



Radley Athletics Club

Newsletter



Welcome to the first newsletter of the new season. Already we have got off to a flying start in the cross-country and sportshall leagues. Thank you to everyone who attended the AGM on Friday and big well done to all the trophy and incentive winners. I hope you all have a good 2009-2010 season and I'm sure we've got plenty of PB's, club records and more importantly match wins to look forward to!

NEWSLETTER DATE
DECEMBER 2009

The new committee

League standings at the end of last season

Following re-elections at this year AGM, the committee for the 2009-2010 season is made up of the following people:

Chair– Alex Ahmet

Secretary– Shaughna Keet

Treasurer– Vanessa Chung

Fixtures Secretary– Rose Webb

Ladies Captain– Louise Browne

Ladies Vice Captain– Aislinn Baird

Men's Captain– Ben Owen

General Committee Members:

Eileen Kear

Alan Woodland

Elaine Brew

Hannah Tartaglia

Kay Reynolds

Jacqui Cherry

Andrea Snuggs

Joe Bibby

Dates for your diary

See attached fixtures list for the 2009-2010 winter season

Roger Black evening–
5th February.

Southern Women's league:
Premier division: 7th Division
1: 15th– relegated

Southern Men's league:
Division 3 West: 7th

Vets league:
*Women: **WON** the league and 2nd in the southern final*
Men: 3rd

NYAL:
Division 1 West: 8th

Oxon League:
*Girls: **overall 1st***
U9- 4th,
U11- 1st
U13- 2nd
U15- 2nd
U17- 1st

*Boys: **overall 2nd***
U9- 2nd
U11- 1st
U13- 5th
U15- 1st
U17– 7th

Radley website

A big thank you to Joe Bibby, who has kindly redesigned the website for us. Please visit www.radleyathleticsclub.co.uk to see his great work, view fixtures, results and much more.!

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County awards

Well done to everybody who was invited to attend the Oxon League presentation evening. The following athletes all broke league records.

U9B – **Max Crowther** – 600m and total score for quad kids.

U11G – **Zoe Chung** – Vortex and total score for quad kids

U11B – **Robby Crowther** – Vortex and total score for quad kids

U13G – **Megan Humphreys** – 1200m

U13B – **Christian Von Eitzen** – 1200m

U15G – **Emma O’Hara** – Discus

U15B – **Jordan Dorrian** – 100m and 200m

U17B – **George Lane** – Discus

Well done to you all, lets see if we can beat them, and more, this season.

Congratulations to the following athletes who were awarded bursaries from the league:

U11 boys– **Max Crowther**

U11 girls– **Zoe Chung**

U11 boys– **Robby Crowther**

U15 girls– **Hayley Perrin**

U15 boys– **Jordan Dorrian**

Sports Hall

The U11-U15 girls and boys have got off to a great start in this season’s Indoor Sportshall Competition. After two meetings the U11 boys and U15 girls are in 1st place, the U11 girls and U13 girls are in 2nd place and the U13 boys are in 5th place in their respective age groups.

There have been some outstanding performances by the athletes but the following have already broken league records this season:

Rachel Bibby equalled last year’s U11 girls speed bounce record at Bicester, which she already held

Hayley Perrin broke the 2 lap U13 girl’s record and the Long Jump record at Bicester in November

Last season Emma O’Hara broke the U13 Shot record and in Kidlington this year she

broke the U15 girls shot record

Zoe Chung broke the U11 girls 1 lap record at Kidlington in October

Well done to all the athletes and keep up the good work. If there are any athletes who would like to compete indoors, especially U13 and U15 boys, we would love to hear from you.

Annalise Dobson– Girls Team Manager

Jason Crowther– U11 Boys Team Manager

Kevin O’Hara– U13 &U15 Boys Team Manager



Cross Country Radley youngsters start the season with a bang!

The cross-country team started a new season in great style.. In driving rain Robby Crowther and Nawal Elkirate won the boys and girls U11 events. There were also great runs from Faith Brew, Charlotte Parrish, TJ Maclimont, Jonathan Hancox, Harry New, Max Crowther and Jake Goddard who all finished in the Top 10.

In the U13 Boys race Christian Von Eitzen led from start to finish and won by more than 40 seconds. He was well supported by Charlie Miller who finished 9th. Unfortunately we only had two competitors in this age group and are only 3rd in the team competition. In the U13 girls race Erika Davies was the best placed runner finishing in 8th

place.

The under 15/17 races were very competitive. Gemma Bridge finished 5th and led the Girls team to second place. The Boys team also finished second with George Miller leading the way in second place. Stuart Ferguson finished 6th despite losing a shoe and having to stop to put it back on soon after the start.

The senior teams had a mixed day. There were very good runs from Rhys Glastonbury who finished 8th and Lauren Tolmie who finished 19th.

Radley Open

Don't forget the Radley Open is on the Sunday 28th March.

Open to ALL Radley and non-Radley athletes, of ALL age groups.

To ensure the day runs smoothly and on time, the committee will be asking for as many helpers as possible. If you would be willing to give up just an hour to help officiate an event or help in the box with recording please let Annalise or Hannah know,.

Thank you

Your ideas and suggestions

The committee would love to hear your ideas and suggestions on training, social events and anything else you can think of! If you have an idea you would like to put forward to the committee please let a committee member know at training or send one of them an email.

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