

# FLATWATER RACING RESULTS

## NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS - 1968 - LAKE SEBAGO

K-1 Men Sen 500m 2:15.5

- 1 J. Brosius, Wash CC
- 2 P. Weigand, Balona Creek, Cal
- 3 J. VanDyke, Potomac

K-1 Men Sen 1000m 4:20.2

- 1 P. Weigand, Balona Creek
- 2 A. Libertiny, NYAC
- 3 J. VanDyke, PBC

K-2 Men Sen 1000m 3:58.2

- 1 Weigand-Welbourn, Balona Cr
- 2 P. Guyre-J. Carey, Wanda
- 3 Redela-VanDyke, PBC

K-4 Men Sen 1000m 3:34.2

- 1 Heincke-Albert-Libertiny-Beczak
- 2 Brosius-Armstrong-Whitney-Dobozy
- 3 Bragg-Weigand-Toro-Welbourn

K-1 Men Sen 10000m 49:56.3

- 1 Libertiny
- 2 P. Weigand
- 3 J. VanDyke

K-2 Men Sen 10,000m 46:29.7

- 1 Bragg-Welbourn, Balona Creek
- 2 Walsh-Elenson, Sebago
- 3 Kelly-McGarrigle, Inwood

C-1 Men Sen 1000m 4:42.1

- 1 Toro, Balona Creek
- 2 A. Weigand, Balona Creek
- 3 R. Muhlen, unattached

C-2 Men Sen 1000m 4:14.6

- 1 Weigand-Toro, Balona Creek
- 2 Muhlen-Guenther, unattached
- 3 Piasecki-Jurovaty, Columbia

C-4 Men Sen 1000m 4:46.2

- 1 Wilkens-Runnels-Guenther-Muhlen, unattached
- 2 Effinger-McCarthy-Rumayor-Ryan, Inwood
- 3 Merritt-Smith-Scribner-Ware unattached

C-1 Men Sen 10,000m 53:05

- 1 A. Toro, Balona Creek
- 2 A. Weigand, Balona Creek
- 3 R. Muhlen, unattached

C-2 Men Sen 10,000m 52:33

- 1 Hangac-Serva, Yonkers
- 2 Piasecki-Jurovaty, Columbia
- 3 Engelbrecht-Sanker, unattached

K-1 Women Sen 500m 2:13.9

- 1 M. Smoke, Orlando
- 2 S. Rademaker, Orlando
- 3 F. Fox, Potomac

K-2 Women Sen 500m 2:04.5

- 1 Smoke-Rademacher, Orlando
- 2 Scribner-Gray, Washington
- 3 Kalafus-Radzevilla,

K-4 Women Sen 500m 2:01.6

- 1 Scribner-Gray-Hoermann-Merritt, Washington
- 2 Smoke-Rademacher-Corson-Orr Orlando
- 3 Fox-Williams-Garland-Redela, Potomac

K-1 Men Int 1000m 4:49.7

- 1 Tibensky, Lincoln Park
- 2 Kelly, Inwood
- 3 Beczak, NYAC

K-2 Men Int 1000m 4:34.3

- 1 Kelly-McGarrigle, Inwood
- 2 Beczak-Peterson, NYAC
- 3 Johnston-Samokishyn, Sebago

K-1 Women Int 500m 2:48.9

- 1 Mosolino, Wanda
- 2 Levesque, Columbia
- 3 Eckar, unattached

K-2 Women Int 500m 2:23.5

- 1 Scribner-Gray, Washington
- 2 Mosolino-Nagle, Wanda
- 3 Warren-Britt

C-1 Men Int 1000m 5:17.1

- 1 R. Muhlen, unattached
- 2 E. Rumayor, Inwood
- 3 R. Effinger, Inwood

C-2 Men Int 1000m 5:19.6

- 1 Piasecki-Jurovaty, Columbia
- 2 Rumayor-Maginness, Inwood
- 3 Engelbrecht-Sanker, unattached

