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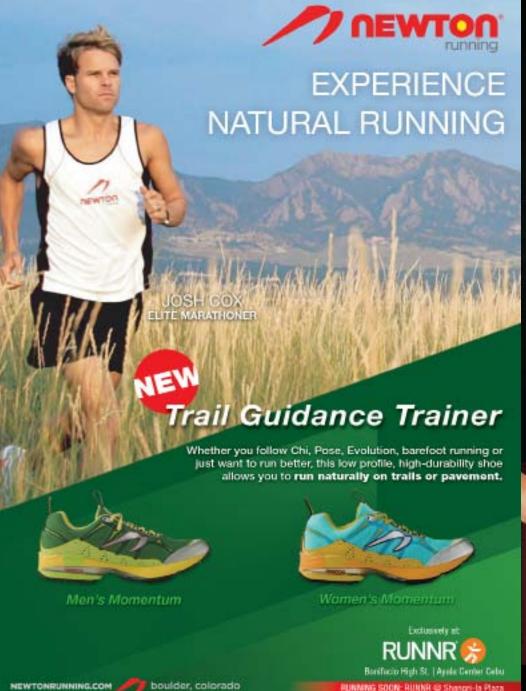
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TBR Inbox

EXCITED, ENCOURAGED AND EXCELLENT

Grabbing the latest copy of TBR magazine always gives me a boost of encouragement and inspiration. To have a local running magazine made by runners for runners is truly a blessing to all of us who want to be healthier, happier and a little bit sexier! *wink*

I've been a fan of the TBR blog since a couple of years ago, but the TBR magazine has made this hobby even more enjoyable for me. Reading stories of real people, learning more about the science and art of running, and discovering the latest gadgets is something I look forward to whenever TBR comes out. What is noteworthy about TBR is it manages to be updated with all the new trends that come about, yet still maintains the very heart and core of running — to learn and discover more about ourselves and to share this joy and high of running with our family and friends.

I wasn't able to register (again!) for the TBR Dream Marathon, but I love reading the features and interviews of this year's participants. I can relate to their motivation, the mixed feelings of anxiety and excitement, and the determination to go on and finish those 42 kilometers with energy and



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excellence. I've only finished a few half-marathons, but I know sooner than later I will join and complete a marathon too! When I do, I'll be grateful to everyone who helped get me there, TBR included!

Keep up the awesome work! Mabuhay TBR!

Angeli

Congratulations, Angeli! You won one pair of Nike Running Shoes for this letter.

TBR MAGAZINE: SMALL IN SIZE, BIG IN CONTENT

The only magazine that I read from cover to cover. Oh yeah because it's small and handy. But more so, because every bit of information interests me. Now I've got a full I year of TBR magazine collection and always looking forward to the next issue.

Not only have I become a fan of your blog but also of your magazine. As the cliché goes, the best things in life are free. Really nice of you to provide runners and would-be runners a free resource material for training, nutrition, or even shopping for running gears! Though it's small, unlike the regular magazines in the market, TBR magazine is definitely big in content!

Kudos to you Jaymie!

Dianne

RUNNING CRAVINGS

Hi TBR! Just got my second issue of TBR, the first one was the

Nov-Dec 2010 issue. I find your magazine so great that I don't just read it at one sitting because I know it will take a while again until a new issue comes out. So, what I do is to make my self crave each day. I only browse it.. (just **GLANCE** at pictures and titles of articles) at the first time I get the copy then day by day I read each article not just to satisfy my cravings about running but to motivate me as well to run that afternoon.

I am the type of person who easily becomes bored with routines that's why reading your articles makes me run knowing different stories from different people. And, I almost forgot! I was also able to back read your past issues thanks to your website where past issues are also available for download.

Hoping to make my Half Marathon record a shade under 2 hours this June. Thank you TBR! Keep it up!

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My first unofficial marathon. Quezon City International Marathon 2009

My first marathon was a lifechanging experience. After conquering 42 kilometers of hills and hardships, I crossed that finish line a stronger, more confident person. And, with a renewed spirit, I swore to have others undergo the same experience I did.With

that, The Bull Runner Dream Marathon was born.

