These are your SHORTS,

Please send your reports, running news & anecdotes to: shorts@dulwichrunners.org.uk **DEADLINE 17:30 TUESDAY**

- THE COMING WEEK -

Wed 11 Club Night, Edward Alleyn Club

83-85 Burbage Road. London, SE24 9HD Fee £1 - 7:15 for 7:30 start. Showers, Bar.

Tue 17 Track - Crystal Palace Arena - details below

In your SHORTS this week!

- General information
- Social events etc
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MEMBERSHIP RENEWALS 2018/19 DUE

2017/18 memberships expired on March 31

If you do not renew you will not be able to take part in the Club championships or run in any races as a Dulwich Runner. That includes Assembly league, Surrey League Xc, parkrun

If your membership card has 2019 on it then you do not need to do anything, if you cant find your card, haven't received an email or are not sure then please email me: barry@bg1.co.uk

Many thanks to those of you that have already renewed

The Committee are sure you will agree that membership fees give excellent value for money.

Some of the benefits of membership include:

- Free entry to 5 Assembly League road races during the summer.
- Free entry to 4 Surrey League XC fixtures, XC relays, County, Area and National XC races and National and Area Road Relays.
- The opportunity to qualify for one of the club's places in the London and Brighton marathons
- Advice from our qualified coaches
- Subsidised entry to Green Belt Relay
- Kit and race entry discounts with EA Affiliation

CK SESSIONS

Crystal Palace Track

£2.50 per session - Suitable for all abilities. At reception say you are with Dulwich Runners but do not pay there, pay Ros trackside. Can take up to 10mins to get from reception down to track.

Arrive at 7pm for a full warm-up, of various drills. Strides etc will start around 7.20pm, main session taken by Steve Smythe will start shortly after and be in the region of 45 mins. Click to SUBSCRIBE or UNSUBSCRIBE www.dulwichrunners.org.uk/index.html

- EVENT HORIZON -

Connect with us:





Thurdays morning sessions

speed/hill work mostly on grass taken by Steve Smythe. Start 11:15 - 11:30 in various local parks. There is no fee. Suitable for all standards.

steve.smythe@athleticsweekly.com to go on the mailing list

A brief look ahead April 22 London Marathon

April 28 British Masters Open relays - Birmingham

LUCKY VEST

April winner - Joe Alessi

Wear your Dulwich Runners vest or t-shirt for the club run on the first Wednesday of any month and you will go into a free draw and could win the £5 cash spot prize! Vests £18 each from Ros ros.tabor49@gmail.com

Many thanks to everyone who volunteers to take out new runners even when it's not their turn on the rota. Thankyou to Hugh Blafour and his group for taking out new runners last week.

If you're on the list please try and turn up that night and make sure anybody new has someone to run with.

If you can't make it, please try and either swap with someone or let us know as early in advance as possible.

Thanks. - Ros

Claire Steward 11/4 18/4 ian Sesnan Barrie John Nicholls 25/4

Remember to SIGN IN!

WEDNESDAY NIGHT £1 RUNNING FEE

PLEASE SIGN AND PAY AS SOON AS YOU ARRIVE

- Sign the attendance register and pay £1.
- We need the money to help pay for clubhouse hire, map printing etc.
- We use the register to compile the new runners' rota, so please write legibly.

Thank you. - Ros

Wednesday Night Map

This map for this Wednesday's runs can be found on the last page of Shorts.

Copies will be at the clubhouse, but it would help if you can print your own and bring it with you.

If your map is still in one piece after the run please don't throw it away as they can be used again, just leave it in the clubhouse - Thanks

Wednesday Apres-Run Carbo Loading!

For all you hungry runners, fish and chips can be ordered to indulge your calorie cravings after the Wednesday run.

Arrives close to 9pm and the cost is £6.00

Just give me your name and money when you sign in - Ros Don't just sit there salivating...join in!

Rehydration!

After your run come up to the bar and have a drink and a chat, it's a good way to get to know fellow runners (hot drinks also available)



Dulwich Runners are on Instagram.

So if you would like to see any of our Dulwich Runners photos destroying the opposition, having fun or simply getting from A to Z, please send through to either of Barry Graham, Yvette Dore or Jonathan Whittaker who will take care of it!

The Instagram feed will be linked to our new and upgraded website - more on that soon.

Photographs needed !...

If anyone has any good recent photos of Dulwich Runners in action either on the race course or at the pub (or dance floor for Ajay) for inclusion in the brand new website, please could you send them to:

jonathanwhittaker79@yahoo.co.uk

SOCIAL SPOT

Upcoming events.

Post Marathon Season Pizza Night

Wednesday 2nd May - 9pm

As we did last year we will be hosting another pizza night at the club house post club run to celebrate, commiserate and congratulate all those members that have been tackling marathons over recent and coming weeks!

The cost will be £5pp with the social fund subsidising the rest.

We will be ordering from Rocca in Dulwich Village and we'll aim to serve at 9pm.

Sports & Therapeutic Massage

Do you:

- Suffer from a sporting injury
- Need to rejuvenate after your hard training and recent race

What you could benefit from?

- Massage to ease muscle fatigue and aid in recovery
- Deep tissue massage to prevent injury
- Learning appropriate stretches and exercises

Ola is an experienced club runner and Sports Massage Therapist

> To find out more contact me on: 0750 655 4004 ola.balme@btinternet.com www.hernehillsportsmassage.co.uk



NEW KIT – BUY ONLINE DIRECT FROM THE MANUFACTURER

We have set up an arrangement with pbteamwear to provide showerproof jackets and midlayer training tops. You just click on the link to the Dulwich Runners shop:

https://www.pbteamwear.co.uk/athletics-clubs/dulwich-runners.html and purchase directly.