K-1 Men Junior 500m 2:15.1

- 1 P. Olson, Columbia
- 2 D'Angelo, Sebago
- 3 Fernandez, Washington

K-2 Men Junior 500m 2:01.8

- 1 Samokishyn-Johnston, Sebago
- 2 Greifenberger-D'Angelo, Sebago
- 3 Guyre-Fernandez, Wanda

K-4 Men Junior 500m 1:55.1

- 1 Samokishyn-Doyle-Greifenberger-D'Angelo, Sebago
- 2 Nagle-Guyre-Fernandez-Bottigliero, Wanda
- 3 Olson-Sanders-Piasecki-Jurovaty, Columbia

K-1 Men Junior 5000m 25:31.8

- 1 Fernandez, Wanda
- 2 D'Angelo, Sebago
- 3 Greifenberger, Sebago

K-2 Men Junior 5000m 23:37.1

- 1 Samokishyn-Johnsyon, Sebago
- 2 Guyre-Bottigliero, Wanda
- 3 Hotaling-Hangac, Yonkers

K-1 Women Junior 500m 2:43.6

- 1 Mosolino, Wanda
- 2 Franzese, unattached
- 3 Gardner, Sebago

K-2 Women Junior 500m 2:18.8

- 1 Hoermann-Merritt, Washington
- 2 Mosolino-Messerschmidt Wanda
- 3 D'Angelo-Siegel, Sebago

K-4 Women Junior 500m no race

C-1 Men Junior 500m 2:32

- 1 Merritt, unattached
- 2 Effinger, Inwood
- 3 Hangac, Yonkers

C-2 Men Junior 500m 2:19.7

- 1 Piasecki-Jurovaty, Columbia
- 2 Smith-Merritt, unattached
- 3 Effinger-McCarthy, Inwood

C-4 Men Junior 500m 2:27

- 1 Merritt-Smith-Scribner-Ware, unattached
- 2 Clark-Clark-McDonnell-McDonnell, Waterford
- 3 Gural-Studley-Cohen-Whelpley, Sebago

C-9 Men Junior 500m 2:27.9

- 1 Washington
- 2 Sebago
- 3 Inwood

C-1 Men Junior 5000m 27:30.6

- 1 Merritt, unattached
- 2 Effinger, Inwood
- 3 Smith, unattached

C-2 Men Junior 5000m 26:25

- 1 Havens-Havens, Washington
- 2 Scribner-Ware, unattached
- 3 Gural-Whelpley, Sebago

K-1 Men Juvenile 500m 2:28.2

- 1 Samokishyn, Sebago
- 2 Guyre, Wanda
- 3 Doyle, Sebago



K-2 Men Juvenile 500m 2:14.5

1 Samokishyn-Doyle, Sebago  
2 Guyre-Bottigliero, Wanda  
3 Hangac-Hotaling, Yonkers

K-1 Women Juvenile 500m 3:02.1

1 P. Franzese, unattached  
2 Gardner, Sebago  
3 D'Angelo, Sebago

K-2 Women Juvenile 500m 2:37.5

1 Wilensky-Gardner, Sebago  
2 D. Scribner-R. Scribner, Wash  
3 B. Hoermann-S. Gray, Washington

C-2 Men Juvenile 500m 2:43.2

1 J. Gural-H. Whelpley, Sebago  
2 Walsh-Maginness, Inwood  
3 McCarthy-Maginness, Inwood

C-9 Men Juvenile 500m

no race

#### Point Scores

Sebago	61
Balona Creek	42
Washington	41
Wanda	37
Inwood	31
Columbia	28
NYAC	17
Orlando	16
Yonkers	8
Potomac	6
Waterford	3
Lincoln Park	5

