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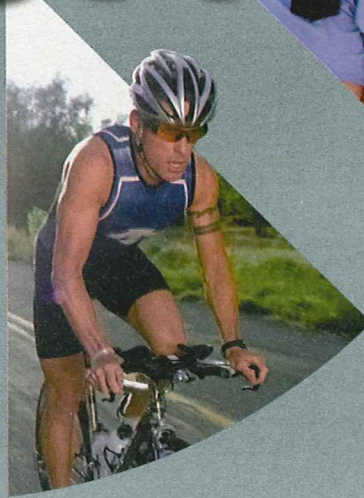
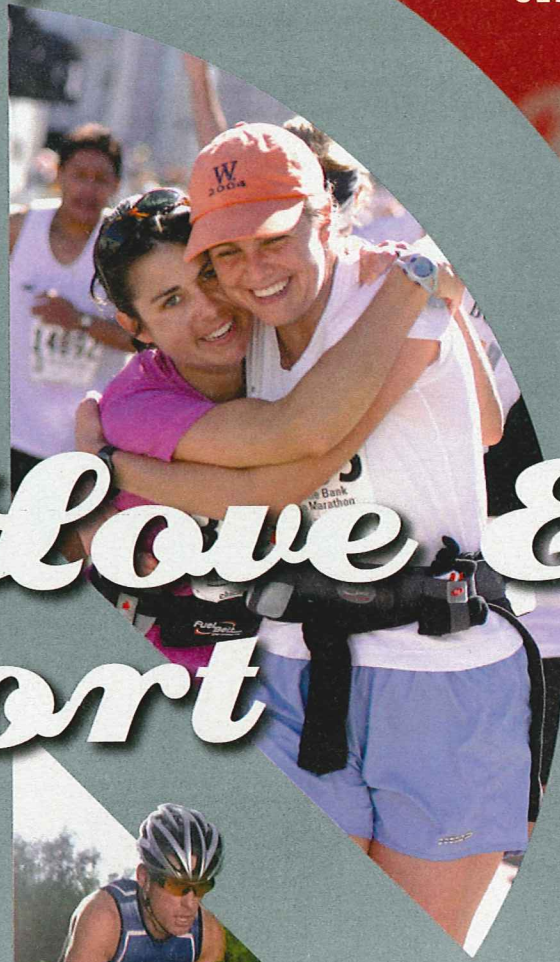
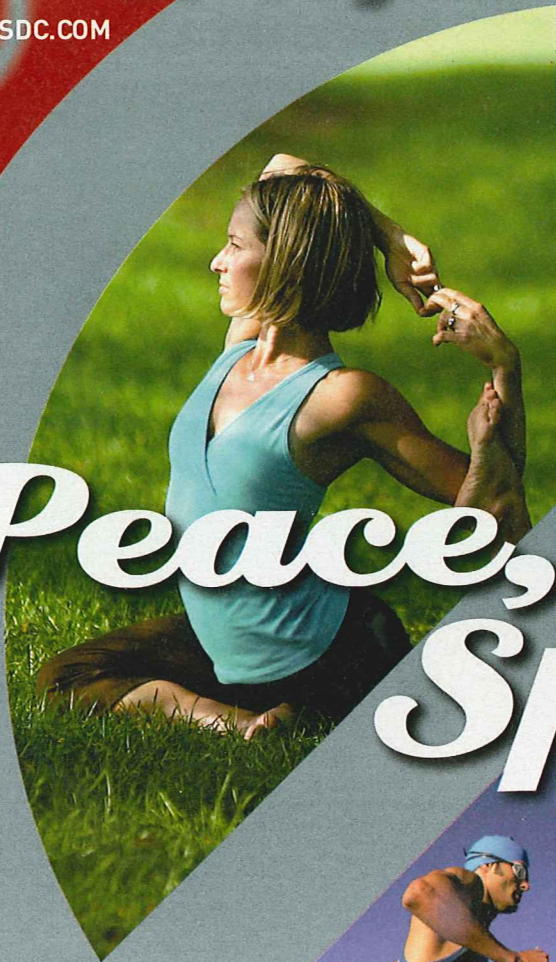
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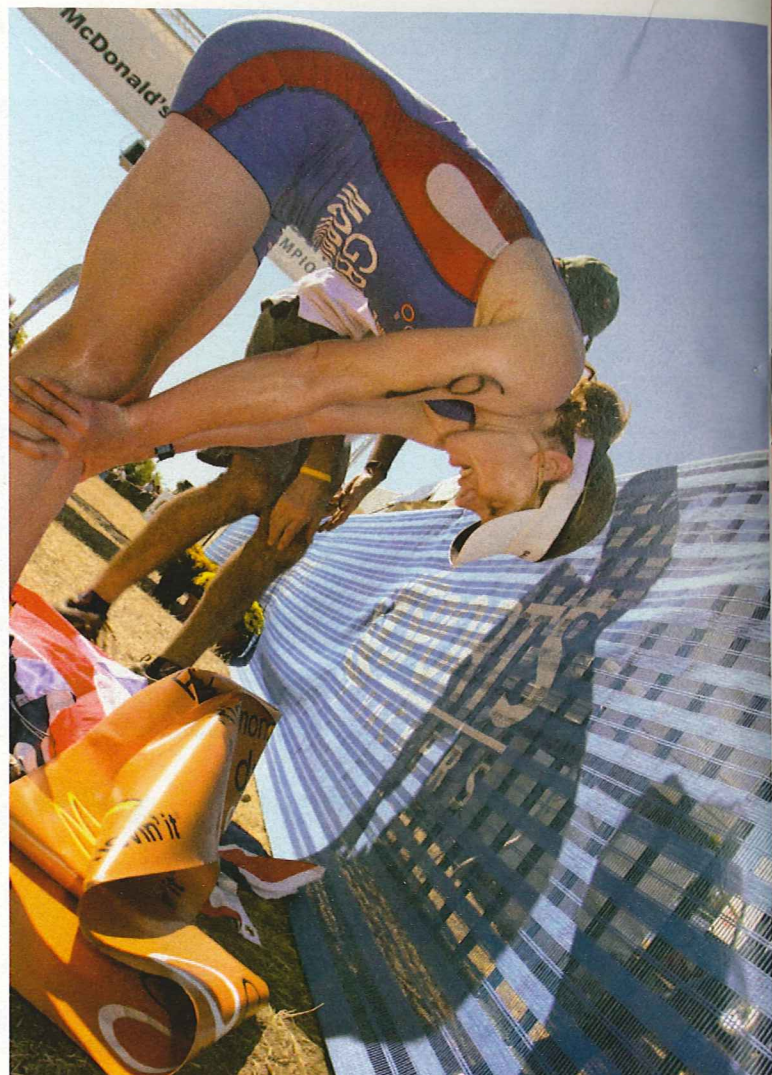
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LEFT: D.C. Mayor Adrian Fenty brings a new meaning to the phrase "running the city" as he finishes the 2007 Wirefly National Marathon March 24. PHOTO COURTESY OF GREATER WASHINGTON SPORTS ALLIANCE

