Summer Run Log- Level $1{ }^{* * *}$ Anyone may do this run log, however, only newbies will earn the incentive t-shirt from this one***
${ }^{* *}$ The goal for summer running is consistency and building a base to grow this fall season--not running like crazy in the heat early in the summer and then being hurt and burnt out by August! Aim for 30 minutes of sustained exercise 3 to 4 days per week. All of these workouts are done by time, NOT by mileage. Use a stopwatch to gauge your intervals. " $R$ " means run and " $W$ " means walk. EVERY workout begins with a brisk 5 minute warm-up walk. "R1" means run 1 minute (not one mile). Notice there is a minimum amount of time for each workout (not just run 1 mile and be done).

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| $\begin{gathered} 1 \\ 5 / 27 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Warm up. } \\ & \text { R1/W2 for } 20 \\ & \text { minutes } \end{aligned}$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Warm up. } \\ & \text { R1/W2 for } 20 \\ & \text { minutes } \end{aligned}$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Warm up. } \\ & \text { R1/W2 for } 20 \\ & \text { minutes } \end{aligned}$ | Warm up. R1/W2 for 20 minutes |  | 80 minutes |  |
| $\begin{gathered} 2 \\ 6 / 3 \end{gathered}$ | Warm up. R1.5/W2 for 20 mins |  | Warm up. <br> R1.5/W2 for 20 mins |  | Warm up. R1.5/W2 for 20 mins | Warm up. R1.5/W2 for 20 mins |  | 80 mins |  |
| $\begin{gathered} 3 \\ 6 / 10 \end{gathered}$ | Warm up. R1.5/W1.5 for 25 mins |  | Warm up. R1.5/W1.5 for 25 mins |  | Warm up. R1.5/W1.5 for 25 mins | Warm up. R1.5/W1.5 for 25 mins |  | 100 mins |  |
| $\begin{gathered} 4 \\ 6 / 17 \end{gathered}$ | R1.5/W1.5 then R3/W3 Repeat both |  | R1.5/W1.5 then R3/W3 Repeat both |  | R1.5/W1.5 then R3/W3 Repeat both | R1.5/W1.5 then R3/W3 Repeat both |  | 72 mins |  |
| $\begin{gathered} 5 \\ 6 / 24 \end{gathered}$ | R3/W1.5 then R3/W2 <br> Repeat all $3 x$ |  | R3/W1.5 then R3/W2 <br> Repeat all $3 x$ |  | R3/W1.5 then R3/W2 Repeat all 3x | R3/W1.5 then R3/W2 Repeat all $3 x$ |  | 114 mins |  |
| $\begin{gathered} 6 \\ 7 / 1 \end{gathered}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 114 mins |  |
| $\begin{gathered} 7 \\ 7 / 8 \end{gathered}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 118 mins |  |
| $\begin{gathered} 8 \\ 7 / 15 \end{gathered}$ |  |  |  |  | R5/W2 <br> Four times | R5/W2 <br> Four times |  | 110 mins |  |
| $\begin{gathered} 9 \\ 7 / 22 \end{gathered}$ | R7/W1 <br> Three times |  | R7/W1 <br> Three times |  | R6/W1 <br> Four times | How far can you run without stopping? |  |  |  |

## Summer Run Log- Level 2

**The goal for summer running is consistency and building a base to grow this fall season--not running like crazy in the heat early in the summer and then being hurt and burnt out by August! Intermediate runners have run before, but may not be running at the moment. Aim for 30-60 minutes of sustained exercise 3 to 4 days per week as shown below. All workouts should be done at a comfortable pace. You should be able to carry on a conversation with a friend. As your endurance improves, try to run the miles all at one time (ie- In week 4 when it says R2/walk to total 30, try to run two miles without stopping, then walk to make a total of a 30 minute workout versus splitting it up into 2 one mile portions or 4 half mile portions). You will start by walking quite a bit, but by the end, you should be walking very little. It is important to complete the full workout, not just run 1 mile and be done, but to actually be out there exercising for the full 30 minutes, although you may only RUN one mile.

