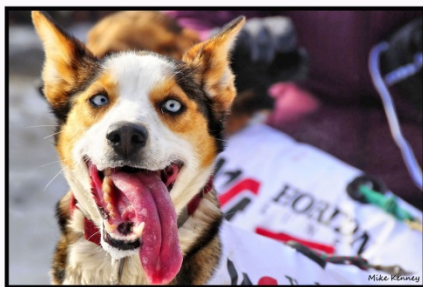
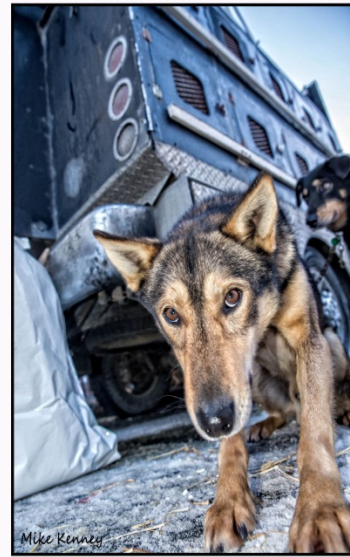
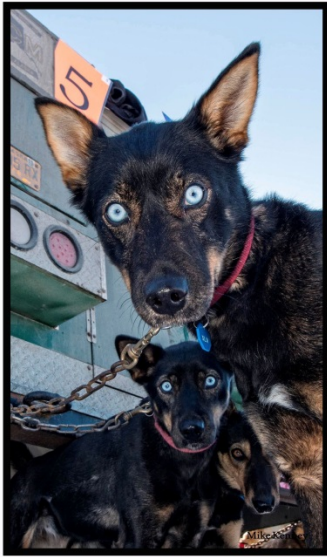


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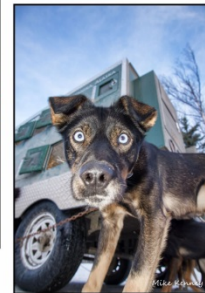
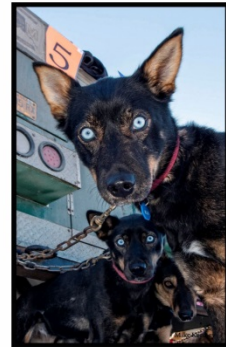


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INTRODUCTION

The Iditarod

You can't compare it to any other competitive event in the world. A Race of approximately 1,000 miles of the roughest, most beautiful terrain Mother Nature has to offer. She throws jagged mountain ranges, frozen rivers, dense forests, desolate tundra and miles of windswept coast at the mushers and their dog teams.

(Note: As of 2012 the Northern Route distance changed and is approximately 975 miles and the Southern Route 998 miles. In prior years the distance was always over 1,000 miles. Three things factor into this adjustment: 1) The change in the Ceremonial Start (running from downtown Anchorage to Campbell Airstrip instead of Eagle River); 2) The change of the Restart location from Wasilla to Willow (loss of the Wasilla-Knik-Susitna River and some Yentna River mileage), and; 3) The actual year to year trail conditions can affect trail routing and the actual mileage will vary somewhat from year to year. "1,049 miles" has been a symbolic figure from the inception of the race to signify the 1,000 miles or more of race trail and the number 49 depicts Alaska as the 49th state.)

Add to that the temperatures far below zero, winds that can cause a complete loss of visibility, the hazards of overflow, long hours of darkness and treacherous climbs and side hills, and you have the Iditarod. A Race Extraordinaire, a race only possible in Alaska.

From Anchorage, in south central Alaska, to Nome on the western Bering Sea coast, each team of 12 to 16 dogs and its musher cover over 975 miles in 9 to 17 days.

It has been called the Last Great Race on Earth and has won worldwide acclaim and interest. German, Spanish, British, Japanese and American film crews have covered the event. Journalists from outdoor magazines, adventure magazines, newspapers and wire services flock to Anchorage and Nome to record the excitement. It's not just a sled dog race ... it's a race in which unique men and woman compete. Mushers enter from all walks of life. Fishermen, lawyers, doctors, miners, artists, Natives, Canadians, Swiss, French and others; men and women each with their own story, each with their own reasons for going the distance. It's a race organized and run primarily by volunteers thousands of volunteers men and women, students and village residents. They man headquarters at Anchorage, Nome and Wasilla. They fly in dog food and supplies. They act as checkers, coordinators, veterinarians and family supporters of each musher.

"THE LAST GREAT RACE ON EARTH"

The race pits man and animal against nature, against wild Alaska at her best and as each mile is covered, a tribute to Alaska's past is issued. The Iditarod is a tie to a commemoration of that colorful past.

The Iditarod Trail, now a national historic trail, had its beginnings as a mail and supply route from the coastal towns of Seward and Knik to the interior mining camps at Flat, Ophir, Ruby and beyond to the west coast communities of Unalakleet, Elim, Golovin, White Mountain and Nome. Mail and supplies went in. Gold came out. All via dog sled. Heroes were made, legends were born.

AN EVENT FOR ALL ALASKA

Anchorage is the ceremonial starting line a city of over 290,000 people, street lights, freeways and



traffic. From there the field of dog teams, which varies in number each year, runs to Campbell Airstrip, approximately 20 miles. After a restart the following day in the Matanuska Valley at Willow, the mushers leave the land of highways and bustling activity and head out to the Yentna Station Roadhouse and Skwentna and then up through Finger Lake, Rainy Pass, over the Alaska Range and down the other side to the Kuskokwim River, Rohn Roadhouse, Nikolai, McGrath, Takotna, Ophir, Cripple, and on to the mighty Yukon at Ruby a river highway that takes the teams west through the arctic tundra.

The race route is alternated every other year, one year going north through Cripple, Ruby and Galena, the next year south through Iditarod, Shageluk, Anvik.

Finally, they're on the coast Unalakleet, Shaktoolik, Koyuk, Elim, Golovin, White Mountain, and into Nome where a hero's welcome awaits.

The route encompasses large metropolitan areas and small Native villages. It causes a yearly spurt of activity, increased airplane traffic and excitement to areas otherwise quiet and dormant during the long Alaskan winter. Everyone gets involved from very young school children to the old timers who relive the colorful Alaskan past they've known as they watch each musher and his team. The race is an educational opportunity and an economic stimulus to these small Alaskan outposts.

THE BEGINNING

The Iditarod Trail Sled Dog Race first ran to Nome in 1973, after two short races on part of the Iditarod Trail in 1967 and 1969. The idea of having a race over the Iditarod Trail was conceived by the late Dorothy G. Page. In 1964, Page was chairman of the Wasilla-Knik Centennial. Her task was to find projects to celebrate the centennial year in 1967.

She was intrigued that dog teams could travel over land that was not accessible by automobile. In the early 1920's, settlers had come to Alaska following a gold strike. They traveled by boat to the coastal towns of Seward and Knik and from there, by land into the gold fields. The trail they used is today known as The Iditarod Trail, one of the national historic trails designated by the Congress of the United States. In the winter, the only means of travel was by dog team.

The Iditarod Trail soon became the major "thoroughfare" through Alaska. Mail was carried across this trail, people used the trail to get from place to place and supplies were transported via the Iditarod Trail. Priests, ministers and judges traveled between villages via dog team.

All too soon the gold mining began to slack off. People began to go back to where they had come from and suddenly there was less travel on the Iditarod Trail. The use of the airplane in the late 1920's signaled the beginning of the end for the dog team as a standard mode of transportation, and of course with the airplane carrying the mail, there was less need for land travel. The final blow to the use of the dog team came with the appearance of snowmobiles.

By the mid 60's, most people in Alaska didn't even know there was an Iditarod Trail or that dog teams had played a very important part in Alaska's early settlement. Page, a resident of Wasilla and self-made historian, recognized the importance of an awareness of the use of sled dogs as working animals and of the Iditarod Trail and the important part it played in Alaska's colorful history.

She presented the possibility of a race over the Iditarod Trail to an enthusiastic Joe Redington Sr., a



musher from the Knik area. Soon the Page's and the Redington's began promoting the idea of the Iditarod Race to the extent that Joe and Vi Redington moved to the Knik area from their homestead at Flat Horn Lake and never moved back. (Flat Horn Lake is approximately 30 miles out of Knik.)

The Aurora Dog Mushers Club, along with men from the Adult Camp in Sutton helped clear years of overgrowth from the first nine miles of the Iditarod Trail in time to put on the first short Iditarod Trail Sled Dog Race in 1967. A \$25,000 purse was offered in that race, with Joe and Vi Redington donating one acre of their land at Flat Horn Lake adjacent to the Iditarod Trail to help raise the funds. (The land was subdivided into one square foot lots and sold with a deed and special certificate of ownership, raising \$10,000 toward the purse.) Contestants from all over Alaska and even two contestants from Massachusetts entered that first Iditarod Race, but a new comer, Isaac Okleasik, from Teller, Alaska, won the race with his team of large working dogs. The short race (approximately 27 miles) was put on again in 1969.

The goal was to have the race go all the way to the ghost town of Iditarod in 1973. However, in 1972, the US Army reopened the trail as a winter exercise and in 1973, the decision was made to take the race the 1,000 plus miles to Nome. Redington and Page were instrumental in getting the first long Iditarod on its way to Nome in 1973, amidst comments that it couldn't be done. There were many that believed it was crazy to send a bunch of mushers out into the vast uninhabited Alaskan wilderness. But the race went! Twenty-two mushers finished that year. There have been 718 finishers (grand total of 2,008 to cross the finish line) as of 2013. Mushers have come from 23 states, five continents (North America, South America, Europe, Asia, & Australia) and 21 foreign countries (Argentina, Austria, Australia, Belgium, Canada, Czechoslovakia, Denmark, France, Great Britain, France, Germany, Italy, Jamaica, Japan, Norway, Russia, Serbia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland and the United Kingdom) have finished the Iditarod since 1973 including 120 women.

The late Dorothy G. Page, the "Mother of the Iditarod" is quoted in the October 1979 issue of the Iditarod Runner on her intent for the Iditarod: "To keep the spirit of the Iditarod the same. I don't ever want to see any high-pressure people getting in and changing the spirit of the race. We brought the sled dog back and increased the number of mushers. It is really an Alaskan event. I think the fact that it starts in Anchorage and then ends in Nome has opened up a whole new area for people in Alaska. I think they appreciate that. It puts them in touch with the pioneer spirit."

IDITAROD TODAY

The race has started in downtown Anchorage since 1983. The 43rd Annual Iditarod Trail Sled Dog Race will begin on Saturday, March 7, 2015. The teams will leave the start line at the corner of 4th and "D" at two minute intervals, starting at 10 a.m. About 72 teams are expected.

The mushers follow streets and bike trails through Anchorage to Campbell Airstrip. From there the dogs are loaded into dog trucks and taken home for the night. While the race actually starts in Anchorage, in 1995, the rules were changed so that the Anchorage to Campbell Airstrip (used to be Eagle River) portion does not count in the overall time to Nome.

On Sunday, March 2nd mushers will again line up at the re-start area in Willow, Alaska about 70 miles north of Anchorage. At 2 p.m., the first team will depart on its way to Nome.

From Willow they start on Willow Lake and wind through typical northern forests of birch and



spruce, cross frozen swamps and lakes before dropping onto the Big Susitna River and heading toward Yentna Station. The area between Willow Lake and Yentna Station, approximately 45 miles, has been dubbed the world's longest tail gate party on this day as spectators set up camps with bonfires, banners, food, and sprits to cheer the teams on as they make their way to Nome.

It is impossible to predict the exact day or time that the first musher will cross the finish line in Nome. However, we expect it to be between 8 and 10 days, making it on Monday or Tuesday. 2014 Champion, Dallas Seavey completed the race in 8 days, 13 hours, 4 minutes, 19 seconds a new Iditarod record.

BEHIND THE SCENES

It takes so much more than a field of willing mushers and anxious sled dogs to run the Iditarod Trail Race. With the annual race budget of over 2.5 million dollars, the Iditarod Trail Committee depends on a hard working force of volunteers and supporters to raise the necessary money all year around. Our race sponsors supply over two million dollars in cash donations and/or goods and services. A semi-annual raffle is held as well as an Idita-Rider

Musher Auction where bidders place bids of \$500-\$7,500 on entered mushers to ride in their sled at the Anchorage Ceremonial Start for the first 11 miles. Iditarod gift shops in the Anchorage/Wasilla area sell Iditarod merchandise year round. Merchandise is also sold at the Alaska State Fair and on other special occasions during the year. Banquets are planned in both Anchorage and Nome. This volunteer force and the loyal supporters from both the private and business sectors make the race possible each year.

Information headquarters are set up in Anchorage, Nome and Wasilla during the race to disseminate information and race standings to the public. Volunteers man each of the 20 plus checkpoints, some of whom spend their vacations on the trail. A complex communications net covers the course offering logistical support, emergency communications and an information source for race officials. The "Iditarod Air Force" is a fleet of small privately owned bush planes flown by volunteers, shuttling dog food and mushers' supplies to each checkpoint, moving veterinarians and race officials up and down the trail, hauling tired dropped dogs back to the major pickup points. A group of veterinarians from all over the United States, and sometimes even from other countries, take time out from their busy practices to assist with dog-care duties along the trail. Trail breakers on snow machines precede the field of mushers, cutting trail, marking trail, packing trail in windswept areas, trying to give each team a safe path to follow.

Without these volunteers, there wouldn't be a race. Their efforts save the committee thousands of dollars which would be impossible to raise. Their dedication and involvement is what this truly Alaskan event is all about.

ON THE TRAIL

Each musher has a different strategy some run during the day, some run at night a different training schedule and method and his own ideas on dog care, dog stamina and his own personal ability. Each musher has a special diet for feeding and snacking their dogs.

The rules of the race lay out certain regulations. There are pieces of equipment each team must have an arctic parka, a heavy sleeping bag, an ax, snowshoes, musher food, dog food and booties for each dog's feet to protect against cutting ice and hard packed snow injuries.

Mushers spend an entire year getting ready and raising the money needed to get to Nome. Some prepare around a full- time job. In addition to planning the equipment and feeding needs for three weeks on the trail, hundreds of hours and hundreds of miles of training have to be put on each team.



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MEDIA INFORMATION

Media Credential Applications Due by **FEBRUARY 19, 2016**.

Applications can be found at <http://iditarod.com/resources/volunteers/>

Media Conference will be held on **Wednesday, March 2, 2016 @ 2:00 PM** at Millennium Alaskan Hotel, Anchorage. The Millennium is located at 4800 Spenard Rd.

Pick up media credentials at the media conference this is the **ONLY** time you can pick up your credentials for Anchorage or Willow.

The Media Conference is where you will receive information needed for covering the Start, Re-Start and Trail.

Important: If you plan to take a laptop on the trail, please bring it to the media briefing where GCI technicians will be available to configure your laptop for use on the trail.

NOME MEDIA BRIEFING

Mini-Convention Center Projected Finish Date on or about **Tuesday, March 17, 2016**

Several hours before the projected finish there will be a distribution of finish line badges. These badges are limited.

Note: (The same badges that have been used along the trail and in Anchorage, will not allow media into the finish chute in Nome, Alaska.)

Signs will be posted in the Mini-Convention Center once the time and date of the briefing is determined.

Credentialing Overview

When applying for Media Credentials for the 2016 race, please read these guidelines prior to filling out an application to ensure you meet eligibility requirements.

- You must be on assignment from a media outlet and provide details of the assignment.
- Specialty photography and personal website photography are not considered valid assignments. Freelance media are required to detail and submit proof of assignment when submitting an application to jbusch@iditarod.com.
- Media credentials will not be issued if supporting documentation is not emailed at the time of application. Partial applications will not be approved.
- Media Credentials can be picked up at the Media Briefing held on Wednesday, March 3, 2016 at 2:00 pm at the Millennium Alaskan Hotel in Anchorage. Credentials cannot be picked up prior to the briefing.
- Media Credentials issued are not transferable and may be revoked at any time. There is a charge for a lost Media Credential.
- Receiving credentials in the past does not guarantee future approvals.

Emerging Media

In some instances, Media Credentials may be issued to “emerging” or less traditional media such as bloggers and their websites. In evaluating these applications, ITC will be considering the following:

- Previous journalism experience.
- The commercial nature of any website, including advertisers.
- The amount of content produced.
- How the content will be used.
- How long the website has been in existence, its audience, and the number of unique visitors.

Media Guidelines

- The Iditarod is exclusive owner of any and all of its intellectual property rights, including, but not limited to trademarks, copyrights, and other proprietary rights. Each credential authorizes the media the right to use Iditarod trademarks in its news coverage of the Iditarod Trail Sled Dog Race. Media is not authorized to use trademarks in non-news contexts, specifically for commercial purposes unless a separate license or permission is obtained from the Iditarod.
- Any and all use of any non-text content owned by ITC must first be approved by ITC, and if approved, shall not have any sponsorship or advertising integrated with or around the content in such a way that implies an endorsement or sponsorship relationship between Iditarod and another third party. Further, such content may not be sold or licensed without approval by ITC in writing and shall not include live or tape delayed transmissions of any portion of any Iditarod Race or related event except for taped highlights used for news coverage, unless otherwise approved by Iditarod.
- The media applicant assumes all risk and danger incidental to the race, as well as any risk or danger reasonably foreseeable while covering the race and assumes the risk and releases the ITC, its employees, members, directors, officers, volunteers, sponsors, mushers, and all agents thereof from any and all liabilities resulting from injuries or personal property loss occurring during or after the Iditarod Trail Sled Dog Race.
- The media applicant jointly and severally indemnify, defend and hold the ITC harmless from and against any and all claims, actions, damages, liabilities, costs or expenses arising out of or in connection with any act or omission done, or alleged to have been done by media, including without limitation, media applicant(s) breach of any term of this credential. In case of any dispute regarding the terms and conditions of this agreement Alaska law will apply, without regard to choice of law principles.

Official Media

- Iditarod Insider Productions, Sportsman Channel, Denali Media (KTVA-TV) and Ohana Media Group, have preferential access and positioning and are identified by a credential that indicates they are "Official Media."

Dog Team and Trail Etiquette and Expectations:

- Media credentials must be worn in all checkpoints and specified media areas.
- Dog teams always have the right-of-way, no exceptions.
- Do not touch sled dogs without musher approval.
- Do not help mushers unless they ask for your help. Strict rules are in place against mushers receiving outside assistance.

- Do not intrude on a musher if he/she indicates they do not wish to be disturbed. This includes taking photos of the musher and their dogs.
- Do not ask to interview a musher during any medical exam of the dogs and/or musher.
- Media must stay clear of a team upon its arrival into a checkpoint. Race Personnel require immediate access to the musher and dog team. When the check-in process is completed, and the dogs have been taken care of, mushers can then give consent to be interviewed.
- Media are not allowed inside the dog parking/staging area (where dogs are fed and rested) without prior approval of the Race Judge or Race Marshal. Media in these areas must be escorted by the musher and/or Race Judge or Race Marshal. Drop Dog Areas are restricted to mushers and race personnel only. Media are permitted to take photos of mushers and dogs from outside the dog staging area.
- Media are expected to ensure they have appropriate escorts or expertise for trail travel. Any “on trail” coverage plans must be fully detailed and discussed with ITC.
- Food, equipment, internet and phone connectivity and shelter provided by the Iditarod are for race communications and race personnel only.
- Flash photography or the use of artificial lighting is only permissible in the immediate vicinity of the checkpoints. Flash photography is forbidden on the trail unless arrangements have been made beforehand.
- In the event that a Race Official or Musher considers the conduct of media to be detrimental or obstructive to them or the race they may register a protest against any media personnel. Current and future media credentials could be revoked or denied.
- Nome Finish-There will be a pre-finish media briefing which all credentialed media traveling to Nome should attend. Information regarding access to the winning musher, and timing of such access will be communicated at that time.
- Media may not share or distribute media credentials to others not approved by ITC. Doing so will cause your credential to be revoked.

ADD Check or Click BOX with statement that says I have read and understand the media and credentialing guidelines. Then they can advance to the application form.

Need Assistance in applying for credentials? Contact Julie Busch, Media Coordinator by e-mail at jbusch@iditarod.com, or by phone at (907) 352-2206 or (907) 355-2378.



FAQ-FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS-MEDIA

Can I use Iditarod Logo, Video's or Pictures from the website? No, unless specific approval is authorized by the Iditarod Trail Committee. Please note that this will most likely require a license agreement and fee for defined use. Insider footage is available for sale and cost is determined by how much footage is needed. For information on purchase or license of items on the Iditarod website please email shooley@iditarod.com.

Do credentialed media receive access to the Iditarod Insider for free? In the Media room at the Iditarod Race Headquarters in the Millennium Alaskan Hotel in Anchorage we have equipment available for media use which has the Insider Video on Demand and Insider GPS Tracker available free of charge. Otherwise you may [purchase an Iditarod Insider subscription](#).

Can I attend the banquet for free? Media wanting to attend the Banquet can do so for free for news purposes only as long as they stand and do not eat. Media often choose to purchase a ticket as the event is 4 plus hours in length. Banquet Tickets are available for \$82.00 and can be purchased thru the [online store](#) or by calling 1-907-376-5155 ext. 103. This is a fun event where the mushers draw for starting order from a mukluk on stage at the Dena'ina Center, in Anchorage. The banquet is an opportunity to meet mushers and visit with fans from all over the world. Please understand mushers are seated with their own sponsors and special guests so be respectful of their time.

Is there a Media Center with free Wi-Fi access? Iditarod Race Headquarters at the Millennium Alaskan Hotel, in Anchorage offers Wi-Fi for guests staying there. Additionally, the Media room located in the Millennium has designated equipment for media with Wi-Fi access. You must show your media credential to use.

Is Iditarod interested in purchasing my photos? We do not purchase photos. The Iditarod Trail Committee has an agreement with Jeff Schultz who is our "Official Photographer." You may contact him by email (Jeff@Schultzphoto.com) or by phone (907) 279-2797.

FAQ-PRIZE MONEY

Coming Soon!

FAQ'S HOW MUCH FOOD THE DOGS EAT ON THE IDITAROD TRAIL

How much food do dogs eat while racing on the Iditarod Trail? They need about 10,000 kcal daily. How that is attained depends on their feeding program, which varies from kennel to kennel. The core diet is a premium kibble, specifically designed to have much higher levels of protein and fat (dry weight composition percentages of 36:26, 32:32, etc.) than regular commercial pet food. Additional fat supplements (saturated or unsaturated, i.e., animal or plant sources) are needed to attain the 10,000 kcal level. Meats and fish are used to enhance palatability and/or as snacks. Of course, the more fat that might be in the meat, the less pure fat supplement would be needed.

There has been a huge amount of research into this topic. Authors including Grandjean (Royal Canin), Reynolds (Purina) and Reinhart (Iams) are among the more well known. Knowledge gained by research into the nutritional needs of the sled dog has led to significant improvements in pet food formulations.

TRAVEL INFORMATION

Can Iditarod help me with my travel arrangements or accommodations on the trail? Media are responsible for arranging their own travel arrangements. Iditarod Staff can answer general questions about the area and specific information about the race.

For more travel information see the following:

Alaska Travel Industry Association

www.travelalaska.com

907.929.2842

Visit Anchorage

www.Anchorage.net info@anchorage.net

524 W. Fourth Avenue, Anchorage, AK 99501

907.257.2363 Toll Free: 800.476.1255

Visitor Information Center

Ted Stevens Anchorage International Airport

907.266.2437 or 907.266.2657

Mat-Su Convention & Visitors Bureau

7744 Visitors View Ct.

Palmer, AK 99645

907.746.5000

www.alaskavisit.com

Nome Convention & Visitors Bureau

PO Box 240

Nome, AK 99762

907.443.6555

www.visitnomealaska.com

Can I call the mushers? Will Iditarod give me their phone numbers? First, refer to [each mushers bio](#). You will find that they contain valuable information about the mushers and their kennels. Most bios also have a website listed for contact information. We are only able to provide additional contact information for



those mushers who have indicated they want this information distributed. The best time to reach these mushers is usually prior to the Start of the Iditarod.

How many mushers have completed the Iditarod? As of the finish of the 2014 Iditarod Trail Sled Dog Race. 731 Mushers have completed the race.

Does the Iditarod race route change? Yes, in odd years the race follows the [southern route](#). In even years the race follows the [northern route](#).

What is the length of the race? In 2012 ITC published trail mileage using data gleaned from GPS mileage (Southern Route = 998 miles, Northern Route = 975 miles) calculations. While this data gets us close to the actual mileage it is not exact as the units do not include a sufficient number of data points to account for all full twists, turns and elevation changes in the trail. Also, we know that the trail is not the same distance as it may be “set” or “broken” and “marked” somewhat differently in certain areas from year to year. Because of these factors, we often continue to use the symbolic figure of 1,049 miles, a number first used in the very early years of the Iditarod: 1,000 miles of trail and 49 to identify Alaska as the 49th state.

Permanent changes to the Start (running only from downtown Anchorage to Campbell Airstrip instead of to Eagle River) and the change of the Re-Start location from Wasilla to Willow (loss of mileage from Wasilla-Knik-Yentna River runs) has eliminated approximately 35 miles from the race.

IDITAROD FACTS

- The Iditarod starts in downtown Anchorage, Alaska, on Saturday, March 5th (10 AM)
- The Iditarod Re-Starts in Willow, Alaska, Sunday, March 8th (2 PM)
- As of December 3rd, there were 80 mushers signed up for the 2015 Iditarod Trail Sled Dog Race, including 59 veterans and 21 rookies. Entrants hail from 8 states Alaska, California, Idaho, Illinois, Kansas, Michigan, Minnesota, Montana, and Washington, and from 7 countries – United States, Canada, Australia, France, Norway, Sweden, and New Zealand. The record number of mushers starting the race was 96 in 2008.
- The Iditarod traditionally pays the highest purse in sled dog racing. The 2015 purse was \$700,100.00 distributed between the top 30 finishers with \$1,049.00 paid to each additional finisher for a total of \$737,864.00.
- The team's average 16 dogs, which over 1,000 dogs will leave the starting line in 2016. Each musher can start with a maximum of 16 dogs down to a minimum of 12 dogs, and can finish with as few as 6 dogs.
- Six Iditarod champions will be attempting to regain the title. Many of the past champions from other long distance races are also racing including Yukon Quest champions, Kusko 300 champions and Beargrease champions. The champions are J Lance Mackey, Jeff King, Martin Buser, Dallas Seavey, Mitch Seavey, and John Baker.
- The race crosses two mountain ranges (including North America's largest mountain range, Alaska Range)
- It runs along the Yukon River and over the frozen Norton Sound
- The route alternates every year. The Southern Route, runs from Ophir thru Iditarod, Shageluk, Anvik, Grayling, Eagle Island, Kaltag, Unalakleet, Shaktoolik, Koyuk, Elim, Golovin, White Mountain, and Safety before ending in Nome. NOTE: Golovin is (not a checkpoint) but the race goes thru this village and ITC appreciates the villager's support and willingness to help the Last Great Race.
- The Northern route will run from Ophir through Cripple, Ruby, Galena, Nulato, Unalakleet, Shaktoolik, Koyuk, Elim, *Golovin, White Mountain, and Safety before ending in Nome. NOTE: Golovin is (not a checkpoint) but the race goes thru this village and ITC appreciates the villager's support and willingness to help the Last Great Race.
- There are twenty-three checkpoints on the Northern Route (counting Anchorage & Nome), three of which are uninhabited during the rest of the year.
- There are twenty-four checkpoints on the Southern Route (counting Anchorage & Nome), three of which are uninhabited during the rest of the year.
- Ten teams signed-up for the 2015 Iditarod that also signed up for the 2015 Yukon Quest – Jason

Campeau, Rob Cooke, Jeff King, Lance Mackey, Allen Moore, Hugh Neff , Ray Redington Jr., Brent Sass, Scott Smith, , Joar Leifseth Ulsom and Brian Wilmshurst.

- Volunteers are an integral part of the Iditarod. Currently there are over 1,000 volunteers registered. This number does not include those who volunteer in communities along the trail or the locals in Nome. The number of volunteers will continue to grow over the weeks to come and by the end of Iditarod 2016 there will be over 1,500 volunteers involved in some way or another.
- In 2016 there are a total of 52 veterinarians – 3 for dropped dogs in Anchorage, 2 for dropped dogs in both McGrath and Unalakleet, with 42 veterinarians dispersed along the trail and 3 consultants.
- There have been 749 finishers which includes 13 rookies who finished (grand total of 2,087 to cross the finish line) as of 2015. Mushers hailing from 23 states, five continents (North America, South America, Europe, Asia, & Australia) and 22 foreign countries (Argentina, Austria, Australia, Belgium, Brazil, Canada, Czechoslovakia, Denmark, France, Great Britain, Germany, Italy, Jamaica, Japan, New Zealand, Norway, Russia, Serbia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland and the United Kingdom) have finished the Iditarod since 1973 including 126 women.
- Two generations of Busers and Seaveys, are running again this year as well as the Berington twins and the Mackey brothers.
- Mushers can be shy about talking about themselves; however, they will usually talk your ear off about their dogs.
- Checkpoints are staffed by volunteers, who can be locals or someone who has traveled hundreds of miles to be there. Volunteers may provide interesting stories about their communities and/or volunteer work. Some volunteers are actually on their vacation, and return year after year to volunteer. Ask them how long they have been a volunteer and you will be surprised to find that many have more than 20 years' experience.
- The first Iditarod Race began on March 3, 1973 with 34 teams—22 teams finished 32 days later.
- The slowest winning time of 20 days, 15 hours, two minutes and seven seconds was recorded in 1974 by Carl Huntington. The fastest winning time was recorded in 2014 race by Dallas Seavey in 8 days, 13 hours, 4 minutes and 19 seconds, breaking John Baker's 2011 record of 8 days 18 hours 46 minutes and 39 seconds.
- The closest finish was in 1978—Dick Mackey beat Rick Swenson by one second, finishing in 14 days, 18 hours, 52 minutes and 24 seconds.
- The most finishers in one year occurred in 2008 when 78 teams crossed the finish line.
- Rick Swenson is the only five time winner, the only musher to win in three decades, and only musher to complete 35 of 43 Iditarod's.
- Susan Butcher, Martin Buser, Doug Swingley, Jeff King & Lance Mackey have each won four Iditarod championships. Mackey is the only musher to have won four consecutive races

with Butcher and Swingley both winning three consecutive races.

- Dick Mackey, Rick Mackey & Lance Mackey (father and two sons) have won the Iditarod. All three won wearing bib #13 in their sixth race.
- Lance Mackey is the first 4 time Iditarod Champion to win all four races consecutively in 2007, 2008, 2009, and 2010. He also won the Yukon Quest in 2005, 2006, 2007 and 2008, making him the first musher to win both of Alaska's premier long distance races back to back in 2007 and 2008 within weeks of each other.
- There are 23 checkpoints on the northern route and 24 on the southern route, including Anchorage and Nome.
- Four-time winner, Susan Butcher, claimed Iditarod victories in 1986, 1987, 1988, and again in 1990. Doug Swingley became the second four-time winner in 2001. His victories were in 1995, 1999, 2000 and 2001. Butcher and Swingley have the distinction of being the only Iditarod champions who have three consecutive victories. Lance Mackey has four consecutive victories. His victories were in 2007, 2008, 2009, and 2010.
- The youngest musher to ever compete in the Iditarod was Dallas Seavey. Dallas turned 18 on March 4, 2005. He is the youngest musher to have run the Iditarod Trail Sled Dog race (2005) as well as the youngest to have ever won in 2012.
- The oldest musher to ever compete is Col. Norman D. Vaughan who last competed in 1992 at the age of 86.
- Rick Mackey won the race in 1983 to become the first son of an Iditarod champion to match his father's accomplishment. To further set a record, both father and son were wearing bib #13 when they crossed the finish line in first position. (Emmitt Peters was also wearing bib #13 when he won in 1975.)
- The Iditarod traditionally pays the highest purse in sled dog racing.

IDITAROD HISTORY

WHAT DOES THE WORD “IDITAROD” MEAN?

The following is from an article in the Anchorage Times following the 1973 Iditarod Trail Sled Dog Race, written by Gordon Fowler, Times Sports writer: Iditarod means clear water and was named by the Shageluk Indians for the Iditarod River. The following came from one of the Anchorage papers during the 1983 Iditarod Trail Sled Dog Race:

The word comes from the Ingalik Indian word, Halditarod, which was the name for the river on which the town was built. It means distant place.

And this one comes from James Kasri, Assistant Professor, University of Alaska Native Language Center in 1979:

The name Iditarod came from an Ingalik and Holikachuk word Hidehod for the Iditarod River. This name means distant or distant place. This word is still known by elders in the villages of Shageluk, Anvik, Grayling and Holy Cross.

HISTORY OF THE “WIDOW’S LAMP”

During the days of Alaska sled dog freighting and mail carrying, dog drivers relied on a series of roadhouses between their village destinations. Since these mushers ventured out in most all kinds of weather, for safety reasons they founded the idea that pilots rely on, known today as the flight plan. Word was relayed ahead that a musher and team were on the trail, and a kerosene lamp was lit and hung outside the roadhouse. It not only helped the dog driver find his destination at night, but more importantly, it signified that a team or teams were somewhere out on the trail. The lamp was not extinguished until the musher safely reached his destination.

In keeping with that tradition, the Iditarod Trail Committee will light a “widow’s Lamp” at 10 a.m. Saturday, March 5, 2016, in Nome, the trails end. This lamp, which will be attached to the Burl Arch, or the official finish line, will remain lit as long as there are mushers still on the trail competing in this year’s race. When the last musher crosses the finish line, officials will extinguish the “Widow’s Lamp” signifying the official end of the 2016 Iditarod.

So often the media tend to think of the race being over once the “winner” crosses the finish line, yet the public still wants to follow the progress of the remaining mushers on the trail. We hope you will find this often overlooked part of the race worthy of your attention.

HISTORY OF THE “RED LANTERN”

Often, the “red lantern” is confused with the “widow’s lamp.” They are not the same. An article several years ago in Alaska magazine states that the first red lantern was awarded in the 1953 Fur Rendezvous Race. According to Alaska, “Awarding a red lantern for the last place finisher in a sled dog race has become an Alaskan tradition. It started as a joke and has become a symbol of stick-to-itiveness in the mushing world.” Earl Norris said, “The idea was that the last fellow was so far behind, he needed to light his way home.” In this tradition, Iditarod Trail Committee awards a red lantern to the last musher off the trail.

1925 SERUM RUN TO NOME

The Serum Run ended in Nome on February 2, 1925, when Gunner Kaasen drove his tired dog team down an almost deserted First Avenue.

At stake were the lives of countless Nome children who had been exposed to the dread disease, diphtheria. Kaasen was one of the 20 drivers who took part in the record 674 mile relay race from Nenana to Nome. He delivered 300,000 units of antitoxin serum to Dr. Curtis Welch. The serum arrived in Nome in just one week from Anchorage and 127 1/2 hours from Nenana.

It was on January 21, 1925 that Dr. Welch first diagnosed the diphtheria outbreak in Nome, and immediately sent telegraph messages to Fairbanks, Anchorage, Seward and Juneau, asking for help. The only serum in Alaska was found in Anchorage, where Dr. J.B. Beeson had 300,000 units at the Alaska Railroad Hospital. The problem was to get it to Nome in the shortest time possible.

The only two planes available were in Fairbanks and had been dismantled and stored for the winter. A pair of pilots offered to attempt the flight if the planes could be made ready, but it was left to Alaska's governor to decide. Many thought dog teams were the only reliable answer.

In Juneau, Governor Scott C. Bone decided on dog teams. He ordered an additional supply of antitoxin from Seattle. Then he called on the Northern Commercial Company, as the largest organization in the Yukon River area, to arrange for relay teams. Men of the Army Signal Corps, at their scattered telegraph stations, also assisted.

In Nome, Dr. Welch and the mayor, George Maynard discussed ways to get the serum to Nome. They suggested sending the serum to Nenana by rail and then sending a team to the rail line, or asking a fast team to start the antitoxin down the Tanana and Yukon Rivers and have a team from Nome meet it about half way.

