



V.I.Pace Runners Bulletin May 29, 2017
Memorial Day 2Mile for those who made the ultimate sacrifice...

As the days of summer warm-up, the V.I.Pace Runners road races shorten in distance. This to make life better for the runners. Historically the point-to-point course for Monday's 34th Annual Memorial Day 2 Mile was all downhill until the new bypass was constructed, so now it finishes at the Christiansted overlook which has a couple of hills in the last mile.

Dominic Pugliese of Good Hope Country Day School battled all the way with Billy Bohlke, multiple winner of the event to ease ahead by 10 seconds at the finish to clock 11:03 for the win with Bohlke in pursuit and second in 11:13; as it were youth did not prevail for the third place spot as Randall Nielsen had a photo finish third over 13 year-old Brice Richards of GHCD 11:35 to 11:37 (basically they had the same time as it was so close); Mason Lambert the 10 year-old from GHCD took fifth in 13:28.

Megan Lambert, Mason's mom was the first place female finisher in the race with a time of 15:00; Mario Alivio in her first race was second in 17:55; Cynthia Whitehurst was third in 19:15; Jamilah John Baptiste an 8 year-old with the Mary's Fancy Track Club was fourth in 19:25; Candi Chitty was fifth in 20:33.

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Note:

1]Scroll down for full results

2) "Teddy Seymour, a U.S. Marines Captain and Vietnam Veteran once told me that the hills that serve as a backdrop to the historic town of Christiansted, reminded him of the hills in Vietnam" said Wallace Williams, Race Director. Now the Memorial Day 2Mile finishes exactly where Seymour made his reference. No less than a half-dozen participants in the event were military veterans and they took the opportunity to express their thoughts on the special day. Wes Whitehurst a C-130 Pilot in the U.S.Air Force called on participants to make a special effort to remember those who made the ultimate sacrifice. Paul Barone and Infantryman in the U.S.Marines Corp.spoke about how fortunate he was to make it through the Vietnam War; Brice Richards father a seaman in the U.S.Navy shared his memories of time served; Randall Nielsen a U.S.Army Gulf War Veteran expressed his satisfaction on running in the memory of lost veterans; Ester Sweeney a retired Major in the V.I. National Guard spoke of how proud she is to have served; Billy Bohlke a Major in the Puerto Rico Air Force National Guard and C-130 Pilot served three tours in Afghanistan and still serves; Wallace Williams a Vietnam Era 4 year U.S.Air Force Veteran, the founder and race director shared a little history of the event and its meaning/purpose.

3]The next race on the V.I.Pace Runners Calendar is: The 33rd Annual Women Race on June 4 at 5pm in Christiansted for info/registration logon:
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AWARD LIST FOR RACE
THE 34th MEMORIAL DAY 2MILE ROAD RACE
Distance: 2 Miles...Point-To-Point
May 29, 2017
Beeston Hill to Bypass
Christiansted, St. Croix, Virgin Islands USA
Organized by: The Virgin Islands Pace Runners
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***** MALE OVERALL RESULTS FOR 5K RACE *****

1	DOMINIC Pugliese	16 Good Hope Count	11:03
2	BILLY Bohlke	38 St. Croix, VI	11:13
3	RANDALL Nielsen	49 St. Croix, VI	12:35
4	BRICE Richards	13 Good Hope Count	12:37
5	MASON Lambert	10 Good Hope Count	13:23
6	ROBB Kuczynski	31 St. Croix, VI	13:30
7	KAEDEN Gleason	9 Good Hope Count	14:11
8	JAY Gleason	42 St. Croix, VI	14:47
9	FLORENDO Astropabio	38 St. Croix, VI	16:19
10	JAHIEM McIntosh	9 St. Mary's Trac	17:37
11	WHAT'S Your Name	35 St. Croix, VI	18:51
12	JIM John Baptiste	45 St. Mary's Trac	19:27
13	WES Whitehurst	69 St. Croix, VI	21:15
14	LARRY Williams	75 St. Croix, VI	23:37
15	WILLIE Lewis	59 St. Mary's Trac	23:46
16	JOSE Torres	66 Atlanta, GA	30:38

***** FEMALE OVERALL RESULTS FOR 2MILE RACE *****

1	MEGAN Lambert	41 St. Croix, VI	15:00
2	MARIA Alivio	35 St. Croix, VI	17:55
3	CYNTHIA Whitehurst	62 St. Croix, VI	19:15
4	JAMIAH John Baptist	8 St. Mary's Trac	19:25
5	CANDI Chitty	62	22:52

