The sub-masters and the AAU — big convention issue looms

By ROBERT G. FINE

The sub-masters (30-39) are an unofficial group within the AAU. They are under the jurisdiction of the Open Track and Field and Open Long Distance Committees. The Masters Committees have no jurisdiction over the sub-masters. At the time that the Masters became a separate standing sports committee, the concern was voiced by the then parent Open Track and Field Committee that the Masters in Athletics (Race Walking, Track and Field, and Long Distance Running) might emulate the swimmers and go down in age to 25. The Masters indicated that we would not seek jurisdiction over athletes under the age of 40. Not only was it reasoned that many 30-year-olds can still compete on a championship level, but there were serious questions as to whether the International Federation would consider some special status for those under 40.

However, there has developed a real need for age-group competition amongst the sub-masters. The only group who has given them any consideration has been the Masters. In just about all of our meets there are sub-master events. With the knowledge that one can compete at any age in Masters competition, more athletes are not retiring after college. Many of them are just below championship level within their Associations and many 30-year-olds competing in sub-master events would have no chance of placing in open competition. Most of the world class athletes in their 30's have not competed in the sub-master events held in conjunction with the Masters' meets.

The sub-masters are becoming an important part of the Masters' meets since they compete in relatively greater numbers which results in important financial consideration. What is now happening is that the sub-masters, being under the jurisdiction of the Open Committees, have not been given any special age-group status and are thus not eligible for Championship awards. It seems inequitable that sub-masters compete in Masters meets, pay the same entry fee, but are not entitled to championship prizes or patches. This matter will be brought up at the AAU Convention this Fall. I have suggested that the sub-masters be given a similar group status, similar to those accorded to the Junior Olympic program, under the jurisdiction of the Open Committees, with permission being given to have the sub-masters events integrated into the Masters Championships. It is impossible to predict whether this proposal will pass.

What is now needed is for both the sub-masters and masters to contact their local AAU, find out who the delegates will be to the Convention, both on the sports committees and the Board of Governors, and lobby for approval of this plan. The AAU is democratically run. If you have the votes your point of view will prevail. It is identical to putting pressure on your congressman to vote as you would like.

It must be emphasized that the Masters Committees have no jurisdiction in this matter. We can point out the problem and lobby before the Open Committees but we don't vote within these committees.

Over 450 compete in National AAU Masters meet in Atlanta as events run smoothly

BY AI SHEAHEN

Over 450 veteran men and women athletes over age 30 competed in the 11th annual National AAU Masters Track and Field Championships in Atlanta, Ga., July 7-9, 1978.

The number of participants was the second largest in the history of the national championships, topped only by the 615 at White Plains, N.Y., in 1975, which included many foreigners on their way to Toronto for the first World Championships.

The 1978 meet was a professionally run event, skillfully handled by the experienced Atlanta Track Club and sponsored by the Occidental Life Insurance Company of North Carolina.

Chairmen John Bevilqua and Ken Kirk labored long and effectively to provide the participants with a very enjoyable weekend of competition. Meet Director Paul Kosheva, a guiding force behind Southern track and field for over 25 years, and his dedicated crew of volunteers kept the meet exactly on schedule.

A welcome change from the usual one-two-hour delays of many meets. The weather was virtually without a flaw. The field events were a bit scrambled, due mainly to the throwing of the javelin and hammer across the running track. Fortunately, no one got a hammer in the ear or a javelin in the chest, and the events proceeded normally.

The heat hovered at 95 degrees at Atlanta's Lakewood Stadium both days, and the humidity was near 100. This may have slowed some of the distance runners, but a few new records were nevertheless set in the middle distances.

Ernie Billups, a new face in the Masters program, came out of Chicago where he had dominated the Midwest Regional, to set a new American mark in the age 40-44 800-meter run. His 1:57.5 surpassed the old standard of 1:57.6 set by California's David Pratt at the national championships in San Diego in 1972. Pratt, by the way, is back in form. Now 46, he won the Western Regional 800 in a good 2:04.1, but did not compete in Atlanta.


