## DEFINITIONS of TERMS

## Summer outline: Definitions of Terms

A. Intensity: E-easy, M-medium, H-hard

- B. Training Week: Monday to Sunday
- C. Training Minutes: Total amount of training time for the week
- D. am morning runs

E. **Easy runs**: Runs are done at talking pace. You should be able to carry on a conversation while running.

F. **Tempo Runs:** middle portion of your run is done at medium or hard intensity (you should not be able to talk)

- Example: 1- 10min-1  $\rightarrow$  1 means 1 mile easy, 10 minutes medium, 1 mile easy.
- Example: 2-4-2  $\rightarrow$  2 miles easy, 4 miles medium, 2 miles easy

G. Fartlek Runs (Speed Play): Easy pace called off, Medium/hard pace call on (repeat the designated number of times)

- Example: 4 X (3 on 3 off)
  - 10 min easy warm-up,
  - $\circ$  3 min hard (3 on) 3 min easy (off) repeat 4 times
  - $\circ$  10 min easy cool down
- H. Main Workout: Required minutes or mileage for the week
- I. Striders: Quicker Pace on the balls of your feet NOT as fast as you can go.