

In 2002, Sherry Brosnahan set the racewalking world record in the 50 kilometer race, finishing the course in 5 hours, 21 minutes and 52 seconds. Brosnahan, of Bridgewater, also holds nine American masters racewalking records and was named USA Track and Field's 2002 Female Master Racewalker of the Year.

Brosnahan entered her first racewalk in 1998, winning her age category in a five-mile state championship race in Freehold. After that first taste of victory, she was hooked. She has since traveled around the country and to England for racewalking competitions, spending two to six hours a day in training. Although an injury has kept her out of racewalking competitions for now, she still continues to walk about four miles a day around her neighborhood with three friends