At Anchorage, Dr. Beeson packed the serum in a cylinder, which he wrapped in an insulating quilt. The whole parcel was then tied up in canvas for further protection. The parcel left Anchorage by train on Monday, January 26, in the charge of conductor Frank Knight of the Alaska Railroad. It was at 11 p.m. on Tuesday that the train reached Nenana and Knight turned over the parcel to the first driver, William "Wild Bill" Shannon.

Shannon carried the serum 52 miles to Tolovana, where he handed it over to Dan Green. Green carried it 31 miles to Manley and handed it over to Johnny Folger. Folger went the 28 miles to Fish Lake. Sam Joseph picked it up there and carried it 26 miles to Tanana. Titus Nikoli carried it 34 miles to Kallands and Dave Corning carried it 24 miles to Nine Mile. Edgar Kallands picked it up at Nine Mile and went 30 miles to Kokrines and Harry Pitka carried it another 30 miles to Ruby. Billy McCarty carried it 28 miles to Whiskey Creek and turned it over to Edgar Nollner, who carried it 24 miles to Galena. George Nollner carried it from Galena to Bishop Mountain, 18 miles. Charlie Evans went the 30 miles to Nulato and Tommy Patsy went the next 36 miles to Kaltag. At Kaltag, Jackscrew picked it up and took it 40 miles to Old Woman. Victor Anagick carried it 34 miles to Unalakleet and Myles Gonangnan carried it 40 miles to Shaktoolik. Henry Ivanoff started from Shaktoolik to Golovin with the serum.

Leonhard Seppala left Nome intending to rest at Nulato and return with the serum. But Seppala met Ivanoff outside of Shaktoolik where he took the serum and turned around, heading back for Nome. He

carried the serum back over Norton Sound with the thermometer 30 degrees below zero. Seppala had to face into a merciless gale and in the darkness retraced his route across the uncertain ice. When Seppala turned the serum over to Charlie Olson in Golovin, after carrying it 91 miles, he had traveled a total of 260 miles. Olson turned the serum over to Gunnar Kaasen at Bluff. Kaasen took it the remaining 53 miles to Nome.

Balto, Kaasen's lead dog, owned by Seppala was memorialized with a statue in Central Park in New York City. Seppala always felt that his lead dog, Togo, didn't get enough recognition for his 260-mile effort. After Togo died, Seppala had him custom mounted and he is now on display at Iditarod headquarters in Wasilla. Balto is on display in Cleveland at the Museum of Natural History.

IDITAROD RACE HEADQUARTERS PHONE NUMBERS

The Iditarod Trail Committee operates its primary race headquarters in Anchorage at the Millennium Hotel, 4800 Spenard Road. Another headquarters operates in Nome to make accurate information available at the end of the race. You are invited to drop in to either headquarter location for the latest race information and to purchase Iditarod memorabilia. Visit www.iditarod.com.

General Information, Updates & Race Business Anchorage Race Headquarters Millennium Hotel Rm #1004 – 4800 Spenard Road	(907)248-MUSH (6874)	Open throughout the business day March 2, 2016 and then Open 24/7 Mar 7–24 2016
General Information & Updates Nome Race Headquarters – Mini-Convention Center	(907)443-MUSH (6874)	Open Mar 15, 2015
Iditarod Media Coordinator- Julie Busch	(907)352-2206 or (907)351-2378	jbusch@iditarod.com

ALASKA VISITOR INFORMATION

Alaska Travel Industry Association Telephone: 907-929-2842 www.travelalaska.com

Visit Anchorage
www.Anchorage.net
524 W Fourth Avenue, Anchorage, AK 99501
Telephone: 907-276-4118 Toll free: 800-476-1255

Visitor Information Center
Ted Stevens Anchorage International Airport
907-266-2437 or 907-266-2657

Mat-Su Convention & Visitors Bureau www.alaskavisit.com
7744 Visitors View Ct,
Palmer, AK 99645
Telephone: 907-746-5000

Nome Convention & Visitors Bureau www.visitnomealaska.com
PO Box 240, Nome AK 99762
Telephone: 907-443-6555



JR. IDITAROD HISTORY

In order to enter the Iditarod Trail Sled Dog Race, one must be 18 years old. In 1977, a number of younger mushers wanted to “mush the Iditarod Trail.” A group of these young people got together and organized the first Iditarod for junior mushers. This race, run annually is now known as the Jr. Iditarod. Those early organizers were Karl Clauson, Kenny Pugh, Clarence Shockley and Eric Beeman.

The Jr. Iditarod trail is about 160 miles long. Mushers travel the 80 miles from Wasilla to the Yentna Station Roadhouse on the Yentna River over the historic Iditarod Trail. They overnight at Yentna, where race rules require that they stay with their dogs and care for them just as the Iditarod mushers in the adult Iditarod do. The next day they return to Willow for the finish

When a musher turns 14, he/she is eligible to compete in the Jr. Iditarod. These young people often have their own teams and are totally responsible for training them. According to a parent of one of the early mushers, the Jr. Iditarod is a “race founded with the idea of giving young mushers a choice between sprint and distance mushing and to help train young mushers to run the much longer race, the ‘granddaddy’ of all long distance races: the Iditarod.”

Many of the junior mushers have gone on to compete in the Iditarod. Ramey Smyth, Cim Smyth, Ray Redington, Jr., Dallas Seavey, Cain Carter and Lance Mackey are Jr. Iditarod Alumni. Karl Clauson, Ellie Claus, Cali King, Rome Gilman, Clarence Shockley, Laird Barron, Kimarie Hanson, Caleb Banse, Andy Willis, Tony Willis, Andy Moderow, Tyrell Seavey, Daniel Seavey and Simon Kinneen are a few other former juniors who have gone on to race to Nome.

While most of the Jr. Iditarod participants have been from Alaska, in previous years young mushers have made the trip from Minnesota, Montana, Spain and Canada to compete in the Jr. Iditarod. The Jr. Iditarod welcomes mushers from all over.

There are no monetary prizes in the Jr. Iditarod; however, scholarships are awarded to the top five finishers and the winners of the Humanitarian and Sportsmanship awards, by Jr. Iditarod sponsor, Lynden.

In October of 1987, a formal agreement was signed, officially making the Jr. Iditarod part of the Iditarod Trail Committee, Inc. The 2016, Jr. Iditarod begins on Saturday, February 27th at 10 a.m. on Knik Lake, Mile 13, Knik Goose Bay Road, Wasilla.



KNIK LAKE

PAST JR. IDITAROD® WINNERS

1978	Mike Neuman	Knik, AK
1979	Clint Mayeur	Glenallen, AK
1980	Gary Baumgartner	McGrath, AK
1981	Christine Delia	Skwentna, AK
1982	Tim Osmar	Clam Gulch, AK
1983	Tim Osmar	Clam Gulch, AK
1984	Tim Osmar	Clam Gulch, AK
1985	Lance Barve	Wasilla, AK
1986	Lance Barve	Wasilla, AK
1987	Dusty VanMeter	Kasilof, AK
1988	Dan Flodin	Chugiak, AK
1989	Jared Jones	Knik, AK
1990	Jared Jones	Knik, AK
1991	Brian Hansen	Anchorage, AK
1992	Ramey Smyth	Big Lake, AK
1993	Ramey Smyth	Big Lake, AK
1994	Cim Smyth	Big Lake, AK
1995	Dusty Whittemore	Cantwell, AK
1996	Dusty Whittemore	Cantwell, AK
1997	Tony Willis	Anchorage, AK
1998	Charlie Jordan`	Tanana, AK
1999	Ryan Redington	Knik, AK
2000	Ryan Redington	Knik, AK
2001	Tyrell Seavey	Seward, AK
2002	Cali King	Denali Park, AK
2003	Ellie Claus	Chitina, AK
2004	Nicole Osmar	Kasilof
2005	Melissa Owens	Nome, AK
2006	Micah Degerland	Two Rivers, AK
2007	Rohn Buser	Big Lake, AK
2008	Jessica Klejka	Bethel, AK
2009	Cain Carter	Fairbanks, AK
2010	Merissa Osmar	Ninilchik, AK
2011	Jeremiah Klejka	Bethel, AK
2012	Conway Seavey	Sterling, AK
2013	Noah Pereira	Clarkson, NT
2014	Conway Seavey	Sterling, AK
2015	Kevin Harper	Wasilla, AK

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IDITAROD INSIDER – GPS TRACKING PROGRAM

You can follow the race on the leaderboard and in the forums, but until you're an Insider, you won't know what you've been missing. To see a sample of the Iditarod Insider or to subscribe go to: <http://insider.iditarod.com/>

Iditarod Insider Video on Demand School

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Brings you exclusive daily updates, expert analysis from the trail, musher interviews, behind the scenes footage, and live streaming video of the start, re-start, and always-climactic unpredictable finish. Quality and quantity you won't find anywhere else.

Hundreds of video on demand segments are generated over the course of the Iditarod, from pre-race behind-the-scenes interviews through the thrilling Live Finish in Nome. With Insider Video on Demand, you won't miss a minute of it.

Iditarod Insider GPS Tracker School

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Let's you follow the entire field 24 hours a day until the last team reaches Nome. You'll know how fast teams are traveling, distance between teams and checkpoints along with current temperatures. Mushers change position, pull ahead, fall behind, take their 8 and 24 hour layovers ... just because a team is in the lead one minute doesn't mean it will be leading the next. The Insider GPS Tracker helps you keep tabs on everyone's position.

Ultimate Insider Video + GPS = 100% Awesome School

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The Ultimate Insider package affords you access to all of the Insider Video on Demand content, as well as the real-time location tracking of Insider GPS Tracker. With the Ultimate Insider package, you'll know everything there is to know about the Last Great Race™.

IDITAROD MUSER & BIB AUCTIONS

IDITARIDER MUSER AUCTION

ONE OF A KIND EXPERIENCE

Not only is the IditaRider Musher Auction one of the largest fund raisers for the Iditarod, but it is definitely one of the most adventurous! The IditaRider Musher Auction, which opens on December 1st each year, offers the opportunity for fans to bid to ride in a sled as it leaves the Start Line in downtown Anchorage on Saturday. Riders from all over the world have been in sleds as well as famous people such as comedian Joan Rivers, actress Susan Lucci, astronaut Bernard Harris, Jr., Olympic Gold Medalist skater Dorothy Hamil, and many more. The ride goes 11 miles along some of Anchorage's beautiful trails through parks and snow covered woods and ends at the BLM Science Center. Being an IditaRider is the next best thing to being on the runners of a sled. Bidding opens at \$500. The bids are generally over \$1300 with many sleds selling for the maximum, \$7500 per sled. The auction closes on the 3rd Friday in January each year. Remember: Bid! Win! Ride!

2015 MUSER BIB AUCTION

After the Race begins, an autographed bib worn by each musher from the Start line goes on auction until the end of March. Bids start at \$100. Take a chance and bid to win so you can own the bib of your favorite musher, a champion, or a rookie of the year. This is a great way to have your own piece of the Iditarod history. Visit the auction site www.iditaroduction.com.

The Iditarod Trail Committee, Inc. is a 501(c) (3) nonprofit organization. Winning bids may use as a portion as a tax deduction. A contribution report is sent with the credit card receipt once the auction has closed.

CEREMONIAL START COORDINATOR'S MESSAGE TO MEDIA

ANCHORAGE START INFORMATION

Welcome to the 44th Iditarod! This portion of your Media Guide includes a brief event time-line for Anchorage, and maps depicting 4th Avenue and the trail through Anchorage to the Bureau of Land Management complex.

There are four guidelines that concern Media at the Start:

1. It is imperative that members of the media not impede the activities of the mushers and dog teams, handlers, officials, or any other volunteer. The media is asked to make way for these people, as well as the teams, and to comply with security requests.
2. COLOR CODED MEDIA CREDENTIALS MUST BE VISIBLE AT ALL TIMES. Security will ask you to produce these credentials if they are not visibly displayed. Anyone who cannot produce and display the proper credentials will be asked to leave the Avenue. Members of the media who have questions or concerns regarding credentials may inquire with the Media Coordinator at the Iditarod Operations Motorhome.
3. BLUE ZONE (Official Media) - Priority positions for start line coverage will be reserved exclusively for Official Media (KTVA-TV, Ohana Media Group, Iditarod Insider Productions and other entities under contract with Iditarod. NO OTHER MEDIA WILL BE ALLOWED ACCESS TO THE AREA BETWEEN THE KTVA-TV CAMERA PLATFORM AND E STREET.
4. RED ZONE — (Non Official Media) - Other television stations, newspapers, production companies and their videographers and photographers) - People and Equipment will only be allowed BEHIND the snow berms between the start line and C Street. YOU MAY NOT position your equipment on, or lay on, the snow berms. The first 75 feet on the north side of 4th Avenue, running east from the start line, is off limits to any and all personnel, including media.
5. GOLD ZONE – All other credentialed media

The primary purpose and responsibility of ALL start volunteers is to provide for the safety and well-being of the mushers and their dogs. We ask simply that you respect their efforts.

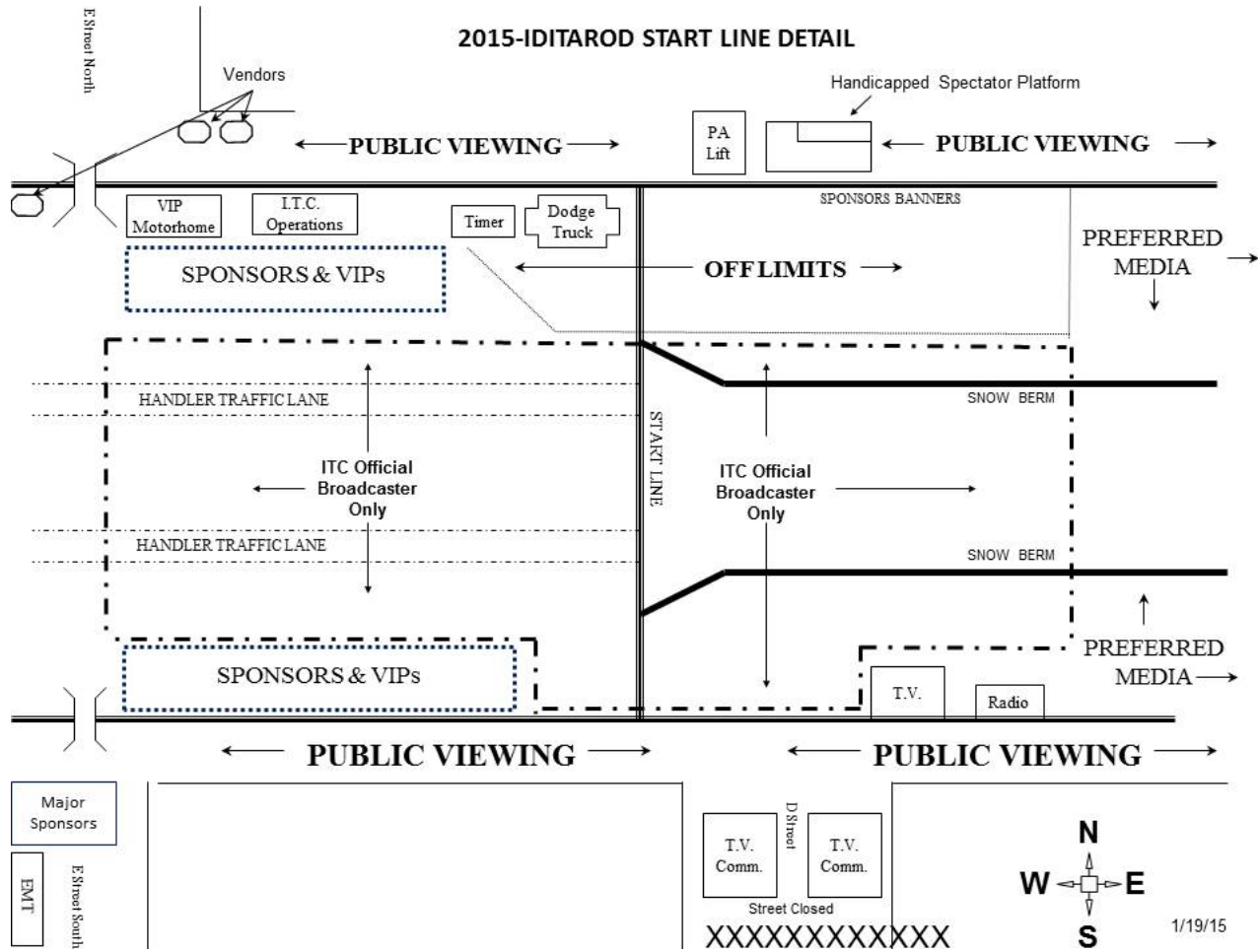
We sincerely hope that you enjoy this year's race. Good luck with your stories, and if there is anything we can do to assist you please don't hesitate to call.

Karl Heidelberg

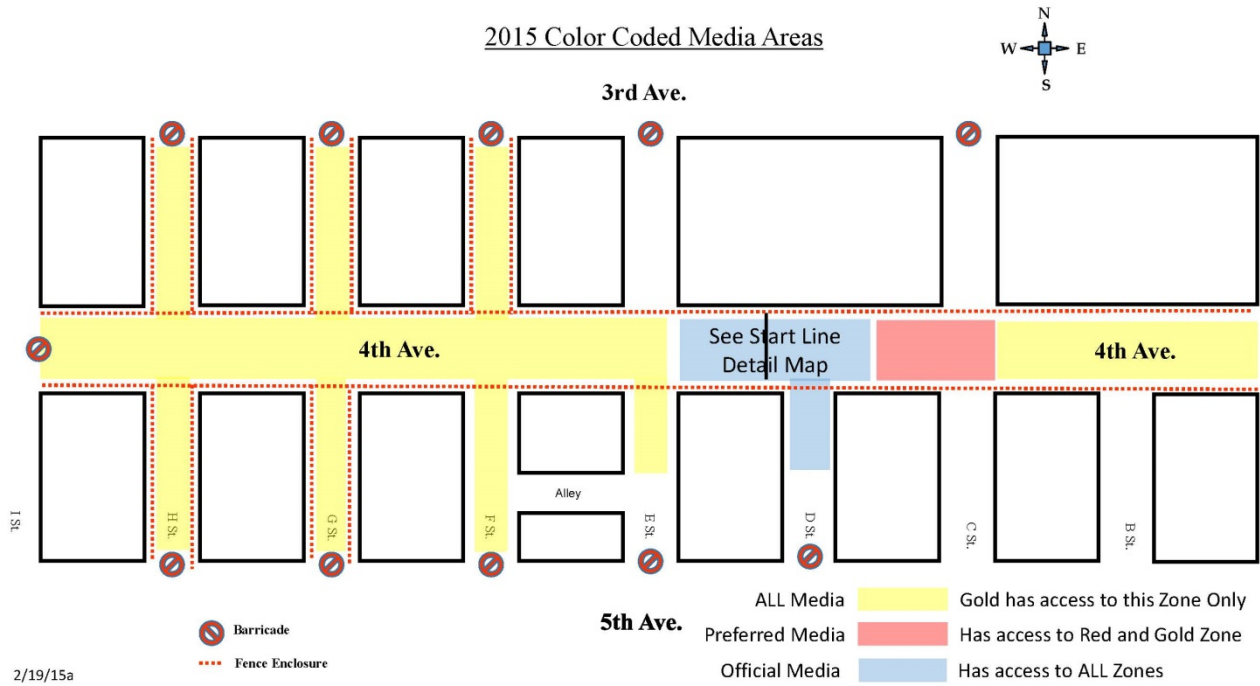
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ANCHORAGE STARTING LINE DETAIL



ANCHORAGE COLOR CODED MEDIA ZONES-2016

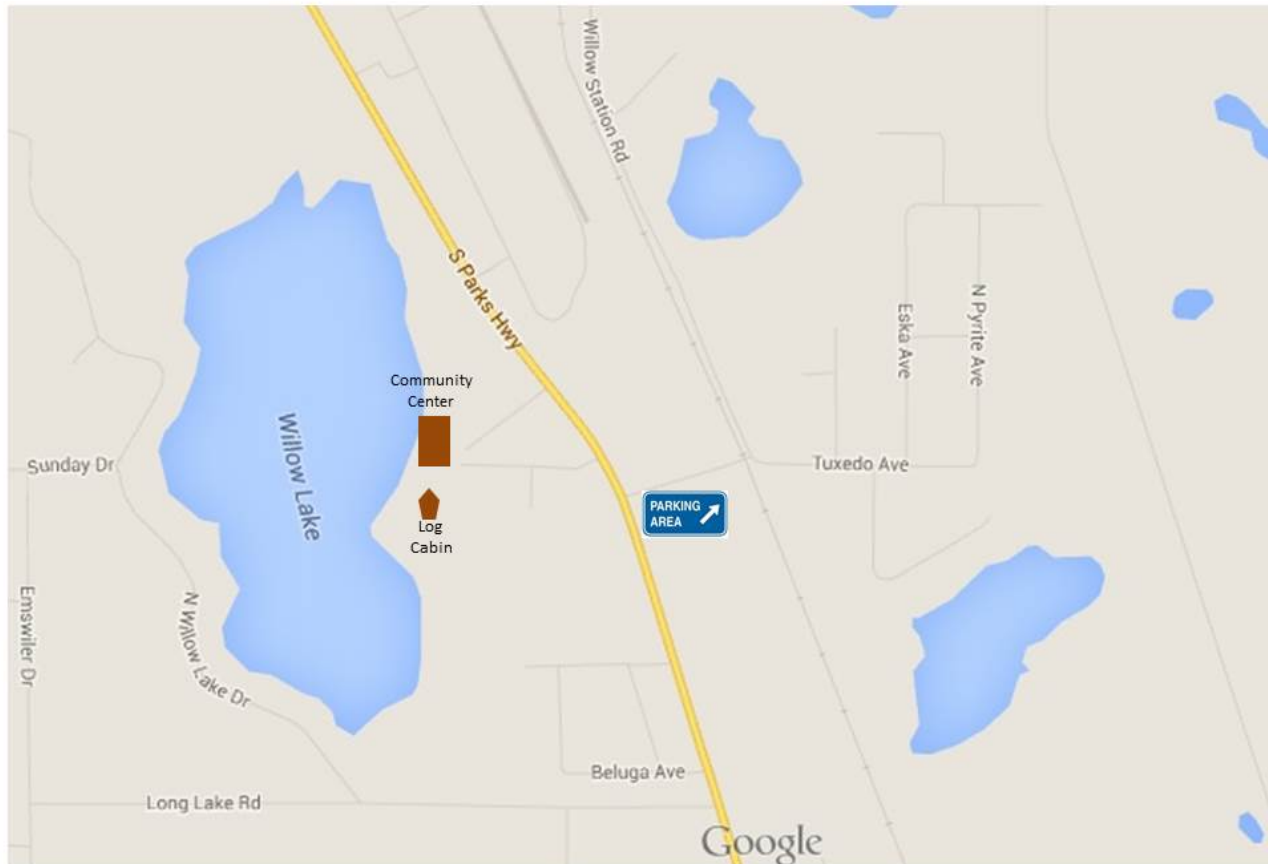


RESTART-WILLOW MAP

The Re-Start will be will be begin at 2pm on Sunday, March 6th 2016.

The Re-Start will be staged on Willow Lake located behind the Willow Community Center. From Willow Lake the mushers will cross Long Lake, Crystal Lake, and Vera Lake. Once they leave Vera Lake they will travel to the Susitna River and on to the Yentna River.

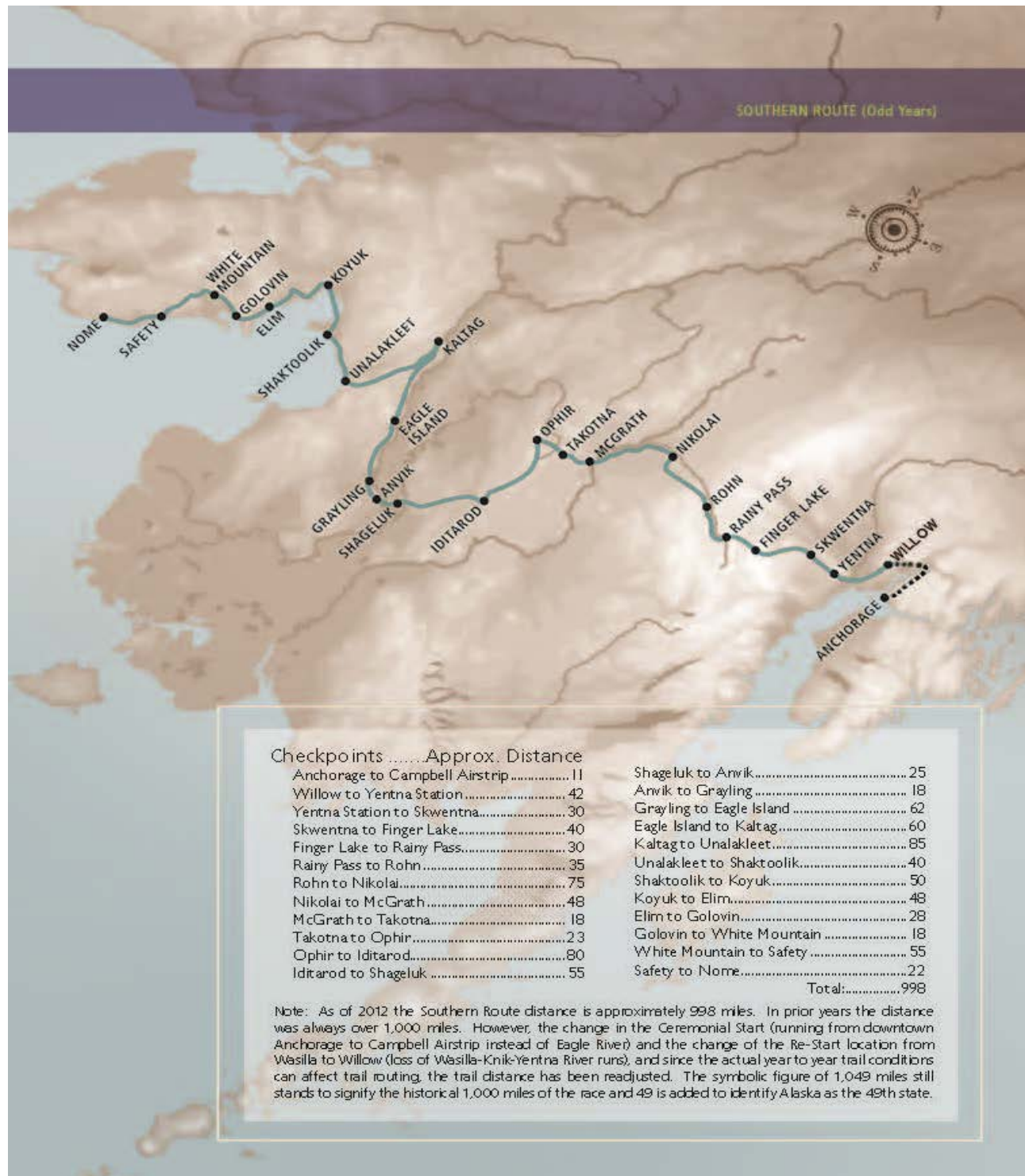
Media and fans traveling to Willow are encouraged to do as much carpooling as possible to avoid unnecessary congestion on the Parks Highway. Public Parking will be available at the Willow Airport at a cost of \$10.00 per vehicle.



SOUTHERN RACE ROUTE INFORMATION



MAPS, MILEAGES AND CHECKPOINTS-SOUTHERN ROUTE-ODD YEARS



OFFICIAL CHECKPOINT MILEAGES-SOUTHERN ROUTE

CHECKPOINTS	DISTANCE BETWEEN	FROM ANCHORAGE	FROM NOME
Anchorage to Campbell Airstrip	11 miles	11 miles	964 miles
Willow to Yentna Station	42 miles	53 miles	922 miles
Yentna to Skwentna	30 miles	83 miles	892 miles
Skwentna to Finger Lake	40 miles	123 miles	851 miles
Finger Lake to Rainy Pass	30 miles	153 miles	822 miles
Rainy Pass to Rohn	35 miles	188 miles	787 miles
Rohn to Nikolai	75 miles	263 miles	712 miles
Nikolai to McGrath	48 miles	311 miles	664 miles
McGrath to Takotna	18 miles	329 miles	646 miles
Takotna to Ophir	23 miles	352 miles	623 miles
Ophir to Cripple	73 miles	425 miles	550 miles
Cripple to Ruby	70 miles	495 miles	480 miles
Ruby to Galena	50 miles	545 miles	430 miles
Galena to Nulato	37 miles	582 miles	393 miles
Nulato to Kaltag	47 miles	629 miles	346 miles
Kaltag to Unalakleet	85 miles	714 miles	261 miles
Unalakleet to Shaktoolik	40 miles	754 miles	221 miles
Shaktoolik to Koyuk	50 miles	804 miles	171 miles
Koyuk to Elim	48 miles	852 miles	123 miles
Elim to Golovin	28 miles	880 miles	95 miles
Golovin to White Mountain	18 miles	898 miles	77 miles
White Mountain to Safety	55 miles	953 miles	22 miles
Safety to Nome	22 miles	975 miles	

Note: As of 2012 the Southern Route distance is approximately 998 miles. In prior years the distance was always over 1,000 miles. Three things factor into this adjustment

- The change in the Ceremonial Start (running from downtown Anchorage to Campbell Airstrip instead of Eagle River);
- The change of the Re-Start location from Wasilla to Willow (loss of Wasilla-Knik-Yentna River runs), and;
- The actual year to year trail conditions can affect trail routing and the actually mileage will vary somewhat from year to year.

“1,049 miles®” has been a symbolic figure from the inception of the race to signify the 1,000 miles or more of race trail and the number 49 depicts Alaska as the 49th state.

SOUTHERN ROUTE TRAIL DESCRIPTIONS

(Pronunciation, Population and Facts of Interest)

Anchorage (ang-ker-ij) – (ANC) Lat 61.12 Long 149.55

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Iditarod (I-DIT-a-rod) - Lat 62.38 Long 155.05

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Shageluk (SHAG-a-luck) - Lat 62.42 Long 159.24

Population 83 - Ingalik Indian name meaning "village of the dog people." Checkpoint is in community hall. Adolph Hamilton, resides here. He helped race organizers find the original trail to the town of Iditarod even though he had been over it once, as a small boy, with his father.

Anvik (AN-vick) - Lat 62.39 Long 160.11

Population 79 - First checkpoint on the Yukon River. Checkpoint is in lodge minimum accommodations available. Millennium Alaska Hotel First Musher to the Yukon Award (including a 7 course meal and \$5,00 in \$1 bills)

Grayling - Lat 62.55 Long 160.40

Population 189 - Checkpoint is in community center and is the last village until Kaltag, 122 miles up the trail on the Yukon River.

Eagle Island - Lat 63.39 Long 159.24

Population 0 - Tent checkpoint on the Yukon River.

Kaltag -- (KAL-tag) -- (KAL) Lat 64.19 Long 158.45

Population 205 -- This town signals a brief respite from the driving winds as the trail from here leads overland through Kaltag Portage to the coast of Norton Sound where the winds take on new meaning. Kaltag is the home of Virginia Kalland, widow of Edgar Kalland who was one of the original mushers who helped carry lifesaving diphtheria serum along this trail 60 years ago. She also owns one of Kaltag's three stores. Note: The location for mushers check-in is at Rich Burnham's house, but the official checkpoint and gathering spot is the community hall about a block away. Please don't treat the Burnham home as a checkpoint.

Unalakleet (YOU-na-la-kleet) -- (UNK) Lat 63.53 Long 160.42

Population 692 -- Situated on the coast of Norton Sound, just north of the Unalakleet River, this village is the largest community on the Iditarod Trail between Willow and Nome. Two well-stocked stores as well as two restaurants can be found here along with limited lodging by advance booking. The trail is now entering the gateway to the Bering Sea and from here on the mushers can expect sudden storms and an ample supply of wind. The checkpoint is in front of the A.C. store.

Shaktoolik (Shak-TOO-lick) -- (SHAK) Lat 64.20 Long 161.10

Population 258 -- One look down the street at the snowdrifts will tell you this is one of the windiest stretches of the trail. From here the trail continues overland for a short distance, and then leads the mushers out onto the ice of Norton Bay, one of the most treacherous segments of trail that the musher may have to contend with. The checkpoint is at the armory.

Koyuk (Koy-uk) -- (KOY) Lat 64.56 Long 161.10

Population 347 -- Once this checkpoint is reached, the mushers can breathe a sigh of relief as

almost all of the rest of the trail is at least over land. The checkpoint is the City Rec Center.

Elim (EE-lim) -- (ELM) Lat 64.37 Long 162.15

Population 332 -- The checkpoint (at least at the time this went to press) is at the fire hall (check at the store for directions). From here the trail heads over the hills of the Kwiktalik Mountains inland a little ways to the next checkpoint on Golovin Bay. The checkpoint is at the fire hall. Ask at the village store.

Golovin (GULL-uh-vin) -- (GOL) Lat 64.32 Long 163.50

Population 171 -- Not an official checkpoint, but a community with a large welcome. Golovin has one store. From here the trail heads across Golovin Bay, then overland to the next checkpoint.

White Mountain --(WT MT) Lat 64.41 Long 163.24

Population 199 -- Just 77 miles from Nome, this village is located on the banks of the Fish River. It takes its name from that of a picturesque nearby mountain. Checkpoint is located in the community hall building up the hill from the store.

Safety -- (SAF) Lat 64.27 Long 164.49

Population 0 - The last checkpoint before Nome, just 22 miles away. Here the mushers are on the coast of the Bering Sea and travel on the beach most of the way to Nome.

Nome -- (OME) Lat 64.30 Long 165.24

Population 3,695 -- The end of the Iditarod Trail! Prospectors established this Seward Peninsula city as Anvil City after adjacent Anvil Creek in 1898. A year later gold was discovered in beach sand, and it became a boomtown, home of 30,000 gold seekers. The city was renamed Nome in 1899 after a nearby point on Norton Sound, which got its name in 1853 when a British Navy cartographer misinterpreted a chart notation of "? Name" and recorded it as Nome. The gold rush atmosphere still abounds, especially when "Iditarod Fever" hits town with the entire community turning out to welcome the mushers and visitors alike to their community. Numerous stores, restaurants and bars line Nome's infamous "Front Street", but lodging is at a premium. If the Nugget Inn and Polaris Hotel are full, check with the Nome Convention and Visitors Bureau for the availability of "bed and breakfast" accommodations.

SOUTHERN ROUTE-DESCRIPTION OF THE IDITAROD TRAIL BETWEEN CHECKPOINTS

Between the Checkpoints

Anchorage to Campbell Airstrip11 miles

Ceremonial Start of the Iditarod Trail that begins on 4th Avenue in downtown Anchorage and runs through the snow covered streets and trails of Anchorage. Each musher participates and carries an Idita-Rider, a passenger who has successfully bid (\$500-\$7,500) to ride in the basket of a particular musher to the end of this 11 mile ceremonial start.

Willow to Yentna Station42 miles

The trail begins on Willow Lake, travels across frozen lakes and swamps before the trail winds through a birch forest before dropping onto the Big Susitna River via Corral Hill. Most of the trail is flat. Once the teams drop onto the Big Susitna River they travel via river to the Yentna Station Checkpoint, which is located on the Yentna River.

Yentna Station to Skwentna30 miles

The mushers run the Yentna all the way to the confluence with the Skwentna River and the town of Skwentna, three miles from the mouth. These slow moving glacial rivers normally provide very good trails. They are all from one fourth to more than a mile wide and freeze thick enough to provide a good trail until late into the winter. Hazards are sometimes plentiful with rough ice to manhandle a sled over and around. Overflow, water running on top of the ice, can be a very real problem in some conditions.

Skwentna to Finger Lake40 miles

From the Skwentna checkpoint the trail continues up the river for one mile and turns off on the left bank. It continues inland across Eight-Mile Swamp through spruce timber and cottonwoods to the Old Skwentna Roadhouse. The crossing is at a 45-degree angle to the river. The trail climbs up a creek drainage turning first right and then left into an open swamp, long and narrow, and through spruce forest for 2-2.5 miles to Shell Creek. Overflow and/or open water is often a problem. From Shell Creek the trail continues, crossing One Stone Lake. From there to Finger Lake are open swamps and thin stands of spruce and alder. The trail crosses to the north shore and the Finger Lake cabin. All grades are moderate or gentle with no hard climbs and no dense woods.