RIGHT: Catriona Morrison catches her breath and catches a glimpse of the finish tape after besting the women's elite field at the 2007 Duathlon World Long Course Championships in Richmond, Va., Oct. 21. PHOTO BY JESSE PETERS (BACKLIGHT)

BELOW: An unknown ultra-triathlete carves through the waters of Lake Anna, Va., during the Virginia Double/Triple Ironman, Oct. 6. PHOTO BY WILL RAMOS



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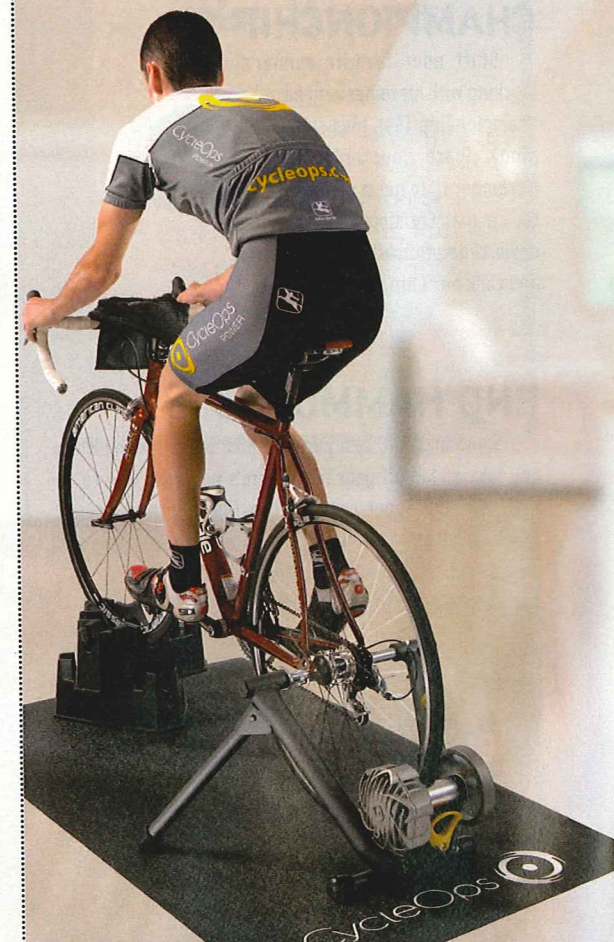


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