In this issue, we feature three future marathoners, Christine Jacob-Sandejas, Ton Gatmaitan, and Ruby Gan, all registered participants of TBR Dream Marathon. They share their own journey towards their first 42k which we hope will inspire you to work for your own running goals too.

Now that it's summer, we've lined up the gear that you'll need for your runs. For our marathoners, we discuss the importance of energy gels, talk about various treatment options for injuries, and share post-marathon recovery tips. Last but not the least, we feature newlyweds Sef and Rory Corsame who threw a unique wedding reception for runners.

At TBR Dream Marathon, we encourage our runners to Dream Big and Run Strong. We can only hope that this issue will do the same for all of you.



Jaymie Pizarro, The Bull Runner www.thebullrunner.com





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FROM THE SUPERB EX-OLYMPIAN TO THE NEWEST KID ON THE BLOCK, WE PRESENT A HANDPICKED SELECTION OF THIS YEAR'S RUNNERS

Christine Jacob- Sandejas, 43,The Ex-Olympian

BY ERIC NICOLE SALTA

Once a professional swimmer who represented the country in international tourneys including the Olympics, Christine Jacob-Sandejas shows no signs of slowing down. At an age when some women tend to slow down their pace, Christine isn't one to rest on her laurels. Having officially rekindled her relationship with running a couple years back, primarily to help with her overall tennis game, Christine is hitting bigger and longer strides this time around. "Growing up I hated running but my father loved it. He would wake me up and make me run with him." she muses, "now he's like.

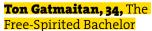
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'You're running! No one's forcing you." Yes, no one put her up to join her first marathon. The celebrity mom's latest endeavor is the result of what she calls "midlife crisis." "It's on my bucket list," she says, noting, "If Oprah can do a marathon. I can do a marathon!" Among

the benefits of being an avid competitive sports enthusiast is accepting the difficult task ahead. And doing everything possible to prepare for it. In her case, it's both a strategy and natural trait. "That's my mentality; I always have to be prepared. I have to eat well, work out well, and

be committed to it." Her longest race was 20k at ING Running 20, nearly half of The Dream, but knowing Christine, she's certainly resilient enough to pull through."And to prove to myself that I could still do a marathon."

On what's next for her running career: The boss of my husband signed us up for the New York Marathon in November. So, this (Dream Marathon) will be good for me. I want to see first if I can finish one, if I can do it, and then if I survive at least I'll be prepared for the New York Marathon.



Judging from his happygo-lucky personality and optimistic views in general, you wouldn't think Ton Gatmaitan is the type to take a serious challenge like running the Dream Marathon, his first. well, seriously. But this adventurous, free-spirited guy who started running just last October actually does, in his own original ways. "At first I reluctantly said 'Sige, sige,' he says after being encouraged by The Bullrunner herself, "but I'm so glad I did because running is now something I

see myself doing again and again. I can't believe I'm actually loving it—except the waking up at 3am part." Which poses a teeny-weeny dilemma considering the amount of work (sports drink account manager, co-founder of a TV/online production house) and activities (partying, capoeira, wakeboarding, windsurfing, scuba diving, tennis, Bikram yoga) he has on his plate yet Ton balances running and everything else awfully well, ensuring to run after work and on weekends. "So no partying, sige na nga minimal partying, the night before a

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long run!" Even if Ton has an admirable interest in a full life (he says he'd be partying and wakeboarding after the marathon), his vision for running is crystal clear."I really want to join an international marathon

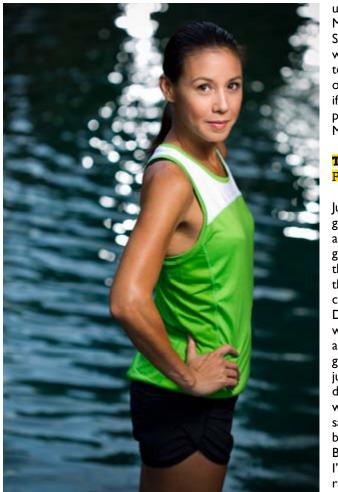
like New York, Paris, or

Australia." That's something to look forward to then.