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| $\begin{gathered} 1 \\ 5 / 27 \end{gathered}$ | R/W 1 mile then walk to total 30 mins |  | R/W 1 mile then walk to total 30 mins |  | R/W1 mile then walk to total 30 mins | R/W 1 mile then walk to total 30 mins |  | 4 |  |
| $\begin{gathered} 2 \\ 6 / 3 \end{gathered}$ | R1-2 miles then walk to total 30 mins |  | R1 mile then walk to total 30 mins |  | R1-2 miles then R/W to total 30 mins | R1 mile then $\mathrm{R} / \mathrm{W}$ to total 30 mins |  | 4-6 |  |
| $\begin{gathered} 3 \\ 6 / 10 \end{gathered}$ | R2 miles then walk to total 30 mins |  | R1 mile the $\mathrm{R} / \mathrm{W}$ to total 30 mins |  | R1 mile then R/W to total 30 mins | R2 miles then walk to total 40 mins |  | 6 |  |
| $\begin{gathered} 4 \\ 6 / 17 \end{gathered}$ | R2 miles then walk to total 30 mins |  | R2 miles/ walk to total 30 mins |  | R1 mile/ walk to total 30 mins | R2-3 miles/ walk to total 45 mins |  | 7-8 |  |
| $\begin{gathered} 5 \\ 6 / 24 \end{gathered}$ | R2 miles then walk to total 30 mins |  | R2 miles/ walk to total 30 mins |  | R2 miles/ walk to total 30 mins | R2-3 miles/ walk to total 45 mins |  | 8-9 |  |
| $\begin{gathered} 6 \\ 7 / 1 \end{gathered}$ | R3 miles then walk to total 35 mins |  | R2 miles/ walk to total 30 mins |  | R2 miles/ walk to total 30 mins | R2-3 miles/ walk to total 45 mins |  | 9-10 |  |
| $\begin{gathered} 7 \\ 7 / 8 \end{gathered}$ | R3 miles then walk to total 35 mins |  | R2-3 miles/ walk to total 35 mins |  | R2 miles/ walk to total 30 mins | R3 miles/walk to total 45 mins |  | 10-11 |  |
| $\begin{gathered} 8 \\ 7 / 15 \end{gathered}$ | R3 miles then walk to total 40 mins |  | R3 miles/walk to total 40mins |  | R2 miles/ walk to total 30 mins | R3.5 miles/walk to total 50 mins |  | 11.5 |  |
| $\begin{gathered} 9 \\ 7 / 22 \end{gathered}$ | R3 miles then walk to total 45 mins |  | R3 miles then walk to total 40 mins |  | R2 miles/ walk to total 30 mins | R3.5 miles/walk to total 60 mins |  | 11.5 |  |

${ }^{* * *}$ Consistency is Key! *** Those on this plan should be able to comfortably run at least 4 miles without stopping by the end of the summer. The workouts below are to be done at different paces: Easy- you can carry on a conversation with a friend; strides- pick up the pace for 100 yards or so, then slow down; tempogradually increase the pace until about halfway through the run, then gradually slow down the pace. For core, think of what we did last year- planks, leg lifts, bridges, clam shells,...It is ok to run even more often than this schedule, but please do so SLOWLY and CAREFULLY. Make sure to spend the full amount of time on the workout, which may involve some walking at the end of the workout (don't just run the mileage suggested, but complete the entire time minimum). Run the recommended run portion at one time. If you need to walk/run, use the level 2 plan. Notice the 4 day commitment and the time minimum for each workout.

