

2015/6 Borders League

Thanks to all who took part - remember the club has paid for your entry so the 7 races are free, so join in during the new season!

Race Report	Results
<p><i>Prestatyn</i></p> <p>On a cold but bright to begin with the boys arrived in good time for the last race of the 7 race series with a shortened 4.25 mile course with it being the presentation evening.</p> <p>15 minutes before the start the weather changed and the welsh dragon dumped the rain/hail, when to leave the car, its time now so it was a huddle before we set off around Frith beach gardens and the down to the Nova centre, wind behind but it was against us coming back to the finish.</p> <p>With Steve being on call he had to go home, and the others waited for the results to be sorted so Ian could get his prize - so after a pint and chips we waited - moved into the presentation room which was freezing and waited for the action to start. Some age groups had more than the top 3 getting prizes and some had less so was Ian going to get one, lucky he was 2nd as no prize for the 3rd place (Borders League rules). Anyway it was fun getting a shower at 23h15!!</p> <p>Well done to Ian Sneddon on his 2nd place in his age group - he'll win soon!!</p>	<p>Steve Harrison 86th Ian Davies 167th Andy Waring 172nd Ian Sneddon 211st</p>
<p><i>Mold</i></p> <p>On a sunny and chilly morning 2 members ventured to Mold in North Wales to tackle a challenging course set by Buckley</p>	<p>Steve Harrison 94th Andy Waring 201st</p>
<p><i>Tattenhall</i></p> <p>On a lovely morning for running the club took part in the 5th race of the series in the Borders League at Tattenhall on a very challenging course.</p> <p>Steve ran for Birkenhead AC, he is a second claim member and we hope he enjoyed his first race in the league.</p>	<p>Steve Harrison 70th Ian McNeil 166th Ian Sneddon 206th Dave O'Brien 225th Adam Edge 261st</p>
<p><i>Abergele</i></p> <p>Today was the 4th race of 7 in the Borders League hosted by Abergele on a 5 mile course of seafront and caravan park. On a warm morning with the wind into our faces we started but had it behind us on the way home. 7 club members made the trip and arrived in good time for a chat with friends from other clubs and to give the dogs a good run before Ivy held the 3 Huskies.</p> <p>Thanks to the drivers Ian Davies / Dave O'Brien, the refreshments from Norman and the support from Ivy.</p> <p>A good race put on by Abergele with support from marshals and the tail bike/ambulance.....</p> <p>Those who haven't taken part in the series are missing out on free races and a great chance to improve times and meet people trying to do the same, I catch them Wirral boys soon.</p>	<p>Andy Waring 190th Ian Davies 232nd Dave O'Brien 237th Ian Sneddon 251st Adam Edge 310th Norman Grundy 334th</p>
<p><i>Anglesey / Caernarfon</i></p> <p>This morning 4 club members set off not fully knowing the race was on having had Desmond cause flooding across the North of England and North Wales. Having received a text to say its looking good we continued our journey wondering what it was going to be like as looking out to sea I'm glad I wasn't on the green/blue stuff. Parking up as one of the first vehicles at the start/finish we couldn't see Anglesey however by the time 11:00 am came conditions couldn't have been better clear and no wind. Setting off towards the castle then climbing a few times before dropping to the coast for the 4.5 km</p>	<p>Andy Waring 172nd Ian Sneddon 182nd Dave O'Brien 196th Adam Edge 241st</p>

<p>run home - a tough one. After refreshments it was the long haul back to the Wirral, thanks to Adam for driving, Ian for the butties and Andy the coffee. Also thanks to Pete Edwards for the support from the caravan!!!!!!</p>	
<p><i>Birkenhead park</i> On a cold/wet morning 3 male members took part with great support from Norman, thanks for the refreshments. In a large field we came in at the following positions. Sadly Ian Davies had man flu and needs to recover before heading to the Far East on a bike ride across Vietnam.</p>	<p>Andy Waring 222nd Ian Sneddon 251st Adam Edge 339th</p>
<p><i>Capenhurst</i> A trio of club members made the short trip to Capenhurst for the first of the 7 race series and was perfectly put on by Ellesmere Port even the re-supply of water to the finish. On a still morning but overcast just right for running we met up with our friends and colleagues from the other clubs exchanging views and the usual banter.</p>	<p>Ian Davies 239th Ian Sneddon 248th Andy Waring 258th</p>