Mary Czarapata of New Berlin, Wis., won three events in the women's 40-44 age division, including a new record 2:26.1 in the 800, breaking her own mark of 2:30 set in the regional championships in Chicago in 1977.

Nat Heard of Marion, Mass., established a new world mark in the 60-64 shot put at 53'0", topping his own three-month-old standard of 51'9".

The team scoring title was won by the powerful Corona Del Mar Track Club of Southern California. With the 10-8-6-4-2-1 point system, the Atlanta Track Club used its depth to finish second. The Potomac Valley Seniors took third with the Southern California Striders fourth.

The meet provided several memorable races: Jim O'Neil and Pete Mundle raced together for 24 laps in the 50-54 10,000-meter run. On the last lap, Mundle opened up 10 meters and seemed to have the race in hand until O'Neil put on a burst down the straight to win by a nose in 34:46. Mary Czarapata and Nancy Parker raced literally shoulder-to-shoulder throughout their 5000-meter run, with Parker confidently running on the outside on the turns. The outcome was in doubt till the final yards as both runners sprinted to the finish.

Ray Adams of Washington, D.C., a triple winner in the 1977 National Championships in Chicago, met John Sanders of Drexel Hill, Pa., the 1978 North American Masters 400 champion, in the finals of the 40-44 400. Sanders opened up a narrow lead coming off the turn as Adams slowly closed the gap. Both crossed the line in 51.0, with Adams getting the nod in a tremendous finish.

Hillard Summer of Woodland Hills, Calif., gained revenge for his loss to John Sanders of Sacramento in the 30-34 Western Regional 400 by nipping Harris at the tape in an outstanding 49.1 for both runners.

Sid Madden and Harold Chap...
Lombard, Ill., and Kelsey Brown, with their stirring duel in.

Although Madden competes in championships, outstanding personal ongoing rivalry is development. The black gold medalist in the World Games in Sweden and defending national champion, improved on his Swedish performance (2:05.7) to win in 2:04.

In the 1500-meter, the Pan-American Games champion and the only black ever to compete outside the African continent, according to reports, easily won the 5000 (15:58) and 10,000 (32:28), slightly slower than his winning 1977 efforts (15:49 and 32:57).

At Henry of Carson, Calif., won the 110-hurdles in 15.1 and Bertrand took the 400-hurdles in 60.1. (The 400-hurdle heights were won by Fred Shead of Deansboro, N.Y., with 33秃 for the 400 groups and 30秃 for over-50s. These heights were later agreed upon at the meeting as being better related to Masters competition; that more participants could be encouraged to compete if the levels were lower. However, all age records are presently kept at the international heights of 36秃 for the 40s and 33秃 for the 50s. So confusion is sure to result, but it may work itself out in time.) Hal Smith of Tarzana, Calif., won the shot in 42.8 and Tom Langenfeld took Minnesota into the high jump in 6秃.

The most well-known performer in the meet won the discus in the 40-44 category. Four-time Olympic champion Al Oerter was on hand as he tunes up for another 55-59 record of 35:37.2 in the 50's.

Dennis settled the issue quickly, drawing out to an impressive 10.8 victory as the best in the West beat the best in the East. Riddick was 2nd in 11.2 with Rabie 3rd in 11.4 and Budd 4th in 11.5.

In the 200, Riddick tried again to stay with Dennis but succumbed as Dennis won again in 22.5. New York's Cliff Bertrand closed for 2nd in 23.1 with Rabie 3rd in 23.1 and Riddick fourth in 23.2.

The 400-meter competition was fierce. American record holder Gene Valli of Hollywood (50.8) didn't make the trip, unfortunately, nor did Honolulu's Peter H. O'Neil in addition to his 200. Lloyd Taking thirds in the 2000, 800 and 1500 as Dean Smith of Lombard, Ill., and Kelsey Brown of Andover, N.J., traded victories.