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| $\begin{gathered} 1 \\ 5 / 27 \end{gathered}$ | R2 miles then walk to total 30 mins- easy | core | R2 miles then walk to total 30 mins- easy | core | R2 mile then walk to total 30 mins easy/ 2 strides | R2 miles/ walk to total 30 mins- easy |  | 8 |  |
| $\begin{gathered} 2 \\ 6 / 3 \end{gathered}$ | R2.5 miles/walk to total 30 mins- easy | core | R2 miles/walk to total 30 mins- easy | core | R2 mile then walk to total 30 mins easy/ 3 strides | R2.5 miles/walk to total 35 mins- easy |  | 9 |  |
| $\begin{gathered} 3 \\ 6 / 10 \end{gathered}$ | R2.5 miles/walk to total 30 mins- easy | core | R2 miles/walk to total 30 mins- easy | core | 2.5 mile then walk to total 30 mins easy/ 4 strides | R3/ walk to total 40 mins- easy |  | 10 |  |
| $\begin{gathered} 4 \\ 6 / 17 \end{gathered}$ | R2.5 miles/ walk to total 30 mins-tempo | core | R2.5 miles/walk to total 30 mins- easy | core | R2.5/walk to total 30 minseasy/4 strides | R3.5/ walk to total 45 mins- easy |  | 11 |  |
| $\begin{gathered} 5 \\ 6 / 24 \end{gathered}$ | R2.5 miles/ walk to total 30 mins-tempo | core | R3 miles/walk to total 35 mins- easy | core | R2.5 then walk to total 30 mins- easy/4 strides | R4/ walk to total 45 mins- easy |  | 12 |  |
| $\begin{gathered} 6 \\ 7 / 1 \end{gathered}$ | R3 miles/ walk to total 35 mins-tempo | core | R3.5 miles/walk to total 35 mins- easy | core | R2.5 then walk to total 30 mins- easy/5 strides | R4.5/ walk to total 45-50 mins- easy |  | 13.5 |  |
| $\begin{gathered} 7 \\ 7 / 8 \end{gathered}$ | R3.5 miles/ walk to total 35 mins-tempo | core | R4 miles/walk to total 40 mins- easy | core | R2.5 then walk to total 30 mins- easy/5 strides | R5/ walk to total 50-60 mins- easy |  | 15 |  |
| $\begin{gathered} 8 \\ 7 / 15 \end{gathered}$ | R4 miles then walk to total 40 mins-tempo | core | R4 miles/walk to total 40 mins- easy | core | R3 then walk to total 35 mins- easy/4 strides | R6/ walk to total 50-60 mins- easy |  | 17 |  |
| $\begin{gathered} 9 \\ 7 / 22 \end{gathered}$ | R 4.5 then walk to total 45 mins-tempo |  | R4 miles/walk to total 40 mins- easy |  | R3.5 then walk to total 35 mins- easy/4 strides | R6 |  | 18 |  |

## Summer Run Log- Level 4

Level 4 runners have continued running and are in good running shape. These will be runners who are setting goals to place well in the state meet and want the challenge of racing competitively. The workouts below are to be done at different paces: Easy- you can carry on a conversation with a friend; strides- pick up the pace for 100 yards or so, then slow down; tempo- gradually increase the pace until about halfway through the run, the gradually slow down the pace; fartlek- vary speed throughout the entire run. Do not neglect basics: For core, think of what we did last year- planks, leg lifts, bridges, clam shells,...Do exercises to strengthen ankles : foot drills, heel walks, foot pulls,...Be patient and start out easy even if you have been running. It will give your body some downtime to rest before you begin to build mileage again. Notice the 5 day commitment. A sixth day of running (easy miles only) can be added as long as you wake up refreshed each day. You may be sore, but not in pain.

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| $\begin{gathered} 1 \\ 5 / 27 \end{gathered}$ | R2 mile- easy | R3 miles- easy core |  | R3 miles- easy core | R2 mileseasy/ 2 strides | R4 miles- easy |  | 14 |  |
| $\begin{gathered} 2 \\ 6 / 3 \end{gathered}$ | R3 miles- easy | R3 miles-fartlek core |  | R2.5 miles- easy 4 hill repeats core | R2 miles- easy/ 3 strides | R4.5 miles- easy |  | 15 |  |
| $\begin{gathered} 3 \\ 6 / 10 \end{gathered}$ | R3 miles- easy | R3.5 miles- easy core |  | R3 miles- easy 4 hill repeats core | R2.5 mileeasy/ 4 strides | R3.5- easy |  | 15.5 |  |
| $\begin{gathered} 4 \\ 6 / 17 \end{gathered}$ | R2.5 miles -fartlek | R3.5 miles- tempo core |  | R3 miles- easy 5 hill repeats core | R2 miles- easy/4 strides | R5- easy |  | 16 |  |
| $\begin{gathered} 5 \\ 6 / 24 \end{gathered}$ | R3 milesfartlek | R3.5 miles-tempo core |  | R3.5 miles- easy 5 hill repeats core | R3- easy/4 strides | R5.5- easy |  | 18.5 |  |
| $\begin{gathered} 6 \\ 7 / 1 \end{gathered}$ | R3.5 mileseasy | R3 miles- tempo core |  | R3.5- easy 6 hill repeats core | R3- easy/5 strides | R4- easy |  | 17 |  |
| $\begin{gathered} 7 \\ 7 / 8 \end{gathered}$ | R4 miles-fartlek | R3.5 miles- tempo core |  | R3.5 miles- easy 6 hill repeats core | R3- easy/5 strides | R6 easy |  | 20 |  |
| $\begin{gathered} 8 \\ 7 / 15 \end{gathered}$ | R4 miles- easy | R4 miles- easy core |  | R3.5 miles- easy core | R3- easy/4 strides | R6.5-easy |  | 21.5 |  |
| $\begin{gathered} 9 \\ 7 / 22 \end{gathered}$ | R4 miles- easy | R4 miles- tempo core |  | R 4 miles- easy 6 hill repeats core | R 3 easy | R 7 easy |  | 22 |  |

