

Hippo News

Local Marathon Disturbance

This past Saturday, the Eau Claire area had their annual "Run for Research" marathon, where people from all over the region came to support cancer research. Over *400* people came out to run and support the cause!

During this exciting event, however, a hippo from the local zoo was rumored to break loose. Although quickly caught at first, Jessica the Hippo later escaped captivity again, this time heading for disaster.

I was just running to support my cousin who is battling breast cancer, and all of a sudden I heard screams from all around me. When I turned around, this hippo was charging through the crowd! I was almost mauled, but I decided to dive to the side at the last second. That decision saved my life.

-Anonymous Victim of Jessica

Following this disaster, the leaders decided to postpone the marathon for next month, giving those mentally effected time to recover.

Although only three injured, this moment has created a tremendous burden for all those in the race, as well as their families.