On how he prepares for the race: I'm actually the kind of person who does my research on how to have the best running experience possible! So I bought the Chi

running book and joined Lit Onrubia's clinics as well. I'm also following the Galloway Run/Walk method so this, combined with the Chi running, really helps me finish my long runs strong and pain free!







baffles me, too," she says about her motivation for the marathon, "I just have that determination to finish it." If lifting weights (read: 65-70kg) proves to be a visual manifesto-she even set new records along the way—then Ruby's attempts at running her first marathon and grabbing gold in this year's Asian Bench Press competition suggests her inextinguishable zest for life."It would be the cherry on top of the cake if I could do both powerlifting and running at the same time." And judging from her track record, you get the feeling she will-even if she's running in four-inch

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Ruby Gan, 49, The Stylish Powerlifter

Defying odds seem to be second nature to Ruby Gan. While her impressive background in fashion and sport is nothing new (think Stella McCartney and Adidas), this adventure-fueled mom of two's sporting choices are a study in contrasts; powerlifting requires mass, running repulses mass. But that's not to stay it'll stop her from running her first Dream Marathon. "I'm the type who likes to try everything and is motivated by challenge," says Ruby whose idea of a challenge includes flying a Cessna plane or jumping from a 40 feet tree for a commercial. "It

designer stilettos.

On what she'll wear for the race: I usually wear my CWX tights and a comfortable top—nothing fashionable there. What I wish is that sportswear brands like Adidas or Nike would team up with local designers. This would be the ultimate coup marrying both fashion and sports.



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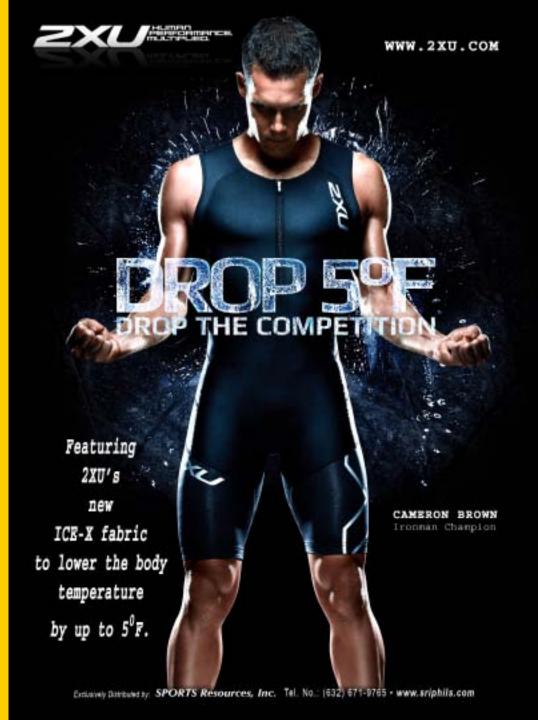


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ENERGY gels

BY MITCH FELIPE-MENDOZA

Do you really need energy gels to improve your race time or to survive your run trainings? Which energy gels are best for you and how can you benefit from using these sports nutrition products?

With a vast variety of pricey energy gels available in the market, as a consumer, you should separately analyze and try each product with caution and note which brand and how much of it will work for you on a specific event. But as a runner, it's important to understand the specific details on energy gels before you even attempt to use one.

What is an energy gel?

An energy gel is a concentrated form of carbohydrate which usually comes in convenient packets and different flavors used by exercisers or athletes during endurance events to delay fatigue and improve over-all performance. As a runner, keep in mind that your body needs glucose as it's main source of energy, but you might be needing it more often in one particular event depending on your effort level, race type, activity duration and your accessibility to carbs.

What do energy gels contain?

Most gels vary in terms of their liquid consistency and their over-all nutritional content but most of them will generally contain a special mix of simple sugars (glucose) and complex carbs like maltodextrin (a starch derivative from rice, corn or potatoes) which are also commonly found in sports drinks. An energy gel is also considered as sports drink without water.

Energy gels usually contain 90-120 calories and around 20-25grams of total carbohydrates per packet. They are commonly fat-free and low in protein to allow faster absorption to the bloodstream for immediate use.

