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Final Report

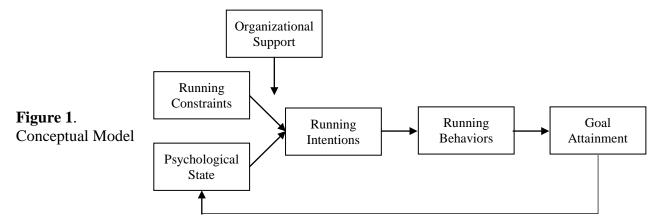
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#### **Project Objectives & Participating Agencies**

The primary objective of the proposed project was to identify the determinants of physical activity and persistence within community running clubs to promote sustained physical activity across the lifespan. The proposed project focused on OPRAF's academic goal of examining the personal and social characteristics of leisure participation and values, within the context of long-distance running. The project had three aims (illustrated in Figure 1):

- 1. Determine the impact of environmental conditions (i.e., organizational support, running constraints) and individual psychological state on individual running intentions and behaviors.
- 2. Determine the impact of individual running intentions (indirectly) and behaviors (directly) on goal attainment within the context of long-distance running.
- 3. Explore how the distinct environmental conditions (i.e., organizational support, running constraints) and individual factors influencing goal attainment in long-distance running change over time.



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**Cincinnati Marathon, Inc.** is a non-profit 501(c)3 organization that hosts the Cincinnati Flying Pig Marathon – a national, fundraising event open to participants of all abilities.

#### **Project Activities & Timeline**

In partnership with community running clubs within the Cincinnati (i.e., HoRNT and Fleet Feet) and Columbus communities (Columbus Running Company and Columbus Eastside Running Club), data were collected over two 17-week periods. Participants were invited to complete five different online questionnaires pertaining to primary constructs of interest. For the first survey, participants were recruited through the clubs' listservs and social media pages, with all

subsequent surveys distributed by the researchers through e-mail with an online link provided. For each round of survey data collection, the researchers used a lottery system to randomly select one participant from each club to receive a \$50 gift card incentive. The gift cards were primarily distributed in person at the running club meeting location. The following lists outline the data collection timeline for when each of the surveys were administered:

#### Cincinnati Flying Pig Marathon Data Collection

- 2/2/18 Survey sent via the two training clubs (i.e., Fleet Feet and HoRNT)
- 3/19/18 Survey 2 e-mail sent to those who responded to the first survey
- 4/10/18 Survey 3 initial e-mail sent to those who responded to the first survey
- 4/16/18 Survey 3 reminder e-mail sent to those who responded to the first survey
- 5/1/18 Survey 4 e-mail sent to those who responded to the first survey
- 5/29/18 Survey 5 initial e-mail sent to those who responded to the first survey
- 6/5/18 Survey 5 reminder sent to those who responded to the first survey

#### Columbus Marathon Data Collection

- 7/15/18 Survey sent via the two training clubs (i.e., CRC and CERC)
- 8/19/18 Survey 2 initial e-mail sent to those who responded to the first survey
- 8/26/18 Survey 2 reminder e-mail sent to those who responded to the first survey
- 9/22/18 Survey 3 initial e-mail sent to those who responded to the first survey
- 10/1/18 Survey 3 reminder e-mail sent to those who responded to the first survey
- 10/16/18 Survey 4 e-mail sent to those who responded to the first survey
- 11/13/18 Survey 5 initial e-mail sent to those who responded to the first survey
- 11/20/18 Survey 5 reminder sent to those who responded to the first survey

As data collection was extended through November of 2018, the researchers have employed descriptive statistics to provide preliminary outcomes in this final report. Future inferential statistics to be conducted include a series of statistical multi-level models to examine the differences within and between participants, as well as across time, while accounting for the effect of the community running clubs.

#### **Preliminary Outcomes & Impact**

The proposed project will inform recreation programs and administrators of critical determinants of physical activity and persistence in running to ultimately enable programs to increase and retain participants, attract unreached populations, and facilitate physical activity programming designed to enhance public health. In addition, the results of the proposed project will provide evidence of the impact of public recreation on community health and wellness and justify the preservation of natural resources available for public recreation use, impacting the public land management decision-making process. Specific agencies that will benefit from the project include OPRAF, Cincinnati Marathon, Inc., Cincinnati Recreation Commission, and Wasson Way Project, as well as the HoRNT, Fleet Feet, Columbus Eastside Running Club, and Columbus Running Company running clubs that will receive a report of key findings.

Preliminary results of the variables of interest captured in Survey 1, 2, 3, 4, and/or 5 are outlined in Table 1. Please see the separate Technical Report provided for a comprehensive review of the preliminary outcomes of the project.

 Table 1. Preliminary Results

		S	urvey 1	,	Survey 2	;	Survey 3		Survey 4	(	Survey 5
Variables		n	Mean (SD)	n	Mean (SD)	n	Mean (SD)	n	Mean (SD)	n	Mean (SD)
Community	Operations			106	<b>6.18</b> (0.96)			54	<b>6.23</b> (0.84)		
Sport Club	Programs/Services			106	<b>6.01</b> (1.10)			54	<b>5.94</b> (1.11)		
Capacity	Community Presence			106	<b>5.92</b> (1.19)			54	<b>6.10</b> (1.07)		
Leader Autonor	ny Support			104	<b>5.86</b> (1.11)			54	<b>5.83</b> (1.10)		
Organizational	Task Motivational Climate			104	<b>5.81</b> (0.96)			54	<b>5.74</b> (1.10)		
Climate	Ego Motivational Climate			104	<b>1.55</b> (0.82)			54	<b>1.48</b> (0.84)		
	Park Constraints	136	<b>3.25</b> (1.27)			105	<b>3.02</b> (1.27)			80	<b>2.89</b> (1.24)
Recreation and Leisure	Interpersonal Constraints	127	<b>2.62</b> (1.40)			102	<b>2.53</b> (1.27)			80	<b>2.79</b> (1.17)
Constraints	Intrapersonal Constraints	127	<b>2.33</b> (0.97)			102	<b>2.10</b> (.74)			80	<b>2.24</b> (0.81)
	Structural Constraints	127	<b>1.75</b> (1.04)			102	<b>1.56</b> (.72)			80	<b>1.59</b> (0.77)
	Intrinsic Regulation	127	<b>5.54</b> (1.22)			101	<b>5.60</b> (1.17)			80	<b>5.71</b> (1.18)
	Integrated Regulation	127	<b>5.35</b> (1.48)			101	<b>5.35</b> (1.33)			80	<b>5.51</b> (1.26)
Sport	Identified Regulation	127	<b>5.67</b> (1.27)			101	<b>5.86</b> (1.22)			80	<b>5.76</b> (1.25)
Motivation	Introjected Regulation	127	<b>4.81</b> (1.16)			101	<b>4.99</b> (1.12)			80	<b>4.82</b> (1.18)
	External Regulation	127	<b>1.98</b> (1.40)			101	<b>1.87</b> (1.35)			80	<b>2.07</b> (1.57)
	Amotivated regulation	127	<b>1.40</b> (.75)			101	<b>1.54</b> (1.05)			80	<b>1.67</b> (1.15)
General Self-Eff	icacy	125	<b>5.38</b> (0.86)			101	<b>5.51</b> (0.78)			80	<b>5.53</b> (0.83)
Sport Club Com	nmitment	132	<b>6.07</b> (1.07)			97	<b>6.08</b> (0.89)			77	<b>6.04</b> (1.17)

#### **Subsequent Plans**

Now that the project is complete, the researchers will disseminate the results to educate key stakeholders on the benefits of parks and recreation. The researchers will contribute to the body of knowledge through publications and presentations so that recreation programs across the nation, and faculty training future recreation administrators and policy makers, can make informed decisions related to the organization, administration, and regulation of recreation programs to enhance public health and conserve recreation spaces. Targeted journal outlets include *Research Quarterly for Exercise and Sport, Journal of Leisure Studies, and Journal of Sport Management*, and presentation outlets include the OPRA Conference and Trade Show, The Academy of Leisure Conference, and the North American Society for Sport Management Conference.

The researchers will continue this line of inquiry by investigating specific runner motivations, behaviors, and constraints specific to usage of public parks and trails. Building off this line of inquiry, the researchers intend to explore how runners utilize and treat public parks and trails. Additionally, the researchers intend to translate the conceptual model from this project (Figure 1) for the collegiate sport club context to examine recreational athlete motivations, behaviors, and constraints on college campuses.

