



Coventry Godiva Harriers Newsheet



Items taken from the Committee minutes of 19th May 2009

Information has been received from UKA updating Clubs on the new proposals relating to Child protection and the new bodies that will be involved in the vetting those who work with youngsters and vulnerable adults – ISA/VBS.

The Club has signed up with CSW Sport to try and avail itself of volunteers who may be interested in working at the Club to assist us in our activities.

Results:

13/04	Stanwick 10km	1st Mathew Almond 31.20 (pb)
18/04	National Men's 12 Road Relay	1 st Belgrave Harriers 4:04:43 62 teams finished Coventry Godiva H 14 th 4:23:06 Matt Almond (15) 27:10 Ben Jones (12) 14:58 Matt Lole (13) 27:22 Richard Burman (15) 15:34 Ryan Kenny (9) 27:04 E Combstock (11) 15:47 Jon White (14) 28:21 Harvey Speed (13) 15:46 Richard Taylor (12) 27:43 Alistair Smith (12) 16:18 James Griggs (14) 30:26 Tom Bark (14) 16:37
	Women's 6 Stage Road Relay	1 st Charnwood 1:38:14 47 teams finished Coventry Godiva H 'A' 10 th 1:45:32 Tina Brown (5) 16:40 Sarah Simmons (8) 17:19 Myshola Kirkham (10) 18:32 Joanne Emery (11) 17:57 Zara Hyde-Peters (10) 17:37 Celia Brown (10) 17:27 'B' incomplete Danielle Stewart (28) 18:13 Frances Briscoe (28) 18:46 Sarah Rowton (28) 18:53 Zarinda Batstone (30) 22:46 Ann Kirkham (33) 24:21

19/04	National/UKA 10K race walks	U20 Men 10K 1 st Mark O’Kane 47.46 4 th Antonio Cirillo (SC) Mark duly selected for GB team at Metz (date TBC)
26/04	London Marathon	Mat Lole 2:39:30 Emerson Combstock 2:46:10 Helen Taranowski 2:58:44 ADIDAS Mini Marathon 13-14 Boys 2 nd Michael McKeown 15-16 Boys 43 rd Matt Rose 11-12 Girls 3 rd Sian Rainsley
26/04	National Junior League	Team 3 rd
02/05	Midland League	Team 1 st
03/05	UKYAL – Fix. 1	Team 2 nd
04/05	May Day 5 Road Race	1 st Ben Jones 25:00; 3 rd Harvey Speed 26:16; 5 th Tom Madden 27:03; 6 th Tina Brown 27:33 (1 st Women); 8 th Stefan White 27:50; 9 th Lenny Shail 27:56; 10 th Iwan Jones 28:27; 12 th Harvey Rose 28:33; 16 th Sarah Simmons 28:50 (2 nd Women); 19 th Aaron Bodycote 29:16; 22 nd Myshola Kirkham 30:32 (4 th Women) 31 st Pete banks 31:36; 40 th Sue Wint 32:19 (1 st L40) 43 rd R Gould 32:27; 94 th Sucha Birk 37:42 152 finished
08/05	Blisworth Friday 5K	1 st Mat Almond 15.19 6 th Job King 16.27 19 th Frances Briscoe 18:25 (1st female)
9-10/05	County T & F Champs	Godiva members as attached
10/05	Bristol 10km	4 th Women Tina Brown 35:05
10/05	Hinckley Half Marathon	2nd Mat Almond 70.21
13/05	Rugby 6	Women 1st Team Men 2nd Team 4 th Job King 32:56 6 th Iwan Jones 33:49 33 rd Frances Briscoe 36:39 (3rd female) 35 th Danielle Stewart 36:48 (4th female) 48 th Myshola Kirkham 37.35 53 rd Michael Peters 37.51 59 th Tobias Gehrke 38.30 86 th Bob Statham 39.48 87 th Zara Hyde Peters 39.55 (1st female 45) 223 rd Sian Pritchard 49.12
17/05	Great City Games, Manchester	150m 1 st Usain Bolt 2 nd Marlon Devonish
17/05	Loughborough International	Women – 800m 4 th Rowena Cole 2:06.42 (pb) 3000m SC 1 st Tina Brown 10:16.70

17/05	UKYAL – Fix. 2	Team 3 rd
17/05	Midland RWA Track	9 th Keith Richards 10K 65.49.02 (Tamworth)

On the Power of 10 rankings Marlon Devonish (Sen M 100m – 10.11), Rowena Cole (U20 W 800m – 2:06.42) and Lucy Smith (U15 G Shot – 11.18m) are ranked first
Rowena Cole has been awarded the Jack Hartley Trophy having been adjudged to have recorded the most meritorious performance at the Warwickshire Championships.

Fixtures

23-23/05	Midland U17/U15 Championships	Alexander Stadium, Birmingham
24/05	National Junior League	Coventry
24/05	European Cup of Race Walking	Metz
25-26/05	CAU Inter County Champs.	Bedford
31/05	UKYAL	Cheltenham
06//06	BAL	Edinburgh
07/06	Midland League	Rugby
07/06	UKWAL	Stevenage
20-21/06	Midland Senior & U20 Champs.	Alexander Stadium
27-28/06	England U23 & U20 Champs.	Bedford
04/07	BAL	Exeter
04/07	Midland League	Bath

Team matters:

Marksman needed for the League meeting this Sunday – Bill Adcocks has volunteered.
Transplant Games: 1st August. A meeting with the University has been held re the Walks the outcome being that the University are happy with the course and security arrangements. Regarding the course for the 3K and 5K runs at the Memorial Park; The management company in overall control have intimated that the start and finish for both runs should be in the same place. This will mean the 5K doing having some of its second lap on grass. Bob Statham has the course measurement in hand and when this is completed an application for the Licence from UKA will be made.
Officials for the T&F on the Sunday 2nd August should be OK, but volunteers are still needed for both days for a range of jobs.

Officials:

Colin Jacks is working on ‘filling in the gaps’ for meetings coming up. Fortunately several parents have helped out the qualified officials lately and hopefully will continue to do so.

Working Party Reports:

2009 Annual General meeting:

The date was set for Monday 13th July 2009 at 7.30. in the Club house

Notice to go on the notice board Sunday by 31st May which will inform members that any proposals that they may wish to make should be, in writing, with the secretary by Monday 15th June.

A notice will be posted on the board stating the business to be conducted at the AGM not later than Sunday 5th July.

Autumnal 5miles – The intended date will now be 4th September: A meeting of those interested in taking on the organisation of the race had taken place, and another is due on 2nd June. The Council will be contacted to inform them of our intentions.

Delegates Reports:

Birmingham League XC AGM has taken place and the Cross Country fixtures were decided as follows:

24/10/09	Senneleys Park
05/12/09	Birchfield - Perry Park
16/01/10	Coventry – Coundon – possibly including the Womens League race
13/02/10	Princethorpe

New Members

Fintan Carey	24/09/1997	Damian Carr (SC)	22/04/1983	Miles Clisham	21/12/2000
Thomas Delaney	12/02/1991	Connor devonish	17/10/1995	Evan Griffiths	04/08/2001
Dave Long (A)	21/11/1960	Nigel marley (SC)	16/02/1983	James Neal	12/01/1996
Veevan Rishi-Raj	25/01/1996				
Niamh Ennis	12/09/1999	Rosie Sturt	28/03/1998		

Any Other Business

Two tenders for building of new Club House have been received the lowest being £220,000, which includes removing the old one from the site.

The thanks of the Club to Colin Kirkham were recorded for his many years in arranging our road race promotions.

Date of next Meeting : Tuesday 9th June 2009 at 8p.m