Smith, the gold medalist in the World Games in Sweden and defending national champion, improved on his Swedish performance (2:05.7) to win in 2:04.0 to Brown's 2:06.9. The time apprised Bill Fitzgerald's world mark of 1:49.1 for over-50s. Fitzgerald's son, excellent 4:27:7 to Smith's 4:29.3. O'Neil won the 5000 in addition to his 400 in 17.04.

Schuler also won the triple jump; Hal Wallace of California took the pole vault in 10'6" and Jerry of Richmond, Va., won the high jump. Bill Walmoth won the shut and discus. Brown evened the score with an improved on his winning 100秃 comparable to his 1977 effort of 11.7 to 11.8. The only races that.

Brown succumbed as Dennis won again in 13:2. 200 (27.5), 110-hurdles (17.9) and 400-hurdles (73.1) and took seconds in the 400 (62.6) and long jump.

Tom McDermott of Madison, Conn., won the hammer and discus; Bill Morales of Santa Ana, Calif., took the long jump (15'11½""). Jim "Ole" Oleson of Santa Monica, Calif., garnered two golds in the 5000 (18:59.6) and 10,000 (39:47).

65-69. Consistent Bill Anderson of Anoka, Minn., was a double winner—in the 800 (2:30.2) and 5000 (21:12) but passed up the 1500 due to leg troubles. Bob Oakes of Wake Forest, N.C., annexed the 10,000. Honolulu's Bad Bacon won the 400-hurdles and pole vault. Harry Koppel of Belmont, Calif., won the 100 (13.2) and 400 (67.1). In June, Koppel set three world marks in the 65-69 age group: 100 (13.0), 200 (27.7) and 400 (64.0). Fred Wilson of Schenleyville, Texas, laid claim to outstanding athlete-of-the-division honors with three firsts—in the 200 (28.1), long jump (15'4") and triple jump (30'2½").

70-74. Manny D'Elia of Ridge-wood, N.J., took the 100 (14.6) and 200 (30.1). Paul Fairbank of Bethesda won the 5000 (22.56) and 10,000 (48.84). Sid Madden won the 800 in 2:43.4 and 1500 in 5:44.5. Win McCadden of San Diego won four: 110-hurdles (26.5), high jump (3'8½"), long jump (12'4½") and triple jump (27'4½")

75-79. Ubiquitous Herb Anderson of Bellevue, Colo., prompted an observer to suggest renaming this category the "Anderson division" as he notched 10 victories sweeping all five events, hurdles and 100. Honolulu's Harold Chapson picked up four golds in the 200, 400 and 1500 while George "Leahy" of Pensacola, Fla., a six-time national open AAU 10,000-meter champion from 1929 to 1943, won the 5000 and 10,000.

Women. There were several fine

continued
Phil Partridge reports on 1st Arabian Masters

"As you see, we did not have a full schedule of events," writes Phil Partridge in reporting on the first Arabian Masters Track & Field Meet held at Dhahran University of Petroleum and Minerals on April 24.

Winners in the long jump by age divisions were: Paul Lehto, 25-34, 15'10 1/4"; J. Henderson, 30-35, 17'10 1/4"; Phil Hedges, 40-45, 18'5 1/4"; and Joe Woods, 50-55, 10'8 1/4". Rick Kelly was runner-up in the 30-35 group and Fred Peet was second in the 40-45 division. In the running events, J. Henderson was first in the 100 meters in the 30-35 group in 12.5 seconds. Rick Kelly was second in 14.6. In the 40-45 group Phil Hedges won in 12.6 and Peet was second in 14.0. Woods won in the 50-55 group in 17.5.