Finger Lake to Puntilla Lake (Rainy Pass Lodge).....30 miles

At Finger Lake the trail drops sharply onto Red Lake leaving the lake at the northwest corner. It climbs steeply leaving the lake at the northwest corner. It climbs steeply up a small creek bed to the benches above Finger Lake. From here it is through swamps, spruce and alder forest to Happy River. The two miles before Happy River are through dense spruce. At Happy River there are three benches to descend with the first being the longest drop, known as the "Steps". A small drainage leads down to the level bench and the trail drops straight down this "V". From this bench the trail descends off the right end to the bench along the river. The last drop is onto the river itself. This section is one of the most hazardous on the trail and extreme caution must be exercised here. The trail will be well marked and the descents will have a straight lead-in. In 2012 the trail will be routed around the famous "Steps" due to a road that was created by a mineral exploration company. This trail re-routing is not yet a permanent change.

Once on the river itself, the trail turns left to the mount (200') and then right, going up the Skwentna River. Approximately 1/4 mile up the Skwentna is a draw coming down from the right and the trail goes up this draw. A ramp may have to be constructed because the bank has washed away leaving a cut bank four to eight feet high. Once into the draw, stay to the right side as the left side leads

to a vertical wall 6' high and is impassable. The draw is only 125 - 150 yards long and once on top the trail continues northwest to Shirley Lake passing through spruce and cottonwood and rolling hills. No grades are steep or long. The steepest grade is up the draw from the Skwentna River. The trail exits Shirley Lake on the northwest side and continues through spruce and cottonwood to Round Mountain. There are some moderate but short grades and a couple of steep but short grades both up and down. At Round Mountain a side hill is encountered and brush is encroaching on the trail. From here to Puntilla Lake is a distance of three to four miles and is gentle terrain with open swamps and sparse timber.

Puntilla Lake to Rohn35 miles

Puntilla Lake (Rainy Pass Lodge) is 1835' above sea level and from here the trail climbs through Rainy Pass reaching 3160' above sea level. From the lodge the trail climbs a small hill and enters the valley. It runs on the north side of the ridge that separates the Indian Creek drainage from Happy River drainage. The trail gradually crosses to the right side of the valley and where Happy River forks three ways, follows Pass Creek (the right fork) into Rainy Pass itself. The climb this far is gentle but the terrain is barren with a few willow thickets and the snow is wind packed to ice and very rough. Once across Rainy Pass Lake (Puntilla Lake), the trail climbs to the summit and descends along Dalzell Creek. Dalzell Creek runs to the Tatina River and here the trail turns sharply left and continues five to six miles to the Rohn checkpoint.

Rohn to Nikolai.....75 miles

The trail leaves Rohn and crosses the South Fork of the Kuskokwim River and turns sharply left (inland) about 3/4 mile below the Rohn checkpoint. From here to Farewell Lake the trail crosses sharp hills with moderate and steep grades, both up and down. Some of the grades are up to 1/2 - 1 3/4 miles long. The trail is very narrow in places and in some of the denser stands of spruce is a tunnel. The worst area is the Tin Creek with a steep side hill drop to the canyon floor and a climb up the other side. This climb is to the right of the gorge (100-150 yards) and should be well marked. The trail from Tin Creek to Farewell Lake continues through spruce and alder. In the open areas the trail is but a rut when the snow is light. It crosses several "wallows" which are very rough. Approaching Farewell Lake the terrain levels out somewhat and crosses a small lake a couple of miles prior to dropping onto Farewell. This is bison (buffalo) country!

The trail leaves Farewell Lake at the northwest end of the lake and for the next 8-10 miles passes through dense spruce forest and across lakes. It then enters the old "Farewell Burn." In the summer of 1984, the B.L.M. cleared the trail through the Burn. It is 25' wide and was cleared to bare ground so there are no windfalls and it is a good trail. The terrain is rolling with short moderate grades. This trail segment is approximately 20 miles long and it then enters very large open swamps to the Salmon River. Trail markings are the only visual references for direction. At the Salmon River the trail turns to the right, crosses the Salmon River at the cabins and continues to Nikolai through spruce and alder stands and open swamps. It crosses the Kuskokwim River into Nikolai. The one danger area through the Burn is at Bear Creek, which has a history of being open. Bridges will be built, if needed, and the area will be well marked.

Nikolai to McGrath.....48 miles

From Nikolai, the trail runs west to McGrath. The terrain is mostly flat. The trail passes through open swamps, small stands of spruce and alder and runs on the river itself. There are no grades to consider. This section is well traveled and should present no problems unless deep fresh snow is encountered, at which time the trail is very soft. McGrath is a major staging area and many trails run out of town. The Iditarod will be well marked to prevent confusion.

McGrath to Takotna.....18 miles

The trail leaves McGrath at the east end of Runway Seven, the same place where it enters. Crossing the Kuskokwim River to the mouth of the Takotna River and turning west, the trail continues over Porcupine Ridge to Takotna. The terrain is gentle rolling hills with moderate grades and is mainly spruce timber

with a few open areas. This is a well-traveled trail and should present no problems.

Takotna to Ophir23 miles

From Takotna the Iditarod Trail is the State Highway that runs to Ophir. Take the road to the right at the fork 1 1/2 miles out of Takotna. Normally there is no snow plowing on the Ophir fork of the highway; however, it is well traveled by dog teams and snow machines all winter. It is seven miles to the top of the grade and then runs down into the Innoko River Valley. Bridges and streams are identified with State of Alaska signs. The trail leaves the road occasionally to cross ridges and to avoid drifted areas. These departures should be well marked

Ophir to Iditarod80 miles

Out of Ophir checkpoint the trail follows a cat trail along the Innoko River into the old town site, about a mile. It runs right down the airport runway and crosses the Innoko about a mile further along. You cross the river again at six miles out of the checkpoint. Large spruce, birch and cottonwood here a good camping spot. Immediately after crossing the Innoko, the cat trail forks -left to Iditarod. It will be well marked. A long up grade through black spruce to the Beaver Mountain Pass across a barren rocky, desolate area. Two small creeks cross this stretch offering the only meager cover available. The trail is heading in a West - Southwest direction. Six to eight miles after re-entering spruce cover; you pass Don's Cabin on the right side of the trail. You are 36 miles from Ophir. The trail crosses a small spruce covered ridge and crosses Windy Creek. The trail runs south on the East side of the Iditarod through open timber, swamps, and lakes into Iditarod. Some gentle rolling ridges are encountered. The checkpoint is on the west side of the large slough with old town on the left.

Iditarod to Shageluk.....55 miles

You leave Iditarod out of the west end of the slough and drop onto the river for about two miles north and then go up the left bank following a low ridge between two small streams climbing a gentle often moderate grade to nearly the top of a 1008 ft barren knob. This portion of trail is in an old burn; it will be marked with tripods, reflectors, and tape. It passes across ridge after ridge with gentle to occasionally steep grades. The Little Yentna crossing is the first stream of any size since Iditarod. You continue through swamp and scattered timber to the Big Yentna out of small drainages in a westerly direction. It crosses a few low ridges with gentle grades while changing drainages. Spruce covered hills are encountered as you drop into the lower Innoko River Valley at Shageluk.

Shageluk to Anvik.....25 miles

Leaving Shageluk, you drop onto the Innoko and go north about a mile. Depart the river on the left bank and proceed in a westerly direction across swamps and lake for 10 - 11 miles. The trail turns to a more southwesterly direction and passes through heavy timber, cottonwood, spruce, birch and lots of brush. It is nearly a tunnel in some spots. You come out on the Yukon and pass an island on your right. Across the Yukon and 3/4 miles north is Anvik. It is on a small slough just off the river.

Anvik to Grayling.....18 miles

The trail goes north along the west shore of the Yukon out of Anvik for miles to Grayling

Grayling to Eagle Island.....62 miles

Out of Grayling you travel north along the west shore of the Yukon. Occasionally the trail may run on an island sandbar to avoid thin river ice. Local conditions will control this. The Iditarod trail will have confirming marking just after intersections or turnoffs. It is located just inside a small stream on the west bank.

Eagle Island to Kaltag.....60 miles

Out of Eagle Island the trail continues to hug the west shore for about 23 miles and then crosses to some midstream islands and then to the east shore at 35 mile Slough. We follow the trapper's trail north on up the Yukon to Kaltag.

Kaltag to Unalakleet.....85 miles

From Kaltag, the trail exits from the northwest end of the runway. The next 15 miles run through spruce forest and open areas along the Kaltag River, climbing gently to the summit of the Portage. Continuing through similar terrain, it starts down the Unalakleet drainage to Old Woman Cabin at the base of Old Woman Mountain. This mountain is an excellent landmark. The trail continues past the mountain and runs along the left side of the Unalakleet drainage. The terrain is gentle rolling hills. Little or no vegetation can be seen along the trail until near Unalakleet. Approximately five miles out of town the trail hits the river. With the exception of a few short portages across horseshoe bends, the trail follows the river into Unalakleet. The last 32 miles (from Old Woman Mountain) is often windy and the snow is usually wind packed and crusty. In fact, the entire coast is often very windy.

Unalakleet to Shaktoolik..... 40 miles

To Shaktoolik, the trail crosses several low ridges with mostly gentle and moderate grades. The vegetation is stunted spruce and willow thickets. Leaving Unalakleet, the trail turns northward and parallels the coast to Power, then turns inland, crossing behind Blueberry Point. It then drops back toward the coast at Egavik, a summer fish camp. A series of long low hills is crossed with grades being moderate to gentle but some are up to a mile long. The crest of the last ridge is about 17 miles from Shaktoolik and the village is visible from here. The next four to five miles are down a moderate to steep serpentine grade through willow thickets and stunted spruce. The turns are moderate but can be extremely slick. At the bottom, the trail follows the coastal dune on the landward side the last 12 miles to Shaktoolik. The trail from the bottom of the hill to the checkpoint runs over ice on the Shaktoolik River and is often rough. The village is on the left.

Shaktoolik to Koyuk50 miles

The trail from Shaktoolik bears north, crossing the peninsula. It runs on land for eight to nine miles then starts across Norton Bay at the mouth of Reindeer Cove. The terrain to this point is mostly gentle swells of the ground with no true grades. There is no vegetation. Approximately five miles onto the ice is Island Point and Little Mountain. It appears to be a large rock rising from the sea ice, but is in fact the head of a small peninsula. The trail passes a shelter cabin on the south side of Little Mountain. From here a compass bearing of 340 degrees leads into Koyuk. Marking on this segment of the trail usually consists of laths with reflective tape alternating with spruce boughs. Every mile will be marked. The ice is often rough.

Koyuk to Elim.....48 miles

When leaving Koyuk for Elim, the trail follows the coast, almost doubling back on itself. It runs southeast to Bald Head and Castle Rock where it turns westerly, following the coast to Moses Point. Moses Point is a spit that, with the coastline, forms Kwiniuk Inlet. The trail parallels the spit for five to six miles where it joins the mainland. It continues on the sea ice along the coast, passing the abandoned F.A.A. Station. From there to Elim two routes may be used. One continues along the ice to Elim; the other takes the road along the coast to Elim, which is six to eight miles away.

Elim to Golovin (not an official checkpoint, but an integral part of the race).....28 miles

The trail leaves Elim, following the ice along the coast for 10-11 miles to a cabin just north-northeast of the limestone cliffs, and here it turns right (inland) and crosses the Kwiktalik Mountains. This range is a low series of hills (1,000 to 1,500 ft.) with moderate grades. Vegetation ranges from small spruce to barren ground. Some of the grades are long (1 mile) but none are excessively steep. The barren sections are often windblown and icy. The last descent to Golovin Bay is long and sometimes runs side hill. At the Shelter Cabin on the coast, the trail turns sharply right and crosses the ice to Golovin. The village is located on a spit and is easily seen. (Counting the cabin below Elim where the trail leaves the ice, there are three shelter cabins on the trail, one of them being nine miles from the coast where the trail intersects McKinley Creek.)

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From Golovin the trail crosses the ice on Golovin Lagoon to the Mudyutok River and goes up this river to the Fish River and then to White Mountain. This section is short, easy travel unless a strong wind is blowing down the rivers, and then it can be difficult going.

White Mountain to Safety55 miles

The trail from White Mountain continues up the Fish River for another 2-2.5 miles to a large island. It makes a sharp left turn and starts overland. This turn should be well marked, since a trail continues up the river to Council also. One-fourth mile after leaving the river, a trail comes in from the right (also from Council) and this intersection should be well marked but can be confusing if snow machiners or mushers have departed from the trail. The Iditarod Trail crosses a series of low hills with moderate grades and starts through the Klokeblok River drainage. There is a little vegetation (willow) along some of the creeks. At Topkok, the trail turns sharply right along the coast. The Nome Kennel Club has a shelter cabin at the bottom of Topkok Hill. There is little in the way of visual references and each hill looks like the last. Wind often exceeds 40 knots. From Topkok, the trail follows the coast westward to Solomon, passing south of the actual village (near the Old Solomon village site) from here to Safety Roadhouse, the trail is the road.

Safety to Nome.....22 miles

From Safety Roadhouse to Nome the trail runs along the Nome-Solomon Road except where it passes around Cape Nome and the last seven miles into Nome. Here the trail parallels the road on the right side and presents no obstacles.

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Takotna (Ta-COT-na) -- (TAK) Lat 63.00 Long 156.04.

Population 49 -- Situated on the banks of the Takotna River, this town has a store and restaurant. This is one of the smallest towns with one of the biggest welcomes.

Ophir (OH-fur) (OPH) Lat 63.08 Long 156.31

Population 0 -- Now a ghost town, it took its name in 1908 from a nearby placer creek, one of a dozen streams in Alaska to be named by Bible-reading prospectors, for the lost country of Ophir, the source of King Solomon's gold. Many items and artifacts still remain untouched. The checkpoint is at Dick and Audra Forsgren's cabin.

Cripple (krip-uh l) Lat. 63.41 N Long 156.20W

Population 0 -Part of the famous Iditarod Mining District, which saw \$35 million in gold taken out of the area between 1908 and 1925. Not bad when you figure that gold was only worth \$20 an ounce in those days. This checkpoint marks the "official" halfway point in the race on the northern route

Ruby (ROO-bee) Lat. 64.44 N Long 155.29W

Population 173- The first checkpoint on the famous Yukon River, the longest river in Alaska, stretching 1,875 miles from its headwaters in the Yukon Territory of Canada to the Bering Sea. Gold was discovered here in 1907, but no town **was established until 1911 when additional gold deposits were discovered on Long Creek**, causing a rush of prospectors to the area. This is the home of 1975 Iditarod champion Emmitt Peters. Ruby was home for many of the mushers who carried mail for the Northern Commercial Company from Tanana to Ruby. The trip took four days and paid \$5 a day. Dog team mail ended here in 1931. The checkpoint is in the community hall.

Galena (gull-LEE-na) Lat.64.44 Long 156.56

Population 487 -- Galena derived its name from lead sulfate ore found in the area, known chemically as galena. The town was founded in 1920 when Natives moved down river from the old town site of Louden because of the availability of firewood. A man could cut 250 cords a winter and sell it for \$8 a cord to the stern-wheelers that worked the rivers in the summer. This was the home of Edgar Nollner, the last living musher who carried the lifesaving diphtheria serum along this trail to Nome in 1925. The checkpoint is at the "old" community hall downtown.

Nulato (nu-LAH-toe) Lat. 64.43 Long 158.05

Population 275 -- Originally founded in 1838 at the confluence of the Nulato and Yukon Rivers, Nulato was a Russian trading post. Without a stockade, the Indians promptly burned it down. In 1841, the Russian American Company rebuilt the trading post consisting of seven log buildings, but again without a stockade. In 1851, the Koyukan Indians again burned it down and killed most of the inhabitants. In 1853 the trading post was rebuilt at the present town site, two miles upriver from the old site. The checkpoint is the community hall.

Kaltag -- (KAL-tag) (KAL) Lat 64.19 Long 158.45

Population 205 -- This town signals a brief respite from the driving winds as the trail from here leads overland through Kaltag Portage to the coast of Norton Sound where the winds take on new meaning. Kaltag is the home of Virginia Kalland, widow of Edgar Kalland who was one of the original mushers who helped carry lifesaving diphtheria serum along this trail 60 years ago. She also owns one of Kaltag's three stores. **Note:** The location for mushers check-in is at Rich Burnham's house, but the official checkpoint and gathering spot is the community hall about a block away. Please don't treat the Burnham home as a checkpoint.

Unalakleet (YOU-na-la-kleet) (UNK) Lat 63.53 Long 160.42

Population 692 - Situated on the coast of Norton Sound, just north of the Unalakleet River, this village is the largest community on the Iditarod Trail between Willow and Nome. Two well-stocked stores as well as two restaurants can be found here along with limited lodging by advance booking. The trail is now entering the gateway to the Bering Sea and from here on the mushers can expect sudden storms and an ample supply of wind. The checkpoint is in front of the A.C. store.

Shaktoolik (Shak-TOO-lick) (SHAK) Lat 64.20 Long 161.10 --

Population 258 -- One look down the street at the snowdrifts will tell you this is one of the windiest stretches of the trail. From here the trail continues overland for a short distance, then leads the mushers out onto the ice of Norton Bay, one of the most treacherous segments of trail that the musher may have to contend with. The checkpoint is at the armory.

Koyuk (Koy-uk) (KOY) Lat 64.56 Long 161.10 ---

Population 347 -- Once this checkpoint is reached, the mushers can breathe a sigh of relief as almost all of the rest of the trail is at least over land. The checkpoint is the City Rec Center.

Elim (EE-lim) (ELM) Lat 64.37 Long 162.15

Population 332 -- The checkpoint (at least at the time this went to press) is at the fire hall (check at the store for directions). From here the trail heads over the hills of the Kwiktalik Mountains inland a little ways to the next checkpoint on Golovin Bay. The checkpoint is at the fire hall. Ask at the village store.

Golovin (GULL-uh-vin) (GOL) Lat 64.32 Long 163.50

Population 171 -- Not an official checkpoint, but a community with a large welcome. Golovin has one store. From here the trail heads across Golovin Bay, then overland to the next checkpoint.

White Mountain (WT MT) Lat 64.41 Long 163.24

Population 199 -- Just 77 miles from Nome, this village is located on the banks of the Fish River. It takes its name from that of a picturesque nearby mountain. Checkpoint is located in the community hall building up the hill from the store.

Safety (SAF) Lat 64.27 Long 164.49

The last checkpoint before Nome, just 22 miles away. Here the mushers are on the coast of the Bering Sea and travel on the beach most of the way to Nome.

Nome (OME) Lat 64.30 Long 165.24

Population 3,695 -- The end of the Iditarod Trail! Prospectors established this Seward Peninsula city as Anvil City after adjacent Anvil Creek in 1898. A year later gold was discovered in beach sand, and it became a boomtown, home of 30,000 gold seekers. The city was **renamed** Nome in 1899 after a nearby point on Norton Sound, which got its name in 1853 when a British Navy cartographer misinterpreted a chart notation of "? Name" and recorded it as Nome. The gold rush atmosphere still abounds, especially when "Iditarod Fever" hits town with the entire community turning out to welcome the mushers and visitors alike to their community. Numerous stores, restaurants and bars line Nome's infamous "Front Street", but lodging is at a premium. If the Nugget Inn and Polaris Hotel are full, check with the Nome Convention and Visitors Bureau for the availability of "bed and breakfast" accommodations.

NORTHERN ROUTE DESCRIPTION OF THE IDITAROD TRAIL BETWEEN CHECKPOINTS

(Between checkpoints)

Anchorage to Campbell Airstrip 11 miles

Ceremonial Start of the Iditarod Trail that begins on 4th Avenue in downtown Anchorage and runs through the snow covered streets and trails of Anchorage. Each musher participates and carries an Idita-Rider, a passenger who has successfully bid (\$500-\$7,500) to ride in the basket of a particular musher to the end of this 11 mile ceremonial start.

Willow to Yentna Station..... 42 miles

The trail begins on Willow Lake, travels across frozen lakes and swamps before the trail winds through a birch forest before dropping onto the Big Susitna River via Corral Hill. Most of the trail is flat. Once the teams drop onto the Big Susitna River they travel via river to the Yentna Station Checkpoint, which is located on the Yentna River.

Yentna Station to Skwentna 30 miles

The mushers run the Yentna all the way to the confluence with the Skwentna River and the town of Skwentna, three miles from the mouth. These slow moving glacial rivers normally provide very good trails. They are all from one fourth to more than a mile wide and freeze thick enough to provide a good trail until late into the winter. Hazards are sometimes plentiful with rough ice to manhandle a sled over and around. Overflow, water running on top of the ice, can be a very real problem in some conditions.

Skwentna to Finger Lake 40 miles

From the Skwentna checkpoint the trail continues up the river for one mile and turns off on the left bank. It continues inland across Eight-Mile Swamp through spruce timber and cottonwoods to the Old Skwentna Roadhouse. The crossing is at a 45-degree angle to the river. The trail climbs up a creek drainage turning first right and then left into an open swamp, long and narrow, and through spruce forest for 2-2.5 miles to Shell Creek. Overflow and/or open water is often a problem. From Shell Creek the trail continues, crossing One Stone Lake. From there to Finger Lake are open swamps and thin stands of spruce and alder. The trail crosses to the north shore and the Finger Lake cabin. All grades are moderate or gentle with no hard climbs and no dense woods.

Finger Lake to Puntilla Lake (Rainy Pass Lodge) 30 miles

At Finger Lake the trail drops sharply onto Red Lake leaving the lake at the northwest corner. It climbs steeply leaving the lake at the northwest corner. It climbs steeply up a small creek bed to the benches above Finger Lake. From here it is through swamps, spruce and alder forest to Happy River. The two miles before Happy River are through dense spruce. At Happy River there are three benches to descend with the first being the longest drop, known as the "Steps". A small drainage leads down to the level bench and the trail drops straight down this "V". From this bench the trail descends off the right end

to the bench along the river. The last drop is onto the river itself. This section is one of the most hazardous on the trail and extreme caution must be exercised here. The trail will be well marked and the descents will have a straight lead-in. **In 2012 the trail will be routed around the famous "Steps" due to a road that was created by a mineral exploration company. This trail re-routing is not yet a permanent change.**

Once on the river itself, the trail turns left to the mount (200') and then right, going up the Skwentna River. Approximately 1/4 mile up the Skwentna is a draw coming down from the right and the trail goes up this draw. A ramp may have to be constructed because the bank has washed away leaving a cut bank four to eight feet high. Once into the draw, stay to the right side as the left side leads to a vertical wall 6' high and is impassable. The draw is only 125 - 150 yards long and once on top the trail continues northwest to Shirley Lake passing through spruce and cottonwood and rolling hills. No grades are steep or long. The steepest grade is up the draw from the Skwentna River. The trail exits Shirley Lake on the northwest side and continues through spruce and cottonwood to Round Mountain. There are some moderate but short grades and a couple of steep but short grades both up and down. At Round Mountain a side hill is encountered and brush is encroaching on the trail. From here to Puntilla Lake is a distance of three to four miles and is gentle terrain with open swamps and sparse timber.

Puntilla Lake to Rohn 35 miles

Puntilla Lake (Rainy Pass Lodge) is 1835' above sea level and from here the trail climbs through Rainy Pass reaching 3160' above sea level. From the lodge the trail climbs a small hill and enters the valley. It runs on the north side of the ridge that separates the Indian Creek drainage from Happy River drainage. The trail gradually crosses to the right side of the valley and where Happy River forks three ways, follows Pass Creek (the right fork) into Rainy Pass itself. The climb this far is gentle but the terrain is barren with a few willow thickets and the snow is wind packed to ice and very rough. Once across Rainy Pass Lake (Puntilla Lake), the trail climbs to the summit and descends along Dalzell Creek. Dalzell Creek runs to the Tatina River and here the trail turns sharply left and continues five to six miles to the Rohn checkpoint.

Rohn to Nikolai 75 miles

The trail leaves Rohn and crosses the South Fork of the Kuskokwim River and turns sharply left (inland) about 3/4 mile below the Rohn checkpoint. From here to Farewell Lake the trail crosses sharp hills with moderate and steep grades, both up and down. Some of the grades are up to 1/2 - 1 3/4 miles long. The trail is very narrow in places and in some of the denser stands of spruce is a tunnel. The worst area is the Tin Creek with a steep side hill drop to the canyon floor and a climb up the other side. This climb is to the right of the gorge (100-150 yards) and should be well marked. The trail from Tin Creek to Farewell Lake continues through spruce and alder. In the open areas the trail is but a rut when the snow is light. It crosses several "wallows" which are very rough. Approaching Farewell Lake the terrain levels out somewhat and crosses a small lake a couple of miles prior to dropping onto Farewell. This is bison (buffalo) country!

The trail leaves Farewell Lake at the northwest end of the lake and for the next 8-10 miles passes through dense spruce forest and across lakes. It then enters the old "Farewell Burn." In the summer

of 1984, the B.L.M. cleared the trail through the Burn. It is 25' wide and was cleared to bare ground so there are no windfalls and it is a good trail. The terrain is rolling with short moderate grades. This trail segment is approximately 20 miles long and it then enters very large open swamps to the Salmon River. Trail markings are the only visual references for direction. At the Salmon River the trail turns to the right, crosses the Salmon River at the cabins and continues to Nikolai through spruce and alder stands and open swamps. It crosses the Kuskokwim River into Nikolai. The one danger area through the Burn is at Bear Creek, which has a history of being open. Bridges will be built, if needed, and the area will be well marked.

Nikolai to McGrath.....48 miles

From Nikolai, the trail runs west to McGrath. The terrain is mostly flat. The trail passes through open swamps, small stands of spruce and alder and runs on the river itself. There are no grades to consider. This section is well traveled and should present no problems unless deep fresh snow is encountered, at which time the trail is very soft. McGrath is a major staging area and many trails run out of town. The Iditarod will be well marked to prevent confusion.

McGrath to Takotna 18 miles

The trail leaves McGrath at the east end of Runway Seven, the same place where it enters. Crossing the Kuskokwim River to the mouth of the Takotna River and turning west, the trail continues over Porcupine Ridge to Takotna. The terrain is gentle rolling hills with moderate grades and is mainly spruce timber with a few open areas. This is a well-traveled trail and should present no problems.

Takotna to Ophir..... 23 miles

From Takotna the Iditarod Trail is the State Highway that runs to Ophir. Take the road to the right at the fork 1 1/2 miles out of Takotna. Normally there is no snow plowing on the Ophir fork of the highway; however, it is well traveled by dog teams and snow machines all winter. It is seven miles to the top of the grade and then runs down into the Innoko River Valley. Bridges and streams are identified with State of Alaska signs. The trail leaves the road occasionally to cross ridges and to avoid drifted areas. These departures should be well marked.

Ophir to Cripple 73 miles

Out of the Ophir checkpoint the trail follows a cat trail along the Innoko River into the old village site about a mile further along. It crosses the river again six miles out of the checkpoint. From the crossing, the trail heads northeast. The terrain is flat with sparse scrub spruce with a few rolling hills as it approaches Cripple.

Cripple to Ruby 70 miles

Leaving Cripple, the country stays the same for 15 to 20 miles. Then the trees get larger and thicker, with larger rolling hills. At Bear Creek, the trail enters a cat trail that should be easy to follow. At Sulatna Crossing (steel bridge), most of the mushers stop to rest and feed their dogs. (Sulatna Crossing is not a checkpoint.) There is a small lake on the left. Immediately after the bridge, the trailbreakers will punch out 15 to 20 parking spots for dog teams. The trail follows this road all the way to Ruby Hills.

There are many long grades and much side hill to travel.

Ruby to Galena 50 miles

From Ruby to Kaltag, the next 134 miles is on the Yukon River, passing through Galena and Nulato. In most years the local traffic keeps the river trail hard and fast. This section is well marked because wind and snow can cover the trail very quickly. Checkpoint is usually in the Galena Community Center.

Galena to Nulato 37 miles

About 10 miles outside of Galena is the picturesque Bishop's Rock, where some of the most famous photographs of mushers are taken. In most years the local traffic keeps the river trail hard and fast. This section is well marked because wind and snow can cover the trail very quickly.

Nulato to Kaltag 47 miles

The final stretch on the Yukon River before turning inland for the Kaltag Portage headed towards the coast. Kaltag always offers a warm welcome. Checkpoint is at Kaltag Community Center.

Kaltag to Unalakleet 85 miles

From Kaltag, the trail exits from the northwest end of the runway. The next 15 miles run through spruce forest and open areas along the Kaltag River, climbing gently to the summit of the Portage. Continuing through similar terrain, it starts down the Unalakleet drainage to Old Woman Cabin at the base of Old Woman Mountain. This mountain is an excellent landmark. The trail continues past the mountain and runs along the left side of the Unalakleet drainage. The terrain is gentle rolling hills. Little or no vegetation can be seen along the trail until near Unalakleet. Approximately five miles out of town the trail hits the river. With the exception of a few short portages across horseshoe bends, the trail follows the river into Unalakleet. The last 32 miles (from Old Woman Mountain) is often windy and the snow is usually wind packed and crusty. In fact, the entire coast is often very windy.

Unalakleet to Shaktoolik 40 miles

To Shaktoolik, the trail crosses several low ridges with mostly gentle and moderate grades. The vegetation is stunted spruce and willow thickets. Leaving Unalakleet, the trail turns northward and parallels the coast to Power, then turns inland, crossing behind Blueberry Point. It then drops back toward the coast at Egavik, a summer fish camp. A series of long low hills is crossed with grades being moderate to gentle but some are up to a mile long. The crest of the last ridge is about 17 miles from Shaktoolik and the village is visible from here. The next four to five miles are down a moderate to steep serpentine grade through willow thickets and stunted spruce. The turns are moderate but can be extremely slick. At the bottom, the trail follows the coastal dune on the landward side the last 12 miles to Shaktoolik. The trail from the bottom of the hill to the checkpoint runs over ice on the Shaktoolik River and is often rough. The village is on the left.

Shaktoolik to Koyuk 50 miles

The trail from Shaktoolik bears north, crossing the peninsula. It runs on land for eight to nine miles then starts across Norton Bay at the mouth of Reindeer Cove. The terrain to this point is mostly gentle swells of the ground with no true grades. There is no vegetation. Approximately five miles onto the ice is Island Point and Little Mountain. It appears to be a large rock rising from the sea ice, but is in fact the head of a small peninsula. The trail passes a shelter cabin on the south side of Little Mountain. From here a compass bearing of 340 degrees leads into Koyuk. Marking on this segment of the trail usually consists of laths with reflective tape alternating with spruce boughs. Every mile will be marked. The ice is often rough

Koyuk to Elim 48 miles

When leaving Koyuk for Elim, the trail follows the coast, almost doubling back on itself. It runs southeast to Bald Head and Castle Rock where it turns westerly, following the coast to Moses Point. Moses Point is a spit that, with the coastline, forms Kwiniuk Inlet. The trail parallels the spit for five to six miles where it joins the mainland. It continues on the sea ice along the coast, passing the abandoned F.A.A. Station. From there to Elim two routes may be used. One continues along the ice to Elim; the other takes the road along the coast to Elim, which is six to eight miles away.

Elim to Golovin (not an official checkpoint, but an integral part of the race).....28 miles

The trail leaves Elim, following the ice along the coast for 10-11 miles to a cabin just north-northeast of the limestone cliffs, and here it turns right (inland) and crosses the Kwiktalik Mountains. This range is a low series of hills (1,000 to 1,500 ft.) with moderate grades. Vegetation ranges from small spruce to barren ground. Some of the grades are long (1 mile) but none are excessively steep. The barren sections are often windblown and icy. The last descent to Golovin Bay is long and sometimes runs side hill. At the Shelter Cabin on the coast, the trail turns sharply right and crosses the ice to Golovin. The village is located on a spit and is easily seen. (Counting the cabin below Elim where the trail leaves the ice, there are three shelter cabins on the trail, one of them being nine miles from the coast where the trail intersects McKinley Creek.)

Golovin to White Mountain..... 18 miles

From Golovin the trail crosses the ice on Golovin Lagoon to the Mudyutok River and goes up this river to the Fish River and then to White Mountain. This section is short, easy travel unless a strong wind is blowing down the rivers, and then it can be difficult going.

White Mountain to Safety 55 miles

The trail from White Mountain continues up the Fish River for another 2-2.5 miles to a large island. It makes a sharp left turn and starts overland. This turn should be well marked, since a trail continues up the river to Council also. One-fourth mile after leaving the river, a trail comes in from the right (also from Council) and this intersection should be well marked but can be confusing if snow machiners or mushers have departed from the trail. The Iditarod Trail crosses a series of low hills with moderate grades and starts through the Klokeblok River drainage. There is a little vegetation (willow) along some of the creeks.

At Topkok, the trail turns sharply right along the coast. The Nome Kennel Club has a shelter cabin at the bottom of Topkok Hill. There is little in the way of visual references and each hill looks like the last.

Wind often exceeds 40 knots. From Topkok, the trail follows the coast westward to Solomon, passing south of the actual village (near the Old Solomon village site) from here to Safety Roadhouse, the trail is the road.

Safety to Nome.....22 miles

From Safety Roadhouse to Nome the trail runs along the Nome-Solomon Road except where it passes around Cape Nome and the last seven miles into Nome. Here the trail parallels the road on the right side and presents no obstacles.

IDITAROD TRAIL COMMUNICATIONS

IMPORTANT: Media access to communications methods varies from checkpoint to checkpoint.

While the Iditarod Trail Committee (ITC) does not have the ability to provide checkpoint internet access for the media between Anchorage and Nome, each year there are improvements in communities along the trail for public internet access. GCI, Inc., our official communications partner, has cellular coverage in many communities along the trail. Contact your local GCI representative to discuss cellular service availability and how it can be accessed.

ITC strongly advises journalists to have their laptop computers configured by GCI immediately following the Media Briefing on Wednesday, March 2nd at The Millennium Hotel, Anchorage, in the 3rd floor foyer in order to allow for greater success with internet connections when public internet access points are available along the trail. The Iditarod Trail Committee has wireless internet access available for media in Nome at Iditarod Race Headquarters in the Nome Mini Convention Center.

Please do not attempt any interviews with mushers at checkpoints until they have fed and strawed their dogs! This is a crucial time for each sled dog team, and members of the press are asked not to approach any musher until this process is completed. (This may take anywhere from 1/2 hour to an hour.)

Race rules require that mushers stay in a central location in every checkpoint, rather than scatter throughout the villages. There will be specific checkpoint areas in each checkpoint. Each area will have a designated mushers' sleeping area and we ask the cooperation of reporters, photographers and camera crews in not interrupting the mushers during their chosen rest times. Mushers will be available in other areas of the checkpoints for interviews and pictures.

Please understand that this is a race and the first priority for the mushers is the care of their dogs and their race. They will be much more apt to be cooperative if you cooperate with them from the beginning.

The following is a list of recommendations for those of you traveling up the trail. The main thing to remember is that you are traveling through *RURAL ALASKA*, so come prepared to provide your OWN food and shelter.

We recommend you:

- Offer to pay if invited to sleep in village school or community hall.
- Offer to pay for food that may be offered by villagers.
- Consider purchasing the beautiful Native works of art while in villages.
- Take the time to find out about the many wonderful folks in the villages along the trail who will make great human interest stories.
- Remember and respect the cultural differences you experience along the trail.
- Help the local economy by patronizing local restaurants and grocery stores.
- Stop in and visit at local schools. (It's a great way to learn more about the village you're in, and the students enjoy the interaction.)
- Use a telephoto lens to get close up still and video shots.
- Ask for permission from musher to take pictures of dog teams.

- Wait for interviews until mushers have had time to feed their dogs and to rest.
- Look for official race information from the checkpoints. The Media Coordinator is available to answer any questions you might have. Call anytime at 907-355-2378.

