Running Log Starting Saturday May 21, 2016

Most workouts are in Meadville PA where I live.

Note: Before each workout, I massage my feet, legs, hips and back

I am going to start training for shorter races.

Sat 5/21/16: **2.3 miles**

I jogged 0.3 miles to the hilly cemetery loop and then 2 miles on the loop in 19:46 going faster as I ran. I feel better than I did two days ago.

Sun 5/22/16: **3 miles**

I ran 3 miles on the cemetery loop: 9:47+9:19+9:10 = 28:16

Mon 5/23/16: **5.3 miles**

I ran 1 mile to the college track in 9:13 and then rested 4 minutes.

I ran 8x220yds with a 220 jog before each. I ran wide so each lap was 440 yds. The average jog time was about 90 seconds.

Times on the 220's:

55.1, 53.4, 53.8, 52.1, 50.9, 50.3, 50.0, 47.2 Average = 51.4 seconds. I felt better as I ran.

Rested 4 minutes

I ran the 1.33 mile grassy, hill loop around the athletic fields in 12:29.

Rested 4 minutes

I ran 1 mile on the track in 9:52

This was a good workout. I feel good.

Tues 5/24/16: **4.75 miles**

I ran 0.75 miles to the athletic fields and 3.25 miles on the grassy hilly loop around the fields. Time 40 minutes. The I walked 0.75 miles on the track.

Wed 5/25/16: **5.5 miles**

I ran 1 mile to the college track in 8:36 and then rested 4 minutes.

I ran 9x220yds with a 220 jog before each. The average jog time was 93 seconds.

Times on the 220's:

53.6, 53.2, 52.5, 49.5, 47.5, 50.1, 48.8, 48.6, 46.0 Average = 49.9 seconds

I rested about 7 minutes including a 330 jog.

I ran the 1.33 mile grassy, hill loop around the athletic fields in 11:36.6 or 8:44/mi

Rested about 5 minutes and walked 3/4 miles on the track

I ran faster in this workout than in a similar workout on Monday.

Thur 5/26/16: **5.25 miles**

I ran 5 miles mainly on the hilly loop around the athletic fields averaging 10:43/mi. I took it easy on the uphills. Then I walked 0.25 miles on the track.

Fri 5/27/16: **6 miles**

1 mile warmup including ½ mile on indoor track in 4:09. Rested 5 minutes

On a treadmill: 6x880 yards with 440 jog before each 880. The jogs averaged 3:08.

Times on 880's.

3:56.8, 3:56.8, 3:56.8, 3:50.8, 3:47.8, 3:42.2. Average = 3:51.9.

I warmed down with a ½ mile in 5:00 and another ½ mile home.

32.1 miles in the last week.

Sat 5/28/16: **3 miles**

I ran to the athletic field, one time around the 1.33 mile loop and home for 3 miles in 29:52.

Sun 5/29/16: **1.25 miles**

1 mile on a very hilly road in 8:50 then a ¼ mile warmdown.

Mon 5/30/16: **4.5 miles**

I ran 4.5 miles on roads including the 5k Human Race in downtown Meadville. I ran 24:16. The course includes a long up and downhill.

Tues 5/31/16: **3.2 miles**

I ran to the athletic fields, 1.8 miles on the fields and back for 3.2 miles averaging 10:20/mile.

Wed 6/1/16: **4.1 miles**

I ran 1 mile to the college track in 9:12 and rested 4 minutes.

Then I ran 6x220 yards with a 220 jog before each. The jogs averaged about 90 seconds.

Times for the 220's: 49.7, 48.8, 47.8 and 45.5. average = 48.0 seconds

rested 4 minutes

I ran the 1.33 mile loop around the athletic fields averaging 9:40/mile.

rested 2 minutes

walked 3/4 mile on the track.

Thur 6/2/16: 4 miles

I ran on the high school track with Mark Ams.

We warmed up with a mile. Then we ran 10x220yards with a 220 jog after each.

The jogs took about 90 s each.

Average time for the 220's was 57.7 s.

Jogged ½ mile

Fri 6/3/16 **7.25 miles**

I warmed up 1.25 miles on indoor track including 1 mile in 9 minutes and rested 4 minutes. On a treadmill I ran 7x880 yards with a 440 jog before each and one at the end. The jogs took about 3 minutes. My pulse at the end of the last 880 was 159 bpm.

Times on the 880's:

- 1. 3:56.8
- 2. 3:53.8
- 3. 3:50.8
- 4. 3:47.8
- 5. 3:45.0
- 6. 3:42.2
- 7 3:34.3

I jogged ½ mile home.

27.3 miles in the last week.

Sat 6/4/16: **4.5 miles**

I ran on the grassy, hilly athletic field. I ran 2 miles with Mark Ams in 21:09. Then I rested a few minutes and ran 2.5 miles at 8:00/mi in an Allegheny College alumni run. The course for the run consisted of a loop that was repeated 3 times. About 1/3 of the loop was downhill, and 1/3 of it was uphill. It was a good workout.

Sun 6/5/16: **3 miles**

I am tired from the workouts I had in the last 2 days. I ran 3 miles on hilly roads and grass in 34 minutes.

Mon 6/6/16: 4 miles

I ran on the college track with Mark Ams.

We warmed up with a mile. Then we ran 10x220yards with a 220 jog after each.

The jogs took about 95 s each.

Average time for the 220's was 57.8 s.

Jogged ½ mile

Tues 6/7/16 **3.6 miles**

I ran on the 1.09 mile loop around New Alexandria PA. It is down and then up hill. I jogged 0.17 miles, ran three loops averaging 8:48/mi and then jogged 0.17 miles.

Wed 6/8/16: 3 miles

I ran 3 miles on hilly roads in New Alexandria running faster as I went. Average pace = 10:20/mi. Final mile in 8:43.

Thur 6/9/16: **7.7 miles**

In the morning I ran in New Alexandria.

1 mile warmup in about 10:20

8 x 0.2 miles on a hill with a 6.4% grade. I jogged mainly downhill 0.3 miles after each 0.2miles. The jogs took about 3 minutes each. The times on the 0.2 mile uphills where:

- 1. 2:00 (10:00/mi)
- 2. 1:58
- 3. 1:56
- 4. 1:51
- 5. 1:49.4
- 6. 1:51.4
- 7. 1:47.7
- 8. 1:39.6 (8:18/mi)

I felt better as I ran.

Jogged ½ mile warmdown.

In the afternoon I walked 2.2 miles on the hilly West Penn Trail.