George M. Knechtel won in the 35-40 group in the 400, 800 and 1500-meter events in 60.3, 2:50.5 and 5:16.5 respectively. David Thorne was the 35-40 winner in the 5000-meter event in 13.7. David Thorne won in the 45-50 group in 22:54.1. Edison Marshall was the discus winner in the 45-50 group with a throw of 77 feet, 8 1/2 inches. O.J. Henderson was first in the 200 (28.2) in the 35-39 group. Miki Hervey of Dallas impressed with a 50.6 to win the 400 in 50.6 and 2:22.2 to take the 800. Honolulu's Noel Murchite won the 10,000 in 34:39.2. New York's Dorothy Shippen won the 30-34 100 in 11.7 and 200 in 29.2.

National AAU Masters Chairman Bob Fine reported that Gresham, Ore., had submitted an official bid to host the 1979 Championships. Also interested are Dallas and Kansas. At the annual meeting after the banquet, the group voted to hold the national meet over the 4th of July weekend.

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By AL SHEAHEM

Gary Miller, 40, of North Hollywood, Calif., set a new American record for men over 40 by running the 400 meters in 50.8 at the AAU Western Regional Masters Track and Field Championships in Los Gatos, Calif. (near San Francisco) June 17-18. Miller broke his own mark of 51.1 set a week earlier. He also won the 400-hurdles (33") vs. the usual 36") height in 56.0 to establish an extraordinary standard in this new, but probably the best of-the-future height.

Harry Koppel of Belmont, Calif., set two new world marks for men over 65 with a 13.0 in the 100 and 27.7 in the 200. Koppel broke the record of Virgil McIntyre of Prescott, Ariz., who ran the 100 in 13.3 in 1976. His 200 time also topped a McIntyre standard of 27.9 set in 1976.

Ken Carnine, 70, of Sacramento, Calif., established a new world discus standard of 120'4" in the 70-74 division, smashing the old mark of 124'8" set by Verner Anderson of Sweden at Gothenburg in the 1977 World Veterans Championships.

Payton Jordan, 61, of Los Gatos, Stanford University track and field coach, two weeks earlier set a new world mark for men over 60 with an 11.8 in the 100 hurdes and 10.9 in the 100-yard dash. Jordan holds the 60-65 men 200 mark of 24.9, set last year.

Ken Anderson of Oakland, Calif., broke her own world mark for women 45-49 with a 19.372 for 5000 meters. Her old record was 20:05 set in the 1977 Pan-American Games in Los Angeles.

Turning in top performances:

Harry Bruhner of Concord, Calif., a 52.7 in the 45-49; Jack Greenland of Medicine Lodge, Kan., 54.9 in the 50-54 400; and Doug Wells of Pasadena, Calif., in the 200, 59.4 in the 400-hurdles, 15.3 in the 110-hurdles and 11.9 in the 100 for a total of five first places. Jordan won the 100 in 11.9 and the 200 in 25.7. Ken Dennis of Los Angeles won the 40-44 100 in 10.9 and the 200 in 22.1.

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VAN CortLANDT PARK, Bronx, N.Y., June 16, 18, 19, 20, Meet track.

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10 a.m. Sat., Nov. 11, 1978
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Competition for all men and women, AAU regis. in 40+ five-year age groups. Teams 40+, 50+
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Met AAU Masters Championships

Four-Mile Chase

100 yard dash

Johnson, B. 10.84
Johnson, R. 10.84
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McMillan, J. 11.08
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50 yard dash

Johnson, B. 5.65
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MILE CHAMPIONSHIPS

In 200 yard dash

Johnson, B. 20.92
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3.1 mile run

Johnson, B. 19:38
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300 M. H.DASH

Johnson, B. 38.6
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500yd dash

Johnson, B. 55.7
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500yd cl. dash

Johnson, B. 58.3
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MARATHON

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Johnson, R. 2:29:53
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MILE

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5000 M.

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10000 M.