Please do not:

- Take alcohol to any of the village checkpoints. (It is against the law in most communities along the trail)
- Rely on someone else to take care of you, or avail yourself of the Iditarod food at checkpoint.
- Try to get lengthy interview as soon as musher pulls into checkpoint, or disturb a resting dog team.
- Let your story be influenced by “rumors.” Please take time to verify the story you’re working on.

PACKING FOR THE IDITAROD TRAIL

Clothing choices and comfort are very important, but be aware that the logistics of traveling on the trail can be very labor intensive. Knowing how to pack and transport your gear to and from the airplane will save a tremendous amount of effort and will assist with everyone's logistics. Try packing so you can haul your gear in one trip. Here's how!

Baggage:

- One large duffel bag (preferably with 'U' shaped zipper)
- Daypack and/or fanny pack
- Camera bag
- Short plastic sled
- Cinch sleeping bag and pad down between the handles of the duffel with snaps. Strap bundle down to the sled using bungees.
- Keep heavy clothing handy by snapping it under the bungees. This arrangement should be easy to drag around and stows well in an airplane. Rigid frame packs do not stow well in aircraft.

Clothing:

- Choose clothing that can all be worn together.
- Use layering in everything.
- Wear insulated boots such as "Bunny Boots" or open cell neoprene.
- Have a pair of "snow sneakers" for use in checkpoints.
- 40 above to 40 below selection (depending on combination):
- Polypropylene or cotton long underwear
- Musher style insulated hat
- Polar fleece shirt and pants
- Face mask
- Insulated scarf or cowl
- Windproof jacket and snow pants (bibs)
- Felt gloves with insulated over mitts
- Oversized heavy parka with hood

Other:

- Any good quality sleeping bag rated from -10 to -20 degrees
- Foam pad or Therma-Rest type mattress
- Avoid extra heavy duty weight bag unless you're at a tent checkpoint
- Small bag of high energy snack food
- Sunglasses
- Flashlight
- Camera gear
- We suggest you don't bring:
- Hair dryers, curling irons, electric razors, etc.
- Large frame backpacks

ALPHABETICAL MUSHER LISTING

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ALPHABETICAL MUSER LISTING CONTINUED

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1973-2014 CHAMPIONS & RED LANTERN WINNERS

<u>Year</u>	<u>Musher</u>	<u>D:H:M:S</u>	<u>Musher</u>	<u>D:H:M:S</u>
1973	Dick Wilmarth	20:00:49:41	John Schultz	32:05:09:01
1974	Carl Huntington	20:15:02:07	Red Olson	29:06:36:10
1975	Emmitt Peters	14:14:43:45	Steve Fee	29:08:37:13
1976	Gerald Riley	18:22:58:17	Dennis Corrington	26:08:42:51
1977	Rick Swenson	16:16:27:13	Vasily Zamitkyn	22:09:06:06
1978	Dick Mackey	14:18:52:24	Andrew Foxie	22:03:29:44
1979	Rick Swenson	15:10:37:47	Gene Leonard	24:09:02:22
1980	Joe May	14:07:11:51	Barbara Moore	24:09:25:45
1981	Rick Swenson	12:08:45:02	Jim Strong	18:06:30:30
1982	Rick Swenson	16:04:40:10	Ralph Bradley	26:13:59:59
1983	Rick Mackey	12:14:10:44	Scott Cameron	21:04:36:41
1984	Dean Osmar	12:15:07:33	Bill Mackey	19:09:43:33
1985	Libby Riddles	18:00:20:17	Monique Bene	22:03:45:45
1986	Susan Butcher	11:15:06:00	Mike Peterson	20:13:42:21
1987	Susan Butcher	11:02:05:13	Rhodi Karella	19:09:01:01
1988	Susan Butcher	11:11:41:40	Lesley Monk	19:13:22:55
1989	Joe Runyan	11:05:24:34	Bob Hoyt	17:11:19:19
1990	Susan Butcher	11:01:53:23	Steve Haver	21:10:26:26
1991	Rick Swenson	12:16:34:39	Brian O'Donoghue	22:05:55:55
1992	Martin Buser	10:19:17:15	Vern Cherneski	18:13:05:02
1993	Jeff King	10:15:38:15	Lloyd Gilbertson	18:04:19:19
1994	Martin Buser	10:13:02:39	Mark Chapoton	16:16:17:35
1995	Doug Swingley	09:02:42:19	Ben Jacobson	17:06:02:05
1996	Jeff King	09:05:43:13	Andy Sterns	15:23:48:22

1973-2014 CHAMPIONS AND RED LANTERN WINNERS CONTINUED

1997	Martin Buser	09:08:30:15	Ken Chase	15:09:07:44
1998	Jeff King	09:05:52:26	Brad Pozarnsky	14:05:42:04
1999	Doug Swingley	09:14:31:07	Jeremy Gebauer	15:03:18:44
2000	Doug Swingley	09:00:58:06	Fedor Konykhov	15:05:44:44
2001	Doug Swingley	09:19:55:50	Karen Ramstead	14:23:53:16
2002	Martin Buser	08:22:46:02	David Straub	14:05:38:12
2003	Robert Sørle	09:15:47:36	Russell Bybee	15:05:30:53
2004	Mitch Seavey	09:12:20:22	Perry Solmonson	15:02:50:36
2005	Robert Sørle	09:18:39:31	Phil Morgan	15:06:02:57
2006	Jeff King	09:14:11:36	Glenn Lockwood	15:18:08:56
2007	Lance Mackey	09:05:08:41	Ellen Halverson	16:11:56:20
2008	Lance Mackey	09:11:46:48	Deborah Bicknell	15:05:36:12
2009	Lance Mackey	09:21:38:46	Tim Hunt	15:14:06:22
2010	Lance Mackey	08:23:59:09	Celeste Davis	13:05:06:40
2011	John Baker	08:18:46:39	Ellen Halverson	13:19:45:49
2012	Dallas Seavey	09:04:29:26	Jan Steves	14:11:57:03
2013	Mitch Seavey	09:07:39:56	Christine Roalofs	13:22:36:08
2014	Dallas Seavey	08:13:04:19 **	Marcelle Fressineau	13:04:42:08 *

** Fastest winning time

* Fastest Red Lantern time

2016 ALPHABETICAL MUSER BIOGRAPHIES & PHOTOS

Coming Soon!

FAMOUS MUSHERS ASSOCIATED WITH THE IDITAROD

Joe Redington, Sr. – co-founder and affectionately known as the “Father of the Iditarod”

Rick Swenson – the only five time champion, the only champion to win in three different decades and the only musher to have completed 30 Iditarod’s

Dick Mackey – the 1978 winner in the only photo finish in Iditarod’s history

Col. Norman D Vaughan – finished the race for the fourth time in 1988 at the age of 88 and led an expedition to Antarctica in the winter of 1993-’94

Susan Butcher – the first woman to ever place in the top ten and the first four-time winner

Libby Riddles – in 1985, the first woman to win the Iditarod

Emmitt Peters – set a race record in 1975 that wasn’t broken until 1980, known as the Yukon River Fox

Rick Mackey – wearing bib #13, the same number his father wore in 1978, crossed the finish line first in 1983, making Dick and Rick the only father and son to have won the Iditarod

Joe Runyan – 1989 champion and the only musher to have won the Alpinrod in Europe, the Yukon Quest and the Iditarod

Terry Adkins – retired from the United States Air Force, the only veterinarian on the first Iditarod in 1973 and now one of only eight mushers to have completed at least 18 Iditarod’s

Doug Swingley – the first Iditarod winner living outside Alaska and the second four time winner

Martin Buser – a four-time winner who holds the record winning time and was the first musher to break the nine-day barrier

Herbie Nayokpuk – the Eskimo from Shishmaref, the “Shishmaref Cannonball” who raced in eleven Iditarod’s

DeeDee Jonrowe, Charlie Boulding, and Lance Mackey – all came back to race again after life threatening bouts with cancer

Robert Sørli – first musher from out of the United States (Norway) to win the Iditarod

Lance Mackey – won the 2007 Iditarod after winning the Yukon Quest only 10 days earlier – first musher to have won both races in the same year and made Dick Mackey the only father to have won the Iditarod and to have two sons also win the Iditarod, all wearing bib #13. Lance Mackey repeated his feat of winning both the Yukon Quest and Iditarod in 2008. Lance is the first musher to ever win four consecutive Iditarod Trail Sled Dog Races in a row (2007, 2008, 2009, and 2010)

John Baker – first Eskimo to win the Iditarod and also set fastest winning time of 8 days, 18 hours, 46

minutes and 39 seconds in 2011.

Dan Seavey-1973 Inaugural musher who ran again in 2012 to celebrate the 100 anniversary of the Iditarod Trail, he is father of Mitch and grandfather of Dallas.

Dallas Seavey – 2102 champion, the youngest to ever win the Iditarod as of 2012.

Mitch Seavey-2013 champion, the oldest musher to ever win the Iditarod as of 2013.

DICTIONARY OF MUSHING TERMINOLOGY

- **Gee-** Command for right turn
- **Haw-** Command for left turn
- **Come Gee! Come Haw!** - Commands for 180 degree turns in either direction
- **Line Out!**- Command to lead dog to pull the team out straight from the sled. Used mostly while hooking dogs into team or unhooking them
- **Mush! Hike!**-All Right! Let's Go! - Commands to start the team
- **Whoa!** - Command used to half the team, accompanied by heavy pressure on the brake

NOTE: Teams are directed through spoken orders. The leader of the team must understand all that is said and guide the others according. An intelligent leader is an absolute necessity. At times it appears that there is E.S.P. between musher and the leader.

Mushing Vocabulary:

- **Alaskan Husky**-“Breed” generally used as sled dog. Not recognized by the American Kennel Club
- **Booties**
Type of sock made to protect dogs’ feet from small cuts and sores
Usually made out of a light weight pack cloth
- **Dog in Basket**
Tired or injured dog carried in sled
- **Double Lead**
Two dogs that lead the team side by side
- **Indian Dog**
An Alaskan Husky from an Indian village
- **Lead Dog or Leader**
Dog(s) who run in front of others
Generally must be both intelligent and fast
- **Swing Dog/Dogs**
Dog that runs directly behind the leader
Helps “swing” the team in the turns or curves
- **Malamute**
Registered breed, larger than most sled dogs Term
often used by old timers for any sled dog Breed not
often used in mushing teams
- **Neck Line**
Line that connects dog’s collar to tow line and between the two collars of a double lead
- **Pedaling**
Pushing the sled with one foot while the other remains on the runner
- **Rigging**
Collection of lines to which dogs are attached
Includes towline, tug lines and necklines
- **Runners**
Two bottom pieces of the sled that come in contact with the snow
Extend back of the basket for the driver to stand on

Usually wood, covered with plastic or Teflon

Plastic or Teflon usually replaced at least once during the Race

- **Slats**

Thin strips of wood that make up the bottom of a wooden sled basket

- **Snow Hook or Ice Hook**

Heavy piece of metal attached to sled by line

Embedded in the snow in order to hold the team for short periods of time

- **Snub Line**

Rope attached to the sled used to tie the sled to a tree or other object

- **Stove Up**

Injured, generally temporarily

Applies to both mushers and dogs

- **Tether Line**

A long chain with shorter pieces of chain extending from it

Used to stake out a team when stakes aren't available

ANIMAL WELFARE

The Iditarod Trail Committee (ITC) takes great pride in its role of providing excellence in canine athlete care, not only during the race, but through an extensive program of pre-race veterinary screening.

- A complete pre-race physical examination is performed on each canine athlete by a licensed veterinarian within 14 days of the race start. Within 30 days of the race start, each dog receives an ECG evaluation to check for heart abnormalities. Since the implementation of this measure, four canine athletes have not been allowed to race.
- Pre-race blood work (CBC's and Chemistry panels) are performed on each canine athlete.
- All canine athletes are identified with a microchip implant.
- All canine athletes have current vaccinations and are de-wormed within 10 days of the race start.
- Rookie mushers are required to complete qualifying races of considerable distance before entering the Iditarod to ensure that they are experienced in providing the proper care (nutrition, hydration, rest, etc.) for their teams. In addition, the ITC hosts a mandatory two-day rookie seminar in December prior to the race.
- In addition to the high standard of care provided by the mushers themselves, thirty-five (35) licensed, professional veterinarians, volunteer their time on the trail to perform routine evaluations and administer any necessary treatments.
- During the Race itself, well over 10,000 planned checkpoint examinations take place.
- Canine care diaries are carried by each musher and are utilized by the mushers and veterinarians at each checkpoint to serve as a written medical record for each athlete in the race.
- All mushers competing in the Iditarod are members of P.R.I.D.E., which stands for "Providing Responsible Information on a Dog's Environment" and is an organization whose membership consists of a wide variety of mushers, veterinarians and other interested individuals from around the world. Those familiar with sled dogs will appreciate the guidelines established by P.R.I.D.E. as being sound advice for the care of this special breed of dog.
- The International Sled Dog Veterinary Medical Association (I.S.D.V.M.A.) published The Musher and Veterinary Handbook, a highly regarded resource which provides important information to the musher and veterinarian alike. As an organization consisting primarily of medical professionals with an interest in and/or experience in working with sled dogs, the I.S.D.V.M.A. actively promotes and encourages their welfare and safety. Many members of the organization have served as trail veterinarians during the Iditarod itself. The I.S.D.V.M.A. also supports and

encourages scientific research to further a better understanding of the racing sled dog.

- Race policies and rules are written with the greatest emphasis on the proper care and treatment of the canine athletes. Any musher found guilty of inhumane treatment will be disqualified and banned from competition in future Iditarod's.
- Ongoing, random drug testing is conducted throughout the race. In the 10 years of this program, no drug test has ever been positive.
- The result of these efforts is a level of health care and screening that even an overwhelming majority of the human population will never experience

SPECIAL AWARDS HISTORY

HONORARY MUSER

Leonhard Seppala was honored as the #1 musher through 1979. In 1980, the Iditarod Committee chose to have "Wild Bill" Shannon share the honor. Since then, the directors have chosen a person or persons, not necessarily mushers, who have made a significant contribution to the sport of sled dog racing. The Honorary Musher is listed as the first one out of the starting chute.

1973	Leonhard Seppala	1995	John Komak
1974	Leonhard Seppala	1996	Bill Vaudrin
1975	Leonhard Seppala	1997	Dorothy G Page
1976	Leonhard Seppala	1998	Joel Kottke & Lolly Medley
1978	Leonhard Seppala	1999	Violet "Vi" Redington & George Rae
1979	Leonhard Seppala	2000	Joe Redington Sr., Edgar Nollner & John Schultz
1980	Leonard Seppala & "Wild Bill" Shannon	2001	Don Bowers & RW Van Pelt, Jr., DVM
1981	Edgar Kalland	2002	Earl Norris & Isaac Okleasik
1982	Billy McCarty	2003	Howard & Julie Farley
1983	Charles Evans & Edgar Nollner	2004	Terry Adkins & Harry Pitka
1984	Pete MacMannus & Howard Albert	2005	Larry Thompson & Jirdes Winther Baxter
1985	William A Egan	2006	Gene Leonard
1986	Fred Machetanz	2007	Susan Butcher
1987	Eva Brunell "Short" Seeley	2008	Max Lowe
1988	Marvin "Muktuk" Marston	2009	Rod and Carol Udd
1989	Otis Delvin "Del" Carter, DVM & John	2010	Oren Seybert
1990	Victor "Duke" Kotongan & Henry Ivanoff	2011	Tom Busch & KNOM
1991	Wild Bill Shannon & Dr. Roland Lombard	2012	Dave Olson
1992	Herbie Nayokpuk	2013	Jan Newton
1993	Leroy Swenson & Pat Curan	2014	Deby Trosper
1994	Dick Tozier & Mike Merkling	2015	Philip Esai

ALASKA AIRLINES LEONHARD SEPPALA HUMANITARIAN AWARD

This highly coveted award, presented since its inception by Alaska Airlines, goes to the musher who has best demonstrated outstanding care of his or her team throughout the race, while remaining competitive, as determined by criteria established by the Chief Veterinarian. Upon arrival in Nome, each of the top 20 teams are judged based on those criteria. The recipient of this award receives a beautiful engraved lead crystal.

1982	Joe May	1999	Rick Mackey
1983	Rick Mackey	2000	Bruce Lee
1984	Burt Bomhoff	2001	Sonny King
1985	Libby Riddles	2002	Lynda Plettner
1986	Rick Atkinson	2003	Jeff King
1987	Dave Olesen	2004	Rick Swenson
1988	Martin Buser	2005	Aliy Zirkle
1989	Frank Teasley	2006	Paul Gebhardt
1990	Linwood Fiedler	2007	Ed Iten
1991	DeeDee Jonrowe	2008	Jeff King

1992 Rick Swenson
 1993 Martin Buser
 1994 Bill Cotter
 1995 Martin Buser
 1996 Dave Sawatzky
 1997 Martin Buser
 1998 Paul Gebhardt

2009 Lance Mackey
 2010 Sebastian Schnuelle
 2011 Aliy Zirkle
 2012 DeeDee Jonrowe
 2013 Jake Berkowitz
 2014 Martin Buser
 2015 Nicolas Petit

ANCHORAGE CHRYSLER DODGE JEEP RAM OFFICIAL TRUCK AWARD

For the 25th consecutive year the Iditarod® Champion will be awarded a new 2015 RAM 1500 4x4 pickup truck valued at \$40,000. Owner, Rod Udd, of Anchorage Chrysler Dodge Jeep Ram has been the sole sponsors of this award since 2002.

1991 Rick Swenson
 1992 Martin Buser
 1993 Jeff King
 1994 Martin Buser
 1995 Doug Swingley
 1996 Jeff King
 1997 Martin Buser
 1998 Jeff King
 1999 Doug Swingley
 2000 Doug Swingley
 2001 Doug Swingley
 2002 Martin Buser
 2003 Robert Sørli

2004 Mitch Seavey
 2005 Robert Sørli
 2006 Jeff King
 2007 Lance Mackey
 2008 Lance Mackey
 2009 Lance Mackey
 2010 Lance Mackey
 2011 John Baker
 2012 Dallas Seavey
 2013 Mitch Seavey
 2014 Dallas Seavey
 2015 Dallas Seavey
 2016

GCI DOROTHY G. PAGE HALFWAY AWARD

While there was obviously a “first musher to the halfway point” in every race, there are no records of who that person was prior to 1980 when the first Halfway Award was presented. GCI became the sponsor of this award in 1994. The winning musher receives the award on the spot and then it is symbolically presented in Nome. This award, given in honor of the late “Mother of the Iditarod,” is presented in Iditarod in the odd years when the race follows the southern trail from Ophir to Kaltag, and at Cripple in the even years when the northern trail is followed. However, due to the change in the race trail in 2015, this award will be presented at Huslia: The first musher to Huslia receives a trophy and \$3,000 in gold nuggets symbolic of the history of this interior area of the Iditarod Mining District. A beautiful perpetual trophy made of Alaskan birch and marble and featuring a photograph of the late Dorothy G. Page remains year round at Iditarod headquarters.

1980	Herbie Nayokpuk	N	06:09:21	1998	John Baker	N	03:10:38
1981	Larry Smith	S	06:05:29	1999	Doug Swingley	S	03:11:35
1982	Emmitt Peters	N	05:10:02	2000	Doug Swingley	N	03:12:22
1983	Eep Anderson	S	05:07:04	2001	Doug Swingley	S	03:12:45
1984	Dean Osmar	N	05:15:08	2002	Martin Buser	N	03:07:45



1985	Burt Bomhoff	S	10:01:20	2003	Robert Sørлие	Changed Route	03:16:41
1986	Jerry Austin	N	05:14:00	2004	Martin Buser	N	04:09:02
1987	Dewey Halverson	S	05:08:14	2005	Robert Sørлие	S	03:10:05
1988	Joe Redington Sr	N	04:19:14	2006	Doug Swingley	N	03:10:09
1989	Susan Butcher	S	05:12:45	2007	Lance Mackey	S	03:10:11
1990	Lavon Barve	N	06:13:57	2008	DeeDee Jonrowe	N	05:12:08
1991	S.Butcher/D. Jonrowe	S	05:16:38	2009	Lance Mackey	S	04:03:20
1992	Doug Swingley	N	04:19:58	2010	Dallas Seavey	N	03:10:08
1993	Jeff King	S	05:04:10	2011	Trent Herbst	S	03:15:29
1994	Dave Olesen	N	05:50:00	2012	Jim Lanier	N	03:53:00
1995	Doug Swingley	S	03:12:50	2013	Lance Mackey	S	03:06:30
1996	Martin Buser	N	04:01:04	2014	Aaron Burmeister	N	03:44:00
1997	Jeff King	S	04:05:06	2015	Aaron Burmeister		

BRISTOL BAY NATIVE CORPORATION FISH FIRST AWARD

Bristol Bay Native Corporation traditionally presents this award to the first musher to Galena. However, in 2015, because of the race route change, the award will be presented in Kaltag. The musher receives a check for \$2,000 and twenty five (25) pounds of Bristol Bay salmon. The award will be represented at the Awards Banquet in Nome.

2014	Aliy Zirkle	2015	Aaron Burmeister
2016		2017	

WELLS FARGO'S GOLD COAST AWARD

This was first presented in 1987 and again in 1988. After not having a Gold Coast Award for four years, the National Bank of Alaska (now Wells Fargo Bank Alaska) began sponsoring the award in 1993. The first musher into Unalakleet is presented with a beautiful trophy and \$3,500 worth of gold nuggets. The presentation is made in Unalakleet and again at the banquet in Nome. A beautiful perpetual trophy commemorating this award is on display year round at the Iditarod headquarters.

1987	Dewey Halverson	2004	Kjetil Backen
1988	Martin Buser	2005	Robert Sørлие
1993	Rick Mackey	2006	Jeff King
1994	Martin Buser	2007	Jeff King
1995	Doug Swingley	2008	Jeff King
1996	Jeff King	2009	Lance Mackey
1997	Martin Buser	2010	Lance Mackey
1998	Jeff King	2011	John Baker
1999	Doug Swingley	2012	Aliy Zirkle
2000	Doug Swingley	2013	Mitch Seavey
2001	Doug Swingley	2014	Aliy Zirkle
2002	Martin Buser	2015	Aaron Burmeister
2003	Robert Sørлие	2016	

RED LANTERN AWARD

The Red Lantern Award goes to the last musher across the finish line. The award is traditionally presented at the Red Lantern Banquet. However, in 1998 Brad Pozarnsky became the first red lantern winner to cross the finish line in time to be recognized at the first banquet in Nome and in 2002 and since then, in 2010 – 2014 the Red Lantern has been awarded at the first banquet.

1973	John Schultz	32:05:09:01	1995	Ben Jacobson	17:06:02:05
1974	Red Olson	29:06:36:19	1996	Andy Sterns	15:23:48:22
1975	Steve Fee	29:08:37:13	1997	Ken Chase	15:09:07:44
1976	Dennis Corrington	26:08:42:51	1998	Brad Pozarnsky	14:05:42:04
1977	Vasily Zamitkyn	22:09:06:06	1999	Jeremy Gebauer	15:03:18:44
1978	Andrew Foxie	22:03:29:44	2000	Fedor Konyukhov	15:05:44:44
1979	Gene Leonard	24:09:02:22	2001	Karen Ramstead	14:23:53:16
1980	Barbara Moore	24:09:25:45	2002	David Straub	14:05:38:12
1981	Jim Strong	18:06:30:30	2003	Russell Bybee	15:05:30:53
1982	Ralph Bradley	26:13:59:59	2004	Perry Solmonson	15:02:50:36
1983	Scott Cameron	21:04:36:41	2005	Phil Morgan	15:06:02:57
1984	Bill Mackey	19:09:43:33	2006	Glenn Lockwood	15:18:08:56
1985	Monique Bene	22:03:45:45	2007	Ellen Halverson	16:11:56:20
1986	Mike Peterson	20:13:42:21	2008	Deborah Bicknell	15:05:36:12
1987	Rhodi Karella	19:09:01:01	2009	Tim Hunt	15:14:06:22
1988	Lesley Monk	19:13:22:55	2010	Celeste Davis	13:05:06:40
1989	Bob Hoyte	17:11:19:19	2011	Ellen Halverson	13:19:45:49
1990	Steve Haver	21:10:26:26	2012	Jan Steves	14:11:57:03
1991	Brian O'Donoghue	22:05:55:55	2013	Christine Roalofs	13:22:36:08
1992	Vern Cherneski	18:13:05:02	2014	Marcelle Fressineau	13:04:42:08
1993	Lloyd Gilbertson	18:04:49:19	2015	Cindy Abbott	
1994	Mark Chapoton	16:16:17:35	2016		

PENAIR'S SPIRIT OF ALASKA AWARD

PenAir traditionally presents this award to the first musher into McGrath. However, due to the change in race trail in 2015, the award will be presented in Ruby this year. The award was chosen to reflect the perseverance and hard work of the Iditarod mushers just as it serves as PenAir's slogan and embodies its long history in serving the state of Alaska. The musher receives an original "spirit mask", especially created for this event by Bristol Bay artist, Orville Lind, and \$500 credit on PenAir towards air travel or freight shipments.

2000	Paul Gebhardt	2008	Lance Mackey
2001	Linwood Fiedler	2009	Aaron Burmeister
2002	Martin Buser	2010	Jeff King
2003	Robert Sørli	2011	Martin Buser
2004	Jeff King	2012	Aliy Zirkle
2005	Robert Sørli	2013	Aaron Burmeister
2006	Doug Swingley	2014	Sonny Lindner
2007	Martin Buser	2015	Mitch Seavey

EXXONMOBIL MUSHERS CHOICE AWARD

Each year the official finishers make the decision as to who of their number was the most inspirational on the trail. Chevron assumed the presentation of this award in 2003. In 2010, ExxonMobil became the presenter, and it has since been known as the ExxonMobil Mushers' Choice Award. The winner is presented with an Iditarod Limited Edition Gold Coin which is valued at \$3,990, surrounded by a gold chain rope.

1986	Terry Adkins	2001	Palmer Sagoonick
1987	Norman D Vaughan	2002	Lance Mackey
1988	Joe Redington Sr. & Herbie Nayokpuk	2003	DeeDee Jonrowe & Charlie Boulding
1989	Joe Redington Sr.	2004	Cim Smyth
1990	Lavon Barve	2005	Martin Buser
1991	Lavon Barve & Joe Garnie	2006	Tove Sorenson
1992	Mike Williams	2007	Lance Mackey
1993	DeeDee Jonrowe	2008	Jennifer Freking
1994	Dave Olesen & Bruce Lee	2009	Trent Herbst
1995	Peryll Kyzer	2010	Jim Lanier
1996	Rick Swenson	2011	Rick Swenson
1997	Joe Redington Sr.	2012	Dan Seavey
1998	Mike Williams	2013	Mike Williams, Sr.
1999	Sonny Lindner	2014	Aaron Burmeister
2000	Emmitt Peters	2015	Jason Mackey

MILLENNIUM HOTEL'S FIRST MUSER TO THE YUKON AWARD

This award was originally presented in 1983 and 1984. Three years later, race sponsor Regal Alaskan Hotel (now known as the Millennium Hotel Anchorage) began sponsoring this award. The winning musher receives a seven course dinner at either Ruby or Anvik (depending on whether the race is on the northern or southern route) and \$3,500 in cash. Due to the change in race route, this award will be presented in Galena in 2015. At the banquet in Nome, this is presented again. A commemorative plaque hangs year round at Iditarod headquarters.

1983	Larry "Cowboy" Smith	2001	Linwood Fiedler
1984	Dean Osmar	2002	Martin Buser
1987	Jerry Austin	2003	Robert Sørli
1988	Joe Redington Sr.	2004	Jeff King
1989	Rick Swenson	2005	Paul Gebhardt
1990	Susan Butcher	2006	Paul Gebhardt
1991	Jeff King	2007	Martin Buser
1992	Joe Runyan	2008	Lance Mackey
1993	Jeff King	2009	Lance Mackey
1994	Rick Mackey	2010	Jeff King
1995	Doug Swingley	2011	Hugh Neff
1996	Martin Buser	2012	Was Not Presented
1997	Martin Buser	2013	Martin Buser
1998	John Baker	2014	Jeff King
1999	Doug Swingley	2015	Jeff King

DONLIN GOLD SPORTSMANSHIP AWARD

A sportsmanship award was initiated in 1977 by the Alaska Native Brotherhood to honor Native musher Ken Chase. The ANB continued to present the Ken Chase Sportsmanship Award through 1982. Since then the award has been presented by the Iditarod Trail Committee, and various other sponsors, to the person chosen by his/her peers as the best sportsman on the trail. Fred Meyer sponsored this award from 2004 until 2013 when the Iditarod once again presented it. In 2015 Iditarod Principal Partner, Donlin Gold will present this award at the Awards banquet in Nome. The winner will receive a commemorative trophy and a check for \$3,500.

1977	Ken Chase	1997	Don Bowers
1978	James Brandon	1998	Martin Buser
1979	Sonny Lindner	1999	Jim Gallea, Jeremy Gebauer, Matt Hayashida
1980	Marc Boily	2000	Ramy Brooks
1981	DeeDee Jonrowe	2001	John Barron
1982	Dean Osmar	2002	Rick Swenson
1983	Rick Swenson	2003	Jim Lanier & Sonny Lindner
1984	Dave Olson	2004	Cim Smyth
1985	Terry Adkins & Alan Cheshire	2005	Martin Buser
1986	Dave Olesen	2006	Tollef Monson
1987	Jerry Austin	2007	Tollef Monson
1988	Ted English	2008	Ray Redington, Jr.
1989	Linwood Fiedler, Jamie Nelson, Cathy Halverson, Mitch Brazin, Bernie Willis & Jerry Austin	2009	Aaron Burmeister
1990	Joe Redington, Sr.	2010	Ray Redington, Jr.
1991	Terry Adkins	2011	Allen Moore
1992	Bob Hickel	2012	Lance Mackey
1993	Dave Olesen & Jerry Austin	2013	Cim Smyth
1994	Beth Baker & Jamie Nelson	2014	Michael Williams, Jr.
1995	Cliff Roberson	2015	Lance Mackey
1996	Dewey Halverson	2016	

HORIZON LINES MOST IMPROVED MUSER AWARD

The concept for an award for the most improved musher began in 1987 when the mushers honored Ted English. English had finished 18th in his second race and finished eighth the following year. In 2004, Global Information Technologies became the sponsor of this award and provided the winner with the use of a satellite phone for a year as well as airtime. Horizon Lines has presented this award since 2006. The winner receives a check for \$2,000 and an engraved trophy at the banquet in Nome.

1987	Ted English	18 th in 1986 and 8 th in 1987
1989	Tim Mowry	42 nd in '88 and 27 th in '89
1990	Mike Madden	scratched due to severe illness in 1989 and finished 13 th in '90
1991	Frank Teasley	31 st in '88, 19 th in '89 and 6 th in '91
1992	Claire Philip	26 th in '87, 13 th in '92, her next Iditarod
1993	Bob Holder	49 th in '92, 33 rd in '93
1994	Charlie Boulding	43 rd in '92 and 7 th in '94
1995	Harry Caldwell	44 th in '94 and 25 th in '95
1996	David Scheer	37 th in 1986 and 12 th in 1996, his next Iditarod
1997	Bill Bass	56 th in 1992 and 38 th in 1997, his next Iditarod
1998	Sonny King	42 nd in 1997 and 25 th in 1998
1999	Max Hall	46 th in 1995 and 37 th in 1999, his next Iditarod
2000	Ramy Brooks	18 th in 1998 and 4 th in 2000, his next Iditarod
2001	Dan Govoni	60 th in 2000 and 28 th in 2001
2002	Lynda Plettner	66 th in 2000 to 20 th in 2002
2003	Clint Warnke	53 rd in 2001 to 26 th in 2003
2004	Jason Barron	42 nd in 2002 to 12 th in 2004
2005	Harmony Barron	68 th in 2004 to 39 th in 2005
2006	Rick Casillo	57 th in 2004 to 34 th in 2006
2007	Tollef Monson	44 th in 2006 to 10 th in 2007
2008	Warren Palfrey	60 th in 2007 to 20 th in 2008
2009	Dallas Seavey	41 st in 2007 to 6 th in 2009
2010	Sam Deltour	60 th in 2008 to 41 st in 2010
2011	Trent Herbst	49 th in 2010 to 27 th in 2011
2012	Rohn Buser	37 th in 2008 to 18 th in 2012, his next Iditarod
2013	Nick Petit	29 th in 2012 to 6 th in 2013
2014	Richie Diehl	36 th in 2013 to 14 th in 2014
2015	Travis Beals	

JERRY AUSTIN MEMORIAL ROOKIE OF THE YEAR AWARD

There has obviously been a top finishing rookie in every Iditarod. The first three races were won by rookies. It wasn't until 1976 that the top finishing rookie was not the winner. In 1979, the city of St. Michael instituted an award honoring the top-finishing rookie. When the City elected not to continue the award the following year, Jerry and Clara Austin picked it up and continue to present the award each year. For purposes of this award, a rookie is defined as a musher racing his/her first Iditarod. Since 1981, Jerry and Clara Austin have been presenting a beautiful trophy to the top-placing rookie, along with a check for \$1,500. Following Jerry's death in 2010, the award was renamed the Jerry Austin Memorial Rookie of the Year Award.

1973	Dick Wilmarth	1	20:00:49:41	1995	David Sawatzky	15	10:12:58:03
1974	Carl Huntington	1	20:15:01:00	1996	Cim Smyth	18	10:08:00:00
1975	Emmitt Peters	1	14:14:43:15	1997	Kris Swanguarin	20	10:19:26:01
1976	Harry Sutherland	3	19:04:02:52	1998	Mark May	20	10:19:44:40
1977	Pete MacManus	13	17:12:17:41	1999	Harald Tunheim	19	11:01:47:36
1978	Sonny Lindner	11	15:12:03:03	2000	Tony Willis	27	10:13:33:52
1979	Gary Hokenan	11	16:16:57:05	2001	Jessica Royer	14	11:23:04:40
1980	Donna Gentry	10	15:16:39:06	2002	Robert Sørli	9	09:13:44:52
1981	Gary Attla	17	13:22:01:37	2003	Jessica Hendricks	19	11:02:40:17
1982	Stan Zuray	9	16:06:44:00	2004	Hugh Neff	22	10:16:21:01
1983	Roger Legaard	10	13:11:33:45	2005	Bjørnar Andersen	4	09:19:50:38
1984	Rusty Miller	13	14:08:44:17	2006	Mike Jayne	25	10:13:07:15
1985	Tim Moerlein	11	18:21:10:56	2007	Sigrid Ekran	20	10:13:21:07
1986	Rune Hesthammer	10	13:04:20:00	2008	William Kleedehn	27	10:12:50:39
1987	Robin Jacobson	18	12:14:35:30	2009	Chad Lindner	30	12:04:21:50
1988	Lucy Nordlum	13	13:23:47:31	2010	Dan Kaduce	21	10:00:50:00
1989	Richard Self	21	13:09:56:57	2011	Nicolas Petit	28	10:15:43:01
1990	Sonny Russell	15	13:09:07:00	2012	Brent Sass	13	09:20:25:05
1991	Kate Persons	13	13:14:20:59	2013	Joar Leifseth Ulsom	7	09:12:34:00
1992	Doug Swingley	9	11:13:47:00	2014	Nathan Schroeder	17	09:17:52:51
1993	Jason Barron & Keizo Funatsu	34 35	14:17:56:00 14:17:56:00	2015	Thomas Waerner		
1994	Ramy Brooks	17	11:15:41:30	2016			

NOME KENNEL CLUB'S FASTEST TIME FROM SAFETY TO NOME

One of the longest standing awards to an Iditarod musher is presented by the Nome Kennel Club. The club awards \$500 to the musher who finishes in the top 20 and has the fastest time from Safety to Nome.

