

Oil City Summer Biathlon Results

August 9, 2008, Oil Creek State Park, Oil City, PA

The Sims family hosted the 3rd Annual Oil Creek State Park Summer Biathlon outside of Rouseville, Pennsylvania on Saturday, August 9. Fifty-one athletes competed...making this the largest field in the three-year history of the event.

Stephanie Blackstone and Doug Hoover each captured their respective race titles.

Blackstone (Everett, PA) broke the previous course record set last year by Katie Sick. Blackstone shot just one penalty and recorded a time of 25:19 (eclipsing the previous record by 2:31). Meanwhile, Sick (Millville, PA) and Hilary Saucy (Harleysville, PA) finished second and third, respectively. Sick shot clean for the first time in her young career, while Saucy shot one penalty and continued to show improved strength on the run. Ann Sick (Millville, PA) finished fourth overall and captured the masters title.

Hoover (Williamsburg, PA) shot clean enroute to posting a margin of 2:12 over runner-up Alden Sims (Venus, PA), who shot 6 penalties. Adam Gill (Oil City, PA) shot two penalties and finished third. Paul Harkins (Maineville, OH) finished eighth overall and captured the masters title.

WOMEN - 6k with 70m penalty loops - 25m targets

<i>Place</i>	<i>Athlete</i>	<i>Hometown</i>	<i>Age Group</i>	<i>Penalties</i>		<i>Time</i>	<i>%Back</i>
				<i>Prone</i>	<i>Standing</i>		
1	Blackstone, Stephanie	Everett, PA	20-29	0	1	0:25:19	110.86%
2	Sick, Katie	Millville, PA	12-19	0	0	0:29:23	96.54%
3	Saucy, Hilary	Harleysville, PA	12-19	1	0	0:30:30	92.61%
4	Sick, Ann	Millville, PA	40-49	0	1	0:31:35	88.79%
5	Saucy, Stephanie	Harleysville, PA	40-49	0	0	0:32:31	85.50%
6	Morton, Pam	Wattsburg PA	40-49	5	5	0:32:51	84.33%
7	Sick, Hannah	Millville, PA	12-19	0	4	0:35:08	76.29%
8	Goss, Monika	OilCity, PA	12-19	2	3	0:41:30	53.87%
9	Manning, Melissa	Buffalo, NY	12-19	4	3	0:43:11	47.95%
10	Lutz, Abby	OilCity, PA	12-19	1	5	0:44:03	44.89%
11	Williams, Abby	Rouseville, PA	12-19	3	4	0:52:46	14.20%
12	Mehlburger, Mary	OilCity, PA	12-19	3	5	0:55:35	4.28%
13	Stile, Andrea	Corry, PA	50-59	1	3	1:01:38	-17.02%

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1	Hoover, Douglas	Williamsburg, PA	30-39	0	0	0:23:32	108.43%
2	Sims, Alden	Venus, PA	12-19	1	5	0:25:44	99.87%
3	Gill, Adam	OilCity, PA	20-29	1	1	0:27:50	91.70%
4	Bowman, Kyle	Stow, OH	20-29	2	4	0:27:53	91.50%
5	Thrasher, Caleb	GroveCity, PA	12-19	1	1	0:28:00	91.05%
6	Dempsey, Ben	OilCity, PA	12-19	4	4	0:28:10	90.40%
7	Peterson, Chris	Butler, NJ	30-39	0	1	0:28:33	88.91%
8	Harkins, Paul	Maineville, OH	50-59	0	0	0:28:34	88.85%

9 Sick, Scott	Millville, PA	40-49	0	2	0:28:36	88.72%
10 Ochalek, Ryan	OilCity, PA	12-19	1	2	0:29:01	87.09%
11 Sims, John	Venus, PA	50-59	0	1	0:29:48	84.05%
12 Schwab, Jared	OilCity, PA	12-19	1	4	0:32:17	74.38%
13 Saucy, Nathan	Harleysville, PA	12-19	0	4	0:32:30	73.54%
14 Marendt, Eric	Edinboro, PA	30-39	3	3	0:33:08	71.08%
15 Crocker, Michael	Franklin, PA	30-39	2	3	0:33:09	71.01%
16 Seiler, Joe	Pittsburgh, PA	40-49	3	3	0:33:44	68.74%
17 Goss, David	OilCity, PA	50-59	1	1	0:33:46	68.61%
18 Morton, Richard	Wattsburg PA	40-49	3	5	0:34:02	67.57%
19 Kasunic, Craig	Sarver, PA	20-29	1	2	0:34:47	64.66%
20 Stevens, Donald	SpringChurch PA	60+	2	5	0:34:53	64.27%
21 Lander, Jeremy	OilCity, PA	20-29	2	2	0:35:14	62.91%
22 Thrasher, Matt	GroveCity, PA	12-19	1	3	0:35:47	60.77%
23 Wood, Charles	Polk PA	50-59	0	2	0:35:51	60.51%
24 Thrasher, Jim	GroveCity, PA	50-59	4	5	0:36:22	58.50%
25 Novak, Stephen	Chardon, OH	60+	1	4	0:36:54	56.42%
26 Gaval, Frank	Sugarloaf, PA	60+	0	2	0:37:09	55.45%
27 Stevens, Jay	OilCity, PA	40-49	3	4	0:37:29	54.15%
28 Amos, Zachary	OilCity, PA	12-19	0	4	0:38:35	49.87%
29 Harshman, Bill	Tyrone, PA	60+	3	4	0:40:39	41.83%
30 Hughes, Chris	Meadville, PA	30-39	2	3	0:41:17	39.36%
31 Marendt, Brian	Titusville, PA	30-39	1	4	0:41:24	38.91%
32 Marendt, Rick	Meadville, PA	60+	2	4	0:42:17	35.47%
33 Stile, Clair	Corry, PA	60+	1	2	0:44:17	27.69%
34 Novak, Richard	Willoughby, OH	50-59	2	3	0:44:41	26.13%
35 Paich, James	Kennerdell	50-59	2	0	0:45:11	24.19%
36 Kliber, Thomas	Springboro	60+	3	3	0:45:47	21.85%
37 Stachelrodt, Randall	Franklin, PA	40-49	2	4	0:45:53	21.47%
38 Thurau, Jeff	OilCity, PA	50-59	1	5	0:48:59	9.40%