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5 MILE

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20 MILE

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McMillan, J. 1:00:00

Relay: 4 X 100 M

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Sub-masters meet at Princeton

Met AAU Master Championships

- 1/2 MILE JUMP: Smith 4:55.4, Crettes 5:09.2, O'Sullivan 5:13.4
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Marathoner Gershon says, “The purpose of the World Peace Run is to inspire humanity with the vision of world peace and the oneness of all peoples. The World Peace Run is a tangible statement of faith in the potential for humanity to live in harmony. It is a celebration of the cultural diversity of the people of our planet. A conscious and deliberate attempt was made to avoid affiliation with any particular philosophical approach to peace or political system.” Nobel Peace Prize winner and Olympic running champion Lord Philip J. Noel-Baker and Miss Lillian Carter are co-chairpersons of the World Peace Run Advisory Council.

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Saturday May 27, 1978
Los Gatos High School Track

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2. Paul Dungan (11.20) 10.9
3. Marion Anderson (11.32) 10.8
4. Dan Fitzsimmons (11.38) 11.3

AGE GROUP 35 - 39
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3. Huel Washington (12.42) 11.9

AGE GROUP 50 - 54
1. Bruce Springbett (12.00) 11.6
2. Bob Cooper (12.05) 12.3
3. Steve Peck (12.72) 12.3

AGE GROUP 55 - 59
1. Jim Johnson (13.23) 13.6
2. Harry Huynh (14.64) 14.4

AGE GROUP 60 - 64
1. Payton Jordan (12.22) 11.8
2. Harry Koppel (13.31) 12.9
3. John Satti (13.39) 13.5

WOMEN

100 METERS

AGE GROUP 30 - 39
1. Cherrie Sherrod (13.07) 12.8
2. Miriam Gerard (13.74) 13.4
3. Valerie Terris (15.43) 15.4

AGE GROUP 35 - 39
1. Cherrie Sherrod 14.77
2. Miriam Gerard 15.43

AGE GROUP 40 - 44
1. Christel Miller 14.87

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WOMEN

100 METERS

AGE GROUP 30 - 34
1. Cheere Sherrod 12.8
2. Erica Sherrard 12.8
3. Ursula Schreiber 13.4
4. Katie Stat 15.43

AGE GROUP 35 - 39
1. Cheere Sherrod 14.77
2. Miriam Gerard 15.43
3. Valerie Terris 15.43

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 Men 400 Meters

AGE GROUP 30-34
1. Mimi Gerard (64.78) 64.5
2. Almeta Parish (68.12) 67.8
AGE GROUP 50-54
1. Shirley Dietderich 86.5

Women 800 Meters

AGE GROUP 30-34
1. John Satti (66.08) 65.9

WOMEN 800 METERS

AGE GROUP 30-34
1. Carole Manso 3:04.2
2. Mimi Gerard 3:04.9
AGE GROUP 35-39
1. Wayne Johnson 3:32.5

MEN 1500 Meters

AGE GROUP 30-34
1. Ramsay Thomas 4:09.8
2. Tony Jackson 4:13.4
3. Gil Middlebrooks 4:53.3
AGE GROUP 35-39
1. Bill Meinhard 4:16.8
2. Dave Donaldson 4:29.9
3. Bill Wade 4:29.3

AGE GROUP 40-44
1. Bob Welick 4:20.1
2. Daryl Beardall 4:27.7
3. Pete Richardson 4:44.6

AGE GROUP 45-49
1. Ken Napier 4:21.4
2. Gene Carlon 5:04.5

AGE GROUP 50-54
1. Avery Bryant 4:49
2. Carl Martin 5:01
3. Vance Koerner 5:13

AGE GROUP 55-59
1. Bill Bigelow 4:39.7

WOMEN 1500 Meters

AGE GROUP 30-34
1. Carol Manso 4:08.2
2. Ida Lucas 4:12.7
AGE GROUP 35-39
1. Barbara Sims 5:10