How can you benefit from different types of energy gels?

Energy gels provide an easy-to-digest, specially formulated mix of simple and carbohydrates that helps in providing additional energy to the muscles. This additional provision of carbs has been noted to help delay fatigue and improve endurance with special emphasis to events lasting more than 45-60minutes.

Some energy gels also contain electrolytes like sodium, magnesium and potassium which assist in retaining proper muscular contraction, improving cardiovascular function, and helps prevent total body weakness due to dehydration during prolonged endurance events.

There are also gels that have additional ingredients like caffeine, a natural stimulant that increases mental and physical alertness

and overall metabolism. A few brands may also contain special herbs like ginseng which have been known to naturally increase strength and vitality. But if you have medical issues like hypertension or heart problems, specialists warn on taking energy gels with high amounts of caffeine.

Never experiment an energy gel for the first time on your race day

How to use energy gels?

If you are a newbie in trying energy gels make sure that you carefully read the labels because some ingredients have been found to cause stomach upset. Never experiment an energy gel for the first time on your race day.

Consume your gel 15minutes before and every 30-45minutes during your endurance event. But use these gels in an endurance event or training lasting for more than an hour just like using a sports drink.

Several gels have also been noted to be more dense and thick in consistency which make it more difficult to swallow. Therefore, some coaches advise that you take your gel with 1-2 cups of water. Remember that three grams of water is needed to process one gram of carbs.



Mitch Felipe-Mendoza is a lifestyle & weight management coach, fitness trainer and runner who has helped her clients manage weight and improve running performance

by combining her background in psychology, exercise, nutrition, and injury prevention. She is also a regular wellness contributor of Philippine Daily Inquirer and a weight loss columnist for Women's Health Philippines.



SURVIVAL POST-MARATHON (Or Long Run)

BY JIM LAFFERTY

Many runners will tell you that training for a marathon is toughest of all.

Others will claim it is marathon day itself.

And some will say it is in the days after the marathon that can be the most difficult of all!

No matter your viewpoint, we can all agree on two things---the days after your marathon (or long run) CAN be quite painful; and, there are several smart things you can do to ensure you make these days as smooth as possible.

When a runner embarks on a long run, or marathon, at a near maximum effort, the actual gains in fitness and endurance do not come DURING the run, but in the crucial 48-96 hours post run. This is when all of the tissue damage is being healed—and thus strengthened in the process. And when more capillaries are being added which increases blood—and thus oxygen—flow.

The name of the game is to help the body to heal, and at the same time reducing the impact of some of the by-products of the exercise that aren't as helpful. So here are the top tips to making those post run days as easy as you can make them.

make the mistake of simply "vegging" out on the couch or not moving. Big mistake. A continual blood flow means delivering more nutrients to the healing muscles, whilst helping flush the byproducts out. While this doesn't mean hard

running, it means walking or taking slow and easy recovery runs. Many studies have shown marathoners who do light walking and running the day after a race suffer less muscle aches and pains and recover faster.

DRINK WATER. And plenty of it. Water is crucial to keeping your muscles hydrated and also aiding in again flushing some of the exercise by-products out of your muscles. The 8 glasses/day rule is a baseline and ideally should be augmented by 2 glasses for a few days to ensure fluid levels are adequate. Particularly a hot marathon like in Manila!

EAT A HEALTHY BLEND OF COMPLEX CARBOHYDRATES and protein within the first hour after your run. That first hour is when the body is "primed" for carbs (healthy complex ones like wheat bread, vegetables, fruits) to reload the depleted stores in the body, and to also ingest protein which is the building block for rebuilding tissue. Timing is important.....so plan for this once your run is done.

one of the several by-products of exercise that can leave you stiff and sore. Anti-oxidants are contained in all kinds of foods but mainly in fruits and vegetables and help whisk these free radicals out of the body. It can be difficult to get all you need in diet alone, particularly after a marathon.



Look to proven supplements to help you, made of natural ingredients such as "Youth Juice" (available in S&R) which is a berry blend—nature's most potent anti oxidant food.

big help to ease the soreness and help flush those by-products out is a good massage. Treat yourself! You earned it!



