

Summer Series 2008

Under UK Athletics Rules - Permit applied for



Once again the Summer Series is providing 10 races and we hope that it proves as popular as last year.

We must insist that Juniors and Minis run in the races specified in the Rules and children entering wrongly will be disqualified. Prizes are awarded to age bands within each race so it is up to athletes to perform over the UKA's specified distances.

INFORMATION

Races start at 7.15 p.m. UNLESS STATED 7 races to count for overall prizes. 1st Race Thursday 5th June 2008.

Overall Series prizes for:- Seniors, Vets, Ladies & Juniors in age groups Special 1 mile Fun Run for under 11s.

Most events are either off public roads or on closed roads. With overall scoring for prizes - results are of prime importance, therefore would competitors and spectators please keep finish areas clear for the timekeepers.

IMPORTANT NOTICE - YOUR NUMBER is for the WHOLE SERIES so keep it safe.

Will members please note the price structure - unless you are a paid up member before the first event you will be classed as unattached.

Seniors £4.00 Juniors £2.00 Unattached Seniors £6.00 Minis £1.00

Pre-paid entry for SMAC Members £20.00 Be prepared to show proof of current membership

Pre-paid entry for attached seniors £30.00 Be prepared to show proof.

Pre-paid entry for Unattached seniors £50.00

Pre-paid entry for juniors £15.00

You can pay in any of these ways at the first event.

OR Join SMAC and pre-enter whole series for £35.00 - Senior (£20 entry + £3 affiliation fee + £12 membership) £18.00 for Juniors (£15 entry + £3 affiliation fee + 1 year free membership)

Send your form and payment to: SMAC Membership Secretary, 57 Newcastle Road, Leek ST13 5RT before the end of May to be voted into the Club at the committee meeting. Your race number will be ready to collect at the first race.

Finish seven races to qualify for a Tee-shirt, all ten races for a Sweatshirt + Tee-shirt.

Starting June 5th 2008 for ten Thursday nights at different venues throughout the Moorlands

This year we have left a week open for the scenic and challenging "Gun Run" on Tuesday 15th July, starting at the Village Hall, Gun End, near Dane Bridge (see www.staffsmoorlands-ac.co.uk for details) and "The J.C.B. 5" at Rocester on Thursday 17th July.

Presentation Night at Leek Rugby Club (Cheddleton) after final event with presentation of Tee Shirts and plenty of prizes.

Race organisers would welcome your assistance in marshalling the course. If you're not competing, don't wait to be asked. Do please contact the Race Organiser before the race starts. Marshalling etc. counts towards your Tee Shirt.

Due to lack of parking space at most venues, please try to share lifts and you'll also be helping to reduce your carbon count!

Overall Prize Categories

Senior Male	1st, 2nd, 3rd	Senior Lady	1st, 2nd, 3rd.
Male Vet 40 -	1st	Lady Vet 35-	1st
Male Vet 45-	1st	Lady Vet 40-	1st
Male Vet 50-	1st	Lady Vet 45-	1st
Male Vet 60-	1st	Lady Vet 50-	1st

Only one prize per competitor, if veteran finishes in first 3, prize for overall category goes to next senior.

Junior Prizes awarded for all age categories. "Age" is taken as being your actual age on the day of the FIRST RACE (June 5th 2008)

Junior Boy	1st, 2nd, 3rd	Junior Girl	1st, 2nd, 3rd.
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Age Groups: 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16. For both Boys and Girls.

Fun Run 1st Boy and 1st Girl. Prize for Youngest Competitor in race.

Medals for Juniors Gold for 7 events, Silver for 5 events Bronze for 3 events.