

ARCHIVE RESULTS 2012

Thursday 27th December - Warminster Plain Crazy

1:18:21 Scott Pound
1:19:50 Craig Dixon
1:25:56 Roger Teasdale
1:44:42 Sandra Hamilton
1:46:29 Ali Cundick

Roger says "Although billed as 12 miles it actually came in at 11.2ish as the Army were concerned about the runners getting blown up. So the route had to be altered. The wind certainly made up for the shorter distance, feeling like we weren't actually moving forward at times. A tough race but thoroughly enjoyed by all."

Wednesday 26th December – Round the Lakes 10km

0:45:52 Keith Harrison
0:47:20 Rachel Harrison
0:54:01 Ian Hitching

Sunday 16th December – Wessex Cross Country League

Lynda Faulkner ran 4.8 km at Canford School in very muddy and slippery conditions in 17 minutes and something and came 2nd lady overall and 1st in her age group.

Sunday 9th December – Christchurch Christmas 10km

0:37:28 Scott Pound PB
0:40:35 Roger Teasdale PB
0:47:43 Ian Hitching
0:51:27 Sandra Hamilton
0:51:52 Joan Royal
0:54:17 Mike Anthony

Thursday 6th December – Sturminster 5 miles

0:30:28 Reece Ingram
0:30:40 Scott Pound
0:30:51 Nick Berry
0:31:52 Spencer Mogridge
0:32:20 Craig Dixon
0:33:38 Jon Eveleigh (not a paid-up Dodder)

0:34:15 Steve Page
0:34:33 Shamsul Wahab
0:35:29 Stuart Read
0:36:05 Ian Buckingham
0:37:01 James Meiklejohn
0:37:02 Rachel Baker
0:37:06 Dan Simmonds
0:42:46 Sandra Hamilton
0:42:48 Tracy Horan
0:44:37 Martin Lawson
0:50:09 Mick Cox
0:51:59 Jane Feather

Sunday 2nd December – Full Monty-cute 10 miles

1:49:16 Jane Ward
1:53:27 Andy Goodman

Sunday 25th November – Boscombe 10km

0:39:09	Scott Pound	
0:43:35	Roger Teasdale	
0:47:06	Ian Buckingham	running for Wimborne AC
0:50:06	Ian Hitching	
0:51:37	Sandra Hamilton	
0:57:17	Kathy O'Keefe	

Sunday 25th November – Wessex Cross Country League

Seven Daddlers took part in the third Wessex Cross Country League meeting held at Hudson Fields, Salisbury. Rachel remarks that running round and round a sports field is not very inspiring. Hoping for better next time. The following results are provisional.

Women's 5.5km

0:21:51	Lynda Faulkner	2nd lady
0:24:36	Rachel Baker	

Men's 7.8km

0:28:24	Reece Ingram	
0:32:53	Ashley Baker	
0:33:19	Stuart Read	
0:33:42	Shamsul Wahab	
0:34:21	Neil Cranidge	

Sunday 18th November – Wimborne 10

1:05:56	Graham Smith	3rd MV50
1:07:05	Lerryn Chaffey	PB, 3rd LV35
1:08:12	Roger Teasdale	PB
1:08:43	Spencer Mogridge	PB
1:11:32	Michael Peters	
1:13:28	Stuart Read	
1:15:25	Rachel Baker	
1:15:26	Neil Cranidge	
1:20:56	Ian Hitching	PB
1:21:54	John Cowley	
1:25:56	Joan Royal	1st LV65
1:26:38	Sandra Hamilton	
1:26:52	Kathie Child	
1:29:28	Chris Beck	3rd MV70

Sunday 18th November – White Horse Gallop

5.5 miles of hilly, muddy cross-country.

0:35:55	Lynda Faulkner	1st lady, 6th overall
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Sunday 4th November – Drover's Revenge 9 miles

1:05:24	Scott Pound	2nd male
1:07:53	Graham Smith	4th & 1st MV50
1:12:31	Roger Teasdale	
1:16:47	Rachel Baker	3rd female
1:19:55	Matt Clayton	
1:20:41	Neil Cranidge	
1:25:39	Chris Beck	

Sunday 4th November – Gilly Hilly 7.5 miles

0:51:02	Spencer Mogridge	8th & 1st MV40
0:51:24	Lerryn Chaffey	9th & 1st lady

0:56:29 Shamsul Wahab
1:01:24 John Cowley
Spencer, Shams and John were 2nd male team.