I am getting a couple of samples to check sizing. any questions contact Ros at: ros.tabor49@gmail.com



Durable water repellent textured fabric,

Inside pocket. Mesh lining. Scooped hem, Generously sized

Technical Mid layer Pro 1/4 Zip Training Top, 220gsm 4 Way stretch matt finish / full dull polyester outer Scooped hem dropped back, Soft touch anti - pill fleece reverse

DULWICH RUNNERS CLUB KIT

Vests £18 each
T- shirts short sleeved £20 each
T- shirts long sleeved £22 each
Waterproof Jackets £25 each
Hoodies £20 each
Socks £5 pair
Buffs/snoods £6 each

Most kit is usually available Wednesdays at the club from Ros ros.tabor49@gmail.com



SHORTS!

DULWICH RUNNERS' SHORTS - All sizes available They are traditionally cut either 'racing' style, or slightly longer – Both styles are a bargain £15.







Buffs/snoods - only £6



HOODIES...

There are a few hoodies left – sizes medium and small - £20, at the club on Wednesdays Thanks Ros



Keep dry in a Dulwich Runners waterproof jacket. Incorporated hood. - all sizes available - £25

Club Championship 2018

The club championship in 2018 consists of 9 races at various distances during the year at which members are encouraged to take part, to maximise competition and team spirit amongst all abilities. The full rules for 2018 will be on the club website shortly.

A series of club medals is awarded for each event: Overall age-graded, 1-3m, 1-3w, 1m&w40, 1m&w50, 1 m&w60, next best m&w age graded, captains' award

Also there are age group points competitions for the year – medals for top 3 in each category

- 5 events must be completed including at least one long and one short, best 5 scores for the year to count;
- Age groups -senior men, women plus 40's, 50's, 60+'s age groups for each
- 50 points for 1st in age group in each race, 49 for 2nd etc. Plus one point per event completed.

Plus an overall age graded competition for the year -medals for top 3, plus for 5 events completed

- uses World Masters Athletics tables for men and women at each age score is basically world best time for sex/age as a percentage of runner's time; then this %age x 1000.
- 5 events must be completed including at least one long and one short, best 5 scores for the year to count;

Fixtures (make sure you enter in good time - see event websites for 1 mile and long events)

Short

3 Feb Dulwich Parkrun 5k (71 DR's ran) 7 Jun Battersea Park Assembly League 5k 20 Jul tbc SOAR Battersea Park 1 Mile 15 Sep tbc Beckenham Place Parkrun 5k 24 Nov Beckenham Place S of Thames XC 5m

Long

24 Mar Run Through Hyde Park 10k (28 DR's ran) 8 Apr Paddock Wood Half Marathon

DULWICH RUNNERS CHAMPIONSHIP

22 Apr London Marathon (or any certified marathon up to 24 Nov) 30 Sep Middlesex Victoria Park 10k



27.JUNE.2018

3 x approx. 1mile lap

Entry: Race starts at 7.30pm £15 per team (Limited entries on the day) Entry forms and race details from www.dulwichrunners.org.uk or ros.tabor49@gmail.com

7.00pm children's 1 mile fun run £2 per child

www.dulwichrunners.org.uk

Dulwich Runners Midsummer Relay 2018

The date for this year's 3 x 1 mile relay in Dulwich Park is Wednesday 27 June.

This is the major fundraiser for the club so I hope you will all do what you can to publicise it with your friends, family, work colleagues etc. The more teams we have the better the event will be.

This year the relay is being held in memory of Gill Johnson, a member who sadly died of cancer last Autumn. A portion of the entry fee will be sent to the hospice which cared for her.

If you can't run, then your help will be needed.

Entry form on our facebook page: www.facebook.com/groups/2409157697/ or at the back of Shorts

Thanks - Ros Tabor ros.tabor49@gmail.com

DULWICH RUNNERS 2017/18 FIXTURES

Further information about races will usually be here in SHORTS and or announced on a Wednesday club night.

Some dates and locations are subject to confirmation and or changes, so make sure to check here regularly.

2018	Race	Venue
Apr	22 Virgin Money London Marathon (or alt. prior to final event) (L	L) London or alternative
	28 British Masters Open Road Relay champs	Birmingham
May	3 Assembly League	Victoria Park, Hackney
	23 Beckenham team relays	Beckenham Place Park
Jun	7 Assembly League (incorporating 5k club champs)	Battersea Park
	13 Dino Dash Relays	Crystal Palace Park
	27 Dulwich Runners Midsummer relays 3 x 1M	Dulwich Park
Jul	5 Assembly League	Tottenham Marshes
	20 (date tbc) SOAR MIle (track) (S) (Incorporating club champs) Battersea Track
Aug	2 Assembly League	Victoria Park, Hackney
	30 Assembly League (note new date)	Beckenham Place Park
Sep	15 (or alt. early autumn date) Beckenham parkrun (S)	Beckenham Place Park
	23 Southern 6/4/3 stage road relays	Crystal Palace Park
	30 Middlesex 10k (L)	Victoria Park, Hackney
Nov	24 (date tbc) South of Thames 5 mile (S)	(tbc)

Road & other Cross country Club Champs Assembly League Track

2018 Club Championship

2018 club championships races (subject to a few dates and venues tbc) are now in the fixture list above.

The marathon, 1/2M and two 10k races are classified as long races, with the remaining 5 short.

You must have renewed for 2018/19 in order to run and compete as a Dulwich Runner in the club champs

CLUB COACHES

At the AGM we discussed the importance of our club coaches. We also agreed that we would like to have more coaches. The club has a policy of contributing to coaching costs. There are various levels of qualification and different pathways which can be followed.

Details are on the website: www.englandathletics.org

Our current coaches (Steve Smythe and Elkie Mace) have agreed to help or advise interested members.

If you are interested please contact me or another committee member. ros.tabor49@gmail.com

Thanks - Ros

Assembly League 2018

The assembly league is a series of 6 inter-club races held each month on Thursday evenings from April to September. The dates appear in the fixture list. The races are all about 5k, with the June fixture in Battersea an officially measured 5k distance. The emphasis is on positions in the race rather than times.