1973	Bud Smyth	04:42:25 (Soloman to Nome)	1995	Ramey Smyth	02:07:00
1974	Bud Smyth	04:23:11 (Soloman to Nome)	1996	Cim Smyth	02:01:00
1975	Rick Mackey	04:05:39 (Soloman to Nome)	1997	Ramey Smyth	02:08:00
1976	Ken Chase	04:28:00 (Soloman to Nome)	1998	Paul Gebhardt	02:12:40
1977	Rick Swenson	04:15:13 (Soloman to Nome)	1999	Rick Mackey	02:29

1978	Pete MacManus	04:15:53 (Soloman to Nome)	2000	Bruce Lee	02:28:05
1979	Rick Swenson	02:59:47 (Henceforth Safety to Nome)	2001	Jessica Royer & Ramey Smyth	02:42:40
1980	Rick Swenson	02:22:49	2002	Ramey Smyth	02:14
1981	Rick Mackey	02:19:00	2003	Ramey Smyth	02:26
1982	??		2004	Ramey Smyth	02:10
1983	??		2005	Ken Anderson	02:25
1984	John Cooper	01:59:24	2006	Cim Smyth	02:04
1985			2007	Cim Smyth	02:04
1986	Jerry Riley		2008	Cim Smyth	02:57
1987	Rick Swenson	02:20	2009	Ramey Smyth	02:27
1988	Rick Mackey	02:22:29	2010	Paul Gebardt	02:40
1989	Rick Mackey	02:33:00	2011	Lance Mackey	02:25
1990	Susan Butcher	02:17:00	2012	Mike Williams, Jr.	02:57:00
1991	Rick Mackey	02:24:00	2013	Ramey Smyth	02:19
1992	Vern Halter	02:30:40	2014	Jessica Royer & Ray Redington, Jr.	02:24
1993	Jeff King	02:22:00	2015	Wade Marrs	
1994	Vern Halter	02:36:13	2016		

CITY OF NOME LOLLY MEDLEY MEMORIAL GOLDEN HARNESS AWARD

Lolly Medley, Wasilla harness maker and one of only two women to run the second Iditarod in 1974, began presenting a golden harness to an outstanding lead dog, chosen by the mushers, in 1979. Lolly Medley died in August, 1996. The award continues in her honor, now presented by the City of Nome.

1976			1996	Blondie	Martin Buser
1977	Pilot	Ken Chase	1997	Blondie/Fearless	Martin Buser
1978	Nuggett/Blackie	Babe Anderson	1998	Red	Jeff King
1979	Digger	Emmitt Peters	1999	Elmer	Doug Swingley
1980	Trooper	Herbie Nayokpuk	2000	Red Dog	Paul Gebhardt
1981	Silver	Larry Smith	2001	Pepi	Doug Swingley
1982	Brandy	Ernie Baumgartner	2002	Bronson	Martin Buser
1983	??		2003	Tip	Robert Sørlie
1984	Bullet/Red	Dean Osmar	2004	Tread	Mitch Seavey
1985	Dugan/Axle	Libby Riddles	2005	Whitesock	Robert Sørlie
1986	Sister	Joe Garnie	2006	Salem	Jeff King
1987	Blackie	Herbie Nayokpuk	2007	Larry	Lance Mackey
1988	Granite	Susan Butcher	2008	Babe	Ramey Smyth
1989	Ferlin	Joe Runyan	2009	Kuling	Jessie Royer
1990	Tip	Lavon Barve	2010	Maple	Lance Mackey
1991	Major/Goose	Rick Swenson	2011	Velvet & Snickers	John Baker
1992	Dusty	Joe Garnie	2012	Guinness	Dallas Seavey
1993	Herbie/Kitty	Jeff King	2013	Tanner	Mitch Seavey
1994	D-2/Dave	Martin Buser	2014	Beatle	Dallas Seavey

1995 Vic

Doug Swingley

2015 Reef

Dallas Seavey

NORTHERN AIR CARGO HERBIE NAYOKPUK AWARD

This award began in 2007 and is awarded to the individual chosen by the checkers in the checkpoints from Unalakleet to Nome who best epitomizes Herbie Nayokpuk's spirit of mushing the Iditarod. The winner receives a Northern Air Cargo freight allotment and \$1,049 in pocket change in a NAC jacket.

2007	Louis Nelson	2012	Michelle Phillips
2008	William Kledehn	2013	Mikhail Telpin
2009	Sonny Lindner	2014	Newton Marshal
2010	William "Middie" Johnson	2015	Aaron Burmeister
2011	Paul Johnson	2016	

GOLDEN CLIPBOARD AWARD

The annual Golden Clipboard Award is presented by the Iditarod Official Finishers to the checkpoint the mushers feel is the most helpful along the trail.

2001	Howard Lincoln at White Mountain	2008	Nulato
2002	Jan Newton & the crew at Takotna	2009	City of Nikolai
2003	Pam Nelson & John Korta & the crew at Galena	2010	Cripple
2004	Shaktoolik	2011	Unalakleet
2005	Palmer Sagoonick & the crew at Shaktoolik	2012	Nulato
2006	Takotna Checkpoint	2013	Ophir
2007	Eagle Island	2014	Galena
		2015	Huslia

DONLIN GOLD SNOWMACHINE DRAWING

Donlin Gold initiated this random drawing for the mushers for a new snow machine at the Anchorage banquet in 2013.

2013	Curt Perano	2015	Nathan Schroeder
2014	Elliot Anderson	2016	

NORTHERN AIR CARGO FOUR WHEELER DRAWING

This award was started in 2008 because Northern Air Cargo wanted there to be something that every musher would have a chance to win. At the banquet in Nome, a key is presented to each musher to try and start the machine. There is only one "right" key and the one who starts the machine wins it.

2008	Sebastian Schnuelle	2012	Peter Kaiser
2009	Robert Nelson	2013	Anna Berington
2010	William "Middie" Johnson	2014	Robert Sørli

2011

Peter Kaiser

2015

Laura Allaway

2016 RACE RULES

Coming Soon!

1973 RESULTS

#	Musher	Days	Hrs	Min	Sec	Winnings
1	Dick Wilmarth	20	00	4	41	\$12,000
2	Bobby Vent	20	14	08	46	\$8,000
3	Dan Seavey	20	14	35	16	\$6,000
4	George Attla	21	08	47	53	\$4,000
5	Herbie Nayokpuk	21	11	00	19	\$3,000
6	Issac Okleasik	21	18	21	25	\$2,500
7	Dick Mackey	22	04	03	49	\$2,000
8	John Komak	22	04	36	34	\$1,800
9	John Coffin	24	06	43	29	\$1,600
10	Ron Aldrich	24	09	58	36	\$1,400
11	Bill Arpino	24	12	12	00	\$1,000
12	Jamie "Bud" Smyth	26	11	25	35	\$950
13	Ken Chase	26	11	45	35	\$900
14	Ron Oviak	26	15	54	01	\$850
15	Victor Kotongon	28	23	41	04	\$800
16	Robert/Owen Ivan	29	11	34	25	\$750
17	Rod Perry	30	01	39	21	\$700
18	Tom Mercer	31	40	35	45	\$650
19	Terry Miller	31	04	20	07	\$600
20	Howard Farley	31	11	59	11	\$500
21	Bruce Mitchell	32	05	09	01	
22	John Schultz	32	05	09	01	

Scratched: Hal Bartko, John Schultheis, Darrell Reynolds, Barry MacAlpine, Slim Randles, Raymie Redington, John Luster, AlexTatum, C. Killigrock, David Olson, Herbert Foster, Ford Reeves, Mike Schrieber. Casey Celusnik, one of the mushers in the double team with John Schulz, also scratched. 1973 was the only year that double teams were allowed.

1974 RESULTS

#	Musher	Days	Hrs	Min	Sec	Winnings
1	Carl Huntington (r)	20	15	01	07	\$12,000
2	Warner Vent (r)	21	11	18	42	\$3,255
3	Herbie Nayokpuk	21	18	28	42	\$2,449
4	Rudy Demoski (r)	21	32	21	02	\$1,627
5	Dan Seavey	22	11	43	55	\$1,224
6	Ken Chase	23	01	03	50	\$1,023
7	Raymie Redington (r)	23	01	55	01	\$821
8	Ron Aldrich	23	01	01	10	\$728
9	Joe Redington, Jr. (r)	23	03	25	19	\$651
10	Dick Mackey	23	05	21	20	\$573
11	Joe Redington, Sr. (r)	23	10	15	57	\$465
12	Tom Mercer	24	08	18	22	\$387
13	Jamie "Bud" Smyth	24	09	52	23	\$372
14	Rod Perry	26	18	34	30	\$341
15	Dave Olson (r)	27	04	17	29	\$325
16	Reuben Seetot (r)	27	04	29	22	\$310
17	Robert Ivan	27	07	02	49	\$279
18	Victor Kotongan	27	09	35	26	\$248
19	Terry Adkins (r)	27	13	28	08	\$232
20	Tim White (r)	27	17	35	00	\$196
21	Desi Kamerer (r)	27	23	53	30	
22	Clifton Jackson (r)	28	05	09	06	
23	Mary Shields (r)	28	18	56	30	
24	Lolly Medley (r)	28	19	25	30	
25	Joel Kottke (r)	29	06	34	49	
26	Red Olson (r)	29	06	36	19	

Scratched: Carl Topkok (r), Richard Korb (r), John Ace (r), Bernie Willis (r), Ward Olanna (r), John Luster (r), Don Rosevear (r), John Coffin, Wilbur Sapson (r), George Attla, Jack Schultheis (r), Ralph "Babe" Anderson (r), Jerry Riley (r), Bill Vaudrin (r), Warren Coffin (r), Tom Johnson (r), Issac Okleaksik, Steve Murphy (r)

1975 RESULTS

#	Musher	Days	Hrs	Min	Sec	Winnings
1	Emmitt Peters (r)	14	14	43	15	\$15,000
2	Jerry Riley (r)	14	15	09	39	\$10,000
3	Joe Redington, Jr.	14	15	07	02	\$7,500
4	Herbie Nayokpuk	14	20	29	07	\$5,000
5	Joe Redington, Sr.	15	15	23	43	\$3,000
6	Henry Beatus (r)	15	16	20	36	\$2,500
7	Dick Mackey	16	09	41	30	\$2,000
8	Ken Chase	16	09	43	25	\$1,500
9	Rudy Demoski	16	14	10	17	\$750
10	Eep Anderson (r)	06	15	06	09	\$350
11	Alan Perry (r)	17	06	01	33	\$350
12	Ray Jackson (r)	19	09	48	34	\$350
13	Rick Mackey (r)	18	05	55	39	\$350
14	Victor Kotongan	18	07	38	15	\$350
15	Ralph Lee (r)	19	06	55	18	\$350
16	Robert Schlentner (r)	19	07	08	15	\$350
17	Bill Cotter (r)	19	07	27	27	
18	Chris Camping (r)	19	08	12	35	
19	Bill Vaudrin (r)	19	17	01	07	
20	Darrell Reynolds (r)	20	07	14	17	
21	Richard Burnham (r)	22	14	17	17	
22	Jim Kershner (r)	22	13	17	17	
23	John Ace (r)	22	15	15	00	
24	Mike Sherman (r)	23	00	55	55	
25	Steve Fee (r)	29	08	37	13	

Scratched: Norman Vaughan (r), Edward Bosco (r), Hans Algottsen (r), Sandy Hamilton (r), Michael T Holland (r), Ginger Burcham (r), Bobby Vent, Guy Blankenship (r), Terry McMullin (r), Laovn Barve (r), Carl Huntington, Walt Palmer (r), Charlie Fitka (r), Doug Bartko (r), Franklin Paniptchuk (r), John Komak

1976 RESULTS

#	Musher	Days	Hrs	Min	Sec	Winnings	
1	Jerry Riley		18	22	58	17	\$7,200
2	Warner Vent		19	03	42	00	\$4,200
3	Harry Sutherland (r)		19	04	02	52	\$3,600
4	Jamie "Bud" Smyth		19	04	38	19	\$2,400
5	Emmitt Peters		19	05	10	12	\$1,800
6	Ralph Mann (r)		19	06	35	34	\$1,500
7	William "Sonny" Nelson (r)		19	06	36	07	\$1,200
8	Dick Mackey		19	06	32	06	\$1,080
9	Tom Mercer		19	07	57	31	\$960
10	Rick Swenson (r)		19	07	57	27	\$840
11	Joe May (r)		19	08	08	29	\$600
12	Don Honea, Sr. (r)		19	08	34	38	\$570
13	Alan Perry		19	10	53	05	\$540
14	Ray Jackson		19	10	56	33	\$510
15	Ken Chase		19	10	58	37	\$480
16	Billy Demoski (r)		19	11	07	52	\$450
17	Terry Adkins		19	11	17	04	\$420
18	Rudy Demoski		19	13	27	07	\$390
19	Jack Hooker (r)		19	13	33	33	\$360
20	Ford Reeves (r)		19	14	26	36	\$300
21	Ralph "Babe" Anderson (r)		19	18	02	28	
22	Lavon Barve (r)		20	03	31	58	
23	Jerry Austin (r)		20	04	20	25	
24	Ron Aldrich		20	07	46	31	
25	Richard Burnham		20	08	06	06	
26	Charlie Fitka (r)		10	14	10	58	
27	Steve Jones (r)		20	14	11	31	
28	Clarence Towarak (r)		20	15	55	25	
29	Alex Sheldon (r)		20	16	45	31	
30	William Soloman (r)		21	13	35	25	
31	Allan Marple (r)		21	13	44	48	
32	Peter Nelson (r)		22	05	45	50	
33	Jon Van Zyle (r)		26	08	42	42	
34	Dennis Corrington (r)		26	08	42	51	

Scratched: Joe Redington, Sr., Norman Vaughan (r), Richard Hanks (r), Trent Long (r), Bob Schlentner, Peter Kakaruk (r), John Giannone (r), Lee Chamberlain (r), Oran Knox (r), Mel Fudge (r), Bruce Mitchell (r), Phillip Foxie (r), Steve Fee

1977 RESULTS

#	Musher	Days	Hrs	Min	Sec	Winnings
1	Rick Swenson	16	16	27	13	\$9,600
2	Jerry Riley	16	16	32	05	\$5,600
3	Warner Vent	16	16	44	39	\$4,900
4	Emmitt Peters	16	19	57	02	\$3,200
5	Joe Redington, Sr.	17	01	26	30	\$2,400
6	Dick Mackey	17	01	35	15	\$2,000
7	Don Honea, Sr.	17	03	34	34	\$1,600
8	Robert Schlentner	17	03	44	59	\$1,440
9	Ralph "Babe" Anderson	17	17	51	57	\$1,280
10	Jack Hooker	17	09	05	56	\$1,020
11	Ken Chase	17	11	18	28	\$800
12	Alex Sheldon	17	11	51	18	\$760
13	Pete PacManus (r)	17	12	17	41	\$720
14	Terry Adkins	17	14	41	42	\$680
15	Al Crane (r)	17	16	25	10	\$640
16	Howard Albert (r)	17	17	24	31	\$600
17	William "Sonny" Nelson	17	18	17	33	\$540
18	Roger Nordlum (r)	17	19	25	24	\$520
19	Rod Perry	17	23	18	18	\$480
20	Richard Burnham	18	07	18	30	\$400
21	Stein Havard Fjestad (r)	18	15	23	15	
22	Bill Cotter	18	15	53	46	
23	Rick Mackey	18	16	22	25	
24	Sandy Hamilton (r)	19	02	16	29	
25	Bob Chlupach (r)	19	02	28	06	
26	Charlie Harrington (r)	19	10	51	23	
27	Eep Anderson	20	08	21	33	
28	Jim Smarz (r)	20	08	32	16	
29	Duane Halverson (r)	21	04	45	47	
30	Peter Kakaruk (r)	21	06	00	03	
31	Randy DeKuiper (r)	21	08	35	47	
32	Dale Swartzentruber (r)	21	15	30	50	
33	Jerry Mercer (r)	21	15	31	03	
34	Varona Thompson (r)	21	18	00	00	
35	Jim Tofflemire (r)	22	04	53	20	
36	Vasily Zamitkyn (r)	22	09	06	06	

Scratched: Don Montgomery (r), Tom Mathias (r), Ray Jackson, Rudy Demoski, Rick McConnell (r), Bob Watson (r), Ron Gould (r), Franklin Paniptchuk (r), John Ace, Dinah Knight (r), John Hancock (r), William Solomon

1978 RESULTS

#	Musher	Days	Hrs	Min	Sec	Winnings
1	Dick Mackey	14	18	52	24	\$12,000
2	Rick Swenson	14	18	52	25	\$8,000
3	Emmitt Peters	14	19	28	32	\$6,000
4	Ken Chase	15	00	02	00	\$4,000
5	Joe Redington, Sr.	15	03	14	58	\$3,000
6	Eep Anderson	15	03	01	51	\$2,500
7	Howard Albert	15	03	40	59	\$2,000
8	Robert Schlentner	15	05	57	54	\$1,800
9	Jerry Austin	15	06	33	16	\$1,600
10	Alan Perry	15	10	13	35	\$1,400
11	Sonny Lindner (r)	15	12	03	03	\$1,000
12	Ron Aldrich	15	12	17	11	\$950
13	Pete MacManus	16	01	26	53	\$900
14	Bob Chlupach	16	03	44	54	\$850
15	Ron Tucker (r)	16	04	29	43	\$800
16	Terry Adkins	16	05	11	25	\$750
17	Harry Sutherland	15	05	53	27	\$700
18	Richard Burnham	16	07	10	34	\$650
19	Susan Butcher (r)	16	15	40	30	\$600
20	Varona Thompson	16	16	40	30	\$500
21	Joe Garnie (r)	17	02	01	54	
22	Jerry Mercer	17	02	01	57	
23	Charlie Fitka	17	16	28	38	
24	Ernie Baumgartner (r)	18	05	09	53	
25	Jack Goodwin (r)	18	06	04	00	
26	Rick McConnell (r)	18	07	37	34	
27	William Solomon	18	09	28	01	
28	James Brandon (r)	18	12	12	12	
29	Shelley Vandiver (r)	19	15	07	08	
30	John Wood (r)	19	15	07	27	
31	Ray Gordon (r)	19	15	14	52	
32	Gary Campen (r)	21	02	25	04	
33	Norman Vaughan (r)	22	03	29	41	
34	Andrew Foxie (r)	22	03	29	44	

Scratched: Roger Roberts (r), Duke Bertke (r), Mike Demarco (r), Bill Rose (r), Ralph "Babe" Anderson

1979 RESULTS

#	Musher	Days	Hrs	Min	Sec	Winnings
1	Rick Swenson	15	10	37	47	\$12,000
2	Emmitt Peters	15	11	19	07	\$8,000
3	Sonny Lindner	15	14	17	32	\$6,000
4	Jerry Riley	15	19	29	44	\$4,000
5	Joe May	16	01	09	15	\$3,000
6	Don Honea, Sr.	16	02	21	41	\$2,500
7	Howard Albert	16	07	26	40	\$2,000
8	Rick Mackey	16	11	00	01	\$1,800
9	Susan Butcher	16	11	15	32	\$1,600
10	Joe Redington, Sr.	16	11	34	01	\$1,400
11	Gary Hokkanen (r)	16	16	57	05	\$1,000
12	Terry Adkins	16	19	45	16	\$950
13	Dick Peterson (r)	117	03	37	37	\$900
14	Ken Chase	17	04	43	07	\$850
15	Ernie Baumgartner	17	04	47	48	\$800
16	Melvin Adkins (r)	17	04	54	23	\$750
17	Bob Chlupach	17	06	23	19	\$700
18	Victor Kotongan	17	07	35	06	\$650
19	Keith Jones (r)	17	09	16	08	\$600
20	Patty Friend (r)	17	09	47	16	\$500
21	Brian Blandford (r)	17	16	04	54	
22	John Wood	18	02	20	35	
23	Ron Aldrich	18	08	10	31	
24	Eep Anderson	18	11	33	33	
25	Myron Angstman (r)	18	19	22	32	
26	Walter Kaso (r)	18	22	23	40	
27	Jim Rowe (r)	18	22	29	43	
28	Steve Vollertsen (r)	19	01	25	40	
29	Rick McConnell (r)	19	06	57	57	
30	Rome Gilman (r)	19	13	01	43	
31	Jamie "Bud" Smyth	20	00	42	14	
32	Bill Rose (r)	20	01	02	38	
33	Steve Adkins (r)	20	01	31	48	
34	Cliff Sisson (r)	20	04	36	53	
35	Ron Brinker (r)	20	04	37	09	
36	Del Allison (r)	20	08	23	23	
37	john Barron (r)	20	09	26	06	
38	Karl Clausen (r)	21	12	08	29	
39	Jerry LaVoie (r)	22	08	23	44	
40	Gayle Nienhauser (r)	22	09	14	53	

1979 RESULTS CONTINUED

41	Richard Burmeister (r)	22	12	57	37
42	Jon Van Zyle	22	13	50	50
43	Jim Lanier (r)	24	06	44	18
44	Ron Gould (r)	24	07	25	50
45	Don Montgomery (r)	24	07	27	11
46	Prentice Harris (r)	24	07	37	09
47	Gene Leonard (r)	24	09	02	22

Scratched: Mark Couch (r), Isaac Okleasik, Herbie Nayokpuk, Kelly Wages (r), Terry McMullin (r), Lee Gardino (r), Clarence Towarak (r), Joe Garnie

1980 RESULTS

#	Musher	Days	Hrs	Min	Sec	Winnings
1	Joe May	14	07	11	51	\$12,000
2	Herbie Nayokpuk	14	20	32	12	\$8,000
3	Ernie Baumgartner	15	09	09	59	\$6,000
4	Rick Swenson	15	10	12	29	\$4,000
5	Susan Butcher	15	10	17	06	\$3,000
6	Roger Nordlum	15	10	34	14	\$2,500
7	Jerry Austin	15	13	57	13	\$2,000
8	Walter Kaso	15	15	42	32	\$1,800
9	Emmitt Peters	15	16	14	07	\$1,600
10	Donna Gentry (r)	15	16	39	06	\$1,400
11	Mark Boily (r)	15	17	03	46	\$1,000
12	Joe Garnie	15	17	55	24	\$950
13	Larry Smith (r)	15	18	01	37	\$900
14	Bruce Johnson(r)	15	18	22	07	\$850
15	Rudy Demoski	26	09	35	56	\$800
16	Dave Olson	16	09	52	51	\$750
17	Terry Adkins	16	10	56	16	\$700
18	Libby Riddles (r)	16	13	58	34	\$650
19	Harold Ahmasuk (r)	16	14	44	11	\$600
20	Henry Johnson (r)	16	15	28	27	\$500
21	William Bartlett (r)	16	16	12	46	
22	Martin Buser (r)	17	06	50	05	
23	Jack Goodwin	17	07	07	16	
24	DeeDee Jonrowe (r)	17	07	59	24	
25	Ken Chase	17	13	29	01	
26	Bruce Denton (r)	17	13	29	01	
27	Clarence Shockley (r)	17	13	29	29	
28	John Cooper (r)	17	14	18	06	
29	Michael Harrington (r)	17	14	29	36	
30	Marjorie Ann Moore (r)	20	07	01	17	
31	Eric Poole (r)	20	09	14	20	
32	Douglas Sherrer (r)	20	09	38	22	
33	Ron Cortte (r)	22	03	07	28	
34	John Gartiez (r)	22	18	05	50	
35	Norman Vaughan	24	09	19	25	
36	Barbara Moore (r)	24	09	25	45	

Scratched: Bill Boyko (r), Lee Gardino (r), Jan Masek (r), Don Honea, Sr. , Ed Craver (r), Ralph "Babe" Anderson, Eugene Russell Ivey (r), Don Eckles (r), Larry Cogdill (r), Frank Sampson (r), Robert E Neidig (r), Warner Vent, John Eckles (r), Sonny Lindner, Steven R Conaster (r), Joe Redington, Sr., Duke Bertke (r), Dick Mackey, Varona Thompson, Alton Walluk (r), Fred Jackson (r), Bruce Woods (r), John Barron, Jerry Riley, Dick Peterson

1981 RESULTS

#	Musher	Days	Hrs	Min	Sec	Winnings
1	Rick Swenson	12	08	45	02	\$24,000
2	Sonny Lindner	12	09	33	22	\$16,000
3	Roger Nordlum	12	09	42	13	\$12,000
4	Larry Smith	12	10	22	46	\$8,000
5	Susan Butcher	12	12	45	24	\$6,000
6	Eep Anderson	12	14	08	37	\$5,000
7	Herbie Nayokpuk	12	22	17	45	\$4,000
8	Clarence Towarak	13	01	48	04	\$3,600
9	Rick Mackey	13	03	58	07	\$3,200
10	Terry Adkins	13	07	32	04	\$2,800
11	Duane Halverson	13	13	55	19	\$2,000
12	Emmitt Peters	13	14	14	49	\$1,900
13	Jerry Austin	13	14	40	38	\$1,800
14	Joe Redington, Sr.	13	15	19	02	\$1,700
15	Harry Sutherland	13	18	02	07	\$1,600
16	Joe Garnie	13	18	17	35	\$1,500
17	Gary Attla (r)	13	22	01	37	\$1,400
18	Donna Gentry	13	22	20	20	\$1,300
19	Martin Buser	14	02	47	23	\$1,200
20	Libby Riddles	14	06	27	43	\$1,000
21	David Monson (r)	14	14	44	04	
22	Bruce Denton	14	22	05	13	
23	John Barron	14	23	57	00	
24	Gene Leonard	15	00	32	14	
25	Bob Martin (r)	15	00	45	09	
26	Neil Eklund (r)	15	03	44	00	
27	Mark Freshwaters (r)	15	03	45	37	
28	Jeff King (r)	15	07	02	47	
29	Steve Flodin (r)	16	01	52	14	
30	Gary Whittemore (r)	16	04	13	06	
31	DeeDee Jonrowe	16	05	05	43	
32	Sue Firmin (r)	16	05	05	56	
33	Michael Storto (r)	16	11	37	57	
34	Dan Zobrist (r)	17	03	28	43	
35	Dennis Boyer (r)	17	16	28	00	
36	Jan Masek (r)	18	03	44	44	
37	Burt Bomhoff (r)	18	05	22	58	
38	Jim Strong (r)	18	06	30	30	

Scratched: Frank Sampson (r), Harold Ahmasuk, Ken Chase, William Webb (r), Ernie Baumgartner, Gordon Castanza (r), Douglas Sherrer, Jamie "Bud" Smyth, Ted English (r), Myron Angstman, Wes McIntyre (r), Willie French (r), Clifton Jackson, Bill Thompson (r), Jerry Riley

1982 RESULTS

#	Musher	Days	Hrs	Min	Sec	Winnings
1	Rick Swenson	16	04	40	10	\$24,000
2	Susan Butcher	16	04	43	53	\$16,000
3	Jerry Austin	16	04	52	11	\$12,000
4	Emmitt Peters	16	05	06	42	\$8,000
5	David Monson	16	15	13	24	\$6,000
6	Ernie Baumgartner	16	05	17	03	\$5,000
7	Bob Chlupach	16	05	26	46	\$4,000
8	Don Honea, Sr.	16	06	41	00	\$3,600
9	Stan Zuray(r)	16	06	44	00	\$3,200
10	Bruce Denton	16	13	11	22	\$2,800
11	Rick Mackey	16	13	30	47	\$2,000
12	Herbie Nayokpuk	16	14	08	21	\$1,900
13	Dean Osmar (r)	16	14	54	54	\$1,800
14	Terry Adkins	16	15	37	47	\$1,700
15	Joe May	16	15	43	23	\$1,600
16	Marc Boily	16	17	54	55	\$1,500
17	Joe Redington, Sr.	17	08	25	45	\$1,400
18	Ed Foran (r)	17	09	09	29	\$1,300
19	Guy Blankenship (r)	17	09	13	22	\$1,200
20	John Stam (r)	17	09	18	18	\$1,000
21	Alex Sheldon	17	09	24	46	
22	Mitch Seavey (r)	17	10	27	00	
23	Glenn Findlay (r)	17	11	57	53	
24	John Wood	17	12	39	46	
25	Ralph "Babe" Anderson	17	21	12	02	
26	Jim Strong	18	17	15	36	
27	Ron Cortte	18	17	17	59	
28	Larry Smith	18	23	09	23	
29	Dean Painter (r)	20	03	05	06	
30	Ken Chase	20	04	01	45	
31	Steve Gaber (r)	20	04	23	32	
32	Rose Albert (r)	20	04	54	53	
33	Jan Masek	20	10	13	24	
34	Chris Deverill (r)	20	12	45	00	
35	Leroy Shank (r)	21	12	43	31	
36	Steve Flodin	21	13	00	00	
37	Frank I Brown (r)	21	14	54	59	
38	Mark "Bigfoot" Rosser (r)	21	16	05	27	

1982 RESULTS CONTINUED

43	Eric Buetow (r)	22	14	48	28
44	Rome Gilman	24	00	23	47
45	Jack Studer (r)	24	14	54	54
46	Ralph Bradley (r)	26	13	59	59

Scratched: John Barron, Michael Harrington, Steve Haver (r), Sue Firmin, Smokey Moff (r), Bill Rose (r), Norman Vaughan, Gary Whittemore

1983 RESULTS

#	Musher	Days	Hrs	Min	Sec	Winnings
1	Rick Mackey	12	14	10	44	\$24,000
2	Eep Anderson	12	15	50	36	\$16,000
3	Larry "Cowboy" Smith	12	20	19	56	\$12,000
4	Herbie Nayokpuk	12	22	04	28	\$8,000
5	Rick Swenson	13	02	49	46	\$6,000
6	Lavon Barve	13	03	00	49	\$5,000
7	Duane Halverson	13	04	42	00	\$4,000
8	Sonny Lindner	13	05	28	20	\$3,600
9	Susan Butcher	13	10	25	32	\$3,200
10	Roger Legaard (r)	13	11	33	45	\$2,800
11	Joe Runyan (r)	13	12	39	34	\$2,000
12	Guy Blankenship	13	12	54	59	\$1,900
13	Dave Monson	13	14	08	54	\$1,800
14	Sue Firmin	13	17	28	52	\$1,700
15	DeeDee Jonrowe	13	18	10	25	\$1,600
16	Howard Albert	13	22	11	39	\$1,500
17	Bruce Denton	14	00	37	07	\$1,400
18	Dave Olson	14	93	35	28	\$1,300
19	Emmitt Peters	14	05	44	30	\$1,200
20	John Barron	14	05	44	30	\$1,000
21	Neil Eklund	14	10	32	03	
22	Burt Bomhoff	14	12	23	20	
23	Roxy Woods (r)	14	15	56	16	
24	Walter Kaso	15	05	00	53	
25	Eric Buetow	15	08	06	39	
26	Jim Strong	15	10	07	54	
27	Ken Hamm (r)	15	10	15	15	
28	Vern Halter (r)	15	10	40	17	
29	Shannon Poole (r)	15	13	10	56	
30	William Hayes (r)	15	15	15	15	
31	Waler Williams (r)	15	23	17	34	
32	Christine O'Gar (r)	16	00	19	05	
33	Ted English (r)	16	00	37	29	
34	Jamie "Bud" Smyth	16	09	34	00	
35	Ron Brennan (r)	17	00	42	57	
36	Wes McIntyre (r)	17	10	49	39	
37	Ken Johnson (r)	17	11	12	06	
38	Steve Rieger (r)	17	11	13	01	
39	Connie Frerichs (r)	17	11	16	26	
40	Ray Dronenburg (r)	17	12	31	51	
41	Gary Paulsen (r)	17	12	38	38	
42	Ed Forstner (r)	18	06	52	16	

1983 RESULTS CONTINUED

43	Mark Nordman (r)	18	17	54	34
44	Dick Barnum (r)	18	23	59	59
45	David Wolfe (r)	19	04	28	40
46	Leroy Shank	19	15	07	54
47	Robert Gould (r)	20	00	42	29
48	Fritz Kirsch (r)	20	01	34	24
49	Steve Haver (r)	20	12	55	56
50	Ron Gould	20	13	12	05
51	Pam Flowers (r)	20	13	12	54
52	Norman Vaughan	21	02	21	16
53	Norm MacAlpine (r)	21	02	44	22
54	Scott Cameron (r)	21	04	36	41

Scratched: Terry Adkins, Eugene Russell Ivey (r), Gene Leonard, Beverly Jerue (r), William Cowart (r), Alex Sheldon, Bob Bright (r), Saul Paniptchuk (r), Ken Chase, Clifton Cadzow (r) **Disqualified:** Les Atherton (r), Hal Bartko (r), Doug Bartko (r), Jan Masek

1984 RESULTS

#	Musher	Days	Hrs	Min	Sec	Winnings
1	Dean Osmar	12	15	07	33	\$24,000
2	Susan Butcher	12	16	41	42	\$16,000
3	Joe Garnie	12	17	18	48	\$12,000
4	Marc Boily	13	04	52	51	\$8,000
5	Jerry Austin	13	05	59	53	\$6,000
6	Rick Swenson	13	07	04	21	\$5,000
7	Joe Redington, Sr.	13	08	43	11	\$4,000
8	Terry Adkins	13	13	54	43	\$3,600
9	John Cooper	14	00	22	24	\$3,200
10	Larry "Cowboy" Smith	14	01	57	44	\$2,800
11	Vern Halter	14	03	55	19	\$2,000
12	Burt Bomhoff	14	07	49	18	\$1,900
13	Rusty Miller (r)	14	08	44	17	\$1,800
14	Mark Freshwaters	14	10	31	10	\$1,700
15	Bob Chlupach	14	10	31	12	\$1,600
16	Ed Foran	14	11	27	41	\$1,500
17	Emmitt Peters	14	15	08	00	\$1,400
18	Rick Armstrong (r)	14	16	55	30	\$1,300
19	Ray Gordon	14	18	43	32	\$1,200
20	John Barron	14	22	54	34	\$1,000
21	Jim Strong	15	07	16	07	
22	Bob Toll (r)	15	09	23	23	
23	Eep Anderson	15	11	00	54	
24	Gordon Castanza (r)	15	11	05	55	
25	Ron Cortte	15	13	18	38	
26	Jerry Raychel	15	13	57	29	
27	Diana Dronenbrug (r)	15	15	29	49	
28	Sue Firmin	15	19	09	15	
29	Rick Mackey	15	19	09	23	
30	DeeDee Jonrowe	15	19	18	13	
31	David Olson	15	19	39	00	
32	Gary Whittemore	15	20	44	14	
33	Eric Buetow	16	00	56	29	
34	Frank Bettine (r)	16	08	03	07	
35	Kari Skogen (r)	16	08	03	19	
36	Calvin Lauwers (r)	16	12	50	00	
37	Dan Cowan (r)	16	12	35	02	
38	Francine Bennis (r)	16	13	40	03	
39	Rick Atkinson (r)	17	03	23	19	
40	Jim Lanier	17	05	49	22	

1984 RESULTS CONTINUED

41	David Sheer (r)	17	08	53	05
42	Steve Peek (r)	17	10	58	55
43	Fred Agree (r)	19	07	41	07
44	Ed Borden (r)	19	09	43	17
45	Bill Mackey (r)	19	09	43	33

Scratched: Ted English, James Cole, Jan Masek, Dave Aisenbrey (r), Gene Leonard, Ray Dronenburg, Gordon Brinker (r), Connie Frerichs, Don Honea, Sr., Lolly Medley, Larry Cogdill (r), Brian Johnson (r), Miki Collins (r), Seve Gaber, William Thompson (r), Mel Adkins, Bob Sunder (r), Darrel Reynolds, Vern Cherneski (r), Ron Brennan (r) **Disqualified:** Guy Blankenship, Arman Khatchikian

