



Upcoming Fixtures....

THIS WEEK Thur 6 April, Lowther Park.

The area is near Ennerdale Village. The event is part of our retro 'set'. How the sport used to be, with rather more treasure hunt than racing. It will be different so please check out the website for what to expect, www.wcoc.co.uk.

Sun 9 April, Barrow Fell. The second of the 2017 Cumbrian Galoppens. Usual courses Yellow to Brown. See the LOC website for travel and parking etc.

14-17 April, Easter Weekend, JK Festival. Good luck to all club members taking part in this event.

Thur 22 April, Buttermere. Using a lovely bit of mature woodland near Buttermere Village and then the fellside on the side of Rannerdale Knotts. Details of the event on the club website. Planner, John Taylor, has planned something different for us. A promise of sight of the future of the sport!

West Cumbria Schools' League

The event last Thursday was wet! The 150 children taking part got very muddy, but for some reason had large smiles on their faces. This week the event will be on Netherhall playing fields. Thanks to all the helpers.

Allerdale Bike Challenge

This is a series of five 2 hour score events around West Cumbria using electronic punching, with twenty five controls to locate. This year there is a link up with the club's summer series. Details of the competition (and rules etc) will be available on the club website.

Interland & Yvette Baker.

Alastair Thomas, Joe Hudd, Rosie Spencer, Simon Hunter and Caitlin Irving (reserve) helped England win at Interland, held this year in Belgium. The rest of the juniors took second place (889 to 896 pts) from LOC at the Yvette Baker Trophy qualifier held by SELOC. Great performances though.... well done all.

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Anniversary Year Quiz

Fifty clues for 'Tarns, Lakes, Waterfalls and Fells of Cumbria'. [They can all be found on the NW, SW, NE and SE Outdoor Leisure maps of the Lake District.

#14. (NW) Beast has twine. (anagram) (13)

Retain your answers till the end of the year. Prizes for highest scores.

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(Selection from the results.)

LONG

1	Alastair Thomas	36.00
2	Matthew Vokes	37.14
3	Ian Cumpstey	45.41
4	Mike Billinghamurst	48.30
5	David Spencer	53.13
6	Niamh Hunter	56.20
7	Louis Morris	57.17
8	Sue Skinner	58.02
9	Daniel Spencer	58.55
10	Kate Charles	1.01.18
11	John Taylor	1.05.30
12	Lynne Thomas	1.07.40
13	Ben Goodwin	1.11.48
14	Pete Nelson	1.21.18
15	Graham Watson	1.22.18
16	Jeff Goodwin	1.26.30
17	Phil Nichols	1.27.33
18	Ian Teasdale	1.36.20
19	Roger Jackson	1.37.17

SHORT

1	Roger Thomas	42.15
2	Wilf Teasdale	57.14
3	Jenny Wren	59.36
4	Malcolm Ruckledge	1.23.14
5	Jonty Goodwin	2.28.30

WAYFARERS

1	Isaac Hunter	26.30
2	Hiroki Holmes	28.37
3	Jasmine Green	30.48
4	Crawford Family	34.58
5	Jane Hunter	38.54

Thanks to Bob Barnby for this excursion back into the mists of time. A very tough event which showed how perseverance was a virtue in the 1970s. Spending 30 mins+ looking for one control! I wonder how many will find Lowther Park any easier. Will competitors come prepared to protect their control card from disintegration and avoid being DSQ for an illegible card. Maybe it will be dry on the night!