## Summer Run Log- Level 5

Level 5 runners have participated at the varsity level for several years and want to commit to grow in their running abilities this season. They are experienced runners and are committed to developing skills. These will be runners who are setting goals to place well in the state meet and want the challenge of racing competitively. The workouts below are to be done at different paces: Easy- you can carry on a conversation with a friend; strides- pick up the pace for 100 yards or so, then slow down; tempo- gradually increase the pace until about halfway through the run, the gradually slow down the pace; fartlek- vary speed throughout the entire run. Do not neglect basics: For core, think of what we did last year- planks, leg lifts, bridges, clam shells,...Do exercises to strengthen ankles : foot drills, heel walks, foot pulls,...Be patient and start out easy even if you have been running. It will give your body some downtime to rest before you begin to build mileage again. A sixth or seventh easy day of running can also be added to this schedule as long as your body feels good each day when you wake up. You may be sore, but not in pain.

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| $\begin{gathered} 1 \\ 5 / 27 \end{gathered}$ | R3 mile-fartlek | R4 miles- easy core |  | R3 miles- easy core | R3 mileseasy/ 2 strides | R4 miles- easy |  | 17 |  |
| $\begin{gathered} 2 \\ 6 / 3 \end{gathered}$ | R3.5 milesfartlek | R4 miles- easy core |  | R3.5 miles- easy 4 hill repeats core | R3 miles- easy/ 3 strides | R5 miles- easy |  | 19 |  |
| $\begin{gathered} 3 \\ 6 / 10 \end{gathered}$ | R4 miles- easy 4 hill repeats | R4 miles- tempo core |  | R4 miles- easy core | $\begin{aligned} & \text { R3 mile- fartlek + } 4 \\ & \text { strides } \end{aligned}$ | R6- easy |  | 21 |  |
| $\begin{gathered} 4 \\ 6 / 17 \end{gathered}$ | R2.5 miles -easy | R3 miles- tempo core |  | R2.5 miles- easy 5 hill repeats core | R3 miles- easy/4 strides | R4- try and "race pace" middle 2 miles |  | 15 |  |
| $\begin{gathered} 5 \\ 6 / 24 \end{gathered}$ | R3 miles-easy | R4 miles-tempo core |  | R4 miles- easy 5 hill repeats core | R3- easy/4 strides | R7- easy |  | 21 |  |
| $\begin{gathered} 6 \\ 7 / 1 \end{gathered}$ | R4 miles-fartlek | R4 miles- tempo core |  | R4- easy 6 hill repeats core | R3- easy/5 strides | R8- easy |  | 23 |  |
| $\begin{gathered} 7 \\ 7 / 8 \end{gathered}$ | R3 miles-easy 6 hill repeats | R4 miles-tempo core |  | R4 miles- easy core | R4- easy/5 strides | R5- try and "race pace" middle 3 miles |  | 20 |  |
| $\begin{gathered} 8 \\ 7 / 15 \end{gathered}$ | R4 miles- easy | R5 miles- fartlek core |  | R4 miles- easy core | R3- easy/4 strides | R9-easy |  | 25 |  |
| $\begin{gathered} 9 \\ 7 / 22 \end{gathered}$ | R4 miles- tempo | R5 miles- easy core |  | R5 miles-fartlek core | R4- easy/5 strides | R7- try and "race pace" middle 3 miles |  | 25 |  |

## Level 6

You are an experienced runner and can track your own miles. You know that consistency is key. It would be better to run consistently (say 20-40 miles per week split out over 5-7 days) than to run 10 miles one day and then not run the rest of the week....Don't neglect drills, foot exercises, different types of workouts to shake things up (see Level 5 log as a starting point). Our goal is a solid base of miles to work with come August-not hurt, burned out runners. Have fun. Run with a friend...Meet and run from a donut or bagel shop, go get Pelican's after a run. Keep it super fun and super social.

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