#### **Expenses Incurred**

Table 2 reflects the original budget items requested, the expenses incurred, and the funds returned to OPRAF.

Table 2. Budget

Budget Item	Description	Estimated Cost	Expenses Incurred	Returned Funds
Travel Costs			<u> </u>	
Travel	Travel to running clubs to distribute research incentives	\$173.00	\$161.59	\$11.41
Participant Costs				
Research Incentive	\$50 gift card per running club per survey (estimated 5 running clubs)	\$1,250.00	\$1,000.00	\$250.00
Software Costs				
Statistics Software	STATA/SE software	\$395.00	\$395.00	\$0
Indirect Costs				
Indirect Costs	Facilities and administrative costs	\$182.00	\$155.66	\$26.34
Total		\$2,000.00	\$1,712.25	\$287.75

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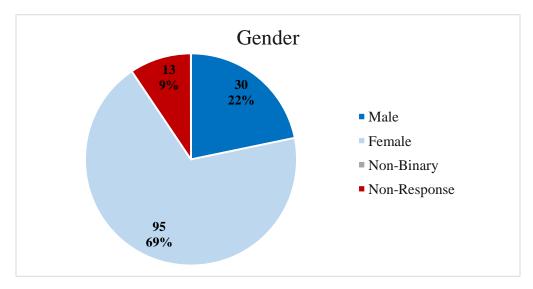
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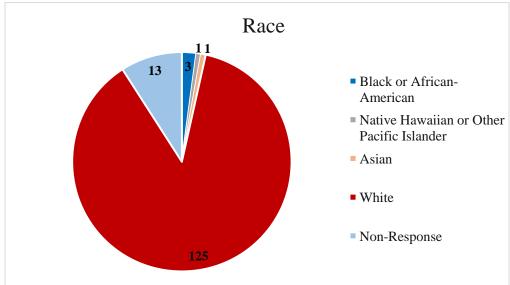
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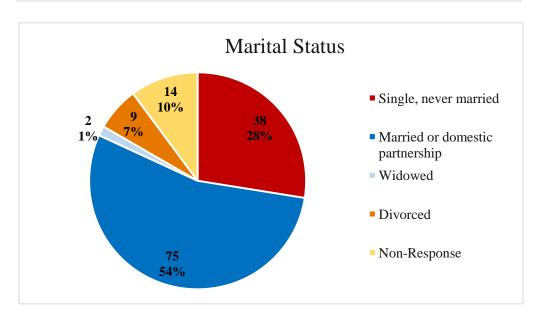
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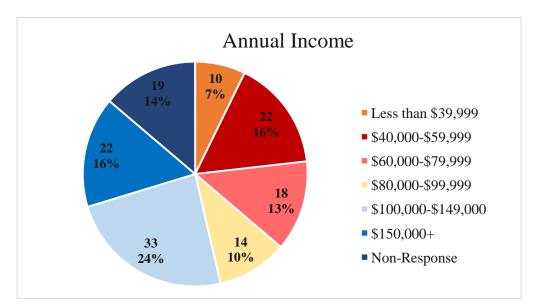
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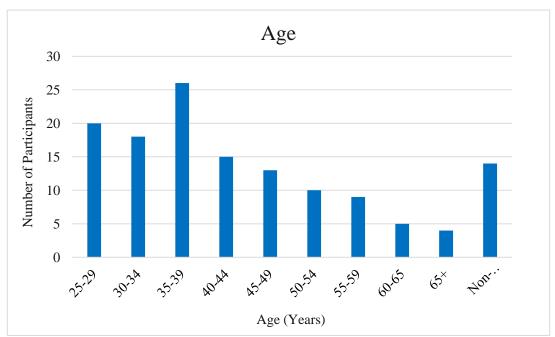
# **Demographics**











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# Survey 1

## **Recreation and Leisure Constraints (Park)**

How much does each of the following factors limit your use of community or neighborhood parks?	n	Mean	SD	Non- Response
Location of parks	136	4.23	2.101	
Cincinnati	76	4.30	2.154	2
Columbus	60	4.13	2.046	
Fear of physical assault	136	3.66	2.091	
Cincinnati	76	3.68	2.162	2
Columbus	60	3.63	2.017	
Maintenance of facility	134	3.56	1.910	
Cincinnati	74	4.04	1.890	4
Columbus	60	2.97	1.775	
Fear of crime	136	3.85	2.013	
Cincinnati	76	3.95	2.045	2
Columbus	60	3.73	1.982	
No one to go with	134	3.86	1.966	
Cincinnati	74	4.18	1.989	4
Columbus	60	3.47	1.882	
Lack of time	136	4.12	1.801	
Cincinnati	76	4.26	1.843	2
Columbus	60	3.93	1.745	
Overcrowded park	136	2.96	1.772	
Cincinnati	76	3.38	1.862	2
Columbus	60	2.42	1.499	
Availability of facilities	136	3.49	1.814	
Cincinnati	76	3.80	1.925	2
Columbus	60	3.10	1.591	
Gang activity in park	136	3.29	2.373	
Cincinnati	76	4.03	2.422	2
Columbus	60	2.37	1.966	
Alcohol/drugs in park	136	3.36	2.295	
Cincinnati	76	4.00	2.366	2
Columbus	60	2.55	1.935	
Lighting in the parks	136	4.06	2.142	
Cincinnati	76	4.70	2.033	2
Columbus	60	3.25	2.014	
Lack of green space	134	3.10	1.905	
Cincinnati	74	3.49	1.932	4
Columbus	60	2.63	1.775	
Landscaping and trees	136	3.03	1.817	
Cincinnati	76	3.18	1.816	2
Columbus	60	2.83	1.815	

Note. Calculations are based on a 7-point scale

Table continues...

## **Recreation and Leisure Constraints (continued)**

How much does each of the following factors limit your use of community or neighborhood parks?	n	Mean	SD	Non- Response
Lack of transportation	135	1.81	1.417	
Cincinnati	75	1.84	1.366	3
Columbus	60	1.77	1.489	
Confrontation with others	136	2.57	2.010	
Cincinnati	76	2.96	2.187	2
Columbus	60	2.08	1.650	
Feeling unwelcome	135	2.57	1.938	
Cincinnati	76	3.00	2.191	3
Columbus	59	2.02	1.383	
Fear of sexual assault	135	3.54	2.198	
Cincinnati	75	3.69	2.230	3
Columbus	60	3.35	2.161	
Don't offer activities you want	135	2.70	1.780	
Cincinnati	75	2.87	1.884	3
Columbus	60	2.48	1.631	
Fear of racial conflict	135	1.95	1.468	
Cincinnati	75	2.19	1.722	3
Columbus	60	1.65	1.005	
Other	39	1.64	1.367	
Cincinnati	19	1.95	1.747	99
Columbus	20	1.35	.813	

#### **Recreation and Leisure Constraints (Run)**

To what degree did each of the following reasons impact the amount of time you spent running in the past month?	n	Mean	SD	Non- Response
Too busy with family	127	3.50	2.104	
Cincinnati	70	3.30	2.142	11
Columbus	57	3.74	2.049	
Lack of energy	127	3.42	1.669	
Cincinnati	70	3.57	1.707	11
Columbus	57	3.23	1.615	
Costs too much	127	1.59	1.072	
Cincinnati	70	1.69	1.084	11
Columbus	57	1.47	1.054	
Feeling guilty	127	2.70	1.870	
Cincinnati	70	2.81	1.928	11
Columbus	57	2.56	1.803	
Lack of skill	126	1.73	1.229	
Cincinnati	70	1.79	1.238	12
Columbus	56	1.66	1.225	
Safety and security concerns	126	1.99	1.417	
Cincinnati	70	2.30	1.636	12
Columbus	56	1.61	.966	
Physical disability	127	1.61	1.426	
Cincinnati	70	1.59	1.479	11
Columbus	57	1.63	1.371	
Lack of time	127	4.13	1.912	
Cincinnati	70	4.13	1.926	11
Columbus	57	4.14	1.913	
Poor health	126	1.89	1.460	
Cincinnati	69	2.01	1.595	12
Columbus	57	1.74	1.275	
Lack of self-confidence	126	1.76	1.347	
Cincinnati	69	1.86	1.353	12
Columbus	57	1.65	1.343	
Not in shape	127	2.00	1.579	
Cincinnati	70	1.99	1.565	11
Columbus	57	2.02	1.609	
Don't know anyone else participating	127	1.74	1.497	
Cincinnati	70	1.73	1.424	11
Columbus	57	1.75	1.596	
Too much planning involved	127	1.68	1.259	1.1
Cincinnati	70	1.73	1.273	11
Columbus	57	1.61	1.250	1
No suitable place	127	1.63	1.214	1.1
Cincinnati	70	1.76	1.279	11
Columbus	57	1.47	1.120	
Other	30	2.37	2.173	100
Cincinnati	15	2.20	2.007	108
Columbus	15	2.53	2.386	

