

Riis Park Striders Results

June 9, 2018 Wet and Humid

1.2 Miles	1. Felix Coleman	25:02	1st M 50-59
	1. Jay Hughston	25:02	1st M 50-59
3.6 Miles	1. Michael Fleischhacker	26:43	1st M 50-59
	2. Brian Sheridan	26:47	2ndM 50-59
	3. Eric Edgecombe	30:52	1st 60+

Massive rains covered the area and held the number of runners down to only the bravest. However, the rain gods showed mercy and halted the downpour long enough to get the race in. Jay Hughston joined the Striders for 2018 and Eric Edgecombe Jr turned 36 years old.

Today (June 16th) In History Quiz

1858 - In his campaign speech for the US Senate he declared "A house divided against itself cannot stand."

1884 - The 1st roller coaster in America opened at this amusement park.

1893 - This team admitted all ladies for free to the ballpark. It was the first Ladies Day.

1897 - The U.S. government signed a treaty of annexation of these islands

1981 - This company purchased the Chicago Cubs from Bill Wrigley for \$20 million.

1985 - He broke the world record for the triple jump with a leap of 58 feet, 11-1/2 inches