Sunday 28th October – The Stickler

1:21:07 Mike Hoey
1:23:45 Ginny Willey
1:28:54 Shamsul Wahab
1:29:16 Michael Peters
1:34:37 Daniel Simmonds
1:35:15 James Meiklejohn
1:45:13 Suzanna Baker
1:48:11 Sara Cross
1:52:56 David Borrows
1:54:47 Chris Beck
2:01:07 Angie Potter
2:04:33 Jane Feather

Sunday 28th October – Great South Run

1:26:32 Ian Hitching
1:34:06 Jenny Farthing
1:45:11 Mick Cox PB

Saturday 27th October – Beachy Head Marathon

3:44:58 Lynda Faulkner 2nd lady and 49th overall, out of 1299 finishers
4:24:45 Damian Patterson
4:29:02 Rachel Baker
4:31:09 Justin Perry
4:32:30 Carlos Blanco
4:39:23 Stuart Read
5:01:00 Neil Cranidge

As a measure of how tough the race was, the winner finished in 3:09:51.

Rachel says: Well we all survived Beachy Head despite the Arctic wind which seemed to follow us around the entire course. We all escaped the hail storms except for Neil who encountered the storm at around 23 miles. An extremely challenging course with climbs that make the Stickle Path look tame. The last 6 miles across the Seven Sisters are more than a little undulating but the stunning scenery is well worth the effort.

Sunday 21st October – Wessex Cross Country League

Four Doddlers took part in the second Wessex Cross Country League meeting held just outside Stoke-sub-Hamdon / Montecute. The course touched on the 'Full Monty' course, up and around two wooded hills combining open pasture and very muddy woodland tracks. The course was a 2 mile lap course, with the men doing 2.5 laps and the women 1.5 laps. The event was very well organised by YTRRC, well marked and marshalled in perfect conditions and weather. Rachel reports that it was a fantastic day with lots of mud. Competition was tough, and Rachel excelled in her women's race to come 3rd overall (also 3rd W45). Doddlers teams are now on the score board in both the men's and women's team events. Let's have a full Doddlers Turn out for the next meet in Salisbury on Sunday 25th November.

Ham Hill 5km

0:24:57 Rachel Baker

Ham Hill 10km

0:36:39 Ian Pollard
0:41:26 Shamsul Wahab

0:41:55 Ashley Baker

Sunday 21st October – Amsterdam Marathon

4:22:38 Kathie Child

Saturday 20th October – Weymouth 10

1:09:20 Roger Teasdale PB
1:23:02 John Cowley
1:30:36 Joan Royal 1st FV70
1:30:58 Sandra Hamilton

Sunday 14th October – Gold Hill 9.5km

0:41:04 Graham Smith 5th
0:41:16 Ian Pollard 6th
0:41:33 Trevor Keep 8th
0:43:05 Spencer Mogridge 14th
0:43:57 Lerryn Chaffey 2nd lady
0:47:19 Shamsul Wahab
0:48:14 Bradley Stranger
0:52:52 John Cowley

Well done Graham, Ian, Trevor and Spencer – the first male team.

Sunday 14th October – Studland Stampede 12km

0:53:58 Scott Pound 18th
1:05:21 Ian Hitching
1:12:27 Ali Cundick

Sunday 7th October – Mablethorpe Marathon

3:32:40 Ginny Willey 5th lady

Sunday 7th October – Cricklade Half Marathon

From Kathie Child:

Hi all, just been sent my time for the Cricklade half marathon (near Swindon), which I ran yesterday, 7 October 2012. Drum roll..... 2:02:46 (chip time), I am really pleased with this time as I had an issue with energy gels along the route (read my face book page and say no more) and it was really a taper run for Amsterdam marathon on 21st October (2 weeks time, OMG).

Anyway, onward and faster.