Two races (including the first one) are multi-terrain in Beckenham Place Park; two on paths in Victoria Park; one on paths in Battersea Park; and a new venue for this year – Tottenham Marshes. There is an Assembly League facebook group, or you can ask one of the club captains for information.

The races are free to all club members and runners of all abilities are welcome. Men and women run together. There is no need to pre-enter. Just turn up, sign your name and pick up a number to pin to your club vest.

At the end of the season there are men's and women's trophies. At each race the first 4 men and women score for



their club's A teams and the second 4 for the B teams. The teams with the lowest cumulative scores win. There are also individual medals for the 1st 3 runners in each 5 year age group.

The races are very friendly occasions and club members often follow them with a social drink in a nearby bar or pub. I hope Dulwich Runners will have a large presence at each fixture. - *Ros Tabor*

Marathon Fever is here!

It's that time of year when many of us are excited about the pending 26.2 miles, especially those of us who aren't running it!

I know there were a few who ventured abroad and ran Paris last Sunday, well done to you all, but, (a bit harsh maybe, sorry) in reality there was little chance of your club mates coming to support. Also with Brighton this Sunday, so good luck to everyone running there, we look forward to hearing how you got on.

However, with London coming up there's a high chance of your miles of enjoyment being shared by many of us. We want to be there to cheer you along your way.

So, we need to know who to look out for. Send in your name, number, approximate finishing time (we won't hold you to it!) and what you'll be wearing if not your club vest. We want to know if you're hiding in a rhino suit. Send your details to barry@bg1.co.uk and we will put a list in Shorts.

Ange Norris

English National Road Relays Sutton Coldfield

Saturday April 14th

We are invited to take part in the English National road relays on Saturday April 14th at Sutton Coldfield.

The club requires a team of 12 so if you are interested, even as reserve and haven't let me know yet, please contact me at ebeprill@yahoo.co.uk

If you require any further information about any races in Shorts then contact your respective captains:

Men Xc: mcmann90@yahoo.co.uk Men road: ebeprill@yahoo.co.uk

Ladies: dulwichladiescaptain@gmail.com

GREEN BELT RELAY

Saturday and Sunday 19th & 20th May 2018

See the website - www.greenbeltrelay.org.uk for full details

We have one team for 2018, so we won't be able to get any more. If you're keen let me know by email or on a Wednesday evening. I'll put people into the team on a first-come-first-served basis then have a list of reserves.

NB Reserves needed. We now have a complete team and the event is now full with 50 teams entered

But - injuries, work, family commitments and stuff just happens and every year we call on reserves. So that's what we need now, a few people who could put their name down just in case, so I don't have a to panic

Ange - dulwichladiescaptain@gmail.com

Marathon training

A reminder now is not the time to up the training but if you have a good background, to start thinking of easing back in the last few weeks.

Increasing training by 20% won't make you a 20% better runner - potentially probably more like 0.2% but at a 20% extra risk of getting injured or feeling 20% plus more tired. **Steve Smythe**

Final marathon week (more hydration, rest and carbs)
Monday rest - Tuesday easy track - Wed 4M slow and relaxed
- Thurs 3M with strides - Fri 2M - Sat rest - Sun Marathon

SUNDAY RUN GROUPS

There are 2 regular Sunday groups particularly for those planning spring marathons and half marathons

9 am Dulwich Park (College Rd entrance) - Suitable for those running at 8min/mile and faster. Details usually posted on the Facebook page.

8am Brockwell Park (Herne Hill gate)- for those running 8min/mile and slower

Race Reports & Results

Want your race results/reports in SHORTS? make sure and send them to barry@1bg1.com
All road, fell, xc, tri and track results etc, are welcome.

Paris Marathon

April 8th

While some 30+ Dulwich Runners endured thoroughly wet conditions at Paddock Wood, a small Dulwich contingent were struggling with weather of another sort in Paris...sunshine and high temperatures. Having trained through a long winter of cold, wet and blizzard conditions, the prospect of running a marathon in 20 degree heat was a little daunting and had an impact on many performances.

Paris is a great course, taking in many of the tourist sights but also going through the city's two beautiful parklands – the Bois de Vincennes and the Bois de Boulogne – which provided a bit of much needed shade, as did the numerous underpasses alongside the river Seine. The longest was a kilometre in length, very dingy and had a spooky soundtrack playing; not somewhere you'd want to be without the reassuring

company of thousands of other runners. Most of the course was flat, with the only major challenges coming between miles 20 and 22, including a sustained uphill followed by several hundred metres of cobblestones, which was tough on the legs.

Being the second biggest marathon in the world, the course did feel quite congested at times, which meant slowing down or weaving around runners was necessary. And although the crowds were nothing like the size of those in London, barriers to separate them from the runners were few and at one point it felt a little like the Tour de France, with spectators squeezing runners into a funnel. But with encouraging shouts of "Allez, Allez" it added to the positive atmosphere of the event.

Daniel struggled with the heat, suffering with sickness and cramp in the last 12k; Gower also slowed after grappling with the cobbles and although didn't reach his target of 3.30, was delighted with a 4 minute PB – now he just need to recover in time for London. Caroline and Eleanor both comfortably hit their goal of going sub-3.45 and were pleased with their



Eleanor Laura Gower

runs. It was Russell's first marathon and a big learning curve in terms of pacing, fuelling and hydrating on the course but still a great first effort and much faster times to come in the future. Laura was also disappointed not to hit her target time, finding the conditions challenging.

The glorious sunshine did become a positive in the end as we enjoyed a very Parisian post-race refuelling of champagne and charcuterie in a café near the Arc de Triomphe. Everyone agreed that it had been a fantastic weekend.

