clubs a team challenge independent of the individual competition. See club challenge Grand Prix Circuit brochure or series coordinator for details.

## SCORING THE SERIES

1. The Masters Age-Graded tables developed by World Master Athletics (WMA) will be used to score results in each race. Each finisher's time will be divided into the standard for her/his age and gender; this calculation will produce a percentage which will be used to rank performances in the Club Challenge.
2. The top 3 finishers in the Open (19-39), Masters (40-49), Grand Masters (50-59) and Seniors (60+) categories will get really cool awards.
3. The Off-Road Club Challenge will be scored exactly as the Grand Prix Club Challenge and requires 5 finishers per club, of whom one must be a female.

### Off-Road Club Challenge Rules

- 2012 USATF membership required for Clubs and Individuals

- Scoring: 5 club members (1 must be female)

- Club transfers require a 90 days wait period, with a written request

\*Reference 2012 Off-Road Club Challenge Rules for more details

### **Off-Road Club Challenge Cash Awards**

**1st - \$500**

**2nd - \$400**

**3rd - \$300**

**4th - \$200**

**5th - \$100**



## 2012 Off-Road Running Series



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**OFF-ROAD SERIES**

The off-road series has been created to offer USA Track & Field Mid-Atlantic members an alternative to road racing. The series seeks to introduce runners to different off-road races, i.e. trail running and XC. Our emphasis is on competition among club teams. Your questions or concerns are welcome.

**DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY**

USA Track & Field Mid-Atlantic, its officers, members, and any or all sponsors of this off-road series disclaim any responsibility or liability for injury, loss or damages arising from your participation in this series. You assume full responsibility for being physically healthy and having sufficiently trained to enter races in this series and accept all risks, if any, consequent to your decision to participate in these races. Further, your participation in this series testifies to your permission for free use by USA Track & Field Mid-Atlantic, series sponsors, and each race in the series of your name and picture in any broadcast, telecast, or print media account of the series.

**USA TRACK & FIELD Mid-Atlantic**

**10<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL OFF-ROAD RUNNING SERIES**

<b>Date</b>	<b>Event Name / Phone</b>	<b>Location of Start</b>	<b>Race Director/Email</b>
<b>February 26 11AM</b>	<b>Ugly Mudder 7 Mi Trail Run 610-779-2668 www.pretzelcitytiming.com</b>	<b>Spook Ln. &amp; Hill Rd. Reading, PA</b>	<b>Ron Horn Rhornpcs@aol.com</b>
<b>March 31 9AM</b>	<b>Tyler Arboretum 10K Trail Run 610-891-0806 www.TylerTrailRun.com</b>	<b>Tyler Arboretum Media, PA</b>	<b>John Greenstine TylerTrailRun@yahoo.com</b>
<b>April 28 10AM</b>	<b>Trail Triple Crown 10K Run 302-373-3723 www.triplecrowntrailrun.org</b>	<b>Carpenter Rec. Area White Clay Creek St. Pk. Rte. 896 Newark, DE</b>	<b>John MacKenzie johnmack@udel.edu</b>
<b>June 2 9AM</b>	<b>Wissahickon Trail Classic 10K 215-694-6332 www.wissahickontrailclassic.org</b>	<b>Wissahickon Park Forbidden Drive &amp; Northwestern Ave Phila. PA</b>	<b>Phil Ranly phil@ranly.net</b>
<b>July 8 9AM</b>	<b>Double Trouble 15K Trail Run 610-779-2668 www.pretzelcitytiming.com</b>	<b>French Creek St. Pk. Morgantown, PA</b>	<b>Ron Horn Rhornpcs@aol.com</b>
<b>August 19 9AM</b>	<b>Radnor Red Run 5K Steeplechase 610-864-5935 www.radnorredsteeplechase.org</b>	<b>Radnor Hunt 826 Providence Rd Malvern, PA</b>	<b>Carly Smith carlycsmith@gmail.com</b>
<b>October 28 10 AM</b>	<b>Evansburg Challenge 10 Mi 610-631-1009 www.pretzelcitytiming.com</b>	<b>Evansburg St. Pk Collegetown, PA</b>	<b>Joe Cruice jcruice@compeerfriends.org</b>
<b>November 24 10:20 +Women 11:00 Masters Men 11:30 Open Men</b>	<b>Delaware Open XC Championship 5K XC Race Mid-Atlantic 5K XC Championship 302-383-7246 www.delawarerunningclub.org</b>	<b>Brandywine Creek State Pk. (DE 92) Wilmington, DE</b>	<b>Jim Walsh jgwalsh59@comcast.net</b>