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The weather couldn't have been better for the 1st Annual Red Top Rumble 11.5 Mile Trail Run. With bright blue skies and not a cloud in sight, runners gathered at Red Top Mountain State Park in Cartersville, GA on Sunday, February 10, 2008. The course started on the 3.6 Iron Hill gravel trail which offered scenic views of Lake Allatoona and several bridge crossings. GUTS volunteers created a makeshift trail a few weeks before the race that then connected the Iron Hill trail to other main trails within the park. Runners scurried through the woods making turns as they followed an old fire break among the trees. They were connected to the Homestead and Sweetgum Loops which winded along beautiful red clay trails allowing runners to take in even more breathtaking views and quiet, serene areas. Three fully manned aid stations along the course helped to encourage the athletes as they made their way over the hills. The 2nd aid station was stocked with the usual goodies that can be found at most GUTS races such as infamous Moonpies, Clif Shots, Potato Chips, M&M's and Gummy Bears. Official drink sponsor, Accelerade, was on the course to quench everyone's thirst along the way.

The Red Top Rumble course had its fair share of hills but that didn't stop the lead runners from pulling away and putting in fast times at the event. Awards were given to Top 10 Overall Male & Female, 1st Masters Male & Female and 1st Grandmasters Male & Female. Overall winners received a free pair of PUMA trail shoes. All winners were also given a customized fuzzy fleece blanket, Ever Red™ Loropetalum and other items donated from race sponsors.

Runners enjoyed Post-Race festivities with beverages from STEAZ, energy bar samples from LARABAR as well as a spread of food to fill everyone's hungry stomachs. The End-Of-Race Raffle encouraged runners to stick around to receive plenty of giveaways from Road ID, One More Mile, Big Peach Running Company, The Stick, Accelerade and more.

### Overall Red Top Rumble Winners:

#### OVERALL MALE

1. Joseph Gibson - 1:13:07
2. Mike Cosentino - 1:15:22
3. Tim Tatarka - 1:15:42
4. Jason Scott - 1:16:44
5. Matt Sims - 1:17:12
6. Samuel Linhoss - 1:18:16
7. Scott Freedman - 1:19:13
8. Nils Pedersen - 1:19:24
9. Jason Hanlin - 1:20:52
10. Joey Howe - 1:22:23

#### OVERALL FEMALE

1. Carrie Brady - 1:26:45
2. Kate Brun - 1:27:26
3. Michelle King - 1:27:55
4. Roxanne Zobava - 1:29:04
5. Jenny Callaway - 1:34:36
6. Maureen Riordan - 1:34:54
7. Rachel Heim - 1:35:02
8. Amanda Holzhausen - 1:36:21
9. Deanna Cromer - 1:37:37
10. Maja Gottlieb - 1:38:09

#### OVERALL MASTERS MALE

Raymond Ross - 1:19:45

#### OVERALL MASTERS FEMALE

Marcia Gibson - 1:47:59

#### OVERALL GRANDMASTERS MALE

Michael Walcott - 1:30:35

#### OVERALL GRANDMASTERS FEMALE

Susan Jones - 1:46:37

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