



Wineglass Running Club

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73-year-old Corning, NY Athlete Achieves 8th Place Finish at 2006 Boston Marathon

Dave Morgan, accomplished distance runner and Wineglass Running Club member, completed the 110th Boston Marathon with an eighth-place age-group finish. To qualify for the Boston Marathon, athletes must meet the designated time standard that corresponds to their age group, running on a certified marathon distance course of 42.195 kilometers (26.2 miles). Morgan achieved his most recent qualifying times at the Dublin, Rome, and San Francisco marathons. Morgan has completed the Boston Marathon eight times, and has finished 29 marathons, including marathons on all seven continents. His first marathon was the 1984 Wineglass Marathon. Morgan intends to run the 2006 Wineglass Marathon.

The 2006 Boston Marathon was held on Monday, April 17, 2006. The legendary Boston Marathon course follows a point-to-point route from rural Hopkinton to Boston and is certified per the guidelines set forth by the IAAF and USA Track and Field. According to Morgan, weather conditions at this year's race were nearly ideal, although clearing skies toward the end of the event added some more challenge to the participants. Other Wineglass Running Club runners who completed the 2006 Boston Marathon include Scott Bickham, Bruce Graf, Bill Juan, Dave Weiss, Mary Wenck, and Tom Wilber.

The Wineglass Running Club's mission is to promote a healthy way of life for all ages and experience levels through events, training and education. The club presents several annual running events including this year's 25th Wineglass Marathon and Healthworks Team Relay sponsored by Corning Hospital. The marathon and team relay from Bath, NY to Corning, NY will occur on Sunday, October 1st. Pre-race exposition activities will take place in Corning's Gaffer District on Saturday, September 30th. The special guest speaker will be marathon champion Dick Beardsley. Registration information is available at <http://www.wineglassmarathon.com>.

The Wineglass Running Club is a member club of the not-for-profit Road Runners Club of America. The club maintains a web site at <http://www.wineglassrunningclub.com>. E-mail inquiries can be sent to info@wineglassrunningclub.com.

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