AGE GROUP 45-49
1. Ruth Anderson 5:36.8
2. Myra Eberly 5:40
3. K. Brieger 5:58

WOMEN 5000 Meters

AGE GROUP 30-34
1. John Satti 17:02.3
AGE GROUP 35-39
1. Bill Benz 17:28.9

AGE GROUP 40-44
1. Daryl Beardall 16:54.3
2. Robert Weller 17:05.3
3. Kent Guthrie 17:17.8

AGE GROUP 45-49
1. Ken Paul 18:26.8
2. Barbara Agostini 20:12.3
3. Paul Martin 21:51.2

AGE GROUP 50-54
1. Bill Bigelow 19:57.6

WOMEN 5000 Meters

AGE GROUP 40-44
1. Ruth Waters 21:10.6

AGE GROUP 45-49
1. Ruth Anderson 19:57.8

AGE GROUP 50-54
1. Willard Shank 19:53.0

AGE GROUP 55-59
1. Paul Roehm 20:12.3

WOMEN 10000 Meters

AGE GROUP 30-34
1. Rocky Warner 35:36.5

AGE GROUP 35-39
1. Bill Benz 34:45.9

AGE GROUP 40-44
2. Mark Callie 35:16.1
3. Terry Miller 35:41.3

MEN 16000 RELAY

AGE GROUP 30-34
1. West Valley, T.C. 3:34.4

AGE GROUP 45-49
1. Nor Cal Seniors 3:52.2

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<td>1. James York 116' 11&quot;</td>
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<td>1. Lou Perseney 81' 3½&quot;</td>
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| AGE GROUP 30 - 34 | 1. Remzne Husney 92' 1"
| AGE GROUP 40 - 44 | 1. Richard Stepp 90' 1"
| AGE GROUP 50 - 54 | 1. John Kumer 91' 1"
| AGE GROUP 60 - 64 | 1. Earl Archer 92' 0"
| AGE GROUP 70 - 74 | 1. Homer Van Gelder 100' 2"

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| AGE GROUP 30 - 34 | 1. Marion Anderson 22' 2½"
| AGE GROUP 40 - 44 | 1. Kermit Walker 20' 9½"
| AGE GROUP 50 - 54 | 1. John Sanchez 16' 1½"
| AGE GROUP 60 - 64 | 1. John Satti 15' 9½"
| AGE GROUP 70 - 74 | 1. Homer Vangelder 10' 4"

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| AGE GROUP 35 - 39 | 1. Dick Shelton 39' 11"
| AGE GROUP 45 - 49 | 1. John Dick 45' 5"
| AGE GROUP 55 - 59 | 1. Homer Van Gelder 41' 1"
| AGE GROUP 65 - 69 | 1. Lou Perseney 36' 1"

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| AGE GROUP 35 - 39 | 1. Cherrie Sherrard 41' 6"
| AGE GROUP 45 - 49 | 1. Harry Hussey 32' 7"
| AGE GROUP 55 - 59 | 1. Almeta Parish 25' 6"
| AGE GROUP 65 - 69 | 1. John Dick 25' 4"
| AGE GROUP 70 - 74 | 1. Homer Van Gelder 23' 8"

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Attention: All Masters registered in the Metropolitan A.A.U. Association.

A new Masters club has been formed for men and women over 30 to be called the New York Masters Sports Club.

This club will be open to all athletes regardless of ability. We hope to make it the largest Masters competing club in the world. The Masters Sports Association does not sponsor teams or individuals.

Under AAU Rules you must compete unattached for at least four months before you can belong to a new club. We are suggesting that you begin to compete unattached as of August 1st. We plan to field teams starting the 1979 Indoor season. Dues will be $5.00 per year. We expect to start off with one of the best Masters' track and field teams as most of the N.Y. Pioneers will be switching clubs. We wish to develop long distance and walking teams also.

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