

## Plano Pacers Running Club, Inc. Hall of Fame

The Plano Pacers Running Club was formed in 1978. The Plano Pacers Running Club has successfully operated as a family-oriented organization for four decades. It is an all-volunteer, non-profit organization, totally dependent on its membership's time contribution. A great number of runners and non-runners have contributed to meeting the objectives defined by the founding members. Starting in 2009, the club established a Hall of Fame to recognize those individuals who have made significant contributions to the club.

The Plano Pacers would like to recognize Jeff Hashe for his contributions to our club. Jeff has been running with the club since 1994 after moving to Plano. Jeff is one of our long-time volunteers. He started volunteering with the club in 2011. The contribution that Jeff has made is little known as he works behind the scenes. One of the significant features of the Plano Pacers and its website is the ability to find runner history back to 2000! Jeff works after our monthly races and compiles the race results so they can be downloaded into the club database. In doing so, he checks for timing errors/anomalies, checks for club records, and maintains a database of club records by age group and top performances. Over the years the timing systems and mechanics have changed, and Jeff has always adapted.

In addition to this long-time contribution, Jeff and his wife, Donna, took on the responsibility of managing the monthly race awards for several years when the regular award volunteers had to step down. This included purchasing, assembling, and distributing the awards after each race.

Members like Jeff are the backbone of our running club. His contributions and time given are truly noteworthy. For all the reasons documented in this letter, the club is proud to name Jeff Hashe as a member of the Plano Pacers Hall of Fame.

**Fred Ellefson** 

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**President, Plano Pacers**