



Upcoming Fixtures....

THIS WEEK Thur 24 March, Manesty Park, Hawse End. Fourth of the Spring Series events. Short courses around this complex piece of woodland. **Approach via Grange as the road at Hawse End is closed.** Cost £3.50/£2. Starts from 5.30 to 6.30pm, but will get dark quickly so you may need a torch if you are a late starter so you can see the map!

Thur 31 March, Knock Murton. Fifth of the Spring Series events. Sprint & fell style course. Cost £3.50/£2. Starts from 5.45 to 7pm, clocks have changed, it is summertime!!

Orient8....

Third session at Brigham School this Tuesday, 22 March. Ideal for the younger juniors who wish to learn the skills of the sport. 18.30 to 19.30pm. All welcome. See website.

Leaps Galoppen

Thanks to the Blue Team for the event, great effort from the planner, Deborah Goodwin, controller, Bob Barnby, and the organiser, Debbie Watson.... with a lot of helpers doing all the jobs to make the 'clockwork' a success! The weather was cool but the ground was dry, which gave great conditions for racing. Well done to..... Top performances from Daniel Spencer (1st) & Simon Hunter (2nd) on Brown, Paul Neild (2nd) on Blue, Ben Goodwin (2nd) on Green, Elizabeth Elliott (1st) & Gwen Rea (2nd) on ShGreen, Henry Teasdale (2nd) on LtGreen, Wilfrid Teasdale (1st) on Orange, and Isaac Hunter (1st) & James Birkinshaw (2nd) on Yellow. Great Galoppen points.

SIAir punching at Spring Series

SPORTident have loaned us a small number of SIAir ecards for use at our spring series events. They allow proximity punching at the control, within 50cms! If you want to try one out you will need to get to the event early as there are only a limited number of ecards for use. CLEAR the card as usual, and then use the CHECK/SIAC on station **to turn the ecard on**. The finish control turns the ecard off.

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BOF Membership

The BOF AGM on 25 March at Leeds Uni will decide on membership fees and event levy for 2017. Membership fees are proposed to increase from the current £5 & £2 to £15 & £5, with the levy increasing from £1.25 to £1.35 per equivalent participant.

The current levels were set in 2012 to harmonise a differential between local and full BOF members.

If you wish to evaluate the proposal then have a look at the AGM documents on the BOF website.

There is a proxy voting form for those who can't attend the AGM in person, to be returned to BOF by 23 March. It would be in your interest to vote.

Marron Leys 17.3.2016

(Selection from the results.)

Long

1st	Matthew Vokes	16:03
2nd	Daniel Spencer	18:31
3rd	John Slater	20:36
4th	Niamh Hunter	20:49
5th	Jeff Goodwin	22:11
6th	Kate Charles	23:31
7th	John Taylor	24:07
8th	Graham Watson	24:13
9th	Rosie Spencer	24:32
10th	Joseph Sunley	24:57
11th	Stuart Parker	25:28
12th	Mike Harrison	25:29
13th	Pete Nelson	25:39
14th	Debbie Watson	26:15
15th	Steven Breeze	26:34
16th	Ben Goodwin	26:45
17th	Ian Teasdale	28:29
18th	John Bacon	30:45
19th	Nick Moore	31:11
20th	Vanessa Brierley	32:18
21st	Joyce Hemingway	34:42
22nd	Elizabeth Elliott	34:49
23rd	Sarah Chaudhri	37:16
24th	Alice Kemp	41:05
25th	Nathan Kemp	41:18

Short

1st	David Downes	27:12
2nd	Isobel Greenwood	27:23
3rd	Isaac Hunter	33:24
4th	Ellen Lister	39:09
5th	Hiroki Holmes	51:07

Keep an eye on the Facebook page for Club goings-on!

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