

BLACKBURN CHALLENGE 1998

OFFICIAL RESULTS

CLASS	TIME	ENTRANT/CREW	AGE	BOAT NUMBER
#1 BANKS DORY SINGLES	05:18:08	Anthony Millitello	43	#2
#2 BANKS DORY DOUBLES	04:10:55	Jack Anderson, Jim Tarrantino	38 & unknown	#3
	04:31:47	Glen Harrington, Todd Zimmerman	Unknown	#4
	04:31:43	Tim Oakes, Geoff Thomas	Unknown	#5
	05:07:50	Therese Sellers, Geoffrey Gordon	Unknown	#117
#3 MULTI WITH COX	02:52:51	Bert Jenness, Mike Hammond, David Sierveid, Tim Snow, Tucker Patterson, Jon Daley, Ed Lund	Unknown	#7
	????	Larry Marcantonio	Unknown	#9
	DNS	Mike Jenness	Unknown	#8
#4 MULTI WITHOUT COX	04:53:55	Andrew Davis, Joshua Davis, Michael Hillegus, Andrew Davis (twice??)	34, rest unknown	#6
#5 FIXED SEAT SINGLE	????	John Giuliatti	56	#11
	03:35:43	Paul Neil	43	#14
	03:35:57	Jon Aborn	49	#10
	03:53:40	Mike McGarty	41	#13
	04:00:09	Doug Scott	45	#16
	04:15:50	F. Russell Smith II	40	#17
	04:27:06	Adam Pettengill	38	#15
	04:39:59	Peter Corbett	46	#1
	04:40:16	Lou Laskey	42	#12
#6 FIXED SEAT DOUBLE	03:19:58	Andy Hall, Henry Hall	28, 28	#20
	03:28:56	Michael Cushing, Robert Spoor	51 & unknown	#19
	04:01:41	John Bakewell, Harry Armstrong	39 & unknown	#18
	04:27:29	Jay Hammond, Ellen Minzner	Unknown	#21
#7 SLIDING SEAT TOURING SINGLE MEN'S	03:19:10	Donald Wassell	48	#23
	03:33:42	Rick Klajancek	Unknown	#22
	04:00:28	Henry Szostek	Unknown	#115
#8 SLIDING SEAT TOURING SINGLE WOMEN'S	(NONE)			
#9 SLIDING SEAT RACING SINGLE MEN'S	02:37:40	Joe Holland	36	#28
	03:00:09	Dimitrios Karamantidis	50	#24
	03:27:51	Steve Davis	37	#119
#10 SLIDING SEAT RACING SINGLE WOMEN'S	03:04:34	Kinley Gregg (<i>I do love it when she whups boys :-)</i>)	35	#25
#11 SLIDING SEAT TOURING DOUBLE	03:05:11	Jake Jacobson, Mark Kaudutich	47 & unknown	#26
#12 SLIDING SEAT RACING DOUBLE	(NONE)			
#13 KAYAKS RACING SINGLE MEN'S	02:49:25	Larry Thomas	37	#31
	02:57:29	Bruce Terbush	37	#30
	03:11:25	Tom Jones	57	#29
	03:15:09	Douglas Bushnell	60	#27
#14 KAYAKS RACING SINGLE WOMEN'S	03:19:45	Denise Radtke	34	#32

