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Series Resumes With Trail Run Through Tierney Preserve

ROXBURY – A number of regulars from the Roxbury Road Runners Club series ran Saturday, July 25, on an eight-mile or 3.1-mile course that started and began near one of the prettiest and largest town greens in Connecticut – the one with the gazebo and a military tank.

After the annual week off for the New Milford Parks & Recreation races, the Roxbury series – which has more races than any in Connecticut - – will resume its weekly schedule with a run on the roads and on the trails through part of one of the town's 32 land preserves.

The 4.7-mile run to the Brian E. Tierney preserve – near the intersection of Squire Road and Apple Lane - and back will be held on Saturday, August 1, 8:30 a.m. The preserve is named after a Vietnam War veteran.

Registration for the weekly races is available through [Roxbury Road Runners Club](#).

Runners should arrive early and check in so that they are logged into the computer system.

Current and former military personnel, current and former first responders and youth entrants should inquire about discount fees. The general charge is \$45 for a season pass and \$10 for the weekly waiver.

The races, which are sanctioned by the Roxbury Recreation Commission, start and finish near the Everett B. Hurlburt community Park at 18 Apple Lane.

For more information, contact Scott Benjamin, the race director, at ScottBenjaminWCSU2014@gmail.com, (v/m) (860) 354-3521 or access the Roxbury Races Facebook page, www.roxburyraces.net or [Roxbury Road Runners Club](#).

Registration is also available for the Roxbury Thanksgiving Day Charity Race, which is slated for Thursday, November 26, 9 a.m., over a 3.1-mile route.

Registration can be accessed via <https://runsignup.com/Race/CT/Roxbury/RoxburyThanksgivingDayCharityRace>

The fee is \$10 plus a \$1.60 handling charge – for a grand total of \$11.60. Race-day registration of \$15 per runner – plus a \$1.90 handling fee for a grand total of \$16.90 - - will be available November 26 at the pavilion to the community park from 7:30 to 8:50 a.m.