**Sport Club Commitment** 

To what extent do each of the following items reflect your relationship with the running club?	n	Mean	SD	Non- Response
How proud are you to tell other people that you run in your club?	132	6.35	1.119	
Cincinnati Columbus	75 57	6.44 6.23	1.106 1.134	6
Do you want to keep running with your club?	132	6.48	1.007	
Cincinnati Columbus	75 57	6.49 6.47	. <mark>991</mark> 1.037	6
How dedicated are you to running in your club?	132	6.08	1.296	
Cincinnati Columbus	75 57	6.07 6.11	1.298 1.305	6
What would you be willing to do to keep running in your club?	128	5.78	1.261	10
Cincinnati Columbus	72 56	5.86 5.68	1.259 1.266	10
How hard would it be for you to quit your club?	132	5.51	1.655	
Cincinnati Columbus	75 57	5.64 5.33	1.548 1.786	6
How determined are you to keep running in your club?	132	6.23	1.176	
Cincinnati Columbus	75 57	6.27 6.18	1.107 1.269	6

Note. Calculations are based on a 7-point scale

## **Goal Difficulty**

Using the following scale, please rate the difficulty of each of your goals.	n	Mean	SD	Non- Response
Goal 1	130	4.67	1.663	
Cincinnati	71	5.01	1.526	8
Columbus	59	4.25	1.738	
Goal 2	122	4.33	1.556	
Cincinnati	70	4.49	1.558	16
Columbus	52	4.12	1.542	
Goal 3	101	4.28	1.727	
Cincinnati	60	4.47	1.732	37
Columbus	41	4.00	1.703	
Goal 4	72	3.81	1.889	
Cincinnati	40	4.18	2.011	66
Columbus	32	3.34	1.638	

**Running Intentions** 

Using the following scale, please rate the difficulty of each of your goals.	n	Mean	SD	Non- Response
Over the next month, how many miles each week	129	26.20	12.376	
do you plan to run?	12)	20.20	12.070	9
Cincinnati	71	27.06	9.640	9
Columbus	58	25.15	15.092	
Over the next month, how many club training	125	3.18	4.246	
runs do you plan to attend each week?	123	3.10	4.240	12
Cincinnati	71	3.13	3.588	13
Columbus	54	3.25	4.986	
Over the next month, how many club training	106	1.85	2.022	
activities do you plan to attend each week?	100	1.05	2.022	22
Cincinnati	66	2.32	2.300	32
Columbus	40	1.08	1.095	
Over the next month, how many club social	NO.	1.20	1 400	
activities do you plan to attend?	98	1.30	1.490	40
Cincinnati	60	1.69	1.530	40
Columbus	38	.68	1.205	

**Sport Motivation** 

I participate in running because	n	Mean	SD	Non- Response
It gives me pleasure to learn about running	127	5.51	1.463	-
Cincinnati	70	5.71	1.426	11
Columbus	57	5.26	1.482	
It is very interesting to learn how I can improve	127	5.79	1.270	
Cincinnati	70	5.93	1.300	11
Columbus	57	5.61	1.221	
Running reflects who I am	127	5.51	1.469	
Cincinnati	70	5.50	1.492	11
Columbus	57	5.53	1.453	
Though running, I am living in line with my deepest principles	127	4.98	1.727	1.1
Cincinnati	70	4.97	1.785	11
Columbus	57	5.00	1.669	
Participating in running is an integral part of my life	126	5.53	1.648	1.0
Cincinnati	69	5.41	1.718	12
Columbus	57	5.68	1.560	
It is one of the best ways I have chosen to develop other aspects of myself	127	5.70	1.444	1.1
Cincinnati	70	5.67	1.481	11
Columbus	57	5.74	1.408	

Note. Calculations are based on a 7-point scale

Table continues...

**Sport Motivation (continued)** 

I participate in running because	n	Mean	SD	Non- Response
I have chosen this sport to develop myself	126	5.60	1.352	1 1 1
Cincinnati	69	5.68	1.323	12
Columbus	57	5.49	1.390	
I find it is a good way to develop aspects of myself that I value	127	5.70	1.329	1.1
Cincinnati	70	5.69	1.410	11
Columbus	57	5.72	1.236	
I would feel bad about myself if I did not take the time to do it	127	4.87	1.856	1.1
Cincinnati	70	4.87	1.918	11
Columbus	57	4.88	1.794	
I feel better about myself when I do	127	6.49	.765	
Cincinnati	70	6.61	.644	11
Columbus	57	6.33	.873	
I would not feel worthwhile if I did not	127	3.06	1.831	
Cincinnati	70	2.99	1.853	11
Columbus	57	3.14	1.817	
People I care about would be upset with me if I did not	127	2.08	1.611	11
Cincinnati	70	2.36	1.826	11
Columbus	57	1.74	1.232	
I think others would disapprove of me if I did not	126	1.88	1.395	10
Cincinnati	69	2.12	1.471	12
Columbus	57	1.60	1.252	
I used to have good reasons for running, but now I am asking myself if I should continue	127	1.56	1.159	11
Cincinnati	<i>70</i>	1.66	1.166	11
Columbus	57	1.44	1.150	
I don't know anymore; I have the impression that I am incapable of succeeding in running	127	1.37	.843	11
Cincinnati	70	1.39	.856	11
Columbus	57	1.35	.834	
It is not clear to me anymore; I don't really think my place is in running	127	1.26	.669	1.1
Cincinnati	70	1.27	.700	11
Columbus	57	1.25	.635	
I find it enjoyable to discover new performance strategies	127	5.32	1.598	1.4
Cincinnati	70	5.50	1.577	11
Columbus	57	5.11	1.611	

**Self-Efficacy** 

To what extend do each of the following items reflect you?	n	Mean	SD	Non- Response
I can always manage to solve difficult problems if	105	<b>5</b> 96	000	
I try hard enough	125	5.86	.989	1.2
Cincinnati	70	5.90	.887	13
Columbus	55	5.80	1.112	
If someone opposes me, I can find the means and	125	4.43	1.382	
ways to get what I want				13
Cincinnati	70	4.63	1.287	
Columbus	55	4.18	1.467	
It is easy for me to stick to my aims and accomplish my goals	125	5.14	1.189	1.0
Cincinnati	70	5.16	1.150	13
Columbus	55	5.13	1.248	
I am confident that I could deal efficiently with	125	5.24	1.194	
unexpected events				13
Cincinnati	70	5.19	1.207	13
Columbus	55	5.31	1.184	
Thanks to my resourcefulness, I know how to	125	5.37	1.154	
handle unforeseen situations	70	E 41	1 100	13
Cincinnati Columbus	70 55	5.41 5.31	1.123 1.200	
	33	3.31	1.200	
I can solve most problems if I invest the necessary effort	123	5.84	1.051	1
Cincinnati	69	5.81	.959	15
Columbus	54	5.87	1.166	
I can remain calm when facing difficulties because I can rely on my coping abilities	125	5.36	1.167	
Cincinnati	70	5.34	1.190	13
Columbus	55	5.38	1.147	
When I am confronted with a problem, I can	125	5.39	1.077	
usually find several solutions	70	5 AA	1.016	13
Cincinnati Columbus	70 55	5.44 5.33	1.016 1.156	
Cotumous	33	3.33	1.130	
If I am in trouble, I can usually think of a solution	125	5.52	1.029	12
Cincinnati	70	5.56	1.016	13
Columbus	55	5.47	1.052	
I can usually handle whatever comes my way	125	5.66	1.063	
Cincinnati	70	5.67	1.032	13
Columbus	70 55	5.64	1.032	