Thanks to Sharon, Natalie and Gower's wife, Julie, for their support on the course. *Eleanor Simmons*

1662	Daniel Mann	3:08:26
2772	Christel Pana	3:17:36
6601	Gower Tan	3:36:49
7655	Eleanor Simmons	3:40:34
8018	Caroline Maynes	3:42:00
9754	Russell Morgan	3:48:11
11611	Laura Vincent	3:53:49
(42484	4 finished)	

Paddock Wood Half Marathon Club Chamionships

April 8

A good turn out – not great but some excellent runs in fairly perfect conditions – wet but not cold.

Over the years this event has seen multi wins for Clare Elms and Alison Fletcher and in the long distant past, Chris Loizou even won the race outright in his pre-Dulwich days.

This year we had a record low impact at the prizes – which hardly anyone attended – though the men were unlucky to miss out on a team prize as Kent took two of the three awards and we were fourth.

The upcoming marathon meant a few regulars avoided and some chose to hold something back to save themselves for the marathon.



Tim Bowen (above) took) minute off his PB with what is I believe the quickest rime by a Dulwich Runner for well over 20 years.

Tim's form has generally not been quite as good this year as last but his 71:45 was a minute up on what he ran here last year when he ran 2:32 at London.

Ed Chuck also set a PB but having missed recent training, will go much faster in the future.

Andy Bond was another to show his huge potential as he took two minutes off his PB and beat runners who do three times as many miles as he does every week.

The PBs did not end there as Ian Lilley, who with his hip problem has to train lighter than ideal, smashed his PB by over three minutes with a strong run while Michael Hutchison showed his marathon



Lucy Pickering

training is working well as he was a minute up on last year's PB. For those who might not know, Michael was one of Britain's greatest ever timetrial cyclists – and competed in 3 Commonwealth Games with a best of fourth and he set numerous GB records from 10 to 100 miles.

https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Michael_ Hutchinson_(cyclist)

The PBs temporary ended there as Steve Smythe missed his ancient one by a mere 15 minutes though he won the race M60 award by five minutes but a late fade meant he just missed the club record.

Going in the opposite direction in terms of improvement, Helen Lister took a few more seconds off her recent PB but had plenty in hand and was easily the leading Dulwich woman.

Grant Kennedy also set a PB and finished with Ed Harper, who also did his best time, despite missing a lot of recent training.

Joe Farrington Douglas just missed 90 minutes. Justin Siderfin did a PB but is



Tess Bright

capable of a lot more based on his XC form. Gary Sullivan finished well up in the M60s and Mark Foster was another a little down on his time last year.

Katie Styles set a PB as did Yvette Dore (on chip time at least) despite running within herself a little though Michelle Lennon was just outside her best but she underlined her consistency around the 95 minute mark.

After a long recent spell in Japan and gradually regaining fitness, Gideon Franklin ran comfortably at marathon pace.



Justin Siderfin

Tereza Francova, another with the marathon in mind, had an encouraging run, finishing strongly after a steady run/ Lucy Pickering underlined her consistency, going a second faster than in the big Half and a second slower in gun time than last year's Paddock Wood. Tess Bright and Rebecca Schulleri both had comfortable runs but set PBs according to Power of 10 Martin Double was another setting a PB while Lucy Clapp went a few minutes faster than her best in another strong run.

Consistent Cameron Timmis was again around the 1:40 mark as was Matt Ladds but looks capable of more based on his 5k time.

Colin Frith ran his quickest half for many years and he finished just ahead of Ros Tabor and Andy Murray.

Ros Tabor as first W65 but did not win a prize as W55 was the oldest age group though easily won the overall club champs with Andy following.

Louisa Pritchard was five minutes up on her recent Cambridge time while Bob bell had a steady run on a par with his most recent halfs and Claire Barnard continued her improvement to be well inside two hours while Barrie John Nicholls and Mike Fullilove cut it finer, the latter pacing his daughter. 12 71:45 Timothy Bowen (71:46 gun) 26 73:13 Edward Chuck (73:14) 37 74:37 Andy Bond 8 M40-49 (74:35) 86 81:34 Ian Lilley M40-49 (81:40) 94 82:30 Michael Hutchinson M40-49 (82:32)

130 85:12 Stephen Smythe 1 V60-69 (85;15)

157 86:52 Helen Lister 11W (86:58) 177 87:57 Grant Kennedy (88:07) 178 87:46 Edward Harper (88:07) 241 90:33 Joe Farrington-Douglas (90:50)

266 92:08 Justin Siderfin M40-49 (92:27) 283 93:02 Gary Sullivan 5 M60-69 (93:21) 309 94:24 Mark Foster M50-59 (94:44) 310 94:23 Katie Styles W35-44 (94:45) 340 95:42 Yvette Dore 10 W45-54 (96:03) 354 96:35 Michelle Lennon 11 W45-54 (96:44)

391 97:55 Gideon Franklin M50-59 (98:07)

398 98:10 Tereza Francova SW (98:32) 411 98:28 Lucy Pickering W45-54 (98:58) 412 98:40 Tess Bright SW (99;02) 413 98:47 Rebecca Schulleri SW(99:08) 418 99:01 Martin Double M40-49 (99:24) 445 99:17 Lucy Clapp W45-54 (99:46) 490 1:40:29 Cameron Timmis M40-49 (1:40:52)

545 1:42:21 Matthew Ladds (1:42:40) 561 1:43:03 Colin Frith M60-69 (1:43:17) 578 1:43:30 Ros Tabor 1 W65+(1:43:52) 583 1:43:36 Andy Murray M60-69 (1:44:04)

625 1:44:50 Louisa Pritchard W45-54 (1:45;16)

726 1:47:45 Bob Bell M60-69 (1:48:10) 1030 1:56:34 Claire Barnard SW (1:57:16) 1142 1:58:39 Barrie John Nicholls M60-69 (1:59:30)

1155 1:58:42 Michael Fullilove M50-59 (1:59:42)



Martin Double - Tereza Fancova - Becca Schulleri

SS adds I almost didn't run and hoping I don't regret I did in two weeks time having told quite a few not to risk running too hard if they don't want to take too many risks for London.

