

# **Congratulations to Our Prize Money Winners at the 2019 Credit Union Cherry Blossom Ten Mile, Washington, DC, April 7, 2019**

***With cherry blossoms at their peak, over \$80,000 in prize money was distributed at the Credit Union Cherry Blossom Ten Mile Run in the Open and U.S. Divisions. Unfortunately, a misplaced turn-around caused the course to measure 80 yards short (9.96 miles). All time bonuses were paid including the \$10,000 American Record bonus to Stanley Kebenei, the sub 46:00 bonuses of \$1,000 to Jemal Yimer and \$750 to Joshat Tanui, and the sub 52:00 bonuses of \$1,000 to Rosemary Wanjiru and \$750 to Gotytom Gebreslase***

***Here are this year's prize money winners.***

## **Open Men**

1. Jemal Yimer, ETH, 45:36, \$8,000
2. Josphat Tanui, KEN, 45:38, \$4,000
3. Edwin Kibichiy, KEN, 45:58, \$2,000
4. Stanley Kebenei, USA, 46:00, \$1,500
5. Stephen Sambu, KEN, 46:55, \$1,000
6. Futsum Zienasellassie, USA, 46:57, \$900
7. Reed Fischer, USA, 47:03, \$800
8. Willie Milam, USA, 47:07, \$700
9. Kiya Dandena, USA, 47:26, \$600
10. Louis Serafini, USA, 47:38, \$500

## **American Men**

1. Stanley Kebenei, USA, 46:00, \$5,000
2. Futsum Zienasellassie, USA, 46:57, \$2,500
3. Reed Fischer, USA, 47:03, \$1,500
4. Willie Milam, USA, 47:07, 47:12, \$1000
5. Kiya Dandena, USA, 47:26, \$800
6. Louis Serafini, USA, 47:38, \$600
7. Tim Young, USA, 47:40, \$400
8. Josh Izewski, USA, 47:54, \$300
9. Haron Lagat, USA, 48:19, \$200
10. Mark Leininger, USA, 48:21, \$200

## **Open Women**

1. Rosemary Wanjiru, KEN, 50:42, \$8,000
2. Gotytom Gebreslase, ETH, 50:47, \$4,000
3. Margaret Muriuki, KEN, 51:38, \$2,000
4. Hiwot Ayalew Yemer, ETH, 51:57, \$1,500
5. Vicoty Chepngeno, KEN, 52:08, \$1,000
6. Emma Bates, USA, 52:18, \$900

7. Hiwot Gebrekidan, ETH, 52:29, \$800
8. Stephanie Twell, GBR, 52:58, \$700
9. Iveen Chepkemoi, KEN, 53:21, \$600
10. Bethany Sachtleben, USA, 53:40, \$500

### **American Women**

1. Emma Bates, USA, 52:18, \$5,000
2. Bethany Sachtleben, USA, 53:40, \$2,500
3. Samantha Palmer, USA, 53:44, \$1,500
4. Katy Jermann, USA, 54:03, \$1,000
5. Alexis Zeis, USA, 54:32, \$800
6. Grayson Murphy, USA, 54:35, \$600
7. Allison Cleaver, USA, 55:34, \$400
8. Maddie Van Beak, USA, 55:38, \$300
9. Kelsey Bruce, USA, 55:39, \$200
10. Meghan Peyton, USA, 56:23, \$200

*The organizers profoundly apologize for the shortened course.*

### **The 2020 race will be held on Sunday, April 5, 2020.**

Check back for details about our Elite Athlete competition or contact Elite Athlete Coordinator Bill Orr at  
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Event information at [www.cherryblossom.org](http://www.cherryblossom.org).

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