Jim Lafferty has a background in running spanning three decades. He was head coach of track teams in the U.S.A. and was a co-founder of Ateneo Athletic Union. He also coached

multiple US national team members, German and French National level Marathoners. Jim has completed 23 full marathons.



January 9, 2011 Asiatown IT, Cebu City, 5/21/42k.

Cebuanos host their city's 2nd marathon event as runners joined in the festivities of the annual Sinulog Festival commemorating the Cebuanos' path from paganism to Christianity.

Images courtesy of SunStar Cebu



Green Lady, blending Sinulo, festival's traditional street dance and road racing.



All smiles still while running under the heavy weight of his battle gear.



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January 23, 2011, Bonifacio Global City, 3/5/10/21k. La Salle celebrates 100 years as an institution with an all-green running event that proudly shouts "Animo La Salle!"

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Jeff Graham

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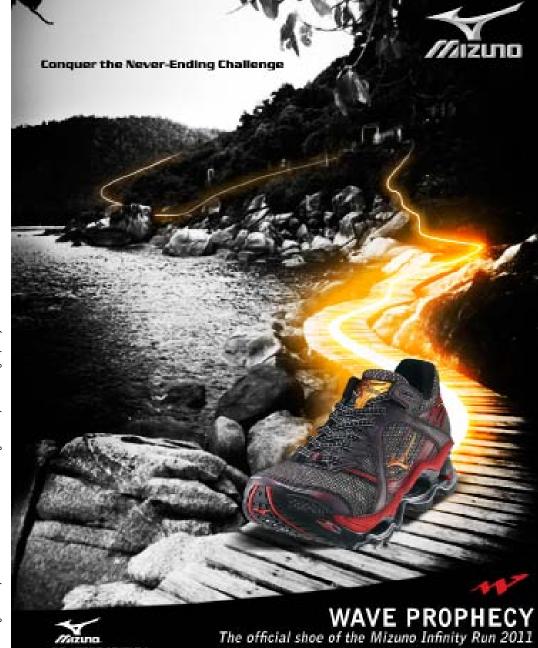






January 9, 2011, SBMA, 3/5/10/21/42k. Kenyans ruled this race event outshining an internationally-flavored roster Russian, other Asian and local runners. (PICTURES FROM SUBIC SHUTTERCLUB)





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WHAT DOES IT DO?:

assists Orthopedist / Physiatrist or Chiropractor uses electrical modalities such as Ultrasound, Electrical Muscle stimulation, low

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WHAT DOES IT DO?: A

licensed trained practitioner will be able to find areas of accumulated lactic acid and

they amplify the sensation of touch so that the practitioner can find and treat the injured area.

Chiropractic

WHAT DOES IT DO?:

gently manipulates the joints of the ankle, knees, hips and lower back thereby relieving pressure off the muscles. ligaments and nerves around your injury

BENEFIT: properly assesses Alignment and Function (full range of movement of our joints and muscles). This has immediate effects on the injury as well as in preventing future occurrences.

Tools are both diagnostic and therapeutic; they amplify sensation of touch so that the ractitioner can find and treat

amplitude lasers, and traction

BENEFITS: gently stretches and mobilizes injured areas and develop a therapeutic graduated work out program for the athlete

Acupuncture / Dry Needling

WHAT DOES IT DO?:

recognized by the World Health Organization for the treatment of various injuries such as ankle sprains, slipped disc, knee pain and others

BENEFITS: Insertion of fine, hair-like needles into certain points which help pain and inflammation while affecting the connective tissue network of the body (Fascia)

scar tissue to treat knotted muscles and ligaments into their correct position

BENEFITS: provides painful yet relieving strokes to your back and legs that releases stress points associated with running

myo-fascial treatments

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Instrument assisted

WHAT DOES IT DO?:

and Graston are run over the injured area to "align" contracted / scarred or inflamed ligaments and muscles affected by running.

