

River, Roots & Ruts half trail marathon was a new race for me and favorite one for Paul Carrington. Thanks to Paul, who told me about this race, I hope I'll run RRR every year. First six finishers of 355 were guys age 45-49, including Rob Kohnen and me. The winner passed me about mile 1.5. I didn't see his face, but watching him from behind, I thought that Ryan Hall was racing. His style of running, long legs, and blond hair was a carbon copy of Ryan. If it had been Ryan, he would have passed me at mile 0.0015. Visually I lost this guy at mile 5. He was 67 seconds ahead of me at the finish line. Four of us got a wooden pig, 3 guys and Sheri Weinstein--1st in AG (see attached photos and result at <http://www.abooma.com/EventViewer/ShowCombined.do?eventId=4813>)

Photo: from left to right: Sheri Weinstein, Rob Kohnen, Paul Carrington, Zvonko Smlatic