Kathie xx

Sunday 7th October – Hoburn 5

0:38:51 Ian Hitching

Saturday 29th September – Hardmoors 60

Craig Dixon writes:

On Saturday I ran the Hardmoors 60 in Yorkshire. It followed the Cleveland Way from Guisborough through Whitby and Scarborough before finishing in Filey. Claire was brilliant supporting at various points on route. Of the 160 starters I finished in top 30 in 13 hours 20. The last two hours were with a head torch along the coastal path and I think it was closer to 63 miles not 60.

Sunday 23rd September – King Alfred's Torment

0:50:34 Reece Ingram 5th overall
0:52:24 Graham Smith 1st MV50
0:52:50 Spencer Mogridge

1:02:32 Matt Clayton
1:06:28 John Cowley
1:19:23 Chris Beck

Sunday 23rd September – New Forest Half Marathon

1:46:23 Ian Hitching

Sunday 16th September – Littledown 5

0:36:32 Ian Hitching

Sunday 16th September – Great North Run

1:55:08 Sandra Hamilton PB

Sunday 2nd September – The Beast

Provisional results

1:33:38 James Rielly
1:38:42 Scott Pound
1:48:25 Stuart Read
1:53:14 Rachel Baker 3rd FV45
1:55:58 Carlos Blanco
1:58:02 Ian Hitching
1:58:17 Matt Clayton
2:14:34 Andy Goodman
2:21:36 Ali Cundick
2:21:49 Richard Fordham
3:06:18 Jane Feather

Monday 27th August – Shillingstone 5

0:36:10 James Rielly
0:37:13 Ian Pollard
0:37:39 Nick Berry
0:39:00 Graham Smith
0:42:20 Michael Peters
0:43:06 Shamsul Wahab
0:43:14 Daniel Simmonds
0:46:06 Ian Hitching
1:01:32 Peter Cerely

Sunday 19th August – San Diego Half Marathon

Neil Cranidge writes:

On Sunday I completed the San Diego "America's Finest City" Half Marathon in Doddler colours. This caused some bemusement amongst my fellow runners but after establishing that Dorset was in the UK I was able to take sole credit for the success of the Olympics. Well it seemed churlish not to!

Over 150 buses picked up the runners from the San Diego Zoo main parking lot at the scarcely believable hour of 5 am and took us all up to the Cabrillo National Monument overlooking the bay. Then after watching the sun come up there was just time for a quick Star Spangled Banner before the mass 7 am start. Notwithstanding this early start it was quickly blisteringly hot and after the first 10k I flagged badly and so slowed to take in shady spots and a spot of sightseeing. Before hitting the city centre there was at least welcome watery support from local residents with hosepipes! Finished in 1 hour 54 in the end.

Now back to the fast food and theme parks....

Cheers

Neil

Sunday 19th August – Dorset Duddle

Six Duddlers took up the challenge of 32 very undulating miles along the South West Coastal Path from Weymouth to Swanage in temperatures up to 30C.

5:39:00 Matt Giles
6:30:00 Craig Dixon (running in place of Roger Teasdale)
6:58:00 Scott Pound
7:14:00 Ginny Willey
9:49:00 Matt Clayton (delayed due to helping an overheated woman to complete the course)
DNF Richard Fordham (retired because of the heat)

Sunday 12th August – Salisbury 54321 Trail Marathon

4:38:55 Ian Hitching

Sunday 12th August – Salisbury 54321 Trail 50km

4:59:04 Ginny Willey 1st FV35

Sunday 29th July – Stur Half

1:27:06 Scott Pound
1:32:33 Spencer Mogridge
1:32:56 Roger Teasdale
1:35:41 Stuart Read
1:40:57 Rachel Baker
1:43:55 Sarah King
1:45:28 James Meiklejohn
1:52:12 Ian Hitching
1:54:07 Suzanna Baker
1:57:03 Jenny Farthing
1:57:56 John Cowley
2:00:48 Sandra Hamilton
2:01:00 Ali Cundick
2:14:19 Lisa Graves