# Survey 2

**Community Sport Club Capacity** 

To what extend does each of the following statements describe your running club	n	Mean	SD	Non- Response
Operation	S			
Our club is well organized	106	6.27	.952	
Cincinnati	66	6.21	1.089	21
Columbus	40	6.37	.667	
Day-to-day operations of the club are effective	106	5.97	1.183	
Cincinnati	66	5.98	1.196	21
Columbus	40	5.95	1.176	
Our club is run effectively	106	6.25	1.067	
Cincinnati	66	6.18	1.189	21
Columbus	40	6.35	.834	
Our club provides programs in a positive environment	106	6.37	.939	21
Cincinnati	66	6.30	.992	21
Columbus	40	6.48	.847	
Our club is able to offer most of the programs and services we would like	105	6.01	1.189	
Cincinnati	65	6.02	1.218	22
Columbus	40	6.00	1.155	
Programs and S	ervices			
Our club provides quality programs and services	105	6.19	1.057	
Cincinnati	66	6.24	.993	22
Columbus	39	6.10	1.165	
Our club offers a range of programs	106	5.91	1.299	
Cincinnati	66	6.06	1.214	21
Columbus	40	5.65	1.406	
Our club offer accessible programs	106	5.92	1.350	
Cincinnati	66	5.94	1.263	21
Columbus	40	5.90	1.499	
Community Pre	esence			
Our club has a presence in the community	106	6.13	1.105	
Cincinnati	66	6.14	1.201	21
Columbus	40	6.13	.939	
The community is aware of our club	106	5.70	1.388	
Cincinnati	66	5.71	1.476	21
Columbus	40	5.68	1.248	

**Leader Autonomy Support** 

Please indicate your level of agreement to each of the following statements	n	Mean	SD	Non- Response
I feel that my coach provides me choices and options	104	5.82	1.313	12
Cincinnati	64	5.78	1.327	13
Columbus	40	5.88	1.305	
I feel understood by my club	104	6.02	1.115	
Cincinnati	64	5.95	1.174	13
Columbus	40	6.13	1.017	
My coach conveyed confidence in my ability to do well at running	104	6.13	1.094	
Cincinnati	64	6.14	1.167	13
Columbus	40	6.10	.982	
My coach encourages me to ask questions	103	5.87	1.355	
Cincinnati	63	5.92	1.324	14
Columbus	40	5.80	1.418	
My coach listens to how I would like to do things	103	5.71	1.357	
Cincinnati	63	5.67	1.437	14
Columbus	40	5.85	1.231	
My coach tries to understand how I see things before suggesting a new way to do things	103	5.59	1.346	
Cincinnati	63	5.57	1.364	14
Columbus	40	5.63	1.334	

Note. Calculations are based on a 7-point scale

**Organizational Climate** 

Please indicate your level of agreement to each of the following statements:	n	Mean	SD	Non- Response
The coach wants us to try new skills	104	5.63	1.232	
Cincinnati	64	5.80	1.198	13
Columbus	40	5.35	1.252	
The coach gets mad when a runner makes a mistake	104	1.38	.753	12
Cincinnati	64	1.38	.787	13
Columbus	40	1.38	.705	
The coach gives most of his or her attention to the stars	104	1.73	1.279	12
Cincinnati	64	1.77	1.257	13
Columbus	40	1.68	1.328	
The coach believes that all of us are crucial to the success of the team	103	6.11	1.128	1.4
Cincinnati	64	6.06	1.194	14
Columbus	39	6.18	1.023	

Note. Calculations are based on a 7-point scale

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**Organizational Climate (continued)** 

Please indicate your level of agreement to each of the following statements:	n	Mean	SD	Non- Response
The coach praises runners only when they outrun teammates	104	1.38	1.017	
Cincinnati	64	1.42	.973	13
Columbus	40	1.33	1.095	
The coach thinks only a few runners contribute to the success of the team	104	1.44	1.050	12
Cincinnati	64	1.47	1.069	13
Columbus	40	1.40	1.033	
The coach has his or her own favorites	104	1.99	1.669	
Cincinnati	64	1.94	1.531	13
Columbus	40	2.08	1.886	
The coach makes sure runners improve on skills they are not good at	104	5.06	1.433	13
Cincinnati	64	5.11	1.471	13
Columbus	40	4.98	1.387	
They coach yells at runners for messing up	104	1.14	.510	
Cincinnati	64	1.14	.500	13
Columbus	40	1.15	.533	
The coach encourages runners to help each other	104	6.18	1.086	
Cincinnati	64	6.20	1.171	13
Columbus	40	6.15	.949	
The coach makes it clear who he or she thinks are the best runners	104	1.62	1.279	12
Cincinnati	64	1.66	1.237	13
Columbus	40	1.58	1.357	
The coach emphasizes always trying your best	104	6.10	1.227	
Cincinnati	64	6.19	1.194	13
Columbus	40	5.95	1.280	
Only the top runner "get noticed" by the coach	104	1.51	1.106	
Cincinnati	64	1.52	1.069	13
Columbus	40	1.50	1.177	
The coach favors some runners more than others	103	1.78	1.400	
Cincinnati	63	1.76	1.316	14
Columbus	40	1.80	1.539	

## **Goal Effort**

How much effort have you directed towards each of your goals since the start of the current season?	n	Mean	SD	Non- Response
Goal 1	112	5.92	1.295	
Cincinnati	62	6.10	1.112	15
Columbus	50	5.70	1.474	
Goal 2	105	5.74	1.294	
Cincinnati	61	5.75	1.287	22
Columbus	44	5.73	1.318	
Goal 3	92	5.55	1.455	
Cincinnati	57	5.72	1.360	35
Columbus	35	5.29	1.582	
Goal 4	73	5.52	1.733	
Cincinnati	43	5.72	1.594	54
Columbus	<i>30</i>	5.23	1.906	

Note. Calculations are based on a 7-point scale

**Running Intentions** 

	n	Mean	SD	Non- Response
Over the next month, how many miles do you plan to run each week?	110	29.76	13.984	1.7
Cincinnati	59	32.35	15.335	17
Columbus	51	26.77	11.686	
Over the next month, how many club training runs do you plan to attend each week?	99	2.38	2.018	20
Cincinnati	60	2.90	2.303	28
Columbus	39	1.59	1.093	
Over the next month, how many club training activities do you plan to attend each week?	86	2.39	7.670	4.1
Cincinnati	55	3.20	9.492	41
Columbus	31	.95	1.075	
Over the next month, how many club social activities do you plan to attend?	85	1.49	1.535	42
Cincinnati	54	2.00	1.637	42
Columbus	31	.60	.757	

**Running Behavior** 

	n	Mean	SD	Non- Response
Over the past month, on average, how many miles did you run each week?	106	21.88	9.932	21
Cincinnati	58	22.99	8.083	21
Columbus	50	28.83	54.995	
Over the past month, on average, how many club training runs did you attend each week?	99	1.98	1.730	20
Cincinnati	59	2.45	1.997	28
Columbus	40	1.30	.883	
Over the past month, on average, how many club training activities did you attend each week?	89	1.14	1.494	20
Cincinnati	57	1.39	1.730	38
Columbus	<i>32</i>	.70	.792	
Over the past month, on average, how many club social activities did you attend?	82	1.04	1.544	
Cincinnati	56	1.26	1.708	45
Columbus	26	.58	.987	
Over the past month, on average, how many of				
the additional training activities you identified	94	2.32	1.668	
did you engage in each week?				33
Cincinnati	50	2.37	1.641	
Columbus	44	2.27	1.717	