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6	MYRTICE Torres	53	Atlanta, GA	30:17	30:17	30:17
FEMALE AGE GROUP: 1 - 9						
1	15 JAMIAH John Baptist	19:25	8 St. Mary's Track	19:25	19:25	
MALE AGE GROUP: 1 - 9						
1	7 KAEDEN Gleason	14:11	9 Good Hope Country	14:11	14:11	
2	11 JAHIEM McIntosh	17:37	9 St. Mary's Track C	17:37	17:37	
FEMALE AGE GROUP: 10 - 19						
MALE AGE GROUP: 10 - 19						
1	1 DOMINIC Pugliese	11:03	16 Good Hope Country	11:03	11:03	
2	4 BRICE Richards	12:37	13 Good Hope Country	12:37	12:37	
3	5 MASON Lambert	13:23	10 Good Hope Country	13:23	13:23	
FEMALE AGE GROUP: 20 - 29						
MALE AGE GROUP: 20 - 29						
FEMALE AGE GROUP: 30 - 39						
1	12 MARIA Alivio	17:55	35 St. Croix, VI	17:55	17:55	
MALE AGE GROUP: 30 - 39						
1	2 BILLY Bohlke	11:13	38 St. Croix, VI	11:13	11:13	
2	6 ROBB Kuczynski	13:30	31 St. Croix, VI	13:30	13:30	
3	10 FLORENDO Astropabio	16:19	38 St. Croix, VI	16:19	16:19	
4	13 WHAT'S Your Name	18:51	35 St. Croix, VI	18:51	18:51	
FEMALE AGE GROUP: 40 - 49						
1	9 MEGAN Lambert	15:00	41 St. Croix, VI	15:00	15:00	
MALE AGE GROUP: 40 - 49						
1	3 RANDALL Nielsen	12:35	49 St. Croix, VI	12:35	12:35	
2	8 JAY Gleason	14:47	42 St. Croix, VI	14:47	14:47	
3	16 JIM John Baptiste	19:27	45 St. Mary's Track	19:27	19:27	
FEMALE AGE GROUP: 50 - 59						
1	21 MYRTICE Torres	30:17	53 Atlanta, GA	30:17	30:17	
MALE AGE GROUP: 50 - 99						
1	17 WES Whitehurst	21:15	69 St. Croix, VI	21:15	21:15	
2	19 LARRY Williams	23:37	75 St. Croix, VI	23:37	23:37	
3	20 WILLIE Lewis	23:46	59 St. Mary's Track	23:46	23:46	
4	22 JOSE Torres	30:38	66 Atlanta, GA	30:38	30:38	
FEMALE AGE GROUP: 60 - 99						
1	14 CYNTHIA Whitehurst	19:15	62 St. Croix, VI	19:15	19:15	
2	18 CANDI Chitty	22:52	62	22:52	22:52	
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Place	Name	Age	S	City	St Club	Time	Pace
1	DOMINIC Pugliese	16	M	Good Hope Count		11:03	5:32
2	BILLY Bohlke	38	M	St. Croix, VI		11:13	5:37
3	RANDALL Nielsen	49	M	St. Croix, VI		12:35	6:18
4	BRICE Richards	13	M	Good Hope Count		12:37	6:19
5	MASON Lambert	10	M	Good Hope Count		13:23	6:42
6	ROBB Kuczynski	31	M	St. Croix, VI		13:30	6:45
7	KAEDEN Gleason	9	M	Good Hope Count		14:11	7:06
8	JAY Gleason	42	M	St. Croix, VI		14:47	7:24
9	MEGAN Lambert	41	F	St. Croix, VI		15:00	7:30
10	FLORENDO Astropabio	38	M	St. Croix, VI		16:19	8:10
11	JAHIEM McIntosh	9	M	St. Mary's Trac		17:37	8:49
12	MARIA Alivio	35	F	St. Croix, VI		17:55	8:58
13	WHAT'S Your Name	35	M	St. Croix, VI		18:51	9:26

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15	JAMIAH John Baptist	8 F St. Mary's Trac	19:25	9:43
16	JIM John Baptiste	45 M St. Mary's Trac	19:27	9:44
17	WES Whitehurst	69 M St. Croix, VI	21:15	10:38
18	CANDI Chitty	62 F	22:52	11:26
19	LARRY Williams	75 M St. Croix, VI	23:37	11:49
20	WILLIE Lewis	59 M St. Mary's Trac	23:46	11:53
21	MYRTICE Torres	53 F Atlanta, GA	30:17	15:09
22	JOSE Torres	66 M Atlanta, GA	30:38	15:19