#### NORTH AMERICAN CHAMPIONSHIPS

K-1 Women 500m 2:23.2

1 M. Smoke USA  
2 F. Fox USA  
3 M. Homer-Dixon CAN

K-2 Women 500m 2:11.5

1 Smoke-Rademacher USA  
2 C. Hunt-M. Custy CAN  
3 B. Scribner-J. Gray USA

K-4 Women 500m 2:07

1 Scribner-Gray-Hoermann-Merritt USA  
2 Hunt-Goodwin-Custy-HomerDixon CAN  
3 Smoke-Rademacher-Corson-Orr USA

C-1 Men 1000m 4:57

1 J. Wood CAN  
2 S. Lee CAN  
3 A. Weigand USA

C-2 Men 1000m 4:31.5

1 Lee-Wood CAN  
2 Weigand-Toro USA  
3 Wheeler-Bossy CAN

C-4 Men 1000m 4:47.9

1 Turcot-Paquet-Turcot-Scherrer CAN  
2 Kay-Norris-Bossy-Radford CAN  
3 Wright-Shepherd-Dennison-Brown CAN

C-1 Men 10,000m 53:19.4

1 A. Toro USA  
2 A. Weigand USA  
3 R. Kay CAN

C-2 Men 10,000m 48:04

1 Lee-Wood CAN  
2 Heese-Hobbs CAN  
3 Piasecki-Jurovaty USA

K-1 Men 1000m no time

1 D. Oldershaw CAN  
2 F. Bartik CAN  
3 P. Weigand USA

K-2 Men 1000m 4:11

1 Newton-Horton CAN  
2 Oldershaw-Reithauser CAN  
3 Weigand-Welbourn USA

K-4 Men 1000m 3:37.3

1 Reithauser-Ruck-Oldershaw-Matthews CAN  
2 Bragg-VanDyke-Welbourn-Weigand USA  
3 Heinke-Albert-Liberty-Beczak USA

K-1 Men 10,000m 47:28

1 G. Horton CAN  
2 W. Ruck CAN  
3 J. VanDyke USA

K-2 Men 10,000m 44:33

1 Oldershaw-Reithauser CAN  
2 Harrison-Lyon CAN  
3 Bragg-Welbourn USA

#### 1969 SUMMER RACING

##### Nationals

The summer of 1969 produced a strange contradiction - regattas that attracted only a few paddlers, and a collection of relatively new faces who challenged (successfully in many cases) the established paddlers. Perhaps it was 'year-after-the-Olympics' fatigue which affected many paddlers in all age groups, but in any case, it was cured by the Nationals which drew a record number of entries, jamming the facilities at Lake Sebago to the utmost. Most events were fairly full, and some even had heats, which is certainly a good sign for our paddling future. After the events were all over, Sebago Canoe Club took home the team trophy with 61 points while Ballona Creek Paddling Club (Calif.) was runner-up with 42 points.

##### North Americans

The North American Championships in Toronto resulted in a 67-37 defeat for the United States. Although the American women won all of their events, the American men could come through with only one victory, although many of their losing races were close ones. A subtle headwind added many seconds onto times for all the paddlers although the weather was basically good. Of all the participants, the Canadian women showed the greatest improvement and are now definitely competitive against the Americans.

##### Discussion about the North American Championships:

The above results show how soundly the Canadians beat the Americans. It is true that the US team was without some of its major paddlers, such as Merv Larson, John Pickett, Virginia Moore, Bill Gates, and Toby Cooper. However, it is also true that the two countries did not send equally representative teams. In their team selection, Canada requires only that the paddler have been a resident in that country for the past 30 days. One of their paddlers at the North Americans was a South African (who won incidentally) who is presently studying at a Canadian University. There was also a Czechoslovakian and some Hungarians.

These men very definitely helped the performance of the Canadian team. The United States on the other hand, conforms to the ICF standards which state that a paddler must be a resident of the country for a minimum of two years before being eligible for International competition. This rule has delayed the participation of several of our athletes, with Andy Toro and Attila Liberty finally being eligible; and it did prevent the Krawczyk brothers from Poland from competing for the US even though they have lived here ten months and are going to become citizens.

What difference do these two methods of team selection make? One could supposedly figure it out on paper, but the point is that at present, the North