# Survey 3

**Recreation and Leisure Constraints (Park)** 

How much does each of the following factors limit your use of community or neighborhood parks?	n	Mean	SD	Non- Response
Location of parks	105	3.65	2,227	
Cincinnati	55	3.78	2.192	5
Columbus	50	3.50	2.279	
Fear of physical assault	105	3.74	2.144	
Cincinnati	55	3.67	2.253	5
Columbus	50	3.82	2.037	
Maintenance of facility	105	3.35	1.891	
Cincinnati	55	3.80	1.976	5
Columbus	50	2.86	1.678	
Fear of crime	105	3.85	2.070	
Cincinnati	55	3.78	2.175	5
Columbus	50	3.92	1.967	
No one to go with	105	3.46	2.071	
Cincinnati	55	3.62	2.032	5
Columbus	50	3.28	2.119	
Lack of time	105	3.98	1.726	
Cincinnati	55	3.84	1.697	5
Columbus	50	4.14	1.761	
Overcrowded park	105	2.74	1.760	
Cincinnati	55	3.02	1.821	5
Columbus	50	2.44	1.656	
Availability of facilities	105	3.49	1.871	
Cincinnati	55	3.93	1.933	5
Columbus	50	3.00	1.690	
Gang activity in park	105	2.68	2.101	
Cincinnati	55	3.27	2.384	5
Columbus	50	2.02	1.505	
Alcohol/drugs in park	105	2.90	2.144	
Cincinnati	55	3.47	2.356	5
Columbus	50	2.26	1.688	
Lighting in the parks	104	3.93	1.952	
Cincinnati	55	4.25	1.974	6
Columbus	49	3.57	1.882	
Lack of green space	104	2.97	1.992	
Cincinnati	55	3.35	2.084	6
Columbus	49	2.55	1.815	
Landscaping and trees	105	2.89	1.948	
Cincinnati	55	3.29	2.079	5
Columbus	50	2.44	1.704	

Note. Calculations are based on a 7-point scale

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## **Recreation and Leisure Constraints (continued)**

How much does each of the following factors limit your use of community or neighborhood parks?	n	Mean	SD	Non- Response
Lack of transportation	105	1.67	1.370	
Cincinnati	55	1.58	1.134	5
Columbus	50	1.76	1.598	
Confrontation with others	105	2.24	1.795	
Cincinnati	55	2.31	1.845	5
Columbus	50	2.16	1.754	
Feeling unwelcome	105	2.08	1.585	
Cincinnati	55	2.36	1.860	5
Columbus	50	1.76	1.153	
Fear of sexual assault	105	3.40	2.234	
Cincinnati	55	3.29	2.225	5
Columbus	50	3.52	2.261	
Don't offer activities you want	105	2.35	1.623	
Cincinnati	55	2.65	1.713	5
Columbus	50	2.02	1.464	
Fear of racial conflict	105	1.99	1.554	
Cincinnati	55	2.36	1.809	5
Columbus	50	1.58	1.090	
Other	26	2.19	1.898	
Cincinnati	14	2.71	2.268	84
Columbus	12	1.58	1.165	

**Recreation and Leisure Constraints (Run)** 

To what degree did each of the following	_	Maan	CD	Non-
reasons impact the amount of time you spent running in the past month?	n	Mean	SD	Response
Too busy with family	102	3.59	2.168	
Cincinnati	53	3.53	2.189	8
Columbus	49	3.65	2.166	
Lack of energy	102	3.15	1.749	
Cincinnati	53	2.85	1.736	8
Columbus	49	3.47	1.721	
Costs too much	102	1.51	1.060	
Cincinnati	53	1.53	1.085	8
Columbus	49	1.49	1.043	
Feeling guilty	102	2.03	1.544	
Cincinnati	53	2.15	1.692	8
Columbus	49	1.90	1.373	
Lack of skill	101	1.55	1.081	
Cincinnati	52	1.42	.957	9
Columbus	49	1.69	1.194	
Safety and security concerns	102	1.77	1.194	
Cincinnati	53	1.53	1.049	8
Columbus	<i>49</i>	2.04	1.049	0
	102			
Physical disability  Cincinnati	102 53	1.77 1.85	1.495	8
			1.586	8
Columbus	49	1.69	1.402	
Lack of time	102	3.92	2.100	0
Cincinnati	53	3.89	2.154	8
Columbus	49	3.96	2.061	
Poor health	101	1.91	1.491	
Cincinnati	52	1.90	1.459	9
Columbus	49	1.92	1.539	
Lack of self-confidence	102	1.61	1.204	
Cincinnati	53	1.53	1.137	8
Columbus	49	1.69	1.278	
Not in shape	102	1.56	1.058	
Cincinnati	53	1.51	.993	8
Columbus	49	1.61	1.133	
Don't know anyone else participating	102	1.47	1.050	
Cincinnati	53	1.68	1.205	8
Columbus	49	1.24	.804	
Too much planning involved	102	1.41	.788	
Cincinnati	53	1.42	.795	8
Columbus	49	1.41	.788	
No suitable place	102	1.38	.784	
Cincinnati	53	1.47	.890	8
Columbus	49	1.29	.645	
Other	25	2.80	2.062	
Cincinnati	13	3.15	2.035	85
Columbus	12	2.42	2.109	

**Sport Club Commitment** 

To what extent do each of the following items reflect your relationship with the running club?	n	Mean	SD	Non- Response
How proud are you to tell other people that you run in your club?	97	6.41	.996	12
Cincinnati	55	6.53	.690	13
Columbus	42	6.26	1.231	
Do you want to keep running with your club?	96	6.48	.870	
Cincinnati	54	6.57	.690	14
Columbus	42	6.36	1.055	
How dedicated are you to running in your club?	97	6.05	1.176	12
Cincinnati	55	6.16	1.198	13
Columbus	42	5.90	1.144	
What would you be willing to do to keep running in your club?	95	5.83	1.164	15
Cincinnati	53	5.92	1.071	13
Columbus	42	5.71	1.274	
How hard would it be for you to quit your club?	97	5.58	1.506	12
Cincinnati	55	5.93	1.230	13
Columbus	42	5.12	1.714	
How determined are you to keep running in your club?	97	6.11	1.079	12
Cincinnati	55	6.27	.952	13
Columbus	42	5.90	1.206	

Note. Calculations are based on a 7-point scale

## **Goal Effort**

How much effort have you directed towards each of your goals since the start of the current season?	n	Mean	SD	Non- Response
Goal 1	103	6.03	1.478	
Cincinnati	54	6.04	1.625	7
Columbus	49	6.02	1.315	
Goal 2	96	5.76	1.594	
Cincinnati	53	5.68	1.661	14
Columbus	43	5.86	1.521	
Goal 3	82	5.76	1.453	
Cincinnati	46	5.85	1.173	28
Columbus	36	5.64	1.759	
Goal 4	62	5.76	1.606	
Cincinnati	32	5.84	1.322	48
Columbus	<i>30</i>	5.67	1.882	

**Running Behavior** 

	n	Mean	SD	Non- Response
Over the past month, on average, how many miles did you run each week?	100	26.60	11.832	10
Cincinnati	52	26.62	12.053	10
Columbus	49	30.53	30.099	
Over the past month, on average, how many club training runs did you attend each week?	93	2.57	3.605	17
Cincinnati	52	2.54	1.940	17
Columbus	41	2.61	5.009	
Over the past month, on average, how many club training activities did you attend each week?	70	1.46	1.955	40
Cincinnati	46	1.50	1.017	40
Columbus	24	1.38	3.072	
Over the past month, on average, how many club social activities did you attend?	72	1.49	1.947	20
Cincinnati	45	1.93	2.212	38
Columbus	27	.76	1.086	
Over the past month, on average, how many of				
the previously identified training activities did	83	2.62	2.990	
you engage in each week?				27
Cincinnati	43	2.49	2.776	
Columbus	40	2.76	3.234	

**Running Intentions** 

	n	Mean	SD	Non- Response
Over the next month, how many miles do you plan to run each week?	100	25.90	11.341	10
Cincinnati	52	24.84	9.442	10
Columbus	48	27.04	13.100	
Over the next month, how many club training runs do you plan to attend each week?	88	2.81	3.898	22
Cincinnati	51	2.83	2.197	22
Columbus	37	2.77	5.479	
Over the next month, how many club training activities do you plan to attend each week?	74	1.62	2.886	36
Cincinnati	47	1.68	2.025	30
Columbus	27	1.52	4.013	
Over the next month, how many club social activities do you plan to attend?	77	1.54	1.705	22
Cincinnati	48	1.96	1.924	33
Columbus	29	.84	.936	