After not even managing anywhere near marathon pace on Thursday's league race, work committments connected to the Commonwealth Games* suggested I might be even more tired on Sunday.

Consequently after just a hour's sleep, I decided I still did need a hard run, having done very little for a week but first had to wait for the men's 5000m to fiinish on the Gold Coast (cursuing the slow pace) for a hurried ride to Bromley South in the rain which did at least wake me up a bit.

The train, the only one to arrive pre race, which was already due to arrive far too close to race time for ideal preparation was 10 minutes late and meant arrival while most sensible runners were finishing their warm up.

After zero warm up and hurried pre run prep, after half a mile I was chasing a known M60, and thinking I would try and keep my unbeaten record in the new age group a littlle bit longer, I settled down into a quickish pace and passed him and fairly sure I was leading the age group. At halfway I realised I was bang on schedule for Mike's M60 record and thinking I don't want to do another half marathon for a

year, I tried but just faded in the last few miles and fell short.

I will blame it on the lack of sleep but a bit more speed would have helped. It dawned me on post race that I was perhaps the sole surving runner from the very first Paddock Wood and that the prize I did win was for the very oldest age group in the race. I felt old and tired as I cycled hard back in the rain to resume my Commonwealth Games work in the afternoon.

* the work was for AW and for the travel company who look after hundreds of travelling athletics fans. it usually involves attending the event (and I've been to over 20 major worldwide Championships) but this one involves me watching it on the TV in Britain and then sending a 2000 word report to Australia so that all those who watch the athletics in the Stadium can read my report the following day!

Dulwich Runners' times in Paddock Wood 1/2M 8/4 2018

	time		p	ooints	in age	categ	ory m	/f		age grade points	club champs award
		m s	m40	m50	m60	f s	f40	f50	f60+		
Timothy Bowen	71.45	50								816	1st man
Edward Chuck	73.13	49								797	2nd man
Andy Bond	74.37		50							830	3rd man
lan Lilley	81.34		49							772	1st m40
Tom South	81.56		48							744	
Michael Hutchinson	82.30		47							751	
Steve Smythe	85.12				50					837	1st m60
Helen Lister	86.52					50				756	1st woman
Grzegorz Galezia	87.44		46							730	
Edward Harper	87.46	48								665	
Grant Kennedy	87.57	47								667	
Joe Farrington-Douglas	90.33	46								659	
Justin Siderfin	92.08		45							678	
Gary Sullivan	93.02			50						767	Man age graded
Katie Styles	94.23					49				700	2nd woman
Mark Foster	94.24			49						702	1st m50
Yvette Dore	95.42						50			733	3rd woman
Jonathan Whittaker	95.49	45								619	
Michelle Lennon	96.35							50		777	1st w50
Gideon Franklin	97.55			48						696	
Tereza Francova	98.10					48				669	
Lucy Pickering	98.28							49		772	
Tess Bright	98.40					47				662	
Rebecca Schulleri	98.47					46				660	
Martin Double	99.01		44							611	
Lucy Clapp	99.17							48		775	Woman age graded
Cameron Timmis	100.29		43							632	
Emma Ibell	100.52						49			703	1st w40
Matt Ladds	102.21	44								570	
Colin Frith	103.03				49					699	
Ros Tabor	103.30								50	913	Overall age graded
Andy Murray	103.36				48					723	
Louisa Pritchard	104.50						48			676	
Bob Bell	107.45				47					688	
Clare Barnard	116.34					45				560	
Barrie John Nicholls	118.39				46					625	
Mike Fullilove	118.42			47						574	
	37	7	8	4	5	6	3	3	1		Captains' award

International Club Track And Field Meeting Viterbo, Italy

7 April

Having been invited over for a HHH Open Meeting in 2014, this was a return visit hosted by the Italian club. There were 6 clubs competing from Spain, Slovakia, Malta and Romania, as well as HHH and the host club, Viterbo.

Viterbo is located around midway between Rome in the south and Siena to the north. It is an attractive medieval town whose main claim to fame is a papal palace, where on one occasion the cardinals were in conclave for 30 months before a pope was elected. This may seem unduly long but is short compared with the time it is likely to take to get Brexit sorted. We were staying at an air force barracks which was a little strange and were instructed to have escorts to go the canteen and bar as a group. This caused a few problems as athletes tend to be free spirits, reluctant to be organised. On our Sunday run it was slightly odd to be told to take passports with us, though fortunately the weather was cool and dry, but the bonus was bathing in some hot sulphur springs located in a field near the end of our run.

The meeting included the usual range

of events and over-ran with the medley relays at the end taking place in semi darkness. Weather conditions were near perfect for track races with warm sunshine and a light breeze, with the temperature still around 20 degrees for my 3000m race after 6pm. I had removed the spikes from my shoes prior to the flight over and forgotten to screw them back in, but on a soft newly laid track that probably made little difference. I started off at the back of the field, in a slightly faster pace than my target time in an effort not to get detached. I then spent the remainder of the race picking off some 4 competitors who were slowing down more rapidly than me. I was hoping for a faster time, but my time of 12:18.80 was comparable with recent indoor races. Mike Mann

Manchester Marathon

8th April

This is my first race report as a Dulwich Runner so I'm not quite sure what to say!

I took up running about 4 years ago and ran a few marathons and other races for charity. As I was still a heavy rugby player and learning how to run my PB was 3:58. But last year I ran a "Good for Age" time of 1:24 at North London Half Marathon so I thought I would try to improve my marathon PB to a Good For Age time (3:05) or maybe even sub 3 Hours as I wanted to run London Marathon and got tired of not getting in the ballot!