BENEFITS: Tools are both diagnostic and therapeutic;





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MY STORY





ref Corsame and Rory Alcantara have been running together for over three years. They started out as struggling 5k runners and, this year, they decided to take the plunge not just once, but twice. First, they registered and are currently training for their first marathon together on March 20 at The Bull Runner Dream Marathon. And, last January 8, 2011, they also tied the knot in a running-inspired wedding. Rory says they couldn't have chosen a better theme, "Running is so much more than a shared passion. The sport brought us closer to each other and made us better individuals."



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Reception: President's
Hall, North Greenhills
Clubhouse

Excerpt from the vows

FROM SEF:

"Rors, in three months, we are set to run 42 kilometers to complete our first ever marathon. Up to this very moment I still do not know how I will be able to finish that race.

But this is what I know...

Three years ago I became the happiest man when you came to my life. We went through a major, major adjustment period but we managed to iron out our differences, and this took

us to where we are right now – standing in front of God, our families and friends.

Rors, I do not know why you run faster than me. I do not know why you always reach the finish line ahead of me. But today I tell you, as we embark on a much bigger race of our life, I know, and I promise, that this time, I will always be a step ahead of you, to take care of you, and protect you at all times. I promise to be faithful and love you for the rest of my life. I will hold your hand as we journey to the grand finish line, even as my legs grow weak and my heartbeat remains the only rhythm to get you going.

I love you, Rors, my teammate, my number one cheerer, soon to be my roommate, my life." FROM RORY:

Sef, do you know why I finish fast when we run? Because you give me a rush....

Sef, sometimes, I feel like I

don't want to run anymore. Because being with you is enough to make me reach my maximum heart rate. You are my chocolate-flavored PG, as in power gel that gives me an extra boost. You are my PR, as in my personal reason for living, and my PB, as in personal bodyguard. But most of all, you are my RD, as in race director. You gave me direction and it led to your heart.

Sef, I am very happy and thankful that we are both here today to start our life together in marriage. I promise to encourage and inspire you, to laugh with you, and to comfort you in times of sorrow and struggle. When life is trying and becoming an effort, I promise to cherish you and hold you in the highest regard.

I love you, Sef.This is a dream come true, to share a lifetime with you.As I always say, you are the best.And you really are! God bless our union and may the COURSE be with us.



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If you could run with one person from the past, present, or future, who would it be?



CRAIG, MICHELLE AND JUSTIN LOGAN

[Photo courtesy of Romel Espinoza, Runner's Runner1 At this point in our lives, I think for Justin, Michelle and I to be able to join "Team Hoyt" (Rick & Dick) in a Boston Marathon would be a "Dream" come true for us. When someone sent me their video link about 4 years ago I was moved to tears and filled w/ inspiration. It really helped us to see that Justin too could make a great impact being the special kid that he is.

FRANCIS MACATULAD

I hope to be able to run with my children as they complete their first marathons. I got back into running late in life and ran my first marathon when I was already 42. I hope my kids start running early so I can still be in shape by then to pace them to the finish and share in their success.



I would like to interview Joshua about Joshua 10 because of the all-night march from Gilgal to Gibeon of about 24 miles (almost 40 km) with an elevation of 3,000 feet that probably took this army around 4-8 hours. This ultramarathon distance (if you factor in terrain and elevation) predated the Battle of Marathon by more than 1,000 years. Right after the march, the opposing army got into confusion and Joshua prayed for the sun and moon to stand still over Gibeon and Aijalon respectively. I would like to know how they managed in ancient times to do that without carbo loading, Gatorade and Endurolytes!

ELAINE ARANETA

There's only one person I want to keep on running with until I'm old and my legs won't let me and that's my husband

Alex. It's our 4th year running together (out of 19 years of marriage). Running is our early morning bonding that keeps our marriage strong.

CLARISSA SERNA

PHIDIPPIDES so we can learn from each other. He can teach me mental resilience for an ultra distance run, while I teach him the modern techniques... running shoes, nutrition, hydration, etc.

MAI LIM

Gordon Ramsey is a respected (and sexy) chef and has run several marathons, I'd like to pick his brain while running and hopefully will come out of it with better culinary and athletic sensibilities.

CLIFF EALA

Haile Gebrselassie, marathon record holder. Why? To hear his life story, get inspired, and learn from him.