**Sport Motivation** 

I participate in running because	n	Mean	SD	Non- Response
It gives me pleasure to learn about running	100	5.50	1.411	1
Cincinnati	52	5.37	1.534	10
Columbus	48	5.65	1.263	
It is very interesting to learn how I can improve	101	5.72	1.328	
Cincinnati	53	5.72	1.378	9
Columbus	48	5.73	1.284	
Running reflects who I am	101	5.44	1.438	
Cincinnati	53	5.55	1.408	9
Columbus	48	5.31	1.475	
Though running, I am living in line with my deepest principles	101	5.02	1.562	
Cincinnati	53	5.04	1.629	9
Columbus	48	5.00	1.502	
Participating in running is an integral part of my life	101	5.58	1.451	
Cincinnati	53	5.66	1.413	9
Columbus	48	5.50	1.502	
It is one of the best ways I have chosen to develop other aspects of myself	101	5.89	1.295	
Cincinnati	53	5.92	1.207	9
Columbus	48	5.85	1.399	
I have chosen this sport to develop myself	101	5.87	1.317	
Cincinnati	53	5.89	1.204	9
Columbus	48	5.85	1.444	
I find it is a good way to develop aspects of myself that I value	101	5.81	1.271	0
Cincinnati	53	5.91	1.114	9
Columbus	48	5.71	1.429	
I would feel bad about myself if I did not take the time to do it	100	4.96	1.763	
Cincinnati	52	4.98	1.743	10
Columbus	48	4.94	1.803	
I feel better about myself when I do	101	6.65	.854	
Cincinnati	53	6.79	.409	9
Columbus	48	6.50	1.149	
I would not feel worthwhile if I did not	100	3.30	1.856	
Cincinnati	52	3.54	1.904	10
Columbus	48	3.04	1.786	
People I care about would be upset with me if I did not	101	2.03	1.584	
Cincinnati	53	2.47	1.804	9
Columbus	48	1.54	1.129	

Note. Calculations are based on a 7-point scale

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**Sport Motivation (continued)** 

I participate in running because	n	Mean	SD	Non- Response
I think others would disapprove of me if I did not	101	1.70	1.253	0
Cincinnati	53	1.98	1.293	9
Columbus	48	1.40	1.144	
I used to have good reasons for running, but now I am asking myself if I should continue	101	1.72	1.443	9
Cincinnati	53	1.85	1.511	9
Columbus	48	1.58	1.366	
I don't know anymore; I have the impression that I am incapable of	100	1.52	1.150	
succeeding in running	100	1,52	1.130	10
Cincinnati	52	1.46	.828	
Columbus	48	1.58	1.427	
It is not clear to me anymore; I don't really think my place is in running	101	1.40	.895	9
Cincinnati	53	1.43	.888	9
Columbus	48	1.35	.911	
I find it enjoyable to discover new performance strategies	101	5.55	1.466	
Cincinnati	53	5.55	1.551	9
Columbus	48	5.56	1.382	

Self-Efficacy

To what extend do each of the following items reflect you?	n	Mean	SD	Non- Response
I can always manage to solve difficult	101	5.77	1.028	
problems if I try hard enough	101	5.77	1.028	9
Cincinnati	53	5.89	.891	9
Columbus	48	5.65	1.158	
If someone opposes me, I can find the means and ways to get what I want	101	4.39	1.334	0
Cincinnati	53	4.47	1.409	9
Columbus	48	4.29	1.254	
It is easy for me to stick to my aims and accomplish my goals	101	5.28	1.201	
Cincinnati	53	5.34	.999	9
Columbus	48	5.21	1.398	
I am confident that I could deal efficiently with unexpected events	101	5.64	1.092	0
Cincinnati	53	5.83	.975	9
Columbus	48	5.44	1.183	
Thanks to my resourcefulness, I know how to handle unforeseen situations	101	5.59	1.088	
Cincinnati	53	5.94	.818	9
Columbus	48	5.21	1.220	
I can solve most problems if I invest the necessary effort	101	5.96	.905	9
Cincinnati	53	6.17	.802	9
Columbus	48	5.73	.962	
I can remain calm when facing difficulties because I can rely on my coping abilities	100	5.38	1.339	10
Cincinnati	53	5.62	1.289	10
Columbus	47	5.11	1.355	
When I am confronted with a problem, I can usually find several solutions	101	5.66	.993	
Cincinnati	53	5.85	.907	9
Columbus	48	5.46	1.051	
If I am in trouble, I can usually think of a solution	101	5.64	1.006	
Cincinnati	53	5.91	.791	9
Columbus	48	5.35	1.139	
I can usually handle whatever comes my way	101	5.79	1.052	
Cincinnati	53	6.00	.981	9
Columbus	48	5.56	1.090	

# Survey 4

**Community Sport Club Capacity** 

To what extend does each of the following statements describe your running club	n	Mean	SD	Non- Response	
Operations		•			
Our club is well organized	54	6.37	.831		
Cincinnati	33	6.30	.951	8	
Columbus	21	6.48	.602		
Day-to-day operations of the club are effective	54	6.02	1.141		
Cincinnati	33	6.09	1.100	8	
Columbus	21	5.90	1.221		
Our club is run effectively	54	6.28	.899		
Cincinnati	33	6.24	1.001	8	
Columbus	21	6.33	.730		
Our club provides programs in a positive	54	6.39	.979		
environment	34	0.39	.919	8	
Cincinnati	33	6.45	.833	0	
Columbus	21	6.29	1.189		
Our club is able to offer most of the programs and 54 6.07 1.130					
services we would like	34	0.07	1.130	8	
Cincinnati	33	6.18	1.074	8	
Columbus	21	5.90	1.221		
Programs and Se	ervices				
Our club provides quality programs and services	54	6.30	.924		
Cincinnati	33	6.27	1.008	8	
Columbus	21	6.33	.796		
Our club offers a range of programs	53	5.68	1.529		
Cincinnati	32	5.84	1.347	9	
Columbus	21	5.43	1.777		
Our club offer accessible programs	54	5.81	1.415		
Cincinnati	33	5.94	1.298	8	
Columbus	21	5.62	1.596		
Community Pre.	sence	1		1	
Our club has a presence in the community	54	6.35	.935		
Cincinnati	33	6.36	.962	8	
Columbus	21	6.33	.913		
The community is aware of our club	54	5.85	1.365		
Cincinnati	33	6.06	1.273	8	
Columbus	21	5.52	1.470		

**Leader Autonomy Support** 

Please indicate your level of agreement to each of the following statements	n	Mean	SD	Non- Response
I feel that my coach provides me choices and	54	5.78	1.298	
options	34	3.76	1.270	8
Cincinnati	33	5.97	1.075	0
Columbus	21	5.48	1.569	
I feel understood by my club	54	5.98	1.157	
Cincinnati	33	5.97	1.237	8
Columbus	21	6.00	1.049	
My coach conveyed confidence in my ability to do	54	5.85	1.188	
well at running	34	3.03	1.100	8
Cincinnati	33	5.94	1.144	0
Columbus	21	5.71	1.271	
My coach encourages me to ask questions	54	5.89	1.239	
Cincinnati	33	5.91	1.259	8
Columbus	21	5.86	1.236	
My coach listens to how I would like to do things	54	5.72	1.393	
Cincinnati	33	5.82	1.357	8
Columbus	21	5.57	1.469	
My coach tries to understand how I see things	<b>54</b>	5.54	1 224	
before suggesting a new way to do things	54	5.74	1.334	
Cincinnati	33	5.82	1.310	8
Columbus	21	5.62	1.396	

Note. Calculations are based on a 7-point scale

**Organizational Climate** 

Please indicate your level of agreement to each of the following statements:	n	Mean	SD	Non- Response
The coach wants us to try new skills	54	5.56	1.176	
Cincinnati	33	5.85	.972	8
Columbus	21	5.10	1.338	
The coach gets mad when a runner makes a mistake	54	1.30	.861	
Cincinnati	33	1.36	.962	8
Columbus	21	1.19	.680	
The coach gives most of his or her attention to the	54	1.76	1.345	
stars				8
Cincinnati	33	1.79	1.341	
Columbus	21	1.71	1.384	
The coach believes that all of us are crucial to the success of the team	54	6.07	1.344	
Cincinnati	33	6.21	1.219	8
Columbus	21	5.86	1.526	

Note. Calculations are based on a 7-point scale

Table continues...