1985 RESULTS

#	Musher	Days	Hrs	Min	Sec	Winnings
1	Libby Riddles	18	00	20	17	\$50,000
2	Duane Halverson	18	02	45	36	\$30,000
3	John Cooper	18	06	59	33	\$20,000
4	Rick Swenson	18	07	29	24	\$15,000
5	Rick Mackey	18	14	44	54	\$13,000
6	Vern Halter	18	14	55	26	\$11,000
7	Guy Blankenship	18	16	16	39	\$9,500
8	Herbie Nayokpuk	18	17	20	00	\$8,000
9	Sonny Lindner	18	18	33	33	\$6,500
10	Lavon Barve	18	19	25	04	\$5,500
11	Tim Moerlein (r)	18	21	10	56	\$4,500
12	Emmitt Peters	18	23	21	22	\$4,000
13	Tim Osmar(r)	18	23	43	43	\$3,750
14	Jerry Austin	19	03	32	43	\$3,500
15	Terry Adkins	19	21	51	15	\$3,250
16	Roger Nordlum	19	21	51	15	\$3,000
17	Glenn Findlay	20	01	34	33	\$2,750
18	John Barron	20	03	21	22	\$2,500
19	Raymie Redington	20	03	38	19	\$2250
20	Burt Bomhoff	20	03	59	17	\$2,000
21	Jacques Philip(r)	50	05	00	01	
22	Bob Bright (r)	21	02	34	27	
23	Peter Fromm (r)	21	02	34	33	
24	Steve Flodin	21	05	08	04	
25	Warner Vent	21	05	31	54	
26	Ron Robbins (r)	21	05	40	25	
27	Kazuo Kojima (r)	21	06	12	12	
28	Nathan Underwood (r)	21	06	54	00	
29	Betsy McGuire (r)	21	07	07	15	
30	Kevin Saiki (r)	21	08	04	09	
31	Earl Norris (r)	21	09	38	00	
32	Kevin Fulton (r)	21	09	39	00	
33	John Coble (r)	21	10	13	00	
34	Alan Cheshire (r)	21	10	21	00	
35	Victor Jorge (r)	21	10	24	00	
36	Fred Agree	21	11	25	36	
37	Claire Philip (r)	21	11	35	37	
38	John Ace	21	21	01	01	
39	Rick Armstrong	21	21	01	02	
40	Monique Bene (r)	22	03	45	45	

1985 RESULTS CONTINUED

Scratched: David Aisenbrey (r), Terry Hinesly (r), Susan Butcher, Ted English, Jan Masek, Joe Redington, Sr., Fred Jackson (r), Victor Kotongan, Gary Paulsen, Ray Dronenburg, Joseph Maileille, Sr. (r), Terry McMullin (r), Dennis Towarak (r), Ernie Baumgartner, Rudy Demoski, Norman Vaughan, Arman Khachkian (r), Scott Cameron, Chuck Schaeffer (r) **Disqualified:** Bobby Lee (r), Wes McIntyre

1986 RESULTS

#	Musher	Days	Hrs	Min	Sec	Winnings
1	Susan Butcher	11	15	06	00	\$50,000
2	Joe Garnie	11	16	01	11	\$30,000
3	Rick Swenson	11	23	59	43	\$20,000
4	Joe Runyan	12	02	11	31	\$15,000
5	Duane Halverson	12	02	27	51	\$13,000
6	John Cooper	12	03	28	03	\$11,000
7	Lavon Barve	12	04	17	55	\$9,500
8	Jerry Austin	12	10	15	01	\$8,000
9	Terry Adkins	13	00	22	29	\$6,500
10	Rune Hesthammer (r)	13	04	20	00	\$5,500
11	John Barron	13	04	27	45	\$4,500
12	Guy Blankenship	13	07	12	29	\$4,000
13	Tim Moerlein	13	07	40	31	\$3,750
14	Bob Chlupach	13	10	32	13	\$3,500
15	Jerry Riley	13	14	36	49	\$3,250
16	Vern Halter	13	15	29	29	\$3,000
17	Gary Whittemore	13	20	37	23	\$2,750
18	Ted English	13	23	01	26	\$2,500
19	Nina Hotvedt (r)	14	06	20	41	\$2250
20	Rick Atkinson	14	06	21	21	\$2,000
21	Rusty Miller	14	11	04	54	
22	Peter Sapin (r)	14	11	17	42	
23	Frank Torres (r)	14	16	43	15	
24	Paul Johnson (r)	15	00	08	06	
25	Martin Buser	15	00	53	56	
26	John Wood	15	04	29	42	
27	Dan MacEachen (r)	15	05	09	14	
28	Jerry Raychel	15	07	09	14	
29	Raymie Redington	15	07	12	24	
30	Mike Pemberton (r)	15	07	44	37	
31	David Olesen (r)	15	09	44	15	
32	Steve Bush (r)	15	09	55	31	
33	Kari Skogen	15	10	52	49	
34	Gordon Brinker (r)	15	15	20	31	
35	Bobby Lee (r)	16	10	34	03	
36	Ron Robbins	16	15	03	19	
37	Dave Scheer	16	15	03	58	
38	Gordy Hubbard (r)	16	16	44	44	
39	Matt Desalernos (r)	16	19	22	59	
40	Alan Cheshire	16	21	09	57	

1986 RESULTS CONTINUED

41	Ray Lang (r)	16	22	39	02
42	Roger Roberts (r)	16	22	53	02
43	Allen Miller (r)	17	05	41	37
44	Armen Khatchikian (r)	17	08	12	29
45	Don McQuown (r)	17	15	59	49
46	Mike Lawless (r)	18	01	20	52
47	Mark Jackson (r)	18	11	01	34
48	Joe LeFaive (r)	18	18	07	24
49	Peter Thomann (r)	18	18	07	34
50	Pat Danly (r)	19	00	38	21
51	Bill Hall (r)	19	00	38	48
52	Bill Davidson (r)	19	00	55	55
53	Scott Cameron	19	19	51	27
54	Stan Ferguson (r)	19	21	42	58
55	Mike Peterson (r)	20	13	42	21

Scratched: Abel Akpik (r), John Anderson (r), Frank Bettine, Roger Bliss (r), Ron Brennan, Joe Carpenter, Jim Darling (r), William Cowart (r), Ray Dronenbrug, Don Honea, Fred Jackson, Rick Mackey, Jan Masek, Earl Norris, Joe Redington, Sr., Douglas Sheldon (r), John Stamm, Norman Vaughan

1987 RESULTS

	#	Musher		Days	Hrs	Min	Sec	Winnings
1		Susan Butcher	11	02	05	13		\$50,000
2		Rick Swenson	11	06	25	43		\$30,000
3		Duane Halverson	11	08	27	51		\$20,000
4		Tim Osmar	11	11	11	27		\$15,000
5		Jerry Austin	11	12	16	15		\$13,000
6		Joe Runyan	11	13	13	48		\$11,000
7		Lavon Barve	12	04	17	55		\$9,500
8		Ted English	11	11	12	03		\$8,000
9		John Cooper	12	00	14	14		\$6,500
10		Martin Buser	12	02	26	28		\$5,500
11		Joe Garnie	12	03	24	24		\$4,500
12		Guy Blankenship	12	05	11	10		\$4,000
13		Jerry Riley	12	06	59	00		\$3,750
14		Diana Dronenburg	12	09	13	18		\$3,500
15		Steve Adkins	12	09	30	30		\$3,250
16		Matt Desalernos	12	09	31	40		\$3,000
17		Harry Sutherland	12	11	25	11		\$2,750
18		Robin Jacobson (r)	12	14	35	30		\$2,500
19		Bruce Johnson	12	17	15	00		\$2250
20		Jacques Philip	12	18	27	53		\$2,000
21		Sue Firmin	13	02	57	11		
22		DeeDee Jonrowe	13	02	58	15		
23		Terry Adkins	13	04	06	21		
24		Gary Whittemore	13	04	56	24		
25		Herbie Nayokpuk	13	10	27	47		
26		Claire Philip	13	10	33	33		
27		Gary Guy (r)	15	04	35	14		
28		David Olesen	15	04	46	13		
29		Don McEwen (r)	15	08	33	15		
30		Kazuo Kojima	15	08	53	17		
31		Bruce Barton (r)	15	09	24	22		
32		Dick Mackey	15	13	28	22		
33		Joe Redington, Sr.	15	14	13	12		
34		Dennis Lozano (r)	15	15	29	28		
35		John Nels Anderson (r)	15	18	06	46		
36		John Coble	15	18	14	50		
37		Michael Owens (r)	15	18	39	49		
38		Roger Roberts	17	10	32	42		
39		Pat Danly	17	11	02	22		
40		Bill Chisholm (r)	17	11	16	28		

1987 RESULTS CONTINUED

41	Henry Horner (r)	17	11	28	10
42	Caleb Slemons (r)	17	12	33	39
43	Mike Lawless	17	13	30	00
44	Roy Wade (r)	17	15	21	51
45	John Gourley (r)	18	04	51	49
46	Don McQuown	18	12	34	35
47	Matt Ace (r)	18	12	45	38
48	Brian Johnson (r)	18	23	32	23
49	Andre Monnier (r)	18	23	35	30
50	Rhodi Karella (r)	19	09	01	01

Scratched: Peter Thomann, Rick Mackey, Raymie Redington, John Barron, Burt Bomhoff, Gordy Hubbard, Libby Riddles, Gordon Brinker, David Aisenbrey (r), Joe LeFaive **Withdrawn:** Carolyn Muegge (r), Tony Burch (r), Norman Vaughan

1988 RESULTS

#	Musher	Days	Hrs	Min	Sec	Winnings
1	Susan Bucher	11	11	41	40	\$30,000
2	Rick Swenson	12	02	10	09	\$21,000
3	Martin Buser	12	04	21	46	\$16,500
4	Joe Garnie	12	09	21	39	\$13,200
5	Joe Redington, Sr.	13	03	25	28	\$9,000
6	Herbie Nayokpuk	13	03	26	44	\$7,200
7	Rick Mackey	13	14	43	29	\$6,900
8	Lavon Barve	13	15	22	42	\$6,000
9	DeeDee Jonrowe	13	16	29	06	\$5,400
10	Robin Jacobson	13	17	19	48	\$4,800
11	Jerry Austin	13	19	06	03	\$4,500
12	Jan Masek	13	22	18	03	\$4,200
13	Lucy Nordlum (r)	13	23	47	31	\$3,900
14	Jacques Philip	14	00	02	43	\$3,600
15	Bill Cotter	14	01	33	18	\$3,300
16	Tim Osmar	14	01	49	16	\$3,000
17	Dan MacEachen	14	02	46	11	\$2,700
18	John Patten (r)	14	03	57	06	\$2,400
19	Harry Sutherland	14	04	16	56	\$2,100
20	Matt Desalernos	14	05	01	36	\$1,800
21	Bill Hall	14	05	49	07	
22	Darwin McLeod (r)	14	06	01	06	
23	Horst Maas (r)	14	07	11	11	
24	Ted English	14	08	52	23	
25	Jerry Raychel	14	09	17	09	
26	John Barron	14	09	54	24	
27	Duane Halverson	14	11	19	55	
28	Peter Thomann	14	12	38	45	
29	Conrad Saussele (r)	14	24	21	20	
30	Burt Bomhoff	14	21	46	25	
31	Frank Teasley (r)	15	06	42	51	
32	Peryll Kyzer (r)	15	12	30	48	
33	Ken Chase	15	12	30	48	
34	Ralph "Babe" Anderson	15	13	06	49	
35	Ian MacKenzie (r)	17	06	45	45	
36	Mike Tvenge (r)	17	08	01	59	
37	Mark Merrill (r)	18	01	29	14	
38	John Suter (r)	18	01	50	50	
39	John Gourley	18	06	52	30	
40	Jennifer Gourley (r)	18	06	54	12	

1988 RESULTS CONTINUED

41	Peter Kelly (r)	18	07	06	41
42	Tim Mowry (r)	18	07	21	41
43	Matt Ace	18	07	34	06
44	Gordon Brinker	18	07	44	07
45	Lesley Monk	19	13	22	55

Scratched: Tim Moerlein, Terry Adkins, Joe Runyan, Brain Carver (r), Ray Dronenburg, Norman Vaughan

Disqualified: Stan Ferguson

1989 RESULTS

#	Musher	Days	Hrs	Min	Sec	Winnings
1	Joe Runyan	11	05	24	34	\$50,000
2	Susan Butcher	11	06	28	50	\$35,000
3	Rick Swenson	11	08	50	50	\$27,000
4	DeeDee Jonrowe	11	13	47	16	\$20,000
5	Lavon Barve	11	16	46	53	\$15,000
6	Martin Buser	12	02	06	05	\$12,000
7	Guy Blankenship	12	02	22	24	\$11,000
8	Rick Mackey	12	02	25	00	\$10,000
9	Joe Redington, Sr.	12	02	57	16	\$9,000
10	Tim Osmar	12	03	33	03	\$8,000
11	Jacques Philip	12	04	40	46	\$7,500
12	Matt Desalernos	12	05	33	38	\$7,000
13	Bob Chlupach	12	06	17	41	\$6,500
14	John Barron	12	08	10	08	\$6,000
15	Joe Garnie	12	08	33	28	\$5,500
16	Libby Riddles	12	08	34	44	\$5,000
17	Jerry Riley	12	13	35	21	\$4,500
18	Bill Cotter	12	15	22	59	\$4,000
19	Frank Teasley	12	16	54	19	\$3,500
20	Terry Adkins	13	07	13	57	\$3,000
21	Richard Self (r)	13	09	56	57	
22	Jerry Austin	13	09	57	56	
23	Mitch Brazin (r)	13	10	05	54	
24	Diana Dronenburg	13	10	34	40	
25	Jamie Nelson (r)	13	11	26	35	
26	Linwood Fiedler (r)	13	13	37	37	
27	Tim Mowry	13	21	19	09	
28	Bill Caveny (r)	14	01	30	38	
29	Karin Schmidt (r)	14	09	24	12	
30	Bernie Willis (r)	14	10	06	06	
31	Pat Danly	14	10	16	10	
32	Kathy Halverson (r)	14	10	43	32	
33	Kazuo Kojima	14	13	45	07	
34	Frank Winkler (r)	14	22	35	34	
35	Conner Thomas(r)	14	22	51	20	
36	John Suter	14	22	54	44	
37	Duane Lamberts (r)	16	01	04	04	
38	Bob Hoyte (r)	17	11	19	19	

Scratched: Kevin Saiki, Carolyn Vaughan (r), Joe LeFaive, Michael Madden (r), Bill Chisholm, Gary Whittemore, Mike Ross (r), David Aisenbrey (r), Norman Vaughan, Roger Roberts, Jan Masek

1990 RESULTS

#	Musher	Days	Hrs	Min	Sec	Winnings
1	Susan Butcher	11	01	53	23	\$50,000
2	Joe Runyan	11	04	21	12	\$35,000
3	Lavon Barve	11	07	15	04	\$27,000
4	Tim Osmar	11	14	40	53	\$20,000
5	DeeDee Jonrowe	11	14	41	31	\$15,000
6	Robin Jacobson	11	16	32	02	\$12,000
7	Rick Swenson	11	16	55	45	\$11,000
8	Linwood Fiedler	12	01	19	16	\$10,000
9	Joe Garnie	12	02	05	02	\$9,000
10	Martin Buser	12	02	33	44	\$8,000
11	Bill Cotter	13	03	54	28	\$7,500
12	Rick Mackey	13	97	18	46	\$7,000
13	Michael Madden (r)	13	08	41	06	\$6,500
14	Jacques Philip	13	08	42	50	\$6,000
15	Sonny Russell (r)	13	09	17	26	\$5,500
16	John Barron	13	09	07	41	\$5,000
17	Matt Desalernos	13	09	09	39	\$4,500
18	John Gourley	13	09	11	22	\$4,000
19	Jerry Austin	13	09	17	52	\$3,500
20	Bill Chisholm	13	09	19	19	\$3,000
21	Dan MacEachen	14	09	37	31	\$1,000
22	Norm Stoppenbrink (r)	14	09	56	31	\$1,000
23	Michael Owens	14	11	29	23	\$1,000
24	Terry Adkins	14	12	434	04	\$1,000
25	Joe Redington, Sr.	14	12	59	13	\$1,000
26	Mitch Brazin	14	13	54	13	\$1,000
27	Kevin Saiki	14	14	12	44	\$1,000
28	Diana Dronenburg	14	22	23	27	\$1,000
29	Bob Chlupach	15	02	13	03	\$1,000
30	Harry Sutherland	15	02	13	03	\$1,000
31	Don McEwen	15	05	34	02	\$1,000
32	Raymie Redington	15	05	37	16	\$1,000
33	Frank Winkler	15	08	07	25	\$1,000
34	Bill Hall	15	09	10	00	\$1,000
35	Beverly Masek (r)	15	14	13	21	\$1,000
36	Malcom Vance (r)	15	14	13	22	\$1,000
37	Roy Wade	15	17	05	29	\$1,000
38	Roy Monk (r)	15	18	15	29	\$1,000
39	Dave Breuer (r)	15	18	22	31	\$1,000
40	Duane Lamberts	15	20	50	09	\$1,000

1990 RESULTS CONTINUED

41	Emmitt Peters	15	2	11	39	\$1,000
42	Bob Hickel (r)	15	22	27	19	\$1,000
43	Macgill Adams (r)	15	22	53	12	\$1,000
44	Lynda Plettner (r)	16	00	29	39	\$1,000
45	John Suter	16	00	40	00	\$1,000
46	Larry Harris (r)	16	00	46	00	\$1,000
47	Greg Tibbetts (r)	16	00	49	00	\$1,000
48	Bryan Moline (r)	16	01	42	25	\$1,000
49	Jim Wood (r)	16	01	42	25	\$1,000
50	Bert Hansen(r)	16	04	06	55	\$1,000
51	Peter Kelly	16	09	06	12	\$1,000
52	Pecos Humphries (r)	16	09	19	01	\$1,000
53	Bill Davidson	17	02	16	58	\$1,000
54	Lorren Weaver (r)	18	02	30	00	\$1,000
55	Lars Ekstrand (r)	18	02	30	00	\$1,000
56	Larry Munoz (r)	18	12	38	14	\$1,000
57	John Ace	18	15	41	08	\$1,000
58	Paul Byrd (r)	18	16	39	09	\$1,000
59	Terry Hinesly (r)	18	16	59	19	\$1,000
60	Norman Vaughan	21	10	26	06	\$1,000
61	Steve Haver	21	10	26	26	\$1,000

Scratched: Guy Blankenship, Tim Mundy (r), Chuck Schaeffer (r), Pascal Nicoud (r), Mike Ross (r), Frank Teasley, Lesley Monk, Joe LeFaive **Disqualified:** Jerry Riley

1991 RESULTS

#	Musher	Days	Hrs	Min	Sec	Winnings
1	Rick Swenson	12	13	34	39	\$50,000
2	Martin Buser	12	18	41	49	\$39,000
3	Susan Butcher	12	21	59	03	\$32,000
4	Tim Osmar	12	22	33	33	\$24,000
5	Joe Runyan	12	22	36	30	\$19,000
6	Frank Teasley	13	12	27	57	\$15,000
7	DeeDee Jonrowe	13	13	44	10	\$14,000
8	Matt Desalernos	13	13	44	35	\$13,000
9	Rick Mackey	13	13	54	39	\$12,000
10	Bill Cotter	13	13	57	28	\$11,000
11	Kate Persons (r)	13	14	20	59	\$9,500
12	Jeff King	13	14	24	40	\$9,000
13	Jacques Philip	13	15	07	39	\$8,500
14	Jerry Austin	13	17	10	51	\$8,000
15	Mike Madden	13	20	06	26	\$7,500
16	Ketil Reitan (r)	13	21	54	12	\$6,500
17	Lavon Barve	13	22	20	14	\$6,000
18	Peryll Kaiser	14	16	26	26	\$5,500
19	Terry Adkins	14	16	46	51	\$5,000
20	Bill Jack (r)	14	19	38	14	\$4,500
21	Beverly Masek	15	09	03	51	
22	Laird Barron (r)	15	10	07	15	
23	Joe Garnie	15	11	53	33	
24	Rick Armstrong	15	12	24	07	
25	Linwood Fiedler	15	23	45	15	
26	Burt Bomhoff	16	08	48	36	
27	Dan MacEachen	16	09	08	46	
28	David Olesen	16	10	01	52	
29	Raymie Redington	16	10	02	23	
30	Dave Allen (r)	16	10	25	26	
31	Joe Redington, Sr.	16	11	56	56	
32	Jerry Raychel	16	17	51	17	
33	Mark Nordman	17	17	55	38	
34	Malcom Vance	17	09	30	00	
35	Macgill Adams	17	10	10	13	
36	Nikolai Ettyne (r)	17	10	53	00	
37	Alexander Reznjuk (r)	17	11	54	12	
38	Tony Shoogukwruk (r)	17	12	34	11	
39	Rollin Westrum (r)	17	13	44	00	
40	Brian Stafford (r)	17	15	35	48	

1991 RESULTS CONTINUED

41	John Suter	17	18	23	31
42	Roger Roberts	17	22	08	00
43	Larry Munoz	17	22	59	52
44	Jim Cantor (r)	18	00	02	00
45	Terry Seaman (r)	18	00	08	35
46	Kazuo Kojima	18	00	29	28
47	Rich Bosela (r)	18	00	50	45
48	Pat Danly	18	02	23	36
49	Dave Breuer	18	04	49	29
50	Chris Converse (r)	18	05	09	50
51	Sepp Herrman (r)	21	05	59	26
52	Lynda Plettner	21	21	04	06
53	Jon Terhune (r)	22	00	11	04
54	Gunner Johnson (r)	22	00	57	48
55	Urtha Lenharr (r)	22	01	05	09
56	Tom Daily (r)	22	01	06	50
57	Mark Williams (r)	22	01	06	58
58	Catherine Mormile (r)	22	01	18	28
59	Don Mormile (r)	22	01	35	16
60	Brian O'Donoghue (r)	22	05	55	55

Scratched: David Aisenbrey (r), Steve Fossett (r), John Nels Anderson, Alan Garth (r), Roy Monk, Bill Peele (r), Gary Moore (r), Barry Lee (r), John Ace, Ken Chase, Sonny Russell, John Barron, Robin Jacobson, Gary Whittemore, Bobby Lee **Disqualified:** Joe Carpenter

1992 RESULTS

#	Musher	Days	Hrs	Min	Sec	Winnings
1	Martin Buser	10	19	17	15	\$51,600
2	Susan Butcher	11	05	36	03	\$41,280
3	Tim Osmar	11	05	49	39	\$36,120
4	Rick Swenson	11	07	51	49	\$30,960
5	DeeDee Jonrowe	11	09	05	00	\$25,800
6	Jeff King	11	10	40	35	\$20,640
7	Vern Halter	11	13	08	40	\$18,576
8	Rick Mackey	11	13	20	23	\$17,544
9	Doug Swingley (r)	11	13	47	00	\$16,512
10	Ketil Reitan	11	14	38	00	\$15,480
11	Matt Desalernos	11	15	15	12	\$14,448
12	Bruce Lee (r)	11	15	38	40	\$13,416
13	Claire Philip	11	15	43	20	\$12,384
14	Ed Iten (r)	11	16	01	43	\$11,868
15	Bill Cotter	11	17	00	00	\$11,352
16	Kate Persons	11	20	14	42	\$10,836
17	Lavon Barve	11	21	38	03	\$10,320
18	John Barron	11	23	53	21	\$9,804
19	Dan MacEachen	12	04	05	53	\$9,288
20	Joe Garnie	12	05	46	50	\$8,772
21	Kathy Swenson (r)	12	05	53	50	
22	Sonny Lindner	12	08	06	08	
23	Beverly Masek	12	13	20	55	
24	Jerry Austin	12	13	26	55	
25	Linwood Fiedler	12	21	59	50	
26	David Olesen	12	22	15	30	
27	Bill Jack	13	00	21	22	
28	Frank Teasley	13	03	03	58	
29	Rick Armstrong	13	03	41	59	
30	Terry Adkins	13	07	55	25	
31	Bob Chlupach	13	08	41	45	
32	Burt Bomhoff	13	10	23	25	
33	Bill Hall	13	14	07	10	
34	Gary Whitemonre	13	17	15	18	
35	Thomas Israelsson (r)	13	20	17	00	
36	Kathy Tucker (r)	14	00	55	30	
37	Susan Cantor (r)	14	01	42	42	
38	Roy Monk	14	02	09	06	
39	Lynda Plettner	14	02	46	54	
40	Norm Stoppenbrink	14	02	49	52	

1992 RESULTS CONTINUED

41	Joe Redington, Sr.	14	03	00	00
42	Raymie Redington	14	04	12	13
43	Charlie Boulding (r)	14	04	12	35
44	Mike Williams, Sr. (r)	14	08	46	47
45	John Nels Anderson	14	09	07	45
46	Kim Teasley (r)	14	11	42	47
47	Steve Fossett (r)	14	11	58	18
48	Jon Terhune	14	12	24	10
49	Bob Holder (r)	14	13	34	12
50	Jim Oehlschlaeger (r)	14	14	40	30
51	Cliff Roberson (r)	14	14	56	40
52	Pete Johnson (r)	14	15	01	15
53	Steve Christon (r)	14	17	38	15
54	Skin Wysocki (r)	15	02	58	20
55	Mellan Shea (r)	15	13	45	15
56	Bill Bass (r)	15	13	48	00
57	Bob Hickel	15	14	12	45
58	Debbie Corral (r)	15	14	36	40
59	James Reiter (r)	18	12	03	15
60	Loren Weaver	18	12	12	27
61	Jim Davis (r)	18	13	03	45
62	John Peterson (r)	18	13	04	58
63	Vern Cherneski (r)	18	13	05	02

Scratched: Tim Mundy (r), Carolyn Muegge-Vaughan (r), William Orazietto (r), Pascal Nicoud (r), Sonny Russell, Eep Anderson, Bob Ernisse (r), Norman Vaughan, Catherine Mormile, Emmitt Peters, Robin Jacobson, Krista Maciolek (r), Joe Runyan

1993 RESULTS

#	Musher	Days	Hrs	Min	Sec	Winnings
1	Jeff King	10	15	38	15	\$50,000
2	DeeDee Jonrowe	10	16	10	50	\$43,000
3	Rick Mackey	10	18	07	55	\$37,000
4	Susan Butcher	10	22	02	40	\$32,000
5	Tim Osmar	10	22	07	00	\$27,000
6	Martin Buser	11	00	47	39	\$22,000
7	Matt Desalernos	11	05	47	03	\$19,000
8	Doug Swingley	11	06	38	28	\$18,000
9	Rick Swenson	11	08	14	45	\$17,000
10	Bruce Lee	11	12	00	35	\$16,000
11	Vern Halter	11	13	04	15	\$15,000
12	Joe Runyan	11	13	06	12	\$14,000
13	Claire Phillip	11	13	15	45	\$13,000
14	Kathy Swenson	11	15	10	30	\$12,500
15	John Barron	11	15	59	03	\$12,000
16	Joe Garnie	11	18	42	20	\$11,500
17	Linwood Fiedler	11	21	02	50	\$11,000
18	Sonny Lindner	11	23	49	40	\$10,500
19	Bill Cotter	11	23	49	50	\$10,000
20	Kate Persons	11	23	50	20	\$9,500
21	Dan MacEachen	12	08	02	21	
22	David Olesen	14	17	52	35	
23	Jerry Austin	14	17	52	40	
24	Laird Barron	14	17	53	38	
25	Kathy Tucker	14	17	53	56	
26	Diana Dronenburg	14	17	54	00	
27	Frank Teasley	14	17	54	04	
28	Lynda Pletner	14	17	54	50	
29	Terry Adkins	14	17	55	00	
30	Duane Halverson	14	17	55	30	
31	Mike Williams, Sr.	14	17	55	41	
32	Mark Nordman	14	17	56	02	
33	Bob Holder	14	17	56	12	
34	Jason Barron (r)	14	17	56	20	
35	Keizo Funatsu (r)	14	17	56	30	
36	Ketil Reitan	14	17	57	42	
37	Pecos Humpheys	14	17	58	50	
38	Peryll Kyzer	14	17	59	02	
39	Jim Ohlschlaeger	16	13	56	45	
40	Skin Wysocki	16	13	57	05	
41	Jerry Loudon (r)	16	13	57	45	
42	Pat Danly	17	01	06	04	
43	Stan Smith (r)	17	06	23	13	

1993 RESULTS CONTINUED

44	Roger Haertel (r)	16	06	23	13
45	Jack Goode (r)	17	06	23	44
46	Paul Ruppel (r)	17	08	39	20
47	Joe Carpenter (r)	17	08	53	33
48	Mark Chapoton (r)	17	08	54	17
49	Kirsten Bay (r)	17	08	59	59
50	Bert Hansen	17	09	12	55
51	Harry Caldwell (r)	17	17	27	07
52	John Peterson	17	22	38	38
53	Spencer Thew (r)	17	22	38	38
54	Lloyd Gilbertson (r)	18	04	49	19

Scratched: Julius Burgert (r), David Aisenbrey (r), Robert Morgan (r), Norman Lee (r), Gary Moore (r), Lavon Barve, Terry Hinesly, Robin Jacobson, John Schandelmeier (r), Val Aron (r), Rick Townsend (r)

Disqualified: Dave Branholm (r) **Finisher:** Beverly Masek

1994 RESULTS

#	Musher	Days	Hrs	Min	Sec	Winnings
1	Martin Buser	10	15	28	11	\$50,000
2	Rick Mackey	10	18	18	14	\$39,500
3	Jeff King	10	21	46	09	\$32,000
4	Rick Swenson	10	22	19	41	\$25,820
5	Bill Cotter	10	22	39	39	\$21,516
6	Doug Swingley	11	00	00	31	\$17,213
7	Charlie Boulding	11	01	38	06	\$14,201
8	Tim Osmar	11	03	38	56	\$13,340
9	DeeDee Jonrowe	11	04	25	15	\$12,480
10	Susan Butcher	11	06	07	20	\$11,619
11	Matt Desalernos	11	08	53	34	\$10,758
12	Kate Persons	11	08	57	29	\$9,898
13	Vern Halter	11	11	34	13	\$9,037
14	Peryll Kyzer	11	11	48	02	\$8,607
15	Robin Jacobson	11	13	54	00	\$8,176
16	David Olesen	11	15	39	15	\$7,746
17	Ramy Brooks (r)	11	15	42	30	\$7,316
18	Linwood Fiedler	11	15	57	30	\$6,885
19	Diana Dronenburg	11	17	21	40	\$6,455
20	Kenth Fjelborg (r)	11	17	28	10	\$6,025
21	Ramey Smyth (r)	12	06	46	10	
22	Jerry Austin	12	07	17	07	
23	Ketil Reitan	12	07	48	10	
24	Bruce Lee	12	07	51	11	
25	Laird Barron	12	09	53	46	
26	Frank Teasley	12	09	54	35	
27	Stan Smith	12	12	42	42	
28	Mike Williams, Sr.	12	13	13	25	
29	Lynda Plettner	12	19	54	30	
30	Bill Hall	13	05	55	29	
31	Bob Holder	13	06	06	39	
32	Gus Guenther (r)	13	06	20	55	
33	Terry Adkins	13	06	34	44	
34	Jack Berry (r)	13	08	09	00	
35	Krista Maciolek (r)	13	08	58	03	
36	Robert Somers (r)	13	16	22	00	
37	Aaron Burmeister (r)	14	10	56	32	
38	Cliff Roberson	14	10	56	32	
39	Simon Kinneen (r)	14	60	50	45	
40	Bob Morgan (r)	15	03	53	29	

1994 RESULTS CONTINUED

41	Steven Adkins	15	04	33	22
42	Dave Branholm (r)	15	05	55	00
43	Bob Ernisse (r)	15	06	39	57
44	Harry Caldwell	15	07	25	10
45	Ron Aldrich	15	09	00	00
46	Jon Terhune	15	19	16	00
47	Kazuo Kojima	15	20	11	04
48	Roger Bliss (r)	16	04	04	04
49	Bruce Moroney (r)	16	00	52	53
50	Mark Chapoton	16	16	17	35

Scratched: Rick Townsend (r), Chris Converse, Lisa Moore (r), Beth Baker (r), Jamie Nelson, Lloyd Gilbertson, Mark Nordman **Withdrawn:** Catherine Mormile

1995 RESULTS

#	Musher	Days	Hrs	Min	Sec	Winnings
1	Doug Swingley	09	02	42	19	\$52,500
2	Martin Buser	09	08	47	44	\$38,080
3	Bill Cotter	09	10	52	23	\$30,940
4	DeeDee Jonrowe	09	11	24	07	\$26,775
5	Charlie Boulding	09	14	58	00	\$23,205
6	Rick Mackey	09	18	52	10	\$21,212
7	Jeff King	09	20	05	30	\$19,828
8	Vern Halter	09	20	05	30	\$18,445
9	Tim Osmar	09	21	25	08	\$17,062
10	Rick Swenson	09	22	32	00	\$15,678
11	Peryll Kyzer	10	01	55	40	\$13,150
12	John Barron	10	04	12	40	\$11,127
13	Linwood Fiedler	10	08	27	00	\$9,609
14	Matt Desalernos	10	11	14	10	\$8,598
15	David Sawatzky (r)	10	12	58	03	\$8,092
16	Ramy Brooks	10	14	08	00	\$7,854
17	Jerry Austin	10	33	56	00	\$7,497
18	David Olesen	10	23	51	51	\$7,140
19	Ramey Smyth	11	00	07	07	\$6,783
20	Mitch Seavey	11	00	07	31	\$6,426
21	John Gourley	11	00	33	59	
22	Mark Wildermuth (r)	11	05	14	58	
23	David Milne (r)	11	08	07	34	
24	Randy Adkins (r)	12	05	07	05	
25	Harry Caldwell	12	17	07	00	
26	Jack Berry	12	17	43	00	
27	Art Church (r)	12	23	00	29	
28	Cliff Roberson	13	00	27	19	
29	Dave Branholm	13	00	42	00	
30	Robert Salazar (r)	13	01	07	00	
31	Bob Holder	13	01	36	00	
32	Kazuo Kojima	13	02	13	00	
33	Libby Riddles	13	02	15	00	
34	David Dalton (r)	13	03	20	00	
35	Don Lyrek (r)	13	05	56	00	
36	Nicolas Pattaroni (r)	13	06	32	00	
37	Pat Danly	13	08	14	00	
38	Paula Gmerek (r)	13	08	54	27	
39	Rollin Westrum	13	09	42	00	
40	Robert Bundtzen (r)	13	09	55	09	

1995 RESULTS CONTINUED

41	Wayne Curtis (r)	13	19	39	03
42	Jon Terhune	13	20	05	36
43	Nikolai Ettyne	14	15	45	00
44	Kjell Risung (r)	14	16	05	00
45	Susan Whiton (r)	14	22	54	54
46	Max Hall (r)	15	05	13	39
47	Tim Triumph (r)	16	13	15	00
48	Larry William (r)	16	23	56	26
49	Ben Jacobson (r)	17	06	02	05

Scratched: Keizo Funatsu, Andy Sterns (r), Kathy Swenson, Diana Moroney, Robert Somers, Pecos Humphries, Barrie Raper (r), Lorren Weaver, Don Bowers (r)

1996 RESULTS

#	Musher	Days	Hrs	Min	Sec	Winnings
1	Jeff King	09	05	43	13	\$50,000
2	Doug Swingley	09	08	31	59	\$32,000
3	Martin Buser	09	17	58	15	\$26,000
4	Tim Osmar	09	18	31	30	\$22,500
5	DeeDee Jonrowe	09	20	18	03	\$19,500
6	Bill Cotter	09	21	53	50	\$17,825
7	Charlie Boulding	09	22	00	00	\$16,663
8	David Sawatzky	09	22	29	13	\$15,500
9	Vern Halter	10	00	59	12	\$14,338
10	Peryll Kyzer	10	01	29	53	\$13,175
11	Ramy Brooks	10	02	56	18	\$11,050
12	David Scheer	10	04	00	03	\$9,350
13	Robin Jacobson	10	04	41	53	\$8,075
14	Lavon Barve	10	05	54	43	\$7,225
15	Mitch Seavey	10	06	27	59	\$6,800
16	John Barron	10	06	35	31	\$6,600
17	Linwood Fiedler	10	07	25	18	\$6,300
18	Cim Smyth (r)	10	08	00	00	\$6,000
19	Roger Dahl (r)	10	08	28	00	\$5,700
20	Sven Engholm (r)	10	14	06	00	\$5,400
21	Jerry Austin	10	16	38	40	
22	John Baker (r)	10	23	26	36	
23	Tomas Israelsson	11	07	52	58	
24	Duane Halverson	11	07	55	48	
25	Bruce Lee	11	07	57	30	
26	Paul Gebhardt (r)	11	08	08	49	
27	Diana Moroney	11	08	10	21	
28	Andy Willis (r)	11	12	11	52	
29	David Olesen	11	14	13	50	
30	Nicolas Pattaroni	12	07	04	19	
31	Conner Thomas	12	08	27	11	
32	Steve Adkins	12	09	15	50	
33	Kazuo Kojima	12	09	26	41	
34	Michael Nosko (r)	12	11	56	20	
35	Harry Caldwell	12	13	14	18	
36	Mike Webber (r)	13	04	43	25	
37	Jim Davis	13	05	15	51	
38	Randy Romenesko (r)	13	05	24	15	
39	Susan Whiton	13	05	29	40	
40	Lori Townsend (r)	13	05	36	48	

