

Creek Road Runners

NEWARK, DELAWARE

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10TH ANNUAL RUN USHERS IN A COLD AND WINDY DAY.

Deshon a scratch, but nine hearty runners
"Wring Out the Old, Ring In the New."



Creek Road Runners **Bill Rose, Charlie Riordan, Bob Opila, Bob Bennett, Vic Kaliakin, Steve Goodwin, Nick Sisofo, Bruce Hubbard, and David James** salute the new year 2009 and show off the "Wring Out the Old" 10th anniversary shirts.



Alas, **Mark** couldn't go
on a bad knee but

We've seen many surface improvements over the past ten
years. Some of us remember the incredible mangled-metal

The clouds were moving
out, giving way to

brought the bubbly.

debris of this bridge's flood-destroyed predecessor.

the wind and cold.



By the creek, the lead group—**Bill, David, Vic, Steve, and Charlie**—had already opened up a gap. The second group—**Bob O., Bruce, Bob B., and Nick**—pushes on ahead (Bruce and Bob O. in a blur of speed!).



Charlie and David finish first.



Bill was not far behind.



Vic proudly finishes his tenth run.



Steve had fallen off the pace, while **Bob O.** nearly made up the difference, having run a strong uphill.

Bob B. finishes solo.

Vic is the only CRR to have run all ten years of the event.



Bill, Bob B., and Bob O. enjoy the spoils of the day with **David, Charlie, and Bruce.**



Bruce (left), who retired from his legal practice officially this day, chats with **Nick** after the run while **Vic** tries to keep warm.



America (and **Charlie**) runs on Dunkin'. Despite threats to the contrary, **Matt** was a no show.



They finished together, though camera failure precluded recording the moment.

By the finish, it had gotten very windy and noticeably colder. But, the anniversary T-shirts helped warm everyone up. Along with some inverse-Munchkin™ Dunkin' Donuts (the official event staple), we toasted the coming of 2009 with some sparkling juice.

As all were leaving, **David James** decided he hadn't had enough and headed off to run the course again (this time in the opposite direction) in sympathy with Mark's not being able to participate. More power to you, David.

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