Sunday 22nd July – Charles Bennett Olympic Mile at Shapwick

0:05:35 Roger Teasdale

Thursday 19th July – Duddler Duathlon

0:43:38 Trevor Keep
0:44:43 Reece Ingram
0:45:23 James Rielly
0:45:33 Rachel Baker & Neil Cranidge
0:45:35 Ali Cundick & Ian Hitching
0:45:55 James Evans
0:46:55 Martin Lawson
0:47:28 Scott Pound
0:47:53 Graham Smith
0:48:01 Lynda Faulkner & Dave Rivett
0:48:15 James Wills & Kathie Child
0:50:13 Natalie Perrett & Claire Dixon
0:50:22 Matt Clayton
0:50:59 Dan Simmonds
0:51:15 Roger Teasdale
0:52:56 John Cowley
0:53:45 James Meiklejohn
1:11:08 Jane Feather

1:11:08	Kerry Fleet
DNF	Craig Dixon
DNF	Shamsul Wahab
DNF	Stuart Read

Sunday 15th July – Tarrant Valley 10km

0:38:16	Reece Ingram
0:38:44	Ian Pollard
0:40:48	Graham Smith
0:41:03	Trevor Keep
0:44:48	Neil Cranidge
0:45:35	Roger Teasdale
0:46:44	James Meiklejohn
0:49:27	Matt Clayton
0:50:09	Jonathan Sterck
0:51:23	Nick Elliott
0:53:22	Martin Lawson
0:54:57	Ian Hitching
0:56:48	Sandra Hamilton
1:00:00	Anne Newlin
1:04:38	Phil Easton
1:06:15	Kerry Fleet

Saturday 14th July – Stockholm Jubilee Marathon

4:54:29	Kathie Child
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Just got back from sunny Sweden. I booked to run the Stockholm Jubilee Marathon months ago with Sports Tours, because it was a 'one off' event to celebrate the 1912 Olympic Marathon. The course was different to the normal Stockholm Marathon normally held in June as it followed the original 1912 hilly course and it was set over 40,075 km as it was one hundred years ago, with an option for runners to do an extra loop at the end to complete 42,195 km. Officials and supporters were all dressed in traditional 1912 dress and some of the runners too!

I hurt my back five weeks before and so was unable to run or train at all, I managed a five mile run on holiday and a feeble hour bike ride the week before. So I went to Sweden with the intention of watching (but took an old pair of trainers and running kit, just in case a miracle happened). I met up with the other Brits and Ron Hill and his wife (he is so nice) in our hotel on Friday 13th July and over dinner convinced myself that I could complete the course, somehow (no I hadn't been drinking). Saturday 14th July in the fifth start group (2:28pm) I set off in old trainers, no watch, no gels and a lot of hope!

Ron Hill was invited to take part by the Swedish organisers, but he chose to run the first 13 km only.

I finished the there and back, really hilly course (I think the hills on the way back were definitely bigger) in 4:37:53 for 40,075 km and 4:54:29 for 42,195 km. The option at the finish to run the current marathon distance (42,195 km) was tough, loads of people chose to finish there, then I thought oh, just two more kilometres won't hurt, but what I and all the other runners didn't know was the first km was downhill and the second was returning back up the same hill - an absolute killer and so cruel!

All said and done, really pleased I took part in the historic event and now a very happy owner of a unique medal, T-shirt, sore legs and even more painful back!

See you all soon - when I can walk and run again.

Oh, if anybody is thinking of competing in the normal Stockholm Marathon in June, I would highly recommend, because the organisation of the event was second to none, support was fantastic and facilities were really clean (even the portaloos around the course had loo paper and were very clean). The normal marathon is much flatter and I was told, is really good for PBs.

Saturday 14th July – Swanage Half Marathon

1:35:41	Roger Teasdale	PB
1:51:31	Ian Hitching	
1:57:03	John Cowley	
1:58:21	Ali Cundick	

