

Winners in the West Union Summer Fest 5K assemble for the annual group picture.



Saundra Stevens of West Union is the first place winner in the walker division, age 50 and up, in the West Union Summer Fest 5K, with a time of 43 minutes.



Jon Williams of Miami, Fla., is the overall winner and first place runner in the men's 40-49 age group in the West Union Summer Fest 5K, with a time of 17 minutes and 35 seconds.



Timothy Snider of West Union is second overall and first place runner in the men's 15-19 age group in the West Union Summer Fest 5K, with a time of 19 minutes and 21 seconds.



Ethan Pennywitt of Manchester is the third overall and first place runner in the men's 14 and under age group in the West Union Summer Fest 5K, with a time of 19 minutes and 32 seconds.



Amanda Farthing of West Union is the first place runner in the women's division and in the women's under 14 age group in the West Union Summer Fest 5K, with a time of 24 minutes and 57 seconds.

39 race in festival 5K

The annual West Union Summer Fest 5K was held Saturday morning with 39 participants. While most were from West Union, runners came from as far away as Fort Wayne, Ind., and Port Richey and Miami, Fla.

The winners were: Running and Men's Divi



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sion: Overall Winner and 1st age 40-49, Jon Williams; 2nd Overall and 1st age 15-19, Timothy Snider; 3rd Overall and 1st age 14 and under, Ethan Pennywitt.

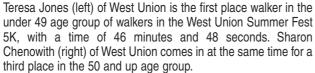
Men's Running Division: age 14 and under - 2nd, Mason Bilyeu; 3rd, Gavin Reeves; age 15-19 - 2nd, Logan Fields; 3rd, Tyler Blummett; age 20-29 - 1st, Dean Kirker; 2nd, Donnie Kirker; 3rd, Jamie Warner; age 30-39 - James Hornbeck; age 40-49 - 2nd, Bryon Kirker; 3rd, Steve Maulden; age 5-59 - Victor Bowman.

Women's Running Division: 1st Division and 1st age 14 and under, Amanda Farthing; 2nd Division and 1st age 15-19, Sierra Farley; 3rd Division and 1st age 50-59, Kathy Montgomery; age 30-39, Brook Tucker; age 40-49 - 1st, Melissa Taylor; 2nd, Karisa Miller; 3rd, Diane Johnson.

Walker Division: age 49 and under - 1st, Teresa Jones; 2nd, Paul Maurer; 3rd, Bethany Swedberg; age 50 and over - 1st, Saundra Stevens; 2nd, Phil Rhonemus; 3rd, Sharon Chenowith.

Oldest walker: Francis Stevens, age 81 years. Sportsmanship Award:

Debbie Hoffman.





Did you take some spectacular, scenic or even silly photos while on vacation this summer?

We want to share them with our readers! Our Ohio travel magazine "TRIP" will be featuring some of the best local vacation photos from Adams County and southern Ohio. Email us your favorite vacation snapshots from this summer, and please include your name, where you live, a way to contact you and a description of the photo or photos.

Send your photos to: gbrock@recordherald.com and please put "vacation photos" in the subject line. The deadline to submit photos is Friday, August 17.

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