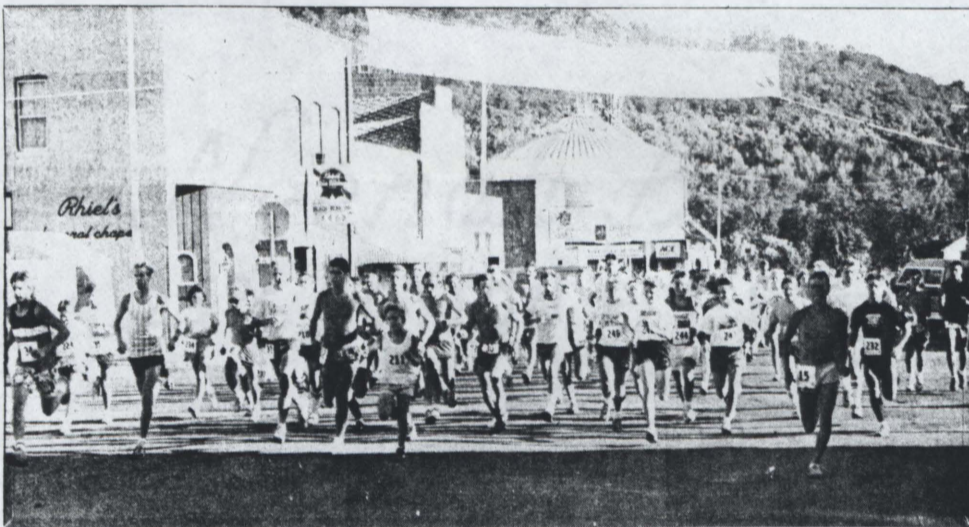




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**TOP FINISHERS IN THE UFO Days run were, from front left:** Louise Young, first 10k woman (45:03); Carol Presher, first woman over 40 (54:56); Ethel Furne, oldest runner, (1:21:08); Bob Traynor, first man over 30, (35:46);

Steve King, first man over 40, (36:50). **From left rear:** Gail Nelson, first woman under 19, (47:07); Chris Fleming, first woman 20-29, (51:01); and Sean Mulhern, first man under 19, (33:19).



**A TOTAL OF 118 runners took off from beneath the UFO Days banner Saturday morning as part of the annual 10K and 2-mile fun run. Jeff Svedahl of Minneapolis won the 10K event with a time of 32:35.**

## Elmwood Fun Run, 10K results

ELMWOOD—118 participants in the Elmwood UFO Days Fun Run, 10K and two-mile race battled record-setting temperatures Saturday morning. Winners in the Fun Run were Bill Forster and Karen Houdek. The official results are listed below:

**Fun Run:** Men: 1st—Bill Forster 11:06; 2nd—Dale Bee 11:25; 3rd—Tom Nelson 11:33.

Women: 1st—Karen Houdek 13:13; 2nd—Nikki Falde 14:10; 3rd—Carol Gordon 14:43.

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Men 19 & under: 1st—Sean Mulhern 33:19 (2nd man overall); 2nd—Logan Kratt 39:59; 3rd—Shawn O'Connell 40:57.

Women 19 & under: 1st—Gail Nelson 47:07 (2nd woman overall).

Men 20-29: 1st—Jeff Svedahl, Minneapolis 32:52 (1st man overall); 2nd—Dah Hebl 34:12; 3rd—Jon Willitz 34:32.

Women 20-29: 1st—Chris Fleming 51:01; 2nd—Sharon Bundy 55:34.

Men 30-39: 1st—Bob Traynor 35:46; 2nd—Marcus Eberhardt 35:58; 3rd—Jim Michaelson 36:16.

Women 30-39: 1st—Louise Young 45:03 (1st woman overall); 2nd—Char Traynor 46:16; 3rd—Sue Olson 47:03.

Men 40-49: 1st—Steve King 36:50; 2nd—Jim Ziegert 39:21; 3rd—Larry Thomas 41:38.

Women 40-49: 1st—Carol Prescher

54:56.

50 & over: 1st—Ethel Furne 1:21:08 (oldest runner at 79 years).

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## Why should Chippewa Falls take a backseat to Elmwood?

To the editor:

It's time the Herald-Telegram took a stand. This nonsense about Elmwood and UFOs should be quashed. The Elmwood sightings are hoaxes.

The truth of the matter is that Chippewa Falls is the center of the universe, and it would make more sense to build the landing strip for UFOs here. Aliens from outer space have been visiting us right along. Why then, you ask, don't we have reports of contacts by the residents of Chippewa Falls? I can explain.

First, when aliens have been sighted, they have been mistaken for someone's wife's relative, as in: "Saw your brother last night, hon." What he saw was a Martian or Jovian.

Second, most locals — when confronted with flashing, whirling luminescences — would get them confused with the lights from the big mirrored ball at the Frog Hop.

Third, conversations between aliens are assumed to be some teen-agers cacophonous boom-box blaring out rock and roll.

And last, but most important, I have it by good authority that many creatures from other worlds have developed a taste for Leinies.

And as physical evidence, I have an isometric projection showing our galaxy with a pin stuck in it with a small red pennant that says, "Chippewa Falls. Center of the Universe. Home of Leinenkugel's."

Paul H. Schultz Jr.  
Chippewa Falls

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