I butchered a few training plans from the internet and worked my routine in with my triathlon training. I got a few good long runs in with fellow Dulwich Runner Becca and got my base mileage up a lot so felt good about my prospects. The main issue for me I thought would be staying hydrated and fuelled at my race pace which I found hard at my last marathon. I had the flu 5 weeks before the race which didn't help but the following weeks went really well and generally I followed my programme.

Race day I felt good and ready to go. Conditions were perfect for running. 10 degrees C and no wind. Only a little bit of drizzle would have made it better! I was in Pen A and following the 3hour pacer. I spotted a Dulwich Runner vest just up the road from me, I hope his race went well. After 10miles I remember feeling great. I was holding pace well at the half way mark and remember thinking the next half would be hard but I

was prepared for that. Unfortunately, I started to feel the dreaded cramping in my calves around 32K so my last 10K was at a pace which I could sustain without stopping. I didn't train for 5months to walk!

The last 2km were the longest of the race for me and I started getting a bit of tunnel vision but was determined to finish at a good pace. I crossed the line at 3hours 9 minutes having given it everything. I thought I would be disappointed

with anything over 3:05 but genuinely I was delighted when I thought about it, to improve my PB by 49 minutes.

I was very de-hydrated after and maybe marathons aren't my distance but I am looking forward to some faster 5ks and 10ks in the months to come with Dulwich Runners. Maybe I might try another marathon some day although I don't think it will be anytime soon and maybe I can do better next time as a Dulwich Runner with a better training plan!

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Manchester Marathon

8th April

2018 Club Championships

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John English	39									1	40
Paul Keating	38									1	39
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Graham Laylee	47					50				2	99
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Andy Murray	45						48			2	95
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Best 5 count for year including 1 each short, long. Marathon points are temporary Bracketed points [] are discards, outside top 5 scores.

2018 Club Championship			Short					Long				
Overall Championship							1/2M	Marathon	10k		TOTAL 5	
	5k	5k	1m	5k	5M	10k			Victoria		events	
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Incl Marathons	3-Feb	7-Jun	20-Jul	15-Sep	24-Nov	24-Mar	8-Apr	22-Apr	1-Oct	counting	1.S,L	Average
Andy Bond	857					835	830			3	2,522	841
Timothy Bowen	803					799	816			3	2,418	806
Gary Sullivan	818					807	767			3	2,392	797
Michelle Lennon	807					791	777			3	2,374	791
lan Lilley	792					781	772			3	2,344	781
Helen Lister	745					757	756			3	2,258	753
Yvette Dore	733					746	733			3	2,212	737
Mark Foster	748					753	702			3	2,204	735
Justin Siderfin	748					719	678			3	2,145	715
Colin Frith	728					710	699			3	2,136	712
Rebecca Schulleri	715					707	660			3	2,081	694
Katie Styles	683					692	700			3	2,075	692
Joe Farrington-Douglas	708					664	659			3	2,030	677
Grant Kennedy	679					678	667			3	2,024	675
Matt Ladds	648					617	570			3	1,835	612
Ros Tabor	918						913			2	1,830	915
Barrie John Nicholls	509					676	625			3	1,810	603
Charles Lound	808					816				2	1,623	812
Shane O'neill	784					784				2	1,568	784
Lucy Clapp	778						775			2	1,552	776
Tom South	783						744			2	1,526	763
Grzegorz Galezia	753						730			2	1,483	741
Emma Ibell	762						703			2	1,465	732
Daniel Mann	789							667		2	1,456	728
Graham Laylee	736					720				2	1,456	728
Bob Bell	766						688			2	1,455	727
Andy Murray	731						723			2	1,454	727
Oliver Cooper	735							712		2	1,447	724
Gideon Franklin	725						696			2	1,420	710
Tess Bright	722						662			2	1,384	692
Edward Harper	708						665			2	1,373	687
Michael Dodds	683					681				2	1,364	682
Lindsey Annable	666					686				2	1,352	676
Michael Fullilove	771						574			2	1,345	673
Jonathan Whittaker	,,,					696	619			2	1,315	658
Cameron Timmis	680					0,0	632			2	1,312	656
Stephanie Williams	627					684				2	1,311	656
Joanne Shelton-Pereda	629					652				2	1,281	640
Laura Vincent	675					032		584		2	1,259	629

Matt Cooke		670		574	2	1,244	622
Alex Haylett	612	609		37 1	2	1,221	610
Claire Barnard	648	005	560		2	1,208	604
Hugh French	568	557	300		2	1,125	563
Stephen Davies	876	337			1	876	876
Tony Tuohy	861				1	861	861
Stephen Smythe	001		837		1	837	837
Hugh Balfour	812		037		1	812	812
Michael Mann	804				1	804	804
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Chloe Green	765				1	765	765
Tom Wilson	754				1	754	754
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Kristen Stephenson	727				1	727	727
Steve Rolfe	727				1	727	727
Christina Dimitrov	720				1	720	720
James Burrows	714				1	714	714
Rob Hollands	711				1	711	711
Anna Thomas	693				1	693	693
Mark Muffett	689				1	689	689
Joseph Brady	686				1	686	686
Jim Dowsett	680				1	680	680
Ajay Khandelwal	677				1	677	677
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Tereza Francova			669		1	669	669
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John English	661				1	661	661
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Assembly League Beckenhham -2.7M

Thursday5th April 2018

The opening fixture of the annual Assembly league summer series took place last Thursday at its traditional home of Beckenham. For the second year in a row, there was a change in course, making it 2.7 miles, but saving the traditional finishing hill to last as always. Reports back from runners said it was a tough twisty course.

Due to a few injuries and people competing in the Paris Marathon, we were a bit short of our normal high turnout, for this popular fixture, but there were many fine performances.

Leading us home was the Dublin bomber Tim Bowen in a fine 5th place., who is looking in fine form for this years London Marathon. He was backed up by second claim member Oscar Hussey, who was the second under 20 runner in. Not far behind, was Shane O'Neil, who has been in excellent form of late. Fourth man in, saw the welcome return to competitive running of Alistair Locke, after just short of a year of injury problems.

