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WAXHAW TOWN & COUNTRY RUN A SUCCESS



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Friday, April 29th, 2011

by Arthur Lightbody



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The Waxhaw-Weddington Sunrise Rotary Club hosted the Sixth Annual Waxhaw Town and Country 5K in historic Waxhaw April 29. The Waxhaw club was grateful for the 450 participants who made it possible for the club to present Turning Point of Union County with a \$5,000 check following the race. Turning Point provides critical help to victims of abuse and their dependent children.

The balance of funds raised will go to fund other service projects the club engages in.

Lead sponsor CMC Union along with several other sponsors made the race a success.

The overall female winner was Daniela Schuster with a time of 21:40 and the overall male winner was Aaron Lins with a time of 17:58.

[More information on the Run >](#)



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**WAXHAW-WEDDINGTON
 SUNRISE ROTARY CLUB
 INVITES RUNNERS TO THE**
6th Annual Waxhaw Town & Country Run

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Friday, April 11th, 2011

by Arthur Lightbody

The Waxhaw-Weddington Sunrise Rotary will host the sixth and biggest ever Waxhaw Town and Country Run Friday, April 29 at 7 p.m. in historic downtown Waxhaw N.C.

Club president Cathy Burn says, “The Waxhaw-Weddington Sunrise Rotary Club invites participants to join them and the race’s sponsors in benefiting Turning Point of Union County by their participation. Turning Point provides critical help to victims of abuse and their dependent children.”

Burns adds, “In addition, funds will be used for service in other areas. In the past, Waxhaw-Weddington Sunrise Rotary Club has assisted with clothing and an outdoor basketball court for South Providence School students, providing funds for Crisis Assistance Ministries, as well as for other local and international efforts.”

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And now, Our Weekly Dose of Humor directly from the Internet.....

bits and pieces that your Editor will not testify to for correctness, accuracy nor even believability but they are certainly humorous, So Enjoy!

A senior citizen was driving down the freeway, his car phone rang. Answering, he heard his wife's voice urgently warning him, "Herman, I just heard on the news that there's a car going the wrong way on 280 Interstate. Please be careful!" "It's not just one car," said Herman. "It's hundreds of them!"

"Be yourself. Everyone Else Is Taken!"

My Favorite Animal

Our teacher asked us what our favorite animal was, and I said, "Fried chicken." She said I wasn't funny, but she couldn't have been right, because everyone else in the class laughed. My parents told me to always be truthful and honest, and I am. Fried chicken is my favorite animal. I told my dad what happened, and he said my teacher was probably a member of PETA. He said they love animals very much. I do, too. Especially chicken, pork and beef. Anyway, my teacher sent me to the principal's office. I told him what happened, and he laughed, too. Then he told me not to do it again. The next day in class my teacher asked me what my favorite live animal was. I told her it was chicken. She asked me why, just like she'd asked the other children. So I told her it was because you could make them into fried chicken. She sent me back to the principal's office again. He laughed, and told me not to do it again. I don't understand. My parents taught me to be honest, but my teacher doesn't like it when I am. Today, my teacher asked us to tell her what famous person we admire most.

I told her, "Colonel Sanders." Guess where I am now...

Gentle thoughts for today...

Birds of a feather flock together . . . and then p00h on your car.

A penny saved is a government oversight.

The older you get, the tougher it is to lose weight, because by then your body and your fat have gotten to be really good friends.

The easiest way to find something lost around the house is to buy a replacement.

He who hesitates is probably right.

Did you ever notice: The Roman Numerals for forty (40) are XL.

If you can smile when things go wrong, you have someone in mind to blame.

The sole purpose of a child's middle name is so he can tell when he's really in trouble.

Did you ever notice: When you put the 2 words 'The' and 'IRS' together it spells 'Theirs...'

Aging: Eventually you will reach a point when you stop lying about your age and start bragging about it.

Some people try to turn back their odometers. Not me, I want people to know 'why' I look this way. I've traveled a long way and some of the roads weren't paved.

When you are dissatisfied and would like to go back to your youth, think of Algebra.

One of the many things no one tells you about aging is that it is such a nice change from being young. Ah, being young is beautiful, but being old is comfortable.

Lord, Keep your arm around my shoulder and your hand over my mouth AMEN!

In Memoriam

With all the sadness and trauma going on in the world at the moment, it is worth reflecting on the death of a very important person, which almost went unnoticed last week: Larry LaPrise, the man who wrote "The Hokey Pokey", died peacefully at age 93. The most traumatic part for his family was getting him into the coffin They put his left leg in. And then the trouble started.



They are out there...

I have kleptomania,
But when it gets bad,
I take something for it.

FOLLOW YOUR DREAMS!
Except that one where you're naked in church.

Sometimes too much to drink isn't enough.

I LOVE COOKING WITH WINE
Sometimes I even put it in the food.

When you work here,
You can name your own salary.
I named mine, "Fred".



Heaven is Where:
 The Police are British,
 The Chefs are Italian,
 The Mechanics are German,
 The Lovers are French and
 It's all organized by the Swiss.

Hell is Where:
 The Police are German,
 The Chefs are British,
 The Mechanics are French,
 The Lovers are Swiss and
 It's all organized by the Italians.

Suicidal twin kills sister by mistake!

My short-term memory is not as sharp as it
 used to be.
 Also, my short-term memory's not as sharp as
 it used to be.

Welcome to Utah
 Set your watch back 20 years.

In just two days from now,
 Tomorrow will be yesterday.

A bartender is just a pharmacist
 With a limited inventory.

I may be schizophrenic,
 But at least I have each other.

Money isn't everything,
 But it sure keeps the kids in touch.

Reality is only an illusion
 That occurs due to a lack of alcohol.

Red meat is not bad for you
 Fuzzy green meat is bad for you.

I am having an out-of-money experience.

Don't sweat the petty things.
 Don't pet the sweaty things.

Corduroy pillows are making headlines!

I am a Nobody.
 Nobody is Perfect.
 Therefore I am Perfect.

KENTUCKY:
 Five million people,
 Fifteen last names.

I'm not your type.
 I'm not inflatable.

Dyslexics Have More Nuf.

I want to die while asleep like my grandfather,
 not screaming in terror like the passengers in
 his bus.

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