London Heathside Young Athletes Club Newsletter September 2022



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Congratulations

Congratulations to Issy Watkins the Southern U17W 800m Champion and Sam Brown for his silver medal in the U15B 300m. Magdeline Paitoo also reached the National U15G 200m final.

Well done to Izzy Watkins (U17W 800m), Milli Bridgeman-Athanasatos (U15G TJ) Malia Anderso-Watson (U13G DT) who set new club records in August.



Meeting Report:- Upper Youth Development League, 4#, Tooting Bec, 7.8.22

Several young Heathsiders headed to the newly refurbished Tooting Bec Track to compete in the last UYDL match of the season. Trey Corlis won the U17M High Jump to help the team finish 6th on the day and a final placed 7th overall in the League.

Results

1st Cambridge Harriers 569 pts, 6th Victoria Heathside Highgate 250 pts

U20 Men

100m Justin Paul (U20M) 11.78 A 6th Frankie Frost (U20M) 12.47 B 5th# Caleb MacBruce (U20M) 12.62 ns

200m

Frankie Frost (U20M) 25.60 B 3rd Caleb MacBruce (U20M) No Time

U17 Men

100m

Trey Corlis (U17M) 11.58 A 4th Akan Akpan (U17M) 12.62 ns

High Jump

Trey Corlis (U17M) 1.70m A 1st

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Akan Akpan (U17M) 10.52m A 4th

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Marcel Baczek (U17M) 36.91m B 1st

U17 Women

100m

Imani Quamina (U17W) 13.23 A 5th

200m

Imani Quamina (U17W) 27.67 A 6th

80mH

Imani Quamina (U17W) 12.99 A 2nd

Meeting Report: - Southern U13/U15/U17 Championships, Chelmsford, 13-14.8.22

A large contingent of young Heathsiders struggled through train strikes and traffic to take part in the South of England Championships in Chelmsford. Despite the extreme hot weather there were a host of great performances and two new club records. Issy Watkins produced our best performance breaking the club U17W 800m record taking the gold medal, after winning her heat on the Saturday she returned on the Sunday running almost 1s quicker. Sam Brown wasn't quite able to repeat his National Schools title being just pipped on the line in the final to take silver in the U15G 300m. Milli Bridgeman-Athanasatos set a big PB in the U15G Triple Jump. Both Ella and Magdeline reached the 200m final with Magdeline registering a PB finishing 5th in the final. Dylan and Rory both produced solid runs in the 800m as did Suraya and Casia in the 75m Hurdles. Imani finished 4th in her heat and qualified for the 80mH final where she finished 7th. Elkie had been ill in the week and could only throw 4m below her PB this season to finish in 5th place.

We'll done to everyone who braved the conditions.

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Results

200m

H1 2nd Ella Burridge (U15G) 26.40 AAA Grade 2 H1 3rd Magdeline Paitoo (U15G) 26.56 AAA Grade 2 Final 5th Magdeline Paitoo (U15G) 26.34 PB AAA Grade 2 Final 6th Ella Burridge (U15G) 26.69 AAA Grade 2

300m

H1 1st Sam Brown (U15B) 37.59 AAA Grade 1
Final 2nd Sam Brown (U15B) 37.16 **W** PB AAA Grade 1

800m

H2 5th Dylan Mills (U15B) 2:17.64 AAA Grade 4
H2 8th Rory Willis (U13B) 2:35.3
H1 1st Issy Watkins (U17W) 2:16.13 AAA Grade 2
Final 1st Issy Watkins (U17W) 2:15.2 PB by 0.26s NCR AAA Grade 1

75mH

7th Casia Langley-Bradshaw (U15G) 12.65 AAA Grade 4 H2 8th Suraya Frost (U15G) 12.91 AAA Grade 4

80mF

H2 4th Imani Quamina (U17W) 12.62 AAA Grade 4 Final 7th Imani Quamina (U17W) 12.43 AAA Grade 3

Long Jump

10th Martha Jolly (U15G) 4.66m AAA Grade 4 12th Ella Burridge (U15G) 4.59m AAA Grade 4 15th Milli Bridgeman-Athanasatos (U15G) 4.28m

Triple Jump

6th Milli Bridgeman-Athanasatos (U15G) 9.56m PB NCR AAA Grade 4

Discus

5th Elkie Baker (U15G) 25.61m AAA Grade 3

Meeting Report:- England Athletics U15/U17 Championships, Bedford, 27-28.8.22

Our contingent of young athletes who took part in the National Championships at Bedford over the weekend will all have gathered great experience for the future. Championship athletics is a step up with live video streams, stadium announcers, crowds and the best athletes from across the country with all the extra pressure that creates. In addition, being held later in the season has issues as many athletes have started to wind down ahead of the winter. However like the English Schools Championships it is an achievement even to have obtained the qualifying standard to be able to compete alongside the most talented young athletes in the country.





