

Monthly Update – October 2008

Welcome to the October update on our revised club competitions. There were five nominated races in October and details of the scoring in each event are detailed below. With a good number of points available in October, this is a significant month in the overall standings in all competitions.

Gibb 5 - Saturday, 4th October 2008							
Member	Time	Place	Championship Points	Handicap		Age-Graded	
				Nett Time	Points	%	Points
Keith Dunning	30.37	16	40	30.37	1	74.18	2
Martin Lloyd	33.57	30	39	- 2.16	2	68.96	1
		51 finished					

Keith and Martin shared the points from the Gibb 5, with Keith having an excellent 74.18% age-grading.

As the Cross-Country races are split, both the Women's and Men's race count as separate races for all three competitions. Both races attract a 3 point bonus for the Handicap and Age-Graded Competitions.

Surrey Women's Cross- Country - Division 2 Nork Park - Saturday, 11th October 2008							
Member	Time	Place	Championship Points	Handicap		Age-Graded	
				Nett Time	Points	%	Points
Mel Johnstone	32.18	68	40	4.42	5	54.50	7
Ruth Cottam	34.57	105	39	1.10	6	53.37	5
Annette Helliwell	37.46	139	38	37.46	4	53.56	6
Kate Knight	46.10	152	37	- 7.48	7	42.71	4
		152 finished					

Kate improved considerably over recent cross-country races to take top marks in the Handicap. The Age-Graded Competition was tight with barely a single percent between Mel, Annette and Ruth.

Surrey Men's Cross-Country - Division 4								
Nork Park - Saturday, 11th October 2008								
Member	Time	Place	Championship Points	Handicap		Age-Graded		
				Nett Time	Points	%	Points	
Andy Flett	33.11	7	40	3.01	7	67.45	13	
Keith Dunning	34.44	11	39	0.13	12	65.39	12	
Steve Cooney	37.57	26	38	0.43	11	57.33	10	
Martin Lloyd	39.04	33	37	2.03	8	59.93	11	
Andrew Griffin	42.30	50	36	6.06	6	55.09	9	
Shaun Cooney	42.33	51	35	42.33	5	51.13	7	
Allan Rumbles	43.41	57	34	1.21	10	50.51	6	
Graham Humphris	45.08	63	33	45.08	4	47.23	4	
John Allen	51.39	76	32	2.02	9	51.19	8	
Doug White	52.42	78	31	- 2.04	13	47.87	5	
		92 finished						

Andy Flett was the fastest and also had the best age-grading. Doug White improved his recent times for the cross-country league and took the full 13 points. Keith scored second place in all three competitions.

Croydon 10km - Sunday, 19th October 2008								
Member	Time	Place	Championship Points	Handicap		Age-Graded		
				Nett Time	Points	%	Points	
John Allen	53.58	272	40	- 2.12	1	61.90	1	
		460 finished						

John scored all the points being the only Collingwood runner in the Croydon 10km.

Oxshott was the first of the three Ron Hill Surrey Classic Series Races for which only the best time recorded by a member counts in the Club Championship. All three races count in the other two competitions.

Oxshott 10km - Sunday, 26th October 2008							
Member	Time	Place	Championship Points	Handicap		Age-Graded	
				Nett Time	Points	%	Points
Andy Stalley	42.45	53	n/a	0.57	3	66.62	4
Martin Lloyd	42.56	54	n/a	0.18	4	68.88	6
Paul Brooke	49.31	108	n/a	1.05	2	66.79	5
Ruth Cottam	53.11	150	n/a	2.22	1	60.17	3
John Allen	55.44	168	n/a	- 0.13	5	59.93	2
Kate Knight	77.15	226	n/a	- 5.04	6	43.26	1
		229 finished					

Kate's PB helped secure top marks in the Handicap. Martin was the best age-grading wise, with Paul nipping ahead of Andy for the five points for second.

Overall Standings

Andy Stalley's first place in the Club Championship was taken by Steve Cooney by a single point. If Keith and Martin do either of the remaining 10-milers, then the top of the table will be very tight. Tom stays in third.

Martin closed Andy's lead in the Handicap and took it from him in the Age-Graded Competition. Steve and Keith share third and fourth places.

Nicola still holds the lead in all three Women's competitions from Kate and Mel.