

Saturday August 16<sup>th</sup>

## ROAD RACES

Ballarat

After a few milder years at Ballarat, we were welcomed with a chilly one this year. Pleasingly it stayed dry, but there was a distinct lack of warmth, although as was pointed out a number of times during the day – “it could have been worse!”

Our numbers were down, perhaps our lowest for the season, but there were some terrific results from the Magpie runners. A silver medal to **Lucy Leutchford** in the under 14 girl's 5k was a great reward for a very consistent season. The boys from the same age group had three finishers in the top ten with **Ace Buck** just missing a medal. **Meaghan Gaunt** (6<sup>th</sup> u/16), **Jacob Barnes** (6<sup>th</sup> u/20) and **Matthew Newton** (10<sup>th</sup> u/18) were others to finish prominently.

The senior races saw our two newly crowned Club Champions again lead the Collingwood charge in their respective events with **Virginia Moloney** just edging **Bev Thomas** out of 5<sup>th</sup> place after a very tight tussle all the way. In the men's event the gap was almost as close with **Jai Edmonds** finishing two spots in front of **Liam Delany**. Again there had been very little between them for almost the entire race. It was great to see **Magnus Michelsson** back in the action after a bad run with injuries. **Cadeyrn Douglas** put in his best run with the Club while **Leo Arantes** was another to be prominent. **Tony Hally** made it into Divvy 1, just beating Leo home after yet another close duel over the 15k course.

### RESULTS

#### JUNIOR 5k

##### WOMEN

##### Under 14

2 Lucy Leutchford 19:45

##### Under 16

6 Meaghan Gaunt 19:30  
14 Emma Newton 23:09  
16 Emily Noonan 24:28

2<sup>nd</sup> in Team's Race

##### MEN

##### Under 14

4 Ace Buck 18:24  
8 Hayden Morris 18:57  
9 Charlie Faubel 19:07

##### Under 18

10 Matthew Newton 16:46  
15 Jesse Frost 17:13  
20 Tom Hall 17:26  
38 Drew Roberts 20:59

##### Under 20

6 Jacob Barnes 18:34

2<sup>nd</sup> in Team's Race

3<sup>rd</sup> in Team's Race

#### SENIOR 15k

##### WOMEN

		3k	9k	15k
5	Virginia Moloney	10:11	32:47	55:36
6	Bev Thomas	-	32:44	55:41
59	Heather Gaunt	12:38	39:10	65:40

66	Amy Holmes	12:40	40:16	67:14
68	Summer Merrie	12:49	40:20	67:26
100	Rachel Ramsdale	-	42:32	72:18
102	Ailsa Buckle	13:28	43:20	72:42
106	Pau Albouy	13:59	44:09	73:59

### Team's Results

Division 1 4<sup>th</sup>.

#### MEN

		3k	9k	15k
20	Jai Edmonds	9:28	29:59	50:28
22	Liam Delany	9:28	30:01	50:43
32	Magnus Michelsson	9:35	30:21	51:35
70	Caderyn Douglas	10:03	32:08	54:23
98	Brad Bullock	10:17	32:40	56:24
122	Tony Hally	* 10:50	34:29	57:46
124	Leo Arantes	10:59	34:34	57:49
169	Dale Nardella	11:23	35:53	60:05
185	Thai Phan	11:24	35:47	61:11
189	Stuart Evans	* 11:35	36:26	61:24
190	Steve Simmons	11:41	36:57	61:29
207	Josh Debinski	11:54	37:13	63:04
210	Adrian Murphy	# 12:05	37:36	63:37
218	John Crameri	# 12:17	38:24	64:14
221	Peter Gaunt	# 12:12	38:55	64:27
232	Neil Matthews	12:29	39:00	65:19
250	Daryl Standfield	12:34	39:33	67:11
255	Craig Servinis	13:04	40:58	68:08
277	Todd Robilliard	13:01	40:57	70:34
284	Ken Duxbury	13:17	42:25	71:46
313	Robert Barnes	-	50:18	85:00

### Team's Results

Division 1	7 <sup>th</sup>
Division 2	13 <sup>th</sup>
Division 3	11 <sup>th</sup>
*40+	6 <sup>th</sup>
#50+	10 <sup>th</sup>

**Afternoon Tea:** The **Barnes** crew were up to their usual tricks with the après race treats. There was a terrific contribution from **Helen Rowbottom**. Thanks to all concerned – my apologies to anyone I've missed.

**Officials:** **Tony Williams** and **Gary McBroom** were on the job with AV. They were cold too!!

Thanks to **Tony Hally**, **John Crameri**, **Ken Duxbury** and **Robert** and **Jacob Barnes** for their help with the tent after the race – much appreciated.