



## Coventry Godiva Harriers Newsheet



### Items taken from the Committee minutes of 7<sup>th</sup> April 2009

Dinner/Dance: 159 tickets sold, 158 attended. All monies collected and passed over; general feeling was an enjoyable evening.

Just under £7,000 in subs already this year. A list has been given the University of paid up members and others who need to have their cards activated but due to the administrator being on holiday not all had been activated.

Request for the Club's affiliation to England Athletics for 2009/10 has been received and duly paid along with individual registrations for 110 members. Others will be registered when subscriptions are paid.

### Recent Results:

21/03	English Schools Cross Country Champs.	Junior Boys 1 <sup>st</sup> Michael McKeown
29/03	Eastleigh 10k	4th Female Jo Emery 36.30 pb
	Draycote 5 miles	Men 1 <sup>st</sup> Mat Almond 24.47pb 10 <sup>th</sup> Iwan Jones 28.13 33 <sup>rd</sup> Bob Statham 32.13 Women 2nd Myshola Kirkham 31.32
04/04	Midland Men's 12 Stage Road Relay	1 <sup>st</sup> <b>Tipton 3:51.55</b> 2nd <b>Coventry Godiva Harriers 'A' 3:53:07</b> 1. Matt Almond (4) 26:55 2. Jon White (2) 15:15 3. Tom Bark (3) 16:19 4. Ryan Kenny (3) 27:50 5. Scott Hazell (3) 15:27 6. E Combstock (3) 15:46 7. Ben Jones (2) 27:05 8. Richard Taylor (2) 14:54 9. James Griggs (2) 15:28 10. Matt Lole (2) 26:53 11. Harvey Speed (2) 15:37 12. Henry Hammond (2) 15:38  B team incomplete

		1. Allen El-Sour (51) 34:14 2. Tom Madden (44) 16:44 3. Alistair Smith (35) 15:50 4. Aaron Bodycote (37) 33:24 5. Richard Burman (31) 15:34 6. Iwan Jones (26) 16:44 7. Mike Peters (34) 36:53 8. Matt Timothy (33) 18:09
	Women's 6 stage Road Relay	<b>1<sup>st</sup> Charnwood 'A' 1:42:21</b> <b>'A' 3<sup>rd</sup> 1:45:39</b> 1. Tina Brown (2) 16:38 2. Joanna Emery (1) 17:37 3. Frances Briscoe (2) 18:27 4. Celia Brown (2) 17:51 5. Zara Hyde-Peters (2) 17:37 6. Sarah Simons (3) 17:29 <b>'B' 4<sup>th</sup> 1:53:02</b> 1. Rachel Buxton (6) 17:26 2. Myshola Kirkham (5) 18:19 3. Helen Taranowski (4) 18:27 4. Sally Olorenshaw (4) 20:02 5. Claire Hobson (5) 19:44 6. Sarah Rowton (4) 19:04
05/04	Regency Run 10k	1 <sup>st</sup> Ryan Kenny 31.53 2 <sup>nd</sup> Emerson Combstock 33.47 7 <sup>th</sup> Iwan Jones 35.36 9 <sup>th</sup> Tina Brown 36.07 (2nd female) 19 <sup>th</sup> Matthew Timothy 37.46  Men's team 1st

5<sup>th</sup> April Danielle Stewart was 3rd female in the British National Duathlon Championship

## Fixtures

18/04	National Men's 12 and Women's 6 Stage Road Relays	Sutton Park
19/04	National/UKA 10K race walks	Shrewsbury
26/04	London Marathon	
26/04	National Junior League	Corby
02/05	Midland League	Coventry
03/05	UKYAL	Yate
04/05	May Day 5 Road Race	Memorial Park

Young Athletes T&F league. Chris Hazell has given out availability forms to YAs. First meeting is in Coventry.

Coaches have been booked from Johnson Coaches for the season and the cost for each trip will be £8 for U17 and £10 seniors.

May-Day '5', 4<sup>th</sup> May. This will be Colin Kirkham's last race as principal organiser. Special thanks must go to Colin who over all the years of organising these races has raised a great deal of money for the Club, and judging by the large number of people turning up they have appreciated his efforts.

For future road races a working party is being set up to decide on the way forward. For the Autumnal '5'. Colin Kikham will provide details of the risk assessment.

Transplant Games. Work is continuing on the planning for the Games which will be on 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> August.

**Team matters:**

A meeting has taken place with interested parties concerning the senior Men's Track & Field leagues. It was agreed that BAL Division 4 is the priority concern for the moment. Following this letters have been sent out to ascertain availability.

The AGM of the Warwickshire Road Race League was held on 30 March.

From this:

Elected Chairman: Geoff Wheeler, Secretary: Mick Petch, Treasurer: Bryan Ackford

Races involved are: Godiva 5M on 4<sup>th</sup> May:

Northbrook 10K on 31 May: \*

2 Castles 6 June:

Stratford 6 on 4 July:

Rowheath 5K 9 July:

Midsummer 5 (tbd): \*

Godiva Autumnal 5 (TBC)

Nuneaton 10 on 13 September

Rugby 10 on 8 November.

The WCAA has 'Race Master' - results programme available for any race organiser who wishes to use it.

Income £330; prizes for the year £385.00. Balance in hand £199.33.

Colin Kirkham has asked for anyone who can help at the May Day race to please let him know.

**New Members**

Dwight Fenton	03/09/1989	Luke Green	27/11/1999	Richard Gould	23/05/1984
Christopher Hewison	25/06/1983	Joshua Guest	20/01/1993	Griffin O'Rourke	22/09/1991
Owen Price	29/11/1996	Thomas Shaw	03/06/1995	Thomas Singleton	26/02/2001
Katerina Jackson	01/10/1998	Kate McCormack	14/06/1997		

**Date of next Meeting :** Tuesday May 12<sup>th</sup> 2009 at 8.p.m