



Roy W. Buchmoyer

February 11, 2026

February 11, 2026 Roy W. Buchmoyer, 85, of Whitehall, ran his last race. Raised in Allentown, PA, he was the son of the late Roy and Winifred (Shields) Buchmoyer. He is survived by his wife Nancy, son Lance and daughter Heather Gower, wife of Fred all of Whitehall.

A 1958 graduate of Allentown High School he joined the US Navy and served 4 years as a signalman aboard the destroyer, USS Samuel N. Moore. Upon an honorable discharge he was employed by Lehigh Valley Dairy for 27 years in cultured products and served as their union steward for 22 years. He retired later from Air Products Maintenance after 13 years.

He was an avid outdoors man and enjoyed hunting, fishing and competitive running. Regardless the weather he ran daily 10 miles and on weekend days 18-20 miles. He ran 35-40 races per year for 15 years from 5K to 19 marathons, often placing in his age group. He ran the Boston 3 times (having to qualify) with best time there 2:59:27. His other marathons included Philadelphia, Marine Corp., and New York. He enjoyed spending time on cruises and at the all-inclusive with his family and friends.

Services will be private and at the convenience of the family.

Memorial contributions may be given to a charity of one's choice in Roy's

memory.

Trexler Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Condolences may be offered at trexlerfuneralhome.com.

Tribute Wall

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“ *My deepest sympathies to the Buchmoyer family. I was Roy's dental hygienist for many years. We shared many conversations on ways to stay healthy. He was always smiling. May he rest in peace.*

Lisa Wagner - February 19 at 08:15 AM

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“ *So sorry to hear about Roy's passing. Knew him and his family many years ago and enjoyed boating and outdoor activities with he and Nancy. My condolences to the family.*

Susan Leith - February 18 at 01:06 PM

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“ *To the Buchmoyer family, I am so sorry to hear of Roy's passing. When I started at the dairy he was already there about 8-9 years. He was the man when it came to cottage cheese making and was a great union steward. I'll always remember his white 1970 GTO Judge and various Pontiacs. We lifted weights together for a couple of years and I would of course see him running throughout the years. My condolences and God bless. Rest easy my friend. Scott Huber*

Scott Huber - February 16 at 09:36 AM