

# Riis Park Striders Results

Aug 31st, 2024 Breezy and Warm



<b>1 Mile</b>	<b>1. Jay Hughston</b>	<b>13:39</b>	<b>1st M 60-69</b>
	2. Felix Coleman	19:09	2nd M 60-69
	3. Mark Blasczyk	39:10	1st M 70-79
	Tom Matuch	39:10	3rd M 60-69
<b>3 Miles</b>	<b>1. Mike Fleischhacker</b>	<b>26:45</b>	<b>1st M 40-49</b>
	2. Paul Angarone	29:00	1st M 70-79
	3. Bob Chadwick	41:54	1st M 80-89
	<b>4. Eileen Ferguson</b>	<b>58:44</b>	<b>1st F 70-79</b>
<b>7 Miles</b>	<b>1. Brian Sheridan</b>	<b>59:12</b>	<b>1st M 60-69</b>

Brian Sheridan had to run the last 6 miles all by himself, but the weather was a lot better than last week. Paul Angarone and Brian Sheridan brought drinks and grapes.

## Today (August 31st) In History Quiz

**1822** - This country declared its independence from Portugal.

**1892** - He KOs 4 to 1 favorite and defending champion John L. Sullivan in 21 rounds at the Olympic Club, New Orleans for world heavyweight boxing title; Sullivan's only defeat and his last fight

**1941** - US National Championship Men's Tennis, Forest Hills, NY: this 1939 champion beats Frank Kovacs 5-7, 6-1, 6-3, 6-3

**1953** - He sets catcher record of 125 (en route to 142) RBIs

**1953** - US National Championship Women's Tennis, Forest Hills, NY: In an all-American final she becomes first female to achieve a Grand Slam; beats Doris Hart 6-2, 6-4

**1955** - This Yankee becomes 5th MLB pitcher to hurl consecutive 1 hitters

**1960** - US sweeps the medals in the men's discus at the Rome Olympics; he wins his 2nd of 4 career discus gold ahead of fellow Americans Rink Babka and Dick Cochran