**Organizational Climate (continued)** 

Please indicate your level of agreement to each of the following statements:	n	Mean	SD	Non- Response
The coach praises runners only when they outrun	54	1.20	.562	
teammates	22	1.20	604	8
Cincinnati Columbus	33 21	1.30 1.05	.684	
	21	1.03	.218	
The coach thinks only a few runners contribute to the success of the team	54	1.33	.911	
Cincinnati	33	1.36	.929	8
Columbus	21	1.29	.902	
The coach has his or her own favorites	54	1.74	1.417	
Cincinnati	33	1.73	1.232	8
Columbus	21	1.76	1.700	
The coach makes sure runners improve on skills				
they are not good at	54	4.89	1.701	0
Cincinnati	33	5.45	1.622	8
Columbus	21	4.00	1.449	
They coach yells at runners for messing up	54	1.19	.870	
Cincinnati	33	1.30	1.104	8
Columbus	21	1.00	.000	
The coach encourages runners to help each other	54	6.07	1.315	
Cincinnati	33	6.12	1.244	8
Columbus	21	6.00	1.449	
The coach makes it clear who he or she thinks are	54	1.43	1.057	
the best runners				8
Cincinnati	33	1.42	.936	
Columbus	21	1.43	1.248	
The coach emphasizes always trying your best	54	6.11	1.355	O
Columbus	33	6.18	1.286	8
Only the ten support (get noticed?) by the coach	21 53	6.00	1.483	
Only the top runner "get noticed" by the coach  Cincinnati	53 32	1.49 1.56	1.234 1.243	9
Columbus	21	1.30	1.243	7
The coach favors some runners more than others	54	1.89	1.656	
Cincinnati	33	1.97	1.489	8
Columbus	21	1.76	1.921	

#### **Goal Effort**

How much effort have you directed towards each of your goals since the start of the current season?	n	Mean	SD	Non- Response
Goal 1	58	5.98	1.481	
Cincinnati	32	6.16	1.347	4
Columbus	26	5.77	1.632	
Goal 2	56	5.80	1.458	
Cincinnati	32	5.88	1.338	6
Columbus	24	5.71	1.628	
Goal 3	49	5.71	1.581	
Cincinnati	29	5.97	1.239	13
Columbus	20	5.35	1.954	
Goal 4	35	5.57	2.188	
Cincinnati	20	6.05	1.538	27
Columbus	15	4.93	2.631	

Note. Calculations are based on a 7-point scale

**Running Intentions** 

	n	Mean	SD	Non- Response
Over the next month, how many miles do you plan	59	18.53	9,593	
to run each week?		10,00	7.656	3
Cincinnati	33	20.11	9.241	3
Columbus	26	16.54	9.837	
Over the next month, how many club training runs	46	1.76	1.902	
do you plan to attend each week?				
Cincinnati	32	2.06	2.078	16
Columbus	14	1.07	1.222	
Over the next month, how many club training	42	1.02	1 207	
activities do you plan to attend each week?  42  1.02  1.297				
Cincinnati	30	1.30	1.393	20
Columbus	12	.33	.651	
Over the next month, how many club social	45	1.53	1.586	
activities do you plan to attend?	45	1.55	1.500	17
Cincinnati	29	1.79	1.719	17
Columbus	16	1.06	1.223	

**Running Behavior** 

3	n	Mean	SD	Non- Response
Over the past month, on average, how many miles did you run each week?	57	27.99	12.330	
Cincinnati	32	28.86	10.558	5
Columbus	25	26.88	14.438	
Over the past month, on average, how many club training runs did you attend each week?	50	3.25	5.093	12
Cincinnati	32	3.03	3.188	12
Columbus	18	3.64	7.483	
Over the past month, on average, how many club training activities did you attend each week?	46	1.35	1.286	1.0
Cincinnati	30	1.47	1.252	16
Columbus	16	1.13	1.360	
Over the past month, on average, how many club social activities did you attend?	46	1.28	1.344	16
Cincinnati	31	1.65	1.330	10
Columbus	15	.53	1.060	
Over the past month, on average, how many of the				
previously identified training activities did you	51	1.91	1.843	
engage in each week?				11
Cincinnati	28	1.71	1.802	
Columbus	23	2.15	1.904	

# Survey 5

#### **Recreation and Leisure Constraints (Park)**

How much does each of the following factors limit your use of community or neighborhood parks?	n	Mean	SD	Non- Response
Location of parks	80	3.88	2.155	
Cincinnati	48	3.96	2.000	4
Columbus	32	3.75	2.396	
Fear of physical assault	80	3.19	1.856	
Cincinnati	48	3.04	1.786	4
Columbus	32	3.41	1.965	
Maintenance of facility	80	3.56	1.980	
Cincinnati	48	3.98	1.918	4
Columbus	32	2.94	1.933	
Fear of crime	80	3.30	1.796	
Cincinnati	48	3.23	1.789	4
Columbus	23	3.41	1.829	
No one to go with	80	3.57	1.954	
Cincinnati	48	3.94	1.873	4
Columbus	32	3.03	1.975	
Lack of time	80	3.76	1.693	
Cincinnati	48	3.96	1.611	4
Columbus	32	3.47	1.796	
Overcrowded park	80	2.74	1.597	
Cincinnati	48	3.15	1.713	4
Columbus	32	2.13	1.185	
Availability of facilities	79	3.13	1.944	
Cincinnati	48	3.54	1.946	5
Columbus	31	2.48	1.786	
Gang activity in park	80	2.66	2.037	
Cincinnati	48	3.08	2.211	4
Columbus	32	2.03	1.576	
Alcohol/drugs in park	80	2.70	1.977	
Cincinnati	48	3.13	2.100	4
Columbus	32	2.06	1.605	
Lighting in the parks	80	3.60	1.866	
Cincinnati	48	4.06	1.815	4
Columbus	32	2.91	1.748	
Lack of green space	80	2.79	1.777	
Cincinnati	48	3.42	1.855	4
Columbus	32	1.84	1.139	
Landscaping and trees	80	2.69	1.740	
Cincinnati	48	3.27	1.842	4
Columbus	32	1.81	1.120	

Note. Calculations are based on a 7-point scale

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## **Recreation and Leisure Constraints (continued)**

How much does each of the following factors limit your use of community or neighborhood parks?	n	Mean	SD	Non- Response
Lack of transportation	80	1.69	1.228	
Cincinnati	48	1.79	1.184	4
Columbus	32	1.53	1.295	
Confrontation with others	80	2.06	1.641	
Cincinnati	48	2.31	1.728	4
Columbus	32	1.69	1.447	
Feeling unwelcome	80	2.06	1.625	
Cincinnati	48	2.31	1.776	4
Columbus	32	1.69	1.306	
Fear of sexual assault	80	3.05	2.122	
Cincinnati	48	3.06	2.067	4
Columbus	32	3.03	2.236	
Don't offer activities you want	80	2.51	1.583	
Cincinnati	48	2.85	1.624	4
Columbus	32	2.00	1.391	
Fear of racial conflict	80	1.89	1.441	
Cincinnati	48	2.23	1.716	4
Columbus	32	1.37	.609	
Other	15	1.73	1.710	
Cincinnati	9	2.00	2.121	69
Columbus	6	1.33	.816	

**Recreation and Leisure Constraints (Run)** 

To what degree did each of the following reasons impact the amount of time you spent running in the past month?	n	Mean	SD	Non- Response
Too busy with family	80	3.91	2.026	
Cincinnati	48	4.25	1.984	4
Columbus	32	3.41	2.014	
Lack of energy	80	3.51	1.691	
Cincinnati	48	3.35	1.591	4
Columbus	32	3.75	1.832	
Costs too much	80	1.68	1.178	
Cincinnati	48	1.94	1.375	4
Columbus	32	1.28	.634	
Feeling guilty	80	2.21	1.556	
Cincinnati	48	2.46	1.713	4
Columbus	32	1.84	1.221	
Lack of skill	80	1.70	1.060	
Cincinnati	48	1.81	1.085	4
Columbus	32	1.53	1.016	
Safety and security concerns	80	1.68	1.134	
Cincinnati	48	1.52	.945	4
Columbus	32	1.91	1.353	
Physical disability	80	1.73	1.441	
Cincinnati	48	1.79	1.398	4
Columbus	32	1.63	1.519	
Lack of time	80	4.14	2.017	
Cincinnati	48	4.33	1.906	4
Columbus	32	3.84	2.172	
Poor health	80	1.60	1.074	
Cincinnati	48	1.60	1.026	4
Columbus	32	1.59	1.160	
Lack of self-confidence	<b>79</b>	1.82	1.269	
Cincinnati	48	1.83	1.155	5
Columbus	31	1.81	1.447	
Not in shape	80	1.87	1.277	
Cincinnati	48	1.88	1.265	4
Columbus	32	1.87	1.314	
Don't know anyone else participating	80	1.87	1.277	
Cincinnati	48	1.75	1.263	4
Columbus	32	1.56	1.076	
Too much planning involved	80	1.57	.938	
Cincinnati	48	1.65	1.021	4
Columbus	32	1.47	.803	
No suitable place	<b>79</b>	1.42	.841	
Cincinnati	48	1.42	.895	5
Columbus	31	1.42	.765	
Other	21	3.19	2.421	
Cincinnati	13	3.08	2.362	63
Columbus	8	3.37	2.669	