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#15 KAYAKS TOURING				
SINGLE MEN'S				
	????	James Masciarelli	49	#49
	????	Jason Masciarelli	26	#50
	????	(?) Mumford	39	#53
	????	Bill Reagan	48	#116
	03:00:50	Maury Eldridge	48	#38
	03:12:12	Andrew Bolster	39	#33
	03:15:34	Tom Mooney	37	#52
	03:21:39	Peter Bulkley	46	#107
	03:24:14	Dan McCrane	45	#51
	03:24:15	Rick Silverman	42	#64
	03:26:45	Rob Maisonpierre	42	#48
	03:27:09	Tom Page	31	#55
	03:28:55	Lance Demond	55	#36
	03:31:11	Roger Gocking	54	#42
	03:31:59	Peter Britton	55	#112
	03:32:28	Nick Schade	34	#62
	03:33:16	John Scag	42	#61
	03:34:10	Jim O'Connell	47	#54
	03:35:01	Jonathan Walters	43	#68
	03:37:25	Michael Buonaiuto	42	#35
	03:39:34	Ned Weld	61	#69
	03:41:27	Mike Falconeri	38	#40
	03:42:24	David Lindquist	36	#47
	03:43:36	Jim Fairburn	38	#39
	03:43:59	Al Peirce	47	#57
	03:44:52	Pete Sarti	43	#60
	03:46:34	Michael Ivester	42	#44
	04:31:38	Warren Smith	41	#110
	03:57:56	Bill Baumann	38	#34
	03:59:43	William Drislane	36	#37
	04:01:24	Matthew Thompson	32	#67
	04:04:27	Dave Lind	37	#46
	04:18:30	Thomas Rose	42	#59
	04:33:34	Bill Hoyt	44	#43
	04:42:59	Chris Jylkka	31	#108
	04:42:59	Ed Ditto	29	#109
	DNS	Richard Price	76	#58
	DNS	Saul Stanton	60	#66
		<i>(Whew...that's a lot of kayakers! Hope I got everyone & that their names are spelled right...!!)</i>		
#16 KAYAKS TOURING				
SINGLE WOMEN'S				
	????	Jeanne Baumann	Unknown	#70
	03:26:15	Sarah Evertson	37	#72
	03:30:50	Karen Ristuben	41	#74
	03:36:52	Susan Edelen	40	#71
	03:42:46	Alexandra Landrum	30	#114
	04:04:39	Kathryn Onishuk	31	#106
	04:10:53	Susan Walters	41	#76
	04:41:42	Amy Jordan	35	#73
	DNS	Gail Rondeau	50	#75
#17 KAYAKS TOURING				
DOUBLES				
	02:46:34	Dana Gaines, Tom Mailhot	Unknown	#113
	03:27:59	Mark Jacobson, Sheila Callahan	Unknown	#77
	04:05:02	Jerry Long, Pat Long	51 & unknown	#78
	DNS	John Moore, Dan Boyne	44 & unknown	#79
#18 SURF SKIS				
SINGLE MEN'S				
	02:35:31	Ed Joy	36	#89
	02:48:45	Joe Glickman	38	#88
	02:53:17	Brian Erickson	51	#86
	03:00:20	Ed Duggan	48	#84
	03:10:02	Mike Tracy	41	#95
	03:12:42	Jim Gilligan	51	#87
	03:21:50	James Laselva	27	#90
	03:33:31	Don Swift	43	#93
	03:37:05	Roger Lundskog	55	#92
	03:49:35	Bob Blair	45	#81
	DNS	Arthur Cholakis	41	#82
	DNS	Kent Damon, Jr.	30	#83

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CLASS	TIME	ENTRANT/CREW	AGE	BOAT NUMBER
#19 SURF SKIS WOMEN'S	03:22:24	Becca Erickson	39	#85
	03:40:13	Janet Loman, Mary LaSelva	47 & unknown	#91
	04:29:05	Sharon Barbano	45	#80
#20 OPEN	02:52:34	Gina Lampassi, Shelagh Donohoe, Ken Parker	41 & unknown	#144
	????	Jennifer Osborne, Rich Kessler	32 & unknown	#97
	04:33:31	Michael Taub	Unknown	#94
#22 OUTRIGGER CANOE 6-PERSON	DNS	Geoffrey Could, Aaron Kaufmann & crew	Unknown	#98
	02:29:36	Robert Silvernail, Bob Zaveral, Bill Rogers, Joe Roosa, John Edwards & Blake Conant		#103
	02:38:54	Dick McCauley, Mike Fairchild, Chuck Brahman, Paul Dyka, Gary Aprea & Jackie Leuzze		#99
	02:45:13	New England Outrigger Team/Michael Handa		#100
	03:07:17	New England Outrigger Team/Michael Handa		#101
	03:15:50	Westport Outrigger/Women's (Way to go, Women!! :-)		#105
	03:25:32	John Zeigler (SINGLE OUTRIGGER)		#118
	03:30:56	Westport Outrigger/Men's		#104
	03:36:37	New York Outrigger		#102

(As usual, editor's apologies for any mangled spellings of names! Thank you all for participating.)

NOTES FROM A PADDLER

I must confess that with the paddling obsession, one year melts into the next...Last year began impatiently waiting for the ice to melt & then to paddle the Assabet & Concord rivers, followed by the Run of the Charles, where I learned the meaning of the word "portage" 3 times! A cold, windy Essex Race, thankfully followed by steaming Woodman's chowder, begot weekly training for the Blackburn, frequently followed by more chowder... Last year's Blackburn ended with us gratefully washed ashore like Odysseus after an incredible adventure! (I'd NEVER crossed Sandy Bay at that speed before! Surely the gods had a hand in it...) Lots of Maine kayaking followed, down Eggemoggin Reach to Potato Island to Blue Hill Bay to Deer Isle...Harbor seals, porpoises, ospreys, o my!! Maine is a kayaking dream... Later I taught a brother, then a sister to kayak (hopefully they'll continue to paddle...) I polished off the year on the warm waters of Indian Lake in the Adirondacks, helping good friends christen their new kayaks. The culmination of that day - and the season - was a Kodak Moment sunset over the mountains & water. Ah, such was 1997.

And 1998? Another great year of kayaking with a kindler, gentler Essex River Race and Blackburn Challenge. Summer vacation was Newfoundland, with lots of new islands & rocky shores to explore. I tried always to get out on the water weekly, at least, and mainly succeeded. Not bad for an inlander! Rockport and Gloucester are my usual haunts, but I steal away to Maine whenever I can. I could probably spend the rest of my life being perfectly content exploring this area...

So then I think: What do other people do with their time? It's so precious, and I can't really think of anything else I'd rather be doing, except paddling out on the water. Other things may come and go in this short lifetime. Hopefully the kayaking will remain.

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