1996 RESULTS CONTINUED

41	Bill Gallea (r)	13	07	53	37
42	Mark Nordman	13	11	31	26
43	Aaron Burmeister	14	04	48	00
44	Rob Carss (r)	14	05	07	00
45	Ararad Khatchikian (r)	14	06	14	00
46	Dave Branholm	14	06	37	00
47	Lisa Moore (r)	15	14	15	38
48	Don Bowers (r)	15	14	16	04
49	Andy Sterns (r)	15	23	48	22

Scratched: Bill Hall, Roy Monk, Rich Bosela, Stan Zuray, Jack Berry, Kjell Risung, Mark Black (r)

Withdrawn: Rick Swenson (overturned by Appeals Board), Ralph Ray (r), Linda Joy (r), Bob Bright

1997 RESULTS

#	Musher	Days	Hrs	Min	Sec	Winnings
1	Martin Buser	09	08	30	45	\$50,000
2	Doug Swingley	09	11	41	15	\$48,800
3	Jeff King	09	15	35	15	\$36,400
4	DeeDee Jonrowe	09	18	26	10	\$31,500
5	Vern Halter	09	20	58	44	\$27,300
6	Lavon Barve	09	21	06	17	\$24,955
7	Bill Cotter	09	21	37	28	\$23,328
8	Ramy Brooks	09	21	51	09	\$21,700
9	Peryll Kyzer	09	22	20	49	\$20,073
10	Tim Osmar	09	22	59	28	\$18,445
11	John Baker	09	23	09	36	\$15,470
12	Sven Engholm	09	23	24	08	\$13,090
13	Charlie Boulding	09	23	49	25	\$11,305
14	Paul Gebhardt	10	08	59	25	\$10,115
15	Ramey Smyth	10	14	11	20	\$9,520
16	Mitch Seavey	10	14	31	55	\$9,240
17	Linwood Fiedler	10	14	58	20	\$8,820
18	Mike Williams, Sr.	10	15	45	02	\$8,400
19	David Sawatzky	10	17	54	00	\$7,980
20	Kris Swanguarin (r)	10	19	26	01	\$7,560
21	Nicolus Pattaroni	11	01	28	01	\$1,049
22	Michael Nosko	11	01	49	22	\$1,049
23	Jack Berry	11	06	42	22	\$1,049
24	Krista Maciolek	11	17	59	24	\$1,049
25	Raymie Redington	11	18	00	21	\$1,049
26	Harry Caldwell	12	00	48	48	\$1,049
27	Robert Bundtzen	12	01	32	43	\$1,049
28	Jean Lacroix (r)	12	08	46	50	\$1,049
29	Randy Adkins	12	12	59	06	\$1,049
30	Keli Mahoney (r)	12	15	31	52	\$1,049
31	Ross Adam (r)	13	00	24	26	\$1,049
32	Mark Lindstrom (r)	13	00	24	49	\$1,049
33	Al Hardman (r)	13	00	58	40	\$1,049
34	Shawn Sidelinger (r)	13	03	30	30	\$1,049
35	Dan Seavey	13	04	03	10	\$1,049
36	Joe Redington, Jr.	13	04	18	57	\$1,049
37	Wayne Curtis	13	04	23	05	\$1,049
38	Bill Bass	13	10	57	31	\$1,049
39	Bob Hickel	13	10	58	47	\$1,049
40	Don Bowers	14	04	54	03	\$1,049
41	Suzan Amundsen (r)	14	04	55	02	\$1,049
42	Sonny King (r)	14	04	58	05	\$1,049

1997 RESULTS CONTINUED

43	Jerome Longo (r)	14	12	23	11	\$1,049
44	Ken Chase	15	09	07	44	\$1,049

Scratched: Lori Townsend, Jerry Raychel, Dave Branholm, James Ritchie (r), Bob Ernisse, John Barron, Max Hall, Linda Joy (r), Ted English

1998 RESULTS

#	Musher	Days	Hrs	Min	Sec	Winnings
1	Jeff King	09	05	52	26	\$51,000
2	DeeDee Jonrowe	09	08	49	42	\$47,872
3	Charlie Boulding	09	11	41	02	\$38,896
4	Mitch Seavey	09	12	18	00	\$33,660
5	John Baker	09	21	43	09	\$29,172
6	Ramey Smyth	09	21	47	23	\$26,666
7	Martin Buser	09	21	47	58	\$24,927
8	Linwood Fiedler	09	22	29	32	\$23,188
9	Doug Swingley	09	22	34	17	\$21,449
10	Vern Halter	09	22	40	59	\$19,710
11	Rick Swenson	09	23	09	42	\$16,531
12	John Barron	10	00	40	48	\$13,988
13	Paul Gebhardt	10	04	54	40	\$12,080
14	Sven Engholm	10	05	25	39	\$10,809
15	David Sawatzky	10	07	28	58	\$10,173
16	Joe Garnie	10	13	40	02	\$9,874
17	Tim Osmar	10	13	41	04	\$9,425
18	Ramy Brooks	10	14	09	03	\$8,976
19	Bill Cotter	10	14	53	25	\$8,527
20	Mark May (r)	10	14	53	25	\$8,078
21	Christopher Knott (r)	11	00	12	55	\$1,049
22	Zack Steer (r)	11	01	12	39	\$1,049
23	Mike Williams, Sr.	11	01	57	35	\$1,049
24	Juan Alcina (r)	11	08	21	09	\$1,049
25	Sonny King	11	08	44	45	\$1,049
26	Raymie Redington	11	0	31	58	\$1,049
27	Steve Adkins	11	11	54	31	\$1,049
28	Harry Caldwell	11	15	02	20	\$1,049
29	Hans Gatt (r)	11	19	15	28	\$1,049
30	David Milne	11	19	32	11	\$1,049
31	Robin Jacobson	11	19	32	12	\$1,049
32	Ted English	11	20	42	01	\$1,049
33	Lynda Plettner	11	23	53	20	\$1,049
34	Shawn Sidelinger	12	00	08	04	\$1,049
35	Jerome Longo	12	00	51	45	\$1,049
36	Matt Hayashida (r)	12	04	35	54	\$1,049
37	Andy Willis	12	04	40	00	\$1,049
38	Ross Adam	12	05	18	23	\$1,049
39	James Ritchie (r)	12	05	50	58	\$1,049
40	Gus Guenther	12	05	53	39	\$1,049

1998 RESULTS CONTINUED

41	Steve Carrick (r)	12	05	56	52	\$1,049
42	Jim Lanier	12	06	09	35	\$1,049
43	Jeremy Gebauer (r)	12	06	20	15	\$1,049
44	Sam Maxwell (r)	12	10	23	46	\$1,049
45	Kimarie Hanson (r)	12	10	55	59	\$1,049
46	Linda Joy (r)	13	05	20	42	\$1,049
47	Billy Snodgrass (r)	13	23	04	23	\$1,049
48	Cindy Gallea (r)	14	00	48	36	\$1,049
49	Chris Lund (r)	14	01	49	59	\$1,049
50	Matt Giblin (r)	14	01	56	17	\$1,049
51	Brad Porzarnsky (r)	14	05	42	04	\$1,049

Scratched: Suzan Amundsen, Rob Carss, Ken Chase, Roy Monk, Maria Hayashida (r), Kris Swanguarin, Don Bowers, Keli Mahoney, Terry Adkins, Jack Berry, Michael Nosko, Dave Lindquist (r)

1999 RESULTS

#	Musher	Days	Hrs	Min	Sec	Winnings
1	Doug Swingley	09	14	31	07	\$60,000
2	Martin Buser	09	23	10	59	\$56,320
3	Vern Halter	10	06	25	40	\$45,760
4	Rick Swenson	10	08	19	05	\$39,600
5	Charlie Boulding	10	09	19	52	\$34,320
6	Paul Gebardt	10	09	37	10	\$31,372
7	Jeff King	10	10	10	32	\$29,326
8	John Baker	10	10	10	54	\$27,280
9	Sven Engholm	10	13	23	13	\$25,234
10	Ed Iten	10	14	02	30	\$23,188
11	Mitch Seavey	10	14	26	29	\$19,448
12	Ramey Smyth	10	15	37	10	\$16,456
13	Linwood Fiedler	10	18	30	40	\$14,212
14	Bill Cotter	10	21	15	00	\$12,716
15	David Sawatzky	10	21	53	13	\$11,968
16	Rick Mackey	10	23	12	55	\$11,616
17	Joe Garnie	11	00	43	38	\$11,088
18	Tim Osmar	11	01	20	08	\$10,560
19	Harald Tunheim (r)	11	01	47	36	\$10,032
20	Christopher Knott	11	02	09	09	\$9,504
21	Hans Gatt	11	06	39	30	\$1,049
22	Sonny King	11	11	17	49	\$1,049
23	Mike Williams, Sr.	11	12	03	50	\$1,049
24	Sonny Lindner	12	10	01	50	\$1,049
25	Juan Alcina	12	10	03	05	\$1,049
26	Ken Anderson (r)	12	10	43	01	\$1,049
27	Jerome Longo	12	13	44	15	\$1,049
28	Robert Bundtzen	12	15	04	15	\$1,049
29	Peryll Kyzer	12	17	23	53	\$1,049
30	Michael Nosko	12	18	55	55	\$1,049
31	Russell Lane (r)	12	19	14	17	\$1,049
32	Raymie Redington	12	19	25	30	\$1,049
33	Matt Hayashida	12	19	51	30	\$1,049
34	Frank Teasley	12	19	59	29	\$1,049
35	Shawn Sidelinger	12	20	24	50	\$1,049
36	Jon Little (r)	12	20	53	01	\$1,049
37	Max Hall	12	22	48	59	\$1,049
38	Lynda Plettner	13	02	58	00	\$1,049
39	Aaron Burmeister	13	03	26	41	\$1,049
40	Dario Daniels (r)	13	09	04	13	\$1,049

1999 RESULTS CONTINUED

41	Bill Hall	13	10	33	50	\$1,049
42	Jim Lanier	13	13	55	00	\$1,049
43	Jim Gallea (r)	13	13	14	40	\$1,049
44	Don Bowers	13	15	37	15	\$1,049
45	Shane Goosen (r)	15	01	51	41	\$1,049
46	Judy Currier (r)	15	02	40	08	\$1,049
47	Jeremy Gebauer	15	03	18	44	\$1,049

Scratched: Robert Moore (r), Dan Dent (r), Ted English, Steve Crouch (r), Steve Carrick, John Barron, DeeDee Jonrowe, Harry Caldwell, Linda Joy

2000 RESULTS

#	Musher	Days	Hrs	Min	Sec	Winnings
1	Doug Swingley	09	00	58	06	\$60,000
2	Paul Gebhardt	09	06	04	23	\$52,500
3	Jeff King	09	08	44	41	\$45,000
4	Ramy Brooks	09	09	20	30	\$37,500
5	Charlie Boulding	09	11	16	23	\$34,000
6	Rick Mackey	09	13	35	45	\$31,000
7	Martin Buser	09	14	55	15	\$28,500
8	Rick Swenson	09	15	09	00	\$26,000
9	Mitch Seavey	09	19	15	45	\$23,500
10	Bill Cotter	09	20	55	11	\$21,000
11	Ramey Smyth	09	22	08	26	\$18,500
12	Hans Gatt	09	22	57	24	\$16,500
13	Bruce Lee	10	01	23	05	\$14,000
14	Zack Steer	10	01	44	24	\$13,000
15	John Barron	10	01	53	53	\$12,500
16	Tim Osmar	10	02	27	05	\$12,000
17	Juan Alcina	10	02	34	24	\$11,500
18	Sonny King	10	03	58	29	\$10,750
19	Linwood Fiedler	10	04	01	31	\$10,250
20	DeeDee Jonrowe	10	04	24	04	\$9,500
21	Vern Halter	10	05	34	14	\$8,000
22	John Baker	10	05	48	29	\$7,000
23	Jon Little	10	07	44	20	\$6,000
24	Ed Iten	10	08	54	34	\$4,000
25	Harald Tunheim	10	12	04	40	\$3,500
26	David Sawatzky	10	13	14	15	\$2,500
27	Tony Willis (r)	10	13	33	52	\$2,000
28	Mike Williams, Sr.	10	19	29	40	\$1,750
29	Raymie Redington	11	00	22	52	\$1,500
30	Aaron Burmeister	11	03	35	04	\$1,250
31	Diana Moroney	11	05	14	24	\$1,049
32	Joran Freeman (r)	11	05	31	11	\$1,049
33	Bryan Imus (r)	11	05	35	36	\$1,049
34	Nils Hahn (r)	11	07	05	55	\$1,049
35	David Milne	11	09	09	34	\$1,049
36	Russell Lane	11	09	34	34	\$1,049
37	Al Hardman	11	11	32	29	\$1,049
38	James Ritchie	11	19	37	28	\$1,049
39	Michael Nosko	12	00	24	40	\$1,049
40	Emmitt Peters	12	02	42	40	\$1,049

2000 RESULTS CONTINUED

41	Ross Adam	12	03	00	15	\$1,049
42	Jerome Longo	12	04	21	05	\$1,049
43	Shawn Sidelinger	12	04	54	15	\$1,049
44	Jamie Nelson	12	05	32	00	\$1,049
45	Billy Snodgrass	12	06	31	14	\$1,049
46	Blake Freking(r)	12	06	47	26	\$1,049
47	Max Hall	12	06	50	19	\$1,049
48	John Dixon (r)	12	08	38	06	\$1,049
49	Roy Monk	12	0	15	36	\$1,049
50	Steve Adkins	12	13	49	36	\$1,049
51	Aaron Peck (r)	12	17	48	05	\$1,049
52	John Bramante (r)	12	23	57	00	\$1,049
53	Anna Bondarenko (r)	13	00	07	58	\$1,049
54	Paul Ellering (r)	13	00	30	45	\$1,049
55	Kevin Kortuem (r)	13	16	07	20	\$1,049
56	Bob Hempstead (r)	13	17	01	13	\$1,049
57	Caleb Banse (r)	13	20	30	15	\$1,049
58	Vickie Talbot (r)	13	20	49	06	\$1,049
59	Edward de la Billiere (r)	13	21	51	37	\$1,049
60	Dan Govoni (r)	14	04	15	20	\$1,049
61	Trisha Kolegar (r)	14	04	19	10	\$1,049
62	Bill McKee (r)	14	04	48	35	\$1,049
63	Dan Dent (r)	14	05	07	28	\$1,049
64	Melanie Gould (r)	14	07	05	15	\$1,049
65	James Wheeler (r)	14	08	48	10	\$1,049
66	Lynda Plettner	15	01	03	23	\$1,049
67	Dave Tresino (r)	15	05	30	22	\$1,049
68	Fedor Konyukhov (r)	15	05	44	44	\$1,049

Scratched: Ted English, Harry Caldwell, Nelsn Shughart (r), Rich Bosela, David Straub (r), Mike Murphy (r), Shane Goosen, Cindy Gallea, Bill Bass, Rob Greger (r), Karen Ramstead (r), Jerry Riley **Withdrawn:** Neen Bown (r)

2001 RESULTS

#	Musher	Days	Hrs	Min	Sec	Winnings
1	Doug Swingley	09	19	55	50	\$62,857
2	Linwood Fiedler	10	03	58	57	\$55,000
3	Jeff King	10	07	19	43	\$47,143
4	Rick Swenson	10	15	57	28	\$39,286
5	Paul Gebhardt	10	20	37	05	\$35,619
6	John Baker	10	21	00	30	\$32,476
7	Rick Mackey	11	02	00	02	\$29,857
8	Jerry Riley	11	06	43	58	\$27,238
9	Sonny King	11	12	58	46	\$24,619
10	DeeDee Jonrowe	11	14	33	15	\$22,000
11	Vern Halter	11	18	57	00	\$19,381
12	Ramy Brooks	11	20	47	05	\$17,286
13	Ramey Smyth	11	22	16	40	\$14,667
14	Jessie Royer (r)	11	23	04	40	\$13,619
15	Jon Little	11	23	46	15	\$13,095
16	Ed Iten	12	00	22	45	\$12,571
17	Andy Moderow (r)	12	00	44	10	\$12,048
18	Tim Osmar	12	01	15	00	\$11,262
19	Hans Gatt	12	01	46	54	\$10,738
20	Charlie Boulding	12	02	36	48	\$9,952
21	Sonny Lindner	12	06	11	28	\$8,381
22	Nils Hahn	12	06	37	02	\$7,333
23	Juan Alcina	12	06	40	01	\$6,286
24	Martin Buser	12	07	43	59	\$4,190
25	Thomas Tetz (r)	12	07	44	17	\$3,667
26	Bill Cotter	12	08	14	28	\$2,619
27	Russell Lane	12	09	17	57	\$2,095
28	Dan Govoni	12	10	38	00	\$1,833
29	Aaron Burmeister	12	10	39	10	\$1,571
30	Gwen Holdman (r)	12	14	24	15	\$1,310
31	Robert Bundtzen	13	15	38	43	\$1,049
32	Jerome Longo	12	16	42	37	\$1,049
33	Aliy Zirkle (r)	12	17	53	33	\$1,049
34	Raymie Redington	12	18	14	38	\$1,049
35	Ray Redington, Jr. (r)	12	18	14	42	\$1,049
36	Lance Mackey (r)	12	18	35	13	\$1,049
37	Mike Williams, Sr.	12	20	21	05	\$1,049
38	Cindy Gallea	12	21	46	53	\$1,049
39	John Barron	12	22	45	45	\$1,049
40	Wally Robinson (r)	12	23	36	55	\$1,049
41	Bob Chlupach	13	03	07	53	\$1,049
42	Mitch Seavey	13	07	56	06	\$1,049

2001 RESULTS CONTINUED

43	Danny Seavey (r)	13	07	59	34	\$1,049
44	Dan Seavey	13	08	53	35	\$1,049
45	Palmer Sagoonick (r)	13	09	43	08	\$1,049
46	Morton Fonseca (r)	13	12	01	08	\$1,049
47	Ron Koczaja (r)	13	12	55	39	\$1,049
48	Bruce Moroney	13	15	02	43	\$1,049
49	Jim Lanier	13	15	35	40	\$1,049
50	Peryll Kyzer	13	15	53	10	\$1,049
51	Wayne Curtis	13	17	53	40	\$1,049
52	Elizabeth Manning (r)	13	22	59	10	\$1,049
53	Clint Warnke (r)	13	23	00	00	\$1,049
54	Buck Church (r)	13	23	37	27	\$1,049
55	Roy Monk	13	23	52	32	\$1,049
56	Dave Tresino	14	05	00	40	\$1,049
57	Karen Ramstead (r)	14	23	53	16	\$1,049

Scratched: Chuck King (r), Michael Nosko, Bob Morgan, David Straub (r), Art Church, Rob Carss, Devan Currier (r), Ryan Redington (r), Steve Carrick, Pedro Curuchet (r) **Withdrawn:** Jason Halseth (r)

2002 RESULTS

#	Musher	Days	Hrs	Min	Sec	Winnings
1	Martin Buser	08	22	46	02	\$62,857
2	Ramy Brooks	09	00	49	18	\$55,000
3	John Baker	09	05	46	30	\$47,143
4	Jon Little	09	07	22	44	\$39,286
5	Vern Halter	09	07	47	48	\$35,619
6	Jeff King	09	10	42	19	\$32,476
7	Ramey Smyth	09	12	02	29	\$29,857
8	Charlie Boulding	09	13	36	32	\$27,238
9	Robert Sørlie(r)	09	13	44	52	\$24,619
10	Kjetil Backen (r)	09	13	47	42	\$22,000
11	Mitch Seavey	09	14	25	10	\$19,381
12	Harald Tunheim	09	15	10	03	\$17,286
13	Sonny Lindner	09	19	08	29	\$14,667
14	Ray Redington, Jr.	09	21	26	18	\$13,619
15	Tim Osmar	09	21	48	19	\$13,095
16	DeeDee Jonrowe	09	22	07	20	\$12,571
17	Jerry Riley	09	22	11	31	\$12,048
18	Ken Anderson	09	22	29	49	\$11,262
19	Rick Swenson	09	23	41	11	\$10,738
20	Lynda Plettner	10	02	34	24	\$9,952
21	Al Hardman	10	04	20	30	\$8,381
22	John Barron	10	06	25	40	\$7,333
23	Hans Gatt	10	08	54	04	\$6,286
24	Bruce Lee	10	11	20	17	\$4,190
25	Jim Lanier	10	12	43	00	\$3,667
26	Peter Bartlett	10	16	13	10	\$2,619
27	Bill Cotter	10	17	20	32	\$2,095
28	Sonny King	10	17	39	02	\$1,833
29	Aliy Zirkle	10	28	01	45	\$1,571
30	Jim Gallea	10	20	38	19	\$1,310
31	Robert Bundtzen	11	00	34	42	\$1,049
32	Keith Aili (r)	11	07	34	37	\$1,049
33	Stan Passananiti (r)	11	07	36	42	\$1,049
34	Nils Hahn	11	14	53	49	\$1,049
35	Gerald Sousa (r)	11	20	35	55	\$1,049
36	Palmer Sagoonick	11	20	50	54	\$1,049
37	Melanie Gould	11	21	33	55	\$1,049
38	Mike Williams, Sr.	11	22	23	46	\$1,049
39	Garth Elsdon (r)	11	23	23	46	\$1,049
40	Doug Swingley	13	05	24	05	\$1,049

2002 RESULTS CONTINUED

41	Harmony Kanavle (r)	13	06	14	26	\$1,049
42	Jason Barron	13	06	14	26	\$1,049
43	Daniel Vetch (r)	13	06	32	34	\$1,049
44	Jim Oehlschlaeger	13	07	02	09	\$1,049
46	Kelly Williams (r)	13	08	20	23	\$1,049
47	Lisa Frederic (r)	13	23	45	55	\$1,049
48	John Bramante	13	23	47	22	\$1,049
49	Karen Land (r)	13	23	55	22	\$1,049
50	Devan Currier	14	00	56	06	\$1,049
51	Lesley Monk	14	01	00	00	\$1,049
52	GB Jones (r)	14	01	11	11	\$1,049
53	Bill Bordon (r)	14	04	10	14	\$1,049
54	Ken Chase	14	04	15	21	\$1,049
55	David Straub (r)	14	05	38	12	\$1,049
56	Dave Tresino	14	05	00	40	\$1,049

Scratched: Perry Solmonson (r), Burt Bomhoff, Judy Merritt (r), Ellen Halverson (r), Lance Mackey, Linwood Fiedler, Rick Horstmann (r), Mark Black (r), Sandy McKee (r)

2003 RESULTS

#	Musher	Days	Hrs	Min	Sec	Winnings
1	Robert Sørllie	09	15	47	36	\$68,571
2	Ramy Brooks	09	17	37	10	\$60,000
3	Jeff King	09	23	17	00	\$51,429
4	Martin Buser	10	03	40	19	\$42,857
5	Ken Anderson	10	06	12	17	\$38,857
6	Linwood Fiedler	10	07	02	55	\$35,429
7	Ramey Smyth	10	07	10	33	\$32,571
8	John Baker	10	07	33	07	\$29,714
9	Ed Iten	10	11	07	05	\$26,857
10	Sonny Lindner	10	12	18	06	\$24,000
11	Rick Swenson	10	12	36	41	\$21,143
12	Mitch Seavey	10	14	12	10	\$18,857
13	Jon Little	10	15	00	26	\$16,000
14	Aliy Zirkle	10	17	17	38	\$14,857
15	Ray Redington, Jr.	10	19	04	08	\$14,286
16	Aaron Burmeister	10	20	20	15	\$13,714
17	Bruce Lee	10	22	07	00	\$13,143
18	DeeDee Jonrowe	10	23	45	39	\$12,286
19	Jessica Hendricks (r)	11	02	40	17	\$11,714
20	Jessie Royer	11	04	09	08	\$10,857
21	Vern Halter	11	05	37	56	\$9,143
22	Tim Osmar	11	05	53	33	\$8,000
23	Paul Gebhardt	11	08	51	32	\$6,857
24	Jim Lanier	11	11	11	10	\$4,571
25	Melanie Gould	11	13	54	18	\$4,000
26	Clint Warnke	11	14	02	03	\$2,857
27	Cim Smyth	11	14	42	44	\$2,286
28	Robert Bundtzen	11	15	18	54	\$2,000
29	Randy Chappel (r)	11	15	22	10	\$1,714
30	Lynda Plettner	11	23	04	25	\$1,429
31	Mike Williams, Sr.	12	01	11	11	\$1,049
32	Cali King (r)	12	07	22	01	\$1,049
33	Cindy Gallea	12	07	48	52	\$1,049
34	Palmer Sagoonick	12	12	25	36	\$1,049
35	Jack Berry	12	12	42	40	\$1,049
36	Tyrell Seavey (r)	12	15	01	01	\$1,049
37	William Pinkham (r)	12	17	35	35	\$1,049
38	Gerald Sousa	13	00	30	15	\$1,049
39	Carla Kelly (r)	13	01	37	31	\$1,049
40	Jim Gallea	13	05	08	31	\$1,049

2003 RESULTS CONTINUED

41	Frank Sihler (r)	14	00	49	19	\$1,049
42	Kelly LaMarre (r)	14	11	05	35	\$1,049
43	Ben Stamm (r)	14	11	06	05	\$1,049
44	Russell Bybee (r)	15	05	30	53	\$1,049

Scratched: Lance Barve (r), Blake Matray (r), Karen Land, Bob Hickel, Peter Bartlett (r), Jason Barron, Ted English, Dean Osmar, GB Jones, Todd Capistrant (r), Perry Solmonson (r), Keih Aili, Charlie Boulding, Dexter Kancer (r), Lachlan Clarke, Adam Scott Gibler (r), Karen Ramstead, Ellen Halverson (r), Debbie Moderow (r), Jerry Riley

2004 RESULTS

#	Musher	Days	Hrs	Min	Sec	Winnings
1	Mitch Seavey	09	12	20	22	\$69,000
2	Jeff King	09	14	40	59	\$63,000
3	Kjetil Backen	09	15	11	02	\$57,000
4	Ramey Smyth	09	16	23	50	\$50,000
5	Ed Iten	09	09	16	25	\$44,000
6	Charlie Boulding	09	17	04	07	\$40,000
7	Rick Swenson	09	18	59	32	\$37,000
8	Ramy Brooks	09	19	58	09	\$34,000
9	John Baker	10	00	43	00	\$31,000
10	Vern Halter	10	01	25	24	\$28,000
11	Martin Buser	10	02	41	24	\$25,000
12	Jason Barron	10	05	11	37	\$22,000
13	Aaron Burmeister	10	05	34	10	\$20,000
14	Tim Osmar	10	08	31	15	\$18,000
15	DeeDee Jonrowe	10	08	40	49	\$17,000
16	Gerald Sousa	10	09	30	20	\$16,000
17	Ken Anderson	10	10	10	26	\$15,000
18	Jim Lanier	10	11	01	10	\$14,000
19	Paul Gebhardt	10	12	26	22	\$13,000
20	Ray Redington, Jr.	10	14	21	31	\$12,000
21	Jessie Royer	10	14	23	32	\$11,000
22	Hugh Neff (r)	10	16	21	01	\$9,000
23	Melanie Gould	10	17	28	30	\$8,000
24	Lance Mackey	10	18	27	37	\$5,300
25	Shannon Brockman (r)	10	18	37	27	\$4,500
26	Jason Mackey (r)	10	18	58	27	\$3,300
27	John Barron	10	20	56	50	\$2,700
28	Fabrizio Lovati (r)	10	22	06	28	\$2,300
29	Dennis Kananowicz (r)	10	23	04	28	\$2,100
30	Bill Cotter	11	00	26	24	\$1,800
31	Nils Hahn	11	00	40	37	\$1,049
32	Joe Garnie	11	00	41	12	\$1,049
33	William Pinkham	11	01	40	47	\$1,049
34	Aliy Zirkle	11	02	04	44	\$1,049
35	Lynda Plettner	11	05	02	06	\$1,049
36	Sam Perrino (r)	11	05	22	05	\$1,049
37	Mike Williams, Sr.	11	06	40	06	\$1,049
38	Robert Bundtzen	11	06	53	00	\$1,049
39	Frank Sihler	11	07	39	27	\$1,049
40	William Hanes (r)	11	07	51	01	\$1,049

2004 RESULTS CONTINUED

41	Cindy Gallea	11	07	58	10	\$1,049
42	Randy Chappel	11	10	38	14	\$1,049
43	Cim Smyth	11	18	58	00	\$1,049
44	Ryan Redington (r)	11	19	10	15	\$1,049
45	Ellie Claus (r)	11	19	24	30	\$1,049
46	Rick Mackey	11	21	01	35	\$1,049
47	Rick Larson (r)	11	21	59	36	\$1,049
48	Scott Smith (r)	11	22	06	09	\$1,049
49	Peryll Kyzer	12	00	15	34	\$1,049
50	Bernhard Schuchert (r)	12	02	04	44	\$1,049
51	Dexter Kancer (r)	12	02	30	35	\$1,049
52	Noah Burmeister (r)	12	02	50	32	\$1,049
53	Doug Grilliot (r)	12	04	52	32	\$1,049
54	Peter Bartlett	12	05	45	52	\$1,049
55	Kelly Williams	12	06	06	12	\$1,049
56	Karen Land	12	06	45	19	\$1,049
57	Rick Casillo (r)	12	06	53	14	\$1,049
58	Karen Ramstead	12	08	00	04	\$1,049
59	Al Hardman	12	08	43	24	\$1,049
60	Ed Stielstra (r)	12	11	48	52	\$1,049
61	Mark Moderow (r)	12	13	34	04	\$1,049
62	Tollef Monson (r)	12	15	18	53	\$1,049
63	Wayne Curtis	12	18	06	45	\$1,049
64	Russell Bybee	13	03	41	40	\$1,049
65	Devan Currier	13	03	43	14	\$1,049
66	Todd Capistrant (r)	13	04	14	34	\$1,049
67	Jim Connor (r)	13	04	14	36	\$1,049
68	Harmony Barron	13	05	58	47	\$1,049
69	Cliff Wang (r)	13	06	06	08	\$1,049
70	Jacob Lysyshyn (r)	13	07	00	58	\$1,049
71	Matt Weik (r)	13	13	50	01	\$1,049
72	Sue Allen (r)	13	18	59	21	\$1,049
73	James Warren (r)	13	19	15	21	\$1,049
74	Ben Stamm	13	19	20	00	\$1,049
75	Steven Madsen (r)	14	11	16	05	\$1,049
76	GB Jones	15	02	38	08	\$1,049
77	Perry Solmonson (r)	15	02	50	36	\$1,049

Scratched: Burt Bomhoff, Jesse Beebe (r), Judy Merritt (r), Melinda Miles (r), Carmen Perzichino (r), Doug Swingley, Todd Denick (r), Ararad Khatchikain, Sonny Lindner, Anny Bondarenko

2005 RESULTS

#	Musher	Days	Hrs	Min	Sec	Winnings
1	Robert Sørlie	09	18	39	31	\$72,066.67
2	Ed Iten	09	19	13	33	\$65,800.00
3	Mitch Seavey	09	19	20	58	\$59,533.33
4	Bjornar Andersen (r)	09	19	50	38	\$52,222.22
5	Ramy Brooks	09	21	30	00	\$45,955.56
6	John Baker	09	21	41	00	\$41,777.78
7	Lance Mackey	10	00	21	00	\$38,644.44
8	Jessie Royer	10	01	03	30	\$35,511.11
9	Paul Gebhardt	10	01	24	20	\$32,377.78
10	DeeDee Jonrowe	10	01	42	55	\$29,244.44
11	Aliy Zirkle	10	01	46	30	\$26,111.11
12	Jeff King	10	02	21	21	\$22,977.78
13	Martin Buser	10	02	32	40	\$20,888.89
14	Doug Swingley	10	02	59	03	\$18,800.00
15	Jessica Hendricks	10	03	20	28	\$17,755.56
16	Tyrell Seavey	10	05	25	52	\$16,711.11
17	Ken Anderson	10	09	25	54	\$15,666.67
18	Hans Gatt	10	12	26	05	\$14,622.22
19	Tim Osmar	10	15	08	25	\$13,577.78
20	Ramey Smyth	10	16	12	59	\$12,533.33
21	Louis Nelson, Sr. (r)	10	16	17	45	\$11,488.89
22	Vern Halter	10	17	20	15	\$9,400.00
23	Melanie Gould	10	19	04	17	\$8,355.56
24	Aaron Burmeister	10	19	09	39	\$5,535.56
25	Ray Redington, Jr.	10	20	17	04	\$4,700.00
26	Hugh Neff	10	22	59	39	\$3,446.67
27	Diana Moroney (Dronenburg)	11	01	07	56	\$2,820.00
28	Peter Bartlett	11	01	37	28	\$2,402.22
29	Harmony Barron (Kanavale)	11	06	04	34	\$2,193.33
30	Jason Barron	11	06	08	56	\$1,880.00
31	John Barron	11	07	23	20	\$1,366.88
32	Gerald Sousa	11	10	31	47	\$1,366.88
33	Mark Stamm (r)	11	12	17	43	\$1,366.88
34	Cim Smyth	11	12	24	50	\$1,366.88
35	Gregg Hickmann (r)	11	13	03	30	\$1,366.88
36	Mike Williams, Sr.	11	13	29	07	\$1,366.88
37	Trine Lyrek (r)	11	13	39	00	\$1,366.88
38	Sebastian Schnuelle (r)	11	16	27	45	\$1,366.88
39	Robert Bundtzen	11	18	45	30	\$1,366.88
40	Jim Lanier	12	00	07	50	\$1,366.88

2005 RESULTS CONTINUED

41	Michael Salvisberg (r)	12	00	20	45	\$1,366.88
42	William Pinkham	12	00	52	49	\$1,366.88
43	Ed Sielstra	12	02	40	51	\$1,366.88
44	Judy Currier	12	02	57	46	\$1,366.88
45	Aaron Peck	12	03	23	36	\$1,366.88
46	Kelley Griffin (r)	12	03	43	48	\$1,366.88
47	Bill Steyer (r)	12	05	00	12	\$1,366.88
48	Eric Butcher (r)	12	10	42	10	\$1,366.88
49	Steve Rasmussen (r)	12	16	55	55	\$1,366.88
50	John T Hessert (r)	12	17	38	15	\$1,366.88
51	Dallas Seavey (r)	12	19	34	48	\$1,366.88
52	Dodo Perri (r)	13	00	35	50	\$1,366.88
53	Bryan Mills (r)	13	05	50	19	\$1,366.88
54	Melanie Shirilla (r)	13	06	39	03	\$1,366.88
55	Andrew Letzring (r)	13	11	25	32	\$1,366.88
56	Debbie Moderow (r)	13	19	10	52	\$1,366.88
57	Greg Parvin (r)	13	20	06	15	\$1,366.88
58	Tom Knolmayer (r)	13	22	13	25	\$1,366.88
59	Jeff Holt (r)	13	22	35	16	\$1,366.88
60	Lachlan Clarke (r)	13	22	53	03	\$1,366.88
61	Shane Goosen	14	01	48	20	\$1,366.88
62	Perry Solmonson	14	04	06	44	\$1,366.88
63	Phil Morgan (r)	15	06	02	57	\$1,366.88

Scratched: Charlie Boulding, Bill Cotter, Paul Ellering, Robert Greger (r), GB Jones, Sonny Lindner, Sandy McKee (r), Gary McKeller (r), Judy Merritt (r), Jacques Philip, Karen Ramstead, Rachael Scdoris (r), Scott Smith, Zack Steer, Rick Swenson, Cliff Wang.

