



Race Report – 27th September 2013

With a time of 32 minutes 26 seconds, Russ McArthur took first place in the 5 mile race hosted by Riyadh Road Runners on Friday 27th of September. It was the club's second event of the season, both at Isbilgia compound, following a 5km event two weeks earlier where Russ had also taken first place in the veteran division, and a close 2nd place overall.

Russ was followed by Jean Pierre Berthiaux who came in at 35:32, and Christopher Nixon at 36:10 who won the Masters and Open category respectively.

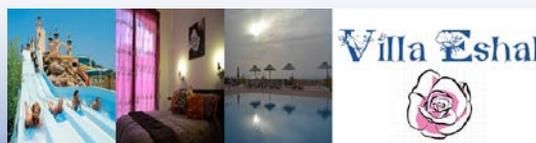
Female winner was junior competitor Phoebe Lloyd-Evans, coming in fourth overall with an impressive time of 36:52 and easily leading her division.

Adelfo Paredes and Alfonso Orona took 2nd and 3rd place in the open category after Christopher Nixon. They crossed the line just a second apart, with Adelfo finishing on 37:10, and Alfonso on 37:11.

In the Veteran category (age 40-49) Alistair McDermot finished 2nd place after Russ McArthur, completing the course in 37:35, while David Townhill came in 3rd with a time of 38:37. It was William Burgess who took second place in the Master category (age 50-59) with a time of 40:50. He was followed by John Breen in the same division who, with a time of 43:53 came third.

It was Deborah Karakesisoglu who won the female Open category, this time coming in as 2nd female and ninth 9th overall. Her time was 38:17. 3rd overall female, with a time of 38:51, was Adriana Anderson making her 2nd in the Open category, after Deborah. Nouf Al-Sultan took 3rd in the same division, completing the course in 39:02. Winner of the female veteran division was Claudine Roghi who completed the race in 39:45. In the same category Marie-Pierre Arminjon finished as 2nd Veteran with a time of 41:37:00. Maryann Earl took 1st female Master (age 50-59) for the second time, with a time of 44:33:00.

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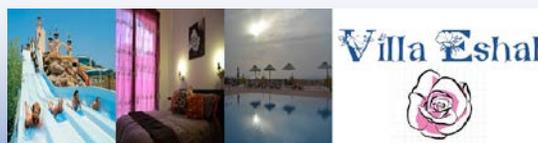


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The next race will be another morning event, this time a 10km. Visit the Riyadh Road Runners website for more information: www.riyadhroadrunners.com

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