Sunday 1st July – Portland 10

1:24:12	John Cowley
1:27:53	Ian Hitching
1:33:41	Christine Willis

Thursday 28th June – John Deacon Handicap

Position	Name	Real Time	+ or –
1.	Lisa Graves	64.56	-5.04
2.	Spencer Mogridge	44.32	-3.58
3.	Angie Potter	54.40	-3.30
4.	Keith Jones	49.39	-2.36
5.	Neil Cranidge	47.07	-2.13
6.	Reece Ingram	43.09	-2.06
7.	Daniel Simmonds	50.24	-2.01
8.	Andrew Berry	58.10	-2.00
9.	Mick Cox	66.05	-1.55
10.	Christine Willis	59.14	-1.36
11.	John Cowley	53.07	-1.18
12.	Rachel Baker	50.29	-1.11
13.	Scott Pound	43.26	-1.09
14.	Nick Berry	42.39	-0.36
15.	Ian Pollard	42.05	-0.25
16.	Stuart Read	48.30	-0.05
17.	Trevor Keep	44.27	+0.07
18.	Dave Wood	64.48	+0.23
19.	Ali Cundick	57.22	+0.27
20.	James Meiklejohn	50.33	+0.48
21.	Sara Cross	58.16	+0.56
22.	Natalie Perrett	60.17	+1.12
23.	Graham Smith	47.23	+3.53

Sunday 24th June – Purbeck Plod

Matt Clayton and Ginny Willey completed the 25 mile Plod in 5hrs 33 mins. The coastal path was very muddy and slippery and they were baked by the sun on the way back over the ridges to Swanage.

Sunday 24th June – Blandford Bridges 10km

0:35:21	Matt Giles	1st
0:39:27	Scott Pound	
0:42:47	Trevor Keep	
0:43:05	Justin Perry	

0:44:32	Neil Cranidge	
0:45:20	Stuart Read	
0:45:44	James Meiklejohn	
0:46:21	Carlos Blanco	
0:47:00	Rachel Baker	1st FV45
0:47:12	Dan Simmonds	
0:49:46	John Cowley	
0:51:59	Suzanna Baker	
0:52:18	Jonathan Sterck	
0:53:31	Angie Potter	
0:55:53	Jenny Farthing	3rd FV55
0:55:58	Sandra Hamilton	
0:56:29	Christine Willis	
0:57:04	Ian Sherwood	
0:57:28	Anne Newlin	
0:59:16	Dave Wood	
0:01:03	Mick Cox	
1:04:51	Phil Easton	

Sunday 24th June – Torbay Half Marathon

1:37:08	Michael Peters
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Thursday 21st June – Forde Abbey 10km

Due to problems with signage, many runners inadvertently took a fairly substantial short cut. For this reason the times shown may not accurately reflect the runners' true pace or fair finishing position.

0:43:14	Ian Pollard
0:43:17	Spencer Mogridge
0:47:22	James Meiklejohn
0:47:55	Lynda Faulkner
0:48:08	Stuart Read
0:48:21	Jack Mogridge
0:48:26	Neil Cranidge
0:54:19	Matt Clayton
0:54:57	Rachel Baker
0:55:13	Dan Simmonds
0:56:26	Marty Vivian
1:01:34	John Cowley
1:12:28	Christine Willis
DNF	Pat Clayton

Sunday 17th June – Puddletown Plod 20km

1:25:36	Scott Pound
1:46:43	Ian Hitching

Sunday 3rd June – Comrades Marathon

56 miles from Pietermaritzburg to Durban In South Africa

10:53:54	Jenny Fuller
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Thursday 31st May - Suzy Vivian Hill Climb

Handicapped Mile Race up Okeford Hill

1st	Jack Mogridge (start position 10th)
2nd	Natalie Perret (start position 4th)
3rd	Brad Stringer (start position 13th)

Most overtakes up the hill

1st= Brad and Jack +10 overtakes

3rd James Meiklejohn +5 overtakes (James takes the prize on the standard Doddler "Only one prize each" rule!)

Straight Race Back Down the Hill

1st James Rielly

2nd Nick Berry

3rd Shamsul Wahab

Overall Result - Combined Points from each race (in the event of equal points total, overall positions were decided on the downhill unhandicapped race)

1st Brad Srtringer (winner of the Trophy if he joins the Doddlers!!)

2 James Meiklejohn

3 John Cowley

4 Jack Mogridge

5 James Rielly

6 Shamsul Wahab

7 Martin Lawson

8 Neil Cranidge

9 Nick Berry

10 Ian Pollard

11 Graham Smith

12 Roger Teasdale

13 Dan Simmonds

14 Spencer Mogridge

15 Nattalie Perrett

16 Sandra Hamilton

17 Richard Fordham

18 Sara Cross

19 Claire Dixon

20 Jane Feather