The next two in, obviously pacing each other round were Lloyd Collier and Ed Harper. Both will improve over the summer with some extra speed work. Not far behind was Ian Lilley who has recently been upping his training levels

in readiness for the Paddock Wood Half Marathon.

Not far behind lan, was our leading woman, who has been making her way back from injury, Claire Elms, who was third woman overall and first V50 female. In the early part of the race, Clare was seen pacing, her daughter Lucy Elms, who could quite stick with Claire, but finished an impressive 5th overall.

Then in quick succession we had Justin Siderfin, our third female Helen Lister, and then Ross Rook. They were followed in by our women score and second claim member Katie Balme, who I believe made her assembly league debut here, and who just had enough left to beat coach Steve Smythe.

Steve Smythe also managed to claim the first v60 position, just ahead of our resident fell runner Hugh Balfour. I sense these two might have some interesting battles over the summer in the assembly league.

Next in, was Andrea Pickup who made her debut in this league some twenty years ago and hopefully will be able to get some regular training in over the summer. Chasing her up the finishing hill was Martin Double.

The Next two in were Becca, who wasn't helped by delays in getting to the start due to train problems, and then Michelle, both of whom are putting their marathon training to good use.

Next two in, were two of our regular female performers, Lucy Pickering

and Katie Styles, quickly followed by Cammeron Timmis and Lucy Clapp, who were both given the same finishing time, just ahead of Duncan Hussey.

Our next finisher, who has spent most of winter travelling between London and Paris, was Duncan Wilson. Hopefully we will see him racing more often this summer. Duncan finished just in front of Gideon, who has been training hard for the London marathon.

Next in for the club was the ever popular club member Ola Balme, who like Andrea has been competing in the assembly league for many years now. Following Ola, was Ros who led in new member Stephanie Williams, who was making her debut here. Hopefully she enjoyed the course and the punishing final hill.

The next four in were long time club members Bob Bell, Graham Laylee, Andy Murray and Mike Dodds, who always seem to enjoy running in the assembly league. Closing in quickly on Mike up the hill was Susanna Kinsella, another debutant of the assembly league. Not far behind were another set of club stalwarts lan Sesnan, Barrie 'name dropper' John Nicholls, Lindsay Annable and Claire Steward.

Below are the individual results as well as the team results after the first fixture. I am sure with runners coming back from injury and after the marathon season, we will be fighting among the honours this season.

Tom South

Steve Smythe adds ... The race was held over a different course to last year and while probably better received by some, a multi terrain race in fading April light over rough paths and bumps is not ideal for those looking to stay fit for an upcoming marathon!

Reasonable numbers but could have been more as a few were away on holidays but frustratingly quite a few other could have run but chose to run fast in training and not run for the club because they don't consider themselves fully fit.

The club sometimes doesn't need people to be fully fit but just eun for the club and do their best.

Tim had another great run with Oscar continuing to improve, Shane was high up and the A team was completed by Alastair

as he continues his recovery from his Achilles problem.

Lloyd had his usual battle with former member Kevin and led in the B team ahead of Ed and Ian who was not at his best here but was much better in Sunday's half.

Clare was next in for the club and she finished a fine third despite an easy start with a very strong finish.

Next in was Lucy, who had her best run for some time to win the under-20s and finish an excellent fifth.

Helen had her best ever league run by some way to finish seventh.

The women's team who had one of their best recent league performances was completed by Katie, who a long way from top fitness after injury did well to make the top dozen.

The men's B team were completed by Justin who again came through strongly.

Remaining men included a good run by Ross, a poor run from Steve though enough to win the M60s from a good run from Hugh, who excelled on the courses hills. Others amongst the men with good runs

Others amongst the men with good runs were the ever regular Martin, Cameron, the Duncans, Gideon, Bob, Graham, Andy, Mike, Ian and Barrie John.

The women's B team finished second with some good runs from Andrea, Rebecca, Michelle and Lucy P – the latter two second and third W50 behind Clare. Close behind the scorers came Lucy C, a below par Ola, first W65 Ros, Stephanie, Susannah, Lindsey and Claire S.

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20	Oscar Hussey	U20	15:33
25	Shane O'Neill	SM	15:45
38	Alastair Locke	SM	16:30
52/51M	Lloyd Collier	M45	16:55
53/52M	Ed Harper	SM	16:57
59/58M	lan Lilley	M45	17:04
3W/64	Clare Elms	W50	17:12
5W/89	Lucy Elms	U20W	18:02
96/91M	Justin Siderfin	M45	18:12
7W/101	Helen Lister	SW	18:22
103/95M	Ross Rook	SM	18:25
12W/116	Katie Balme	U20W	18:51
118/105M	Steve Smythe	M60	18:55
122/108M	Hugh Balfour	M60	19:06
14W/128	Andrea Pickup	W45	19:17
133/117M	Martin Double	M40	19:30
18W/140	Rebecca Schulleri	SW	19:49
21W/146	Michelle Lennon	W50	19:56
26W/158	Lucy Pickering	W50	20:09

29W/163	Katie Styles	W35	20:18
169/137M	Cameron Timmis	M40	20:28
32W/170	Lucy Clapp	W50	20:28
172/138M	Duncan Hussey	M50	20:30
179/141M	Duncan Wilson	M55	20:51
182/144M	Gideon Franklin	M55	20:55
38W/185	Ola Balme	W50	21:12
43W/193	Ros Tabor	W65	21:46
44W194	Stephanie Williams	W45	21:48
198/151M	Bob Bell	M60	22:02
201/154M	Graham Laylee	M60	22:10
203/155M	Andy Murray	M65	22:11
209/159M	Mike Dodds	M55	22:31
51W/211	Susannah Kinsella	W45	22:32
215/162M	lan Sesnan	M60	22:40
221/163M	Barrie John Nicholls	M60	23:17
58W/223	Lindsey Annable	W50	23:25
64W/233	Claire Steward	W65	24:20:
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TEAMS

