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**WOMEN'S WORLD BEST FOR 12K SET AT
99TH ANNUAL ING BAY TO BREAKERS**

Lineth Chepkurui of Kenya Finishes in 38:07, Returning Champion Sammy Kitwara of Kenya Wins Race

SAN FRANCISCO (May 16, 2010) – The 99th annual ING Bay to Breakers 12K, one of the world's largest and oldest footraces, today made world history with Lineth Chepkurui of Kenya finishing in 38:07 in the Women's Division. Sammy Kitwara of Kenya became a back-to-back winner at the race with the time of 34:15. Kitwara broke the world record last year in the Men's Division for 12K by finishing in 33:31.

"The ING Bay to Breakers race continues to attract world-class athletes and today's new world record set is a great example of the talent we see each year," said Angela Fang, general manager of ING Bay to Breakers. "We can't wait until the race's 100th anniversary next year which, if today is any indication, will be as record-breaking and exciting as this year."

| Women's Results - Open Field | | | | | |
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| Place | Name | Age | Hometown | Time | Bib # |
| 1 | Lineth Chepkurui | 22 | Kenya | 38:07 | 1 |
| 2 | Emily Chebet | 24 | Kenya | 38:41 | 2 |
| 3 | Mamitu Daska | 26 | Ethiopia | 39:34 | 5 |
| 4 | Jelliah Tinega | 24 | Kenya | 40:14 | 6 |
| 5 | Caroline Rotich | 26 | Kenya | 40:37 | 8 |
| 6 | Jane Kibii | 25 | Kenya | 41:05 | 4 |
| 7 | Magdalena Lewy-Boulet | 36 | Oakland, CA | 41:39 | 3 |
| 8 | Kate O'Neill | 29 | Palo Alto, CA | 41:52 | 10 |
| 9 | Annie Bersagel | 27 | Stanford, CA | 41:57 | 14 |
| 10 | Clara Horowitz-Peterson | 26 | San Anselmo, CA | 42:16 | 12 |

Women's Results – Open Field (... results continue)

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| 11 | Nina Rillstone | 35 | New Zealand | 42:19 | 7 |
| 12 | Laura Bennett | 35 | Boulder, CO | 43:37 | 16 |
| 13 | Kassi Andersen | 26 | Provo, UT | 43:53 | 9 |
| 14 | Brooke Wells | 25 | San Francisco, CA | 44:15 | 11 |
| 15 | Emily Potter | 31 | Southern Pines, NV | 44:39 | 222 |

| Men's Results - Open Field | | | | | |
|----------------------------|-------------------|-----|-------------------|-------|-------|
| Place | Name | Age | Hometown | Time | Bib # |
| 1 | Sammy Kitwara | 23 | Kenya | 34:15 | 21 |
| 2 | Peter Kirui | 22 | Kenya | 34:15 | 24 |
| 3 | Tilahun Regassa | 20 | Ethiopia | 35:30 | 23 |
| 4 | Tesfaye Sendeku | 26 | Ethiopia | 35:59 | 32 |
| 5 | Ridouane Harroufi | 28 | Morocco | 35:55 | 26 |
| 6 | Scotty Bauhs | 24 | Mammoth Lakes, CA | 35:55 | 27 |
| 7 | Simon Ndirangu | 24 | Kenya | 36:14 | 29 |
| 8 | Gilbert Okari | 31 | Kenya | 36:14 | 28 |
| 9 | James Kipketer | 33 | Kenya | 36:37 | 30 |
| 10 | Josh Moen | 28 | Readlyn, IA | 36:47 | 31 |
| 11 | Jeff Eggleston | 25 | Flagstaff, AZ | 36:51 | 34 |
| 12 | Valentine Orare | 27 | Kenya | 37:10 | 33 |
| 13 | Greg Bennett | 38 | Australia | 37:16 | 36 |
| 14 | Brad Poore | 31 | Davis, CA | 37:56 | 37 |
| 15 | Charlie Serrano | 30 | San Mateo, CA | 37:59 | 366 |

| Top American Woman | | | | | |
|--------------------|-----------------------|-----|-------------|-------|-------|
| Place | Name | Age | Hometown | Time | Bib # |
| 1 | Magdalena Lewy-Boulet | 36 | Oakland, CA | 41:40 | 3 |

| Top American Man | | | | | |
|------------------|--------------|-----|-------------------|-------|-------|
| Place | Name | Age | Hometown | Time | Bib # |
| 1 | Scotty Bauhs | 24 | Mammoth Lakes, CA | 35:55 | 27 |

| Top Bay Area Woman | | | | | |
|--------------------|-----------------------|-----|-------------|-------|-------|
| Place | Name | Age | Hometown | Time | Bib # |
| 1 | Magdalena Lewy-Boulet | 36 | Oakland, CA | 41:40 | 3 |

| Top Bay Area Man | | | | | |
|------------------|-----------------|-----|---------------|-------|-------|
| Place | Name | Age | Hometown | Time | Bib # |
| 1 | Charlie Serrano | 30 | San Mateo, CA | 37:59 | 366 |

| First Woman to Reach the Top of Hayes Street Hill | | | | | |
|---|--------------|-----|----------|------|-------|
| Place | Name | Age | Hometown | Time | Bib # |
| | Emily Chebet | 24 | Kenya | | 2 |

| First Man to Reach the Top of Hayes Street Hill | | | | | |
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| Place | Name | Age | Hometown | Time | Bib # |
| | Sammy Kitwara | 23 | Kenya | | 21 |

| Men's "Human Centipede" | |
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| Name | Time |
| LinkedIn Centipede | 37:58 |
| Asics Aggies Men | 38:39 |
| PamaKids Centipede | 52:22 |

| Women's "Human Centipede" | |
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| Name | Time |
| Asics Aggies Women | 48:44 |
| Impalas | 50:16 |

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services; and other local organizations. Additionally, race registration fees help support local San Francisco high school sports.

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Celebrating its 99th year, the ING Bay to Breakers 12K is one of the world's largest and oldest footraces, held annually in San Francisco, Calif. The name reflects the traditional course which takes tens of thousands of participants from the northeast end of the downtown area near the Embarcadero (the "bay" side of the city) to the west end of the city and the "breakers" of Ocean Beach. The 7.46 mile (12 kilometer) race features world-class athletes in addition to costumed runners and 'fun-loving' folks out for a great day of running and walking through San Francisco. For more information, visit www.ingbaytobreakers.com.

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