**Sport Club Commitment** 

To what extent do each of the following items reflect your relationship with the running club?	n	Mean	SD	Non- Response
How proud are you to tell other people that you run in your club?	77	6.44	.881	7
Cincinnati	49	6.51	.767	7
Columbus	28	6.32	1.056	
Do you want to keep running with your club?	77	6.45	1.020	
Cincinnati	49	6.57	.791	7
Columbus	28	6.25	1.323	
How dedicated are you to running in your club?	77	5.95	1.450	7
Cincinnati	49	6.20	1.136	/
Columbus	28	5.50	1.816	
What would you be willing to do to keep running in your club?	77	5.84	1.319	7
Cincinnati	49	5.96	1.079	/
Columbus	28	5.64	1.660	
How hard would it be for you to quit your club?	77	5.58	1.689	7
Cincinnati	49	5.80	1.369	7
Columbus	28	5.21	2.114	
How determined are you to keep running in your club?	77	5.97	1.414	7
Cincinnati	49	6.16	1.067	7
Columbus	28	5.64	1.850	

*Note*. Calculations are based on a 7-point scale

#### **Goal Attainment**

To what extent do you feel	n	Mean	SD	Non- Response
You have attained Goal 1 since the start of the current season	80	4.85	1.808	4
Cincinnati	48	4.96	1.833	4
Columbus	32	4.69	1.786	
You have attained Goal 2 since the start of the current season	77	4.86	1.775	7
Cincinnati	48	5.08	1.699	/
Columbus	29	<i>4.48</i>	1.864	
You have attained Goal 3 since the start of the current season	70	5.09	1.759	14
Cincinnati	45	5.31	1.649	14
Columbus	25	4.68	1.909	

Note. Calculations are based on a 7-point scale

Table continues...

**Goal Attainment (continued)** 

To what extent do you feel	n	Mean	SD	Non- Response
You have attained Goal 4 since the start of the current season	51	5.31	1.655	22
Cincinnati	31	5.61	1.476	33
Columbus	20	4.85	1.843	
Your club helped you achieve your goals	76	6.12	1.045	
Cincinnati	48	6.31	.854	8
Columbus	28	5.79	1.258	
Your club leader helped you to achieve your goals	76	5.26	1.708	8
Cincinnati	48	5.37	1.593	8
Columbus	28	5.07	1.904	
The social support from club members helped you to achieve your goals	76	6.20	1.178	0
Cincinnati	48	6.21	1.031	8
Columbus	28	6.18	1.416	
Access to public parks/trails helped you to achieve your goals	76	5.00	1.904	8
Cincinnati	48	4.65	1.951	0
Columbus	28	5.61	1.685	

*Note*. Calculations are based on a 7-point scale

**Sport Motivation** 

I participate in running because	n	Mean	SD	Non- Response
It gives me pleasure to learn about running	80	5.55	1.359	
Cincinnati	48	5.67	1.326	4
Columbus	32	5.38	1.408	
It is very interesting to learn how I can improve	80	5.94	1.266	
Cincinnati	48	6.00	1.255	4
Columbus	32	5.84	1.298	
Running reflects who I am	80	5.55	1.475	
Cincinnati	48	5.71	1.458	4
Columbus	32	5.31	1.491	
Though running, I am living in line with my deepest principles	80	5.25	1.480	4
Cincinnati	48	5.44	1.486	4
Columbus	32	4.97	1.448	
Participating in running is an integral part of my life	80	5.72	1.232	4
Cincinnati	48	5.85	1.052	4
Columbus	32	5.53	1.459	

Note. Calculations are based on a 7-point scale

Table continues...

**Sport Motivation (continued)** 

I participate in running because	n	Mean	SD	Non- Response
It is one of the best ways I have chosen to develop other aspects of myself	80	5.80	1.306	4
Cincinnati	48	5.85	1.220	4
Columbus	32	5.72	1.442	
I have chosen this sport to develop myself	80	5.72	1.292	
Cincinnati	48	5.96	1.051	4
Columbus	32	5.38	1.540	
I find it is a good way to develop aspects of myself that I value	80	5.76	1.343	4
Cincinnati	48	5.87	1.178	4
Columbus	32	5.59	1.563	
I would feel bad about myself if I did not take the time to do it	80	4.83	1.719	
Cincinnati	48	5.02	1.732	4
Columbus	32	4.53	1.685	
I feel better about myself when I do	80	6.45	.870	
Cincinnati	48	6.60	.792	4
Columbus	32	6.22	.941	
I would not feel worthwhile if I did not	79	3.13	1.863	
Cincinnati	47	3.49	1.875	5
Columbus	32	2.59	1.739	
People I care about would be upset with me if I did not	80	2.21	1.812	4
Cincinnati	48	2.69	2.075	4
Columbus	32	1.50	.984	
I think others would disapprove of me if I did not	80	1.92	1.439	4
Cincinnati	48	2.33	1.667	4
Columbus	32	1.31	.644	
I used to have good reasons for running, but now I am asking myself if I should continue	80	1.86	1.524	
Cincinnati	48	2.04	1.611	4
Columbus	32	1.59	1.365	
I don't know anymore; I have the impression that I am incapable of succeeding in running	80	1.52	1.006	
Cincinnati	48	1.54	.874	4
Columbus	32	1.50	1.191	
It is not clear to me anymore; I don't really think my place is in running	80	1.62	1.267	
Cincinnati	48	1.58	1.088	4
Columbus	32	1.69	1.512	
I find it enjoyable to discover new performance strategies	80	5.65	1.397	
Cincinnati	48	5.83	1.243	4
Columbus	32	5.38	1.581	

**Self-Efficacy** 

To what extend do each of the following items reflect you?	n	Mean	SD	Non- Response
I can always manage to solve difficult	80	5.75	.974	
problems if I try hard enough				4
Cincinnati	48	5.75	.887	-
Columbus	32	5.75	1.107	
If someone opposes me, I can find the means and ways to get what I want	80	4.80	1.436	4
Cincinnati	48	4.85	1.288	4
Columbus	32	4.72	1.651	
It is easy for me to stick to my aims and accomplish my goals	80	5.24	1.046	
Cincinnati	48	5.23	.973	4
Columbus	32	5.25	1.164	
I am confident that I could deal efficiently with unexpected events	79	5.52	1.153	_
Cincinnati	47	5.62	.968	5
Columbus	32	5.38	1.385	
Thanks to my resourcefulness, I know how to handle unforeseen situations	80	5.60	.989	
Cincinnati	48	5.71	.944	4
Columbus	32	5.44	1.045	
I can solve most problems if I invest the necessary effort	80	5.95	.940	
Cincinnati	48	6.02	.758	4
Columbus	32	5.84	1.167	
I can remain calm when facing difficulties because I can rely on my coping abilities	79	5.44	1.047	
Cincinnati	48	5.50	.923	5
Columbus	31	5.35	1.226	
When I am confronted with a problem, I can usually find several solutions	80	5.63	.946	4
Cincinnati	48	5.75	.934	4
Columbus	32	5.44	.948	
If I am in trouble, I can usually think of a solution	80	5.61	.934	
Cincinnati	48	5.77	.831	4
Columbus	32	5.38	1.040	
I can usually handle whatever comes my way	80	5.83	1.003	
Cincinnati	48	5.88	.890	4
Columbus	32	5.75	.090 1.164	