Men A team: 1 Kent 44
2 VPHTH 46
3 Dulw 88
4 Camb H 107
5 Lloyds 115
6 Petts W 118
7 Eton M 167
8 Stock E 171
9 Serp 177
10 Ravens 207
11 Beck 278
12 Aquila 298
13 Dartford RR 464
14 Lon U 491

B team:
1 Kent 101
2 Lloyds 235
3 Petts W 238
4 Dulw 252
5 VPHTH 259
6 Stock 385
7 Beck 422
8 Eton M 434
9 Serp 467
10 Camb H 471
11 Ravs 561

Women A team:
1 Kent 19
2 Dulw 27
3 VPHTH 69
4 Eton M 92
5 Beck 144
6 Lloyds 180
7 Dartf 192
8 Camb H 228
9 Serp 229
10 Ravens 229
11 Petts W 264
12 Stock E 288

B team:
1 Kent 66
2 Dulw 79
3 Eton M
162
4 Beck 266
5 VPHTH 274



Banstead Woods

179 Ran Pos Gen

1 1 Tony Tuohy 18:20

Brockwell

316 Ran Pos Gen Charles Lound 43 40 20:58 59 Jonathan Whittaker 55 21:56 74 9 Victoria Read 22:24 92 Stephanie Williams 23:25 184 47 Clare Wyngard 27:07 187 140 Michael Dodds 27:11 316 194 Stephen Williams 43:30

Bromley

548 Ran Pos Gen

71 8 Kim Hainsworth 22:06

Burgess

328 Ran Pos Gen

66 57 Hugh Balfour 22:09

Cannon Hill, Birmingham

666 Ran Pos Gen

108 10 Susan Cooper 22:59

Crystal Palace

292 Ran Pos Gen 12 Tom Wilson 20:39 12 19 1 Belinda Cottrill 21:18 57 54 **Bob Bell** 23:35 137 117 Ameet Patel 27:09

Dartford

201 Ran Pos Gen

5 5 Michael Fullilove 20:55

Dulwich

318 Ran Pos Gen

70 65 Paul Vivash 21:44 131 Ajay Khandelwal 25:25 157 171 34 Colleen Williams 26:10 212 160 Mick Mead 27:35 318 112 Claire Steward 48:46

Horsham

272 Ran Pos Gen

67 63 Gary Budinger 25:50

Peckham Rye

243 Ran Pos Gen 19 18 **Rob Cope** 20:15 63 56 Gideon Franklin 23:45 96 81 Matthew Ladds 25:34 225 82 Karina Burrowes 35:54

Markeaton

457 Ran Pos Gen

9 9 Lloyd Collier 18:11

Mole Valley

273 Ran Pos Gen

9 Paul Devine

Tooting Common

480 Ran Pos Gen

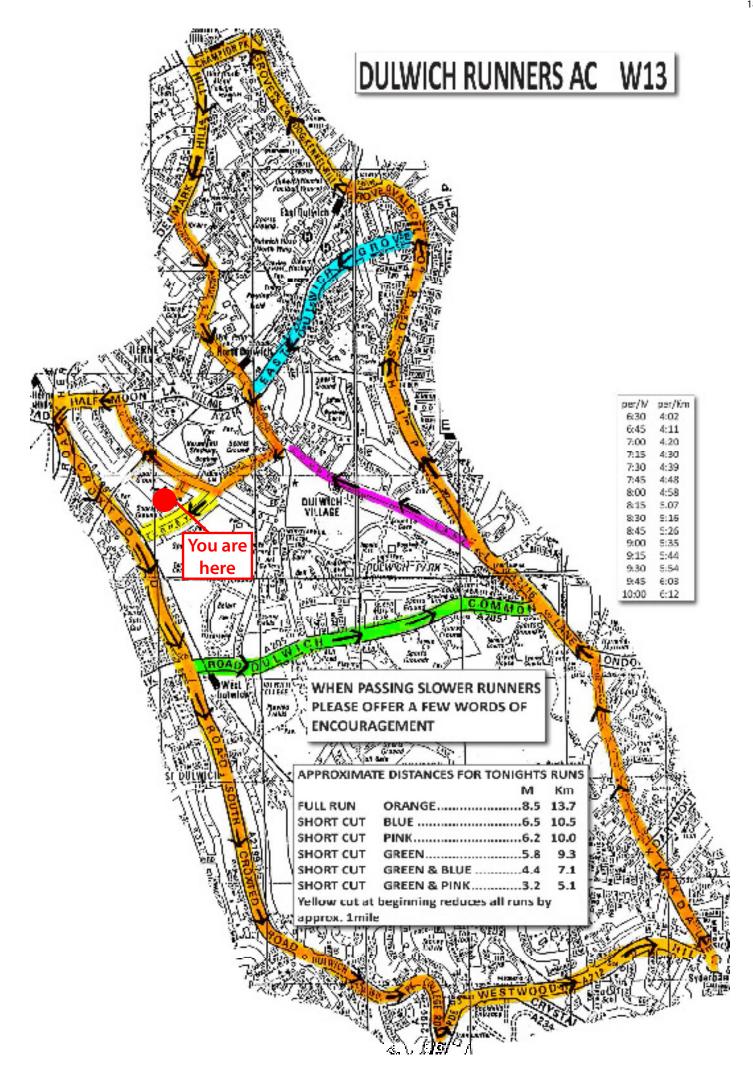
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ENTRY FORM

TEAM NAME:

TEAM CATEGORY: PLEASE CIRCLE ONE

MEN

WOMEN

MIXED

LEG 1 name:

LEG 2 name:

LEG 3 name:

(individual names can be entered later)

Please complete, scan and email to ros.tabor49@gmail.com

Pay on day, or by bank transfer:

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Reference: RELAY plus TEAM NAME