Magdeline Paitoo ran a strong heat in the U15G 200m dipping in 3rd place to qualify for the final after the 2nd placed Irish athlete was disqualified. However, in the final she thought she heard the false start recall and stopped before carrying on, finishing in 8th place. Martha Jolly finished in 10th place after only managing one legal jump, out of three, of 4.82m which was 33cm down on her PB, again in the 200m heats her time of 27.35 was almost a second off her PB this year. Ella Burridge's 300m time was also 1s off her fastest this season and her 5th place in the heat didn't allow her to progress. Elkie only managed one legal throw of her 3, again over 4m down on her PB and left her finishing in 9th place just failing to get an additional 3 trials.

Despite their frustrations I'm sure all will have gained valuable experience and will come back stronger next season.

Results

200m

H1 7th Martha Jolly (U15G) 27.35 AAA Grade 4 H2 2nd Magdeline Paitoo (U15G) 26.54 AAA Grade 2 Final 8th Magdeline Paitoo (U15G) 28.57

300m

H3 5th Ella Burridge (U15G) 42.67 AAA Grade 2

Long Jump 10th Martha Jolly 4.82m AAA Grade 3

Discus

9th Elkie Baker 25.71m AAA Grade 3

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Up-coming Club Young Athletes Fixtures: -

2022 Track and Field Fixtures

This year's outdoor season is now almost over.

6th **September – London Heathside Club Championships – Day 2** 10th September – Inter-counties U15/U17 Championships, Oxford

2022 Road and Cross-Country Fixtures

11th September – Middlesex Road Relays, Hayes
24th September – SEAA 3/4/6 Road Relays, Crystal Palace
1st October – TCS Mini Marathon, City of London
15th October – Met League 1#, Claybury
22nd October – Southern XC Relays, Wormwood Scrubs
29th October – NWLL 1#, Perivale

Meetings in green are school events, brown - representative.

London Heathside Club Championships (Part 2)

The final part of the club championships will be held on **Tuesday 6th September** will feature the following events:-



- 200m
- 800m
- 3000m (U15/U17)
- 5000m (Seniors)

- Javelin
- Shot
- High Jump

Events start at 6.00 pm. You can enter through the club website <u>entry portal</u>, email <u>Simon Baker</u> with your name age group and event or let your coach know.

Southern Athletics League

The Clubs Seniors compete in the Southern Athletics League with U17 and U20 athletes able to compete alongside Seniors. The last match of the season is on 10th September (Perivale). However, all events use senior implements and standards so these may not be suitable for all specialist events. U17 or U20's who wish to compete should declare their availability on this link

Middlesex Road Relays

The next club road race will be the Middlesex Young Athletes Road Relays on **Sunday 11th September** at Minet Park, Hayes. There is an U11 1500m Road Race and then Age Group races with teams of 3 running 3,000m legs on a closed cycle track. You need to be picked by the team manager to take part, U11's should let <u>Ruth Miller</u> know they would like to run in the U11 Road Race.

Southern 3/4/6 Stage Relays

Depending on strength of training groups the Club will look to enter teams into the Southern Road Relays at Crystal Palace, London SE19 2BB on **24**th **September**. U13, U15 and U17 Girls run in 3 legs of 3000m while U13 and U15 Boys run 4 legs. U17 men run 4 legs of 4,500m

Quadkids

This is the most common form of athletic competition for U11's who compete in 4 events 75m, 600m, Long Jump and Vortex Throw with points awarded according to performance. Highgate and Shaftesbury also be hold regular competitions. The Club will look to hold a competition in September.



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Upcoming Open Meetings

There are a number of local Open Meetings being held in September for those interested: -

Wednesday 7th September – Highgate Harriers End of Season Open – www.opentrack.run,

2022-2023 Winter Season

The fixture list for the new season is beginning to take shape with the following dates confirmed:-

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11.9.22 - Middlesex Road Relays - Hayes
24.9.22 - SEAA 6/4/3 Road Relays - Crystal Palace
1.10.22 - Chingford League - XC Dagenham Central Park
15.10.22 - Met League 1# - Claybury
22.10.22 - Southern XC Relays - Wormwood Scrubs
29.10.22 - NWLL 1# - Horsenden Hills
5.11.22 - NWLL 2# - Fryent Park
12.11.22 - Met League 2# - Wormwood Scrubs
19.11.22 - London Youth Games XC - Parliament Hill (Closed)
26.11.22 - NWLL 3#/Chingford League - Trent Park
3.12.22 - Met League 3# - Uxbridge
7.1.23 - Middlesex County Championships - Parliament Hill
14.1.23 - Met League 4# - Welwyn
28.1.23 - Southern XC Championships - Beckenham Park
4.2.23 - NWLL 4# - Hampstead Heath Extension
4.2.23 - Chingford League - Road - Victoria Park
11.2.23 - Met League 5# - Trent Park
25.2.23 - National XC Championships - tbc, Yorkshire
4.3.23 – NWLL 5# - Harrow School
11.3.23 – Inter-Counties Cross Country Championships, Loughborough (Closed)
18.3.23 - ESSA National Cross Country Championships - Nottingham (Closed)
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Pre-Loved Kit

The club always welcome running spikes and other kit in good in condition that can be used by other young athletes in the Club. The Coaches always bring spare running spikes to cross country races so there is no need to buy your own.

Jack Petchey Award

The next nominations are for September.



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