2006 RESULTS

#	Musher	Days	Hrs	Min	Sec	Winnings
1	Jeff King	09	11	11	36	\$69,000
2	Doug Swingley	09	14	18	20	\$64,300
3	Paul Gebhardt	09	15	23	20	\$59,800
4	DeeDee Jonrowe	09	16	25	50	\$55,600
5	John Baker	09	17	37	45	\$51,700
6	Bjornar Anderson	09	18	02	35	\$48,000
7	Ed Iten	09	21	11	00	\$44,400
8	Jason Barron	09	21	20	17	\$41,100
9	Mitch Seavey	09	21	23	03	\$38,000
10	Lance Mackey	09	22	08	38	\$35,100
11	Jessie Royer	09	23	23	04	\$32,300
12	Cim Smyth	09	23	31	50	\$29,700
13	Sonny Lindner	09	23	44	18	\$27,300
14	Aliy Zirkle	10	00	36	50	\$25,000
15	Ken Anderson	10	01	02	30	\$22,800
16	Aaron Burmeister	10	01	21	52	\$20,700
17	Ramey Smyth	10	03	32	40	\$18,800
18	Melanie Gould	10	04	10	54	\$17,000
19	William Hanes	10	04	20	04	\$15,300
20	Louis Nelson, Sr.	10	05	25	17	\$13,600
21	Hugh Neff	10	06	22	39	\$12,100
22	Jacques Philip	10	11	02	02	\$10,700
23	Martin Buser	10	11	47	45	\$9,300
24	Jessica Hendricks	10	12	04	35	\$8,000
25	Mike Jayne (r)	10	13	07	15	\$6,800
26	Rick Swenson	10	13	27	30	\$5,700
27	Gerald Sousa	10	14	07	18	\$4,600
28	Tove Sørensen(r)	10	14	30	30	\$3,600
29	Tore Albrigtsen (r)	10	14	30	30	\$2,700
30	Robert Bundtzen	10	15	25	15	\$1,800
31	Ramy Brooks	10	19	10	26	\$1,049
32	Bryan Mills	10	21	39	56	\$1,049
33	Jamie Nelson	10	22	16	16	\$1,049
34	Rick Casillo	10	23	32	00	\$1,049
35	Sebastian Schnuelle	10	23	59	50	\$1,049
36	Hans Gatt	11	00	22	14	\$1,049
37	Bryan Bearss (r)	11	01	40	10	\$1,049
38	Fabrizio Lovati	11	03	24	25	\$1,049
39	Ryan Redington	11	06	59	18	\$1,049
40	William Pinkham	11	07	39	44	\$1,049
41	Jim Lanier	11	07	59	30	\$1,049
42	David Sawatzky	11	08	56	30	\$1,049

2006 RESULTS CONTINUED

43	Christoph Harisberger (r)	11	12	57	40	\$1,049
44	Tollef Monson	11	16	42	08	\$1,049
45	Dean J Rosiar II (r)	11	17	13	10	\$1,049
46	Ed Stielstra	11	18	02	53	\$1,049
47	Tom Knolmayer	11	23	10	10	\$1,049
48	Lynda Plettner	12	00	06	05	\$1,049
49	Gregg Hickman	12	00	38	12	\$1,049
50	Peter Bartlett	12	02	34	12	\$1,049
51	Paul Ellering	12	03	00	54	\$1,049
52	Danny Seavey	12	07	18	40	\$1,049
53	Judy Currier	12	07	18	53	\$1,049
54	Cindy Gallea	12	07	20	02	\$1,049
55	Noah Burmeister	12	08	09	17	\$1,049
56	Tim Osmar	12	11	42	00	\$1,049
56	Rachael Scdoris (r)	12	11	42	00	\$1,049
58	Clint Warnke	12	19	33	09	\$1,049
59	Katie Davis (r)	12	20	49	15	\$1,049
60	Warren Palfry (r)	12	20	55	59	\$1,049
61	Chad Schouweiler (r)	13	15	22	55	\$1,049
62	Karen Ramstead	13	19	56	52	\$1,049
63	Lachlan Clarke	13	20	26	41	\$1,049
64	Ron Cortte	13	22	04	59	\$1,049
65	Trent Herbst (r)	14	04	13	54	\$1,049
66	Randy Cummins (r)	15	11	46	45	\$1,049
67	Kim Kitredge (r)	15	11	52	57	\$1,049
68	Eric Rogers (r)	15	14	17	50	\$1,049
69	Katrina Pawlaczyk (r)	15	17	37	52	\$1,049
70	Steven Madsen	15	18	07	32	\$1,049
71	Glenn Lockwood (r)	15	18	08	56	\$1,049

Scratched: Terry Adkins, John Barron, Matt Hayashida, Richard Hum (r), Rick Larson, Sandy McKee (r), Gary Paulsen, Sue Morgan (r), Lori Townsend, Dave Tresino, Jim Warren **Withdrawn:** Ben Valks (r)

2007 RESULTS

#	Musher	Days	Hrs	Min	Sec	Winnings
1	Lance Mackey	09	05	08	41	\$69,000
2	Paul Gebhardt	09	07	28	12	\$64,300
3	Zack Steer	09	12	46	07	\$59,800
4	Martin Buser	09	14	07	04	\$55,600
5	Jeff King	09	15	05	17	\$51,700
6	Ed Iten	09	15	05	17	\$48,000
7	Ken Anderson	09	18	28	48	\$44,400
8	John Baker	09	18	36	22	\$41,100
9	Mitch Seavey	09	19	30	23	\$38,000
10	Tollef Monson	09	21	31	40	\$35,100
11	Cim Smyth	10	02	16	40	\$32,300
12	Robert Sørli	10	04	34	34	\$29,700
13	Aaron Burmeister	10	06	12	20	\$27,300
14	Jason Barron	10	07	58	17	\$25,000
15	Hans Gatt	10	01	02	30	\$22,800
16	Ramey Smyth	10	10	20	18	\$20,700
17	Ray Redington, Jr.	10	12	43	10	\$18,800
18	Ryan Redington	10	12	46	00	\$17,000
19	Hugh Neff	10	13	05	15	\$15,300
20	Sigrid Ekran (r)	10	13	21	07	\$13,600
21	Jessie Royer	10	15	25	05	\$12,100
22	Sebastian Schnuelle	10	15	37	45	\$10,700
23	Louis Nelson, Sr.	10	18	23	55	\$9,300
24	Sonny Lindner	10	18	28	05	\$8,000
25	Rick Swenson	10	18	42	49	\$6,800
26	Silvia Willis (r)	10	18	42	51	\$5,700
27	Jim Lanier	10	19	01	56	\$4,600
28	Aliy Zirkle	10	19	57	07	\$3,600
29	Matt Hayashida	11	01	58	46	\$2,700
30	Gerry Willomitzer (r)	11	02	54	08	\$1,800
31	William Pinkham	11	05	35	40	\$1,049
32	Jon Korta (r)	11	13	09	16	\$1,049
33	Tim Osmar	11	16	46	45	\$1,049
34	Clint Warnke	11	19	09	39	\$1,049
35	Scott Smith	11	19	09	49	\$1,049
36	Allen Moore (r)	11	20	45	15	\$1,049
37	Rick Casillo	11	20	48	39	\$1,049
38	Thomas Lesatz (r)	11	21	20	53	\$1,049
39	Mike Williams, Sr.	12	00	32	17	\$1,049
40	Matt Anderson (r)	12	00	45	00	\$1,049
41	Dallas Seavey	12	08	08	11	\$1,049
42	Andrew Angstman (r)	12	13	17	01	\$1,049

2007 RESULTS CONTINUED

43	Robert Bundtzen	12	14	21	17	\$1,049
44	Bryan Mills	12	16	20	10	\$1,049
45	Cindy Gallea	12	18	50	17	\$1,049
46	Matt Calore (r)	13	01	59	40	\$1,049
47	Hernan Maquieria (r)	13	15	23	00	\$1,049
48	Jeff Wells (r)	14	02	14	02	\$1,049
49	Dan Carter (r)	14	03	36	11	\$1,049
50	Kelly Williams	14	09	35	05	\$1,049
51	Matt Rossi (r)	14	18	50	50	\$1,049
52	Kevin Morlock (r)	15	00	48	10	\$1,049
53	Aleksandar Nikolic (r)	15	02	05	30	\$1,049
54	Jeremy Keller (r)	15	15	55	46	\$1,049
55	Bruce Linton (r)	15	23	37	39	\$1,049
56	Heather Siirtola (r)	16	01	35	28	\$1,049
57	Donald Smidt (r)	16	11	42	58	\$1,049
58	Ellen Halverson (r)	16	11	56	20	\$1,049

Scratched: Butch Austin (r), Lachlan Clarke, Randy Cummins, Linwood Fiedler, Melanie Gould, Jeff Holt, Richard Hum (r), Dan Huttunen (r), GB Jones, DeeDee Jonrowe, Bruce Milne (r), Deborah Bicknell (r), Jacques Philip, Karen Ramstead, Eric Rogers, Tom Roig (r), Frank Sihler, Perry Solmonson, Gerald Sousa

2008 RESULTS

#	Musher	Days	Hrs	Min	Sec	Winnings
1	Lance Mackey	09	11	46	48	\$69,000
2	Jeff King	09	13	05	51	\$65,100
3	Ramey Smyth	09	18	52	06	\$61,400
4	Ken Anderson	09	19	11	06	\$57,800
5	Martin Buser	09	19	11	50	\$57,400
6	Hans Gatt	09	18	02	35	\$51,000
7	Mitch Seavey	09	20	42	31	\$48,000
8	Paul Gebhardt	09	21	17	47	\$45,000
9	Kjetil Backen	09	21	25	26	\$42,000
10	Sebastian Schnuelle	09	22	14	35	\$39,200
11	Zack Steer	09	22	15	06	\$36,600
12	Cim Smyth	09	22	24	19	\$34,000
13	Rick Swenson	09	23	43	10	\$31,500
14	Jessie Royer	10	01	00	20	\$29,100
15	DeeDee Jonrowe	10	01	07	46	\$26,900
16	Gerry Willomitzer	10	04	46	08	\$24,700
17	Ed Iten	10	04	59	40	\$22,600
18	Ray Redington, Jr.	10	05	38	16	\$20,600
19	Aaron Burmeister	10	06	05	20	\$18,600
20	Jim Lanier	10	06	35	40	\$16,800
21	Aliy Zirkle	10	07	10	21	\$15,000
22	Silvia Willis	10	09	04	50	\$13,300
23	John Baker	10	10	17	50	\$11,600
24	Sigrid Ekran	10	11	15	20	\$10,000
25	Hugh Neff	10	12	12	20	\$8,500
26	Warren Palfrey	10	12	42	05	\$7,100
27	William Kleedehn (r)	10	12	50	39	\$5,700
28	Matt Hayashida	10	14	07	03	\$4,300
29	Ed Stielstra	10	14	30	30	\$2,700
30	Melissa Owens (r)	10	20	21	14	\$1,800
31	Gerald Sousa	10	22	00	26	\$1,049
32	Rick Casillo	11	02	33	55	\$1,049
33	Jason Mackey	11	03	44	27	\$1,049
34	Scott Smith	11	04	10	36	\$1,049
35	Robert Bundtzen	11	05	58	45	\$1,049
36	Sven Haltmann (r)	11	06	37	50	\$1,049
37	Rohn Buser (r)	11	06	58	25	\$1,049
38	Louis Nelson, Sr.	11	07	36	35	\$1,049
39	Cindy Gallea	11	07	56	20	\$1,049
40	Jon Korta	11	09	17	34	\$1,049
41	Clint Warnke	11	12	23	17	\$1,049
42	Robert Nelson (r)	11	13	52	31	\$1,049

2008 RESULTS CONTINUED

43	Rudi Niggemeier (r)	11	33	55	28	\$1,049
44	Rick Larson	11	17	47	43	\$1,049
45	Kelley Griffin	11	19	19	36	\$1,049
46	Bruce Linton	11	19	36	49	\$1,049
47	Lachlan Clarke	11	20	05	19	\$1,049
48	Fabrizio Lovati	11	20	20	24	\$1,049
49	Benoit Gerard (r)	11	20	51	52	\$1,049
50	Jennifer Freking (r)	11	21	40	27	\$1,049
51	Blake Freking	11	21	40	36	\$1,049
52	William Hanes	11	22	22	19	\$1,049
53	Zoya DeNure (r)	12	01	57	35	\$1,049
54	Benedict Beisch (r)	12	02	04	54	\$1,049
55	Matt Calore	12	02	12	43	\$1,049
56	Karen Ramstead	12	06	52	58	\$1,049
57	Joe Gans (r)	12	08	26	15	\$1,049
58	Rick Holt (r)	12	11	49	38	\$1,049
59	Jeff Deeter (r)	12	13	11	45	\$1,049
60	Sam Deltour (r)	12	17	50	10	\$1,049
61	Joe Runyan	13	00	52	04	\$1,049
62	Dries Jacobs (r)	13	01	57	00	\$1,049
63	Rich Corcoran (r)	13	02	14	45	\$1,049
64	Laura Daugereau (r)	13	02	21	13	\$1,049
65	Jake Berkowitz (r)	13	04	41	32	\$1,049
66	Ann Capistrant (r)	13	09	26	04	\$1,049
67	Kirk Barnum (r)	13	10	19	44	\$1,049
68	Eric Rogers	13	11	57	12	\$1,049
69	Richard Savoyiski (r)	13	21	26	20	\$1,049
70	Sue Allen	13	21	57	40	\$1,049
71	Wayne Curtis	13	23	25	26	\$1,049
72	Sue Morgan (r)	14	00	31	30	\$1,049
73	Trent Herbst	14	00	42	42	\$1,049
74	Heather Siirtola	14	01	49	12	\$1,049
75	Gene Smith (r)	14	03	47	37	\$1,049
76	Martin Koenig (r)	14	16	10	53	\$1,049
77	Liz Parrish (r)	14	19	51	27	\$1,049
78	Deborah Bicknell (r)	15	05	36	12	\$1,049

Scratched: GB Jones, Tom Roig (r), Joe Garnie, Kim Franklin (r), Cliff Roberson, Jessica Hendricks, Jason Barron, Rodney Whaley (r), John Stetson (r), Art Church, Jr., Ryan Redington, Steve Madsen, Darin Nelson (r), Peter Bartlett, Allen Moore, Rachael Scdoris, Michael Suprenant (r), Molly Yazwinski (r)

2009 RESULTS

#	Musher	Days	Hrs	Min	Sec	Winnings
1	Lance Mackey	09	21	38	46	\$69,000
2	Sebastian Schnuelle	10	05	05	04	\$61,600
3	John Baker	10	06	18	51	\$55,000
4	Mitch Seavey	10	14	18	00	\$49,100
5	Cim Smyth	10	14	27	50	\$43,800
6	Dallas Seavey	10	14	49	45	\$39,100
7	Aaron Burmeister	10	14	56	15	\$34,800
8	Jessie Royer	10	15	07	25	\$31,000
9	Ramey Smyth	10	17	52	08	\$27,700
10	Hans Gatt	10	20	07	32	\$24,600
11	Sonny Lindner	10	20	19	24	\$21,900
12	Jeff King	10	21	06	06	\$19,500
13	DeeDee Jonrowe	10	22	56	10	\$17,300
14	Ken Anderson	11	01	34	14	\$15,400
15	Hugh Neff	11	01	42	39	\$13,700
16	Paul Gebhardt	11	02	26	30	\$12,100
17	Aliy Zirkle	11	02	28	45	\$10,800
18	Martin Buser	11	02	43	00	\$9,500
19	Warren Palfrey	11	08	28	37	\$8,400
20	Ray Redington, Jr.	11	09	59	15	\$7,400
21	Matt Hayashida	11	10	18	40	\$6,500
22	Sven Haltmann	11	11	41	59	\$5,800
23	Linwood Fiedler	11	13	44	45	\$5,000
24	Gerry Willomitzer	11	17	12	35	\$4,400
25	Rick Swenson	11	17	12	50	\$3,800
26	Judy Currier	11	20	43	27	\$3,300
27	Gerald Sousa	11	21	52	19	\$2,900
28	Bruce Linton	11	21	55	05	\$2,500
29	Robert Nelson	11	22	15	41	\$2,100
30	Chad Lindner (r)	12	04	21	50	\$1,800
31	Jake Berkowitz	12	06	01	40	\$1,049
32	Ed Stielstra	12	06	35	12	\$1,049
33	Allen Moore	12	10	00	00	\$1,049
34	Robert Bundtzen	12	13	24	30	\$1,049
35	Jim Lanier	12	13	24	35	\$1,049
36	Ryan Redington	12	14	27	45	\$1,049
37	Harry Alexie (r)	12	14	40	00	\$1,049
38	Bill Cotter	12	16	12	03	\$1,049
39	Rick Larson	12	18	30	15	\$1,049
40	Karin Hendrickson (r)	12	18	31	12	\$1,049
41	Cindy Gallea	12	19	15	05	\$1,049
42	Mike Williams, Sr.	13	00	17	30	\$1,049

2009 RESULTS CONTINUED

43	Jen Seavey (r)	14	01	47	50	\$1,049
44	Tom Thurston (r)	14	03	36	22	\$1,049
45	Rachael Scdoris	14	11	08	50	\$1,049
46	Tim Osmar	14	11	09	00	\$1,049
47	Wade Marris (r)	14	11	56	25	\$1,049
48	Trent Herbst	15	02	39	47	\$1,049
49	Michael Suprenant (r)	15	03	10	38	\$1,049
50	Eric Rogers	15	04	18	35	\$1,049
51	Heather Siirtola	15	11	35	00	\$1,049
52	Tim Hunt (r)	15	14	06	22	\$1,049

Scratched: Bjornar Andersen, Kim Darst (r), Laura Daugereau, Bob Hickel, Jeff Holt, Ed Iten, Blake Matray (r), Melissa Owens, Lou Packer (r), Aaron Peck, Alan Peck (r), Kurt Reich (r), David Sawatzky, Nancy Yoshida (r) **Withdrawn:** Rob Loveman (r)

2010 RESULTS

#	Musher	Days	Hrs	Min	Sec	Winnings
1	Lance Mackey	08	23	59	09	\$50,400
2	Hans Gatt	09	01	04	02	\$46,700
3	Jeff King	09	02	22	17	\$43,200
4	Ken Anderson	09	06	25	23	\$40,000
5	John Baker	09	07	07	54	\$36,900
6	Ramey Smyth	09	07	47	50	\$34,100
7	Sebastian Schnuelle	09	08	39	17	\$31,400
8	Dallas Seavey	09	10	04	20	\$28,900
9	Hugh Neff	09	10	52	24	\$26,600
10	Mitch Seavey	09	12	08	54	\$24,400
11	Ray Redington, Jr.	09	12	53	14	\$22,400
12	Zack Steer	09	14	10	33	\$20,500
13	Gerry Willomitzer	09	14	59	41	\$18,800
14	Martin Buser	09	15	33	58	\$17,100
15	Jessie Royer	09	16	04	40	\$15,600
16	Aliy Zirkle	09	18	05	10	\$14,100
17	Sven Haltmann	09	18	50	28	\$12,800
18	Sonny Lindner	09	19	00	00	\$11,500
19	Paul Gebhardt	09	20	31	01	\$10,400
20	Rick Swenson	09	22	53	22	\$9,300
21	Dan Kaduce (r)	10	00	50	00	\$8,200
22	DeeDee Jonrowe	10	02	47	44	\$7,300
23	Cim Smyth	10	05	05	00	\$6,400
24	Jim Lanier	10	05	21	10	\$5,500
25	Bruce Linton	10	06	18	33	\$4,800
26	Michael Williams, Jr. (r)	10	06	44	36	\$4,000
27	Michelle Phillips (r)	10	08	31	12	\$3,400
28	Peter Kaiser (r)	10	11	13	59	\$2,700
29	Thomas Lesatz	10	11	41	30	\$2,100
30	Gerald Sousa	10	13	52	53	\$1,600
31	Robert Nelson	10	16	51	16	\$1,049
32	Jason Barron	10	18	24	49	\$1,049
33	William "Middy" Johnson (r)	10	21	29	49	\$1,049
34	Matt Hayashida	10	21	30	15	\$1,049
35	Allen Moore	10	23	25	04	\$1,049
36	Colleen Robertia (r)	10	23	56	10	\$1,049
37	William Pinkham	11	04	20	05	\$1,049
38	Quinn Iten (r)	11	05	23	34	\$1,049
39	Kristy Berington (r)	11	06	44	02	\$1,049
40	Cindy Gallea	11	08	12	01	\$1,049
41	Sam Deltour	11	16	06	00	\$1,049
42	Blake Freking	11	20	39	11	\$1,049

2010 RESULTS CONTINUED

43	Tamara Rose (r)	12	00	39	29	\$1,049
44	Art Church, Jr.	12	00	47	08	\$1,049
45	Wattie McDonald (r)	12	02	25	25	\$1,049
46	Lachlan Clarke	12	03	13	22	\$1,049
47	Newton Marshal (r)	12	04	27	28	\$1,049
48	Billy Snodgrass	12	05	24	20	\$1,049
49	Trent Herbst	12	13	53	00	\$1,049
50	Chris Adkins (r)	12	17	39	59	\$1,049
51	Dave DeCaro (r)	12	21	19	24	\$1,049
52	Ross Adam	13	00	02	00	\$1,049
53	Jane Faulkner (r)	13	02	51	50	\$1,049
54	Scott White (r)	13	04	21	44	\$1,049
55	Celeste Davis (r)	13	05	06	40	\$1,049

Scratched: Kirk Barnum, Emil Churchin (r), Judy Currier, Hank DeBruin (r), Zoya DeNure, Linwood Fiedler, Kathleen Frederick (r), Karin Hendrickson, Pat Moon (r), Warren Palfrey, Karen Ramstead, Ryan Redington, Justin Savidis (r), John Stewart (r), Michael Suprenant, Tom Thurston

2011 RESULTS

#	Musher	Days	Hrs	Min	Sec	Winnings
1	John Baker	08	18	46	39	\$50,400
2	Ramey Smyth	08	19	50	59	\$46,300
3	Hans Gatt	09	00	24	23	\$42,500
4	Dallas Seavey	09	02	27	18	\$38,900
5	Hugh Neff	09	03	16	18	\$35,600
6	Sebastian Schnuelle	09	03	55	15	\$32,600
7	Ray Redington, Jr.	09	05	41	05	\$29,800
8	Peter Kaiser	09	07	06	06	\$27,300
9	Ken Anderson	09	09	23	16	\$24,900
10	Jessie Royer	09	09	23	17	\$22,700
11	Aliy Zirkle	09	10	22	31	\$20,600
12	DeeDee Jonrowe	09	10	24	17	\$18,800
13	Michael Williams, Jr.	09	11	59	05	\$17,000
14	Sven Haltmann	09	12	57	19	\$15,400
15	Sonny Lindner	09	13	02	59	\$13,900
16	Lance Mackey	09	17	55	34	\$12,600
17	Michelle Phillips	09	20	22	22	\$11,300
18	Martin Buser	10	01	03	38	\$10,100
19	Robert Nelson	10	02	44	38	\$9,100
20	Rick Swenson	10	04	52	34	\$8,100
21	Cim Smyth	10	05	59	44	\$7,200
22	Matt Hayashida	10	06	34	38	\$6,300
23	Bruce Linton	10	06	34	39	\$5,500
24	Allen Moore	10	07	37	05	\$4,800
25	Trent Herbst	10	12	16	58	\$4,100
26	Kelley Griffin	10	13	03	22	\$3,500
27	Ed Stielstra	10	14	01	30	\$2,900
28	Nicolas Petit (r)	10	15	43	01	\$2,400
29	Kristy Berington	10	20	02	47	\$1,900
30	Kelly Miaxner (r)	10	20	29	31	\$1,500
31	Jodi Bailey (r)	11	00	40	18	\$1,049
32	Lachlan Clarke	11	00	43	29	\$1,049
33	Magnus Kaltenborn (r)	11	11	55	02	\$1,049
34	Paul Johnson	11	18	18	48	\$1,049
35	Cain Carter (r)	11	19	39	39	\$1,049
36	Wattie McDonald	11	23	01	33	\$1,049
37	Billy Snodgrass	12	05	39	20	\$1,049
38	Gerald Sousa	12	06	06	30	\$1,049
39	Justin Savidis (r)	12	06	08	03	\$1,049
40	Matt Giblin	12	07	55	48	\$1,049
41	Tom Thurston	12	16	59	39	\$1,049
42	Scott Janssen (r)	12	20	28	28	\$1,049

2011 RESULTS CONTINUED

43	Angie Taggart (r)	13	01	29	44	\$1,049
44	Kirk Barnum	13	08	52	47	\$1,049
45	GB Jones	13	10	59	42	\$1,049
46	Heather Siirtola	13	19	24	14	\$1,049
47	Ellen Halverson	13	19	45	49	\$1,049

Scratched: James Bardoner (r), Robert Bundtzen, Judy Currier, Zoya DeNure, Paul Gebhardt, Jessica Hendricks, Karin Hendrickson, Kris Hoffman (r), Newton Marshall, Brennan Norden (r), Melissa Owens, Mike Santos (r), Mitch Seavey, Bob Storey (r), Gerry Willomitzer.

2012 RESULTS

#	Musher	Days	Hrs	Min	Sec	Winnings
1	Dallas Seavey	09	04	29	26	\$50,400
2	Aliy Zirkle	09	05	29	10	\$46,500
3	Ramey Smyth	09	06	04	04	\$42,900
4	Aaron Burmeister	09	10	04	07	\$39,600
5	Peter Kaiser	09	11	06	23	\$36,500
6	Ray Redington, Jr.	09	12	19	11	\$33,600
7	Mitch Seavey	09	13	10	58	\$30,900
8	Michael Williams, Jr.	09	13	12	18	\$28,400
9	John Baker	09	13	25	47	\$26,000
10	DeeDee Jonrowe	09	14	43	15	\$23,900
11	Sigrid Ekran	09	15	50	16	\$21,800
12	Ken Anderson	09	18	56	03	\$19,900
13	Brent Sass (r)	09	20	25	25	\$18,200
14	Sonny Lindner	09	21	28	02	\$16,600
15	Paul Gebhardt	10	03	35	48	\$15,000
16	Michelle Phillips	10	08	18	01	\$13,600
17	Hugh Neff	10	08	41	52	\$12,300
18	Rohn Buser	10	18	10	12	\$11,000
19	Martin Buser	10	18	10	13	\$9,900
20	Gerald Sousa	10	19	27	50	\$8,900
21	Colleen Robertia	10	20	04	19	\$7,900
22	Lance Mackey	10	20	17	27	\$6,900
23	Jodi Bailey	10	20	19	53	\$6,100
24	Cim Smyth	10	21	26	59	\$5,300
25	Ed Stielstra	10	21	59	59	\$4,500
26	Anjanette Steer (r)	10	22	02	45	\$3,900
27	Kelley Griffin	10	22	29	06	\$3,200
28	Braxton Peterson (r)	10	22	44	04	\$2,600
29	Nicolas Petit	10	23	24	00	\$2,100
30	Rick Swenson	10	23	44	06	\$1,500
31	Ryne Olson (r)	11	01	33	40	\$1,049
32	Kelly Maixner	11	01	53	02	\$1,049
33	Jim Lanier	11	02	58	18	\$1,049
34	Mike Santos (r)	11	14	20	04	\$1,049
35	Bruce Linton	11	16	27	12	\$1,049
36	Karin Hendrickson	11	18	32	36	\$1,049
37	Trent Herbst	11	20	17	36	\$1,049
38	Scott Janssen	11	21	38	31	\$1,049
39	Curt Perano (r)	11	22	40	45	\$1,049
40	Art Church, Jr.	11	23	57	02	\$1,049
41	William Pinkham	12	01	15	41	\$1,049
42	Anna Berington (r)	12	02	16	30	\$1,049

2012 RESULTS CONTINUED

43	Kristy Berington	12	02	17	13	\$1,049
44	Justin Savidis	12	04	45	53	\$1,049
45	Travis Cooper (r)	12	08	37	14	\$1,049
46	Jaimee Kinzer (r)	12	15	58	30	\$1,049
47	Matt Failor (r)	12	18	10	20	\$1,049
48	Hank Debruin (r)	12	22	13	50	\$1,049
49	Karen Ramstead	13	00	21	30	\$1,049
50	Dan Seavey	13	19	10	30	\$1,049
51	Bob Chlupach	14	11	55	10	\$1,049
52	Jan Steves (r)	14	11	57	03	\$1,049

Scratched: Kirk Barnum, Jake Berkowitz, Josh Cadzow (r), Lachlan Clarke, Zoya DeNure, Silvia Furtwängler (r), Jeff King, Wade Marrs, Pat Moon (r), Ryan Redington, Michael Suprenant, Tom Thurston, Gerry Willomitzer **Disqualified:** Matt Giblin.

2013 RESULTS

#	Musher	Days	Hrs	Min	Sec	Winnings
1	Mitch Seavey	09	07	39	56	\$50,400
2	Aliy Zirkle	09	08	03	35	\$47,100
3	Jeff King	09	09	21	56	\$44,000
4	Dallas Seavey	09	10	20	51	\$41,100
5	Ray Redington, Jr.	09	11	04	54	\$38,300
6	Nicolas Petit	09	11	39	13	\$35,600
7	Joar Leifseth Ulsom (r)	09	12	34	00	\$33,200
8	Jake Berkowitz	09	12	34	16	\$30,800
9	Sonny Lindner	09	13	11	02	\$28,600
10	DeeDee Jonrowe	09	13	24	39	\$26,500
11	Aaron Burmeister	09	14	19	02	\$24,500
12	Ken Anderson	09	16	09	20	\$22,600
13	Peter Kaiser	09	17	36	34	\$20,800
14	Josh Cadzow (r)	09	18	07	37	\$19,100
15	Cim Smyth	09	19	08	22	\$17,500
16	Paul Gebhardt	09	19	09	32	\$16,000
17	Martin Buser	09	20	01	33	\$14,600
18	Jessie Royer	09	20	20	15	\$13,200
19	Lance Mackey	09	20	52	14	\$11,900
20	Ramey Smyth	09	20	54	56	\$10,700
21	John Baker	09	21	49	16	\$9,600
22	Brent Sass	09	23	24	03	\$8,500
23	Michael Williams, Jr.	10	01	57	30	\$7,500
24	Michelle Phillips	10	02	22	09	\$6,500
25	Jessica Hendricks	10	04	57	49	\$5,600
26	Kelley Griffin	10	09	47	34	\$4,700
27	Curt Perano	10	13	21	14	\$3,900
28	Matt Failor	10	13	39	46	\$3,100
29	Linwood Fiedler	10	15	00	52	\$2,400
30	Mike Ellis (r)	10	16	35	13	\$1,700
31	Kelly Maixner	10	16	57	36	\$1,049
32	Wade Marrs	10	17	05	18	\$1,049
33	Allen Moore	10	18	04	21	\$1,049
34	Paige Drobny (r)	10	18	15	54	\$1,049
35	Jim Lanier	10	21	08	46	\$1,049
36	Richie Diehl (r)	10	22	32	06	\$1,049
37	Travis Beals (r)	11	01	10	51	\$1,049
38	Justin Savidis	11	01	12	14	\$1,049
39	Matt Giblin	11	01	20	51	\$1,049
40	Karin Hendrickson	11	01	44	48	\$1,049
41	Aaron Peck	11	02	09	37	\$1,049
42	Kristy Berington	11	07	07	17	\$1,049

2013 RESULTS CONTINUED

43	Anna Berington	11	07	07	55	\$1,049
44	Jodi Bailey	11	07	52	02	\$1,049
45	Mike Williams, Sr.	12	00	35	50	\$1,049
46	Gerald Sousa	12	02	20	14	\$1,049
47	Louie Ambrose (r)	12	05	18	45	\$1,049
48	Angie Taggart	12	08	50	03	\$1,049
49	Luan Ramos Marques (r)	12	17	08	00	\$1,049
50	Mikhail Telpin (r)	12	19	27	39	\$1,049
51	Cindy Gallea	13	02	24	13	\$1,049
52	James Volek (r)	13	09	12	53	\$1,049
53	Bob Chlupach	13	14	18	40	\$1,049
54	Christine Roalofs (r)	13	22	36	08	\$1,049

Scratched: Cindy Abbot (r), Charley Bejna (r), Robert Bundtzen, Rudy Demoski, Sr., Scott Janssen, Jason Mackey, Newton Marshall, David Sawatzky, Jan Steves, Ed Stielstra, Michael Suprenant **Withdrawn:** Gerry Willomitzer

2014 RESULTS

#	Musher	Days	Hrs	Min	Sec	Winnings
1	Dallas Seavey	08	13	04	19	\$50,400
2	Aliy Zirkle	08	13	06	41	\$47,600
3	Mitch Seavey	08	16	39	40	\$44,900
4	Joar Leifseth Ulsom	08	19	01	01	\$42,400
5	Sonny Lindner	08	20	50	49	\$39,900
6	Martin Buser	09	00	58	58	\$37,500
7	Jesse Royer	09	04	03	25	\$35,300
8	Ray Redington, Jr.	09	04	11	10	\$33,100
9	Hans Gatt	09	04	40	25	\$31,000
10	Aaron Burmeister	09	05	46	14	\$29,000
11	Michael Williams, Jr.	09	11	50	02	\$27,000
12	Ken Anderson	09	14	27	08	\$25,200
13	Peter Kaiser	09	15	28	30	\$23,400
14	Richie Diehl	09	16	35	40	\$21,700
15	Matt Failor	09	16	42	30	\$20,000
16	Wade Marrs	09	17	27	35	\$18,400
17	Nathan Schroeder (r)	09	17	52	51	\$16,900
18	Abbie West (r)	09	17	58	25	\$15,500
19	John Baker	09	18	19	15	\$14,100
20	Michelle Phillips	09	18	55	00	\$12,700
21	Robert Sørli	09	20	23	26	\$11,400
22	Ralph Johannessen (r)	10	03	45	50	\$10,200
23	Curt Perano	10	03	57	40	\$9,000
24	Cim Smyth	10	04	11	22	\$7,900
25	Page Drobny	10	04	42	26	\$6,800
26	Rick Casillo	10	16	53	22	\$5,700
27	Allen Moore	10	17	27	45	\$4,700
28	Paul Gebhardt	10	18	27	32	\$3,700
29	Mats Petterson (r)	10	18	32	05	\$2,800
30	Kristy Berington	10	19	20	26	\$1,900
31	Dan Kaduce	10	20	41	03	\$1,049
32	Katherine Keith (r)	10	20	43	15	\$1,049
33	Justin Savidis	10	21	18	24	\$1,049
34	Jason Mackey	10	21	29	20	\$1,049
35	Danny Seavey	10	22	17	41	\$1,049
36	Karin Hendrickson	10	22	23	10	\$1,049
37	Travis Beals	11	03	18	38	\$1,049
38	Christian Turner (r)	11	04	52	30	\$1,049
39	Anna Berington	11	14	15	22	\$1,049
40	Mike Ellis	11	14	55	02	\$1,049
41	Charley Bejna (r)	11	18	01	10	\$1,049
42	Robert Bundtzen	11	20	23	18	\$1,049

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43	Newton Marshal	12	01	05	52	\$1,049
44	Tommy Jordbrudal (r)	12	11	24	38	\$1,049
45	Yvonne Dabaak (r)	12	11	31	12	\$1,049
46	Alex Buetow (r)	12	13	28	10	\$1,049
47	Monica Zappa (r)	13	04	08	15	\$1,049
48	Lisbet Norris (r)	13	04	41	33	\$1,049
49	Marcelle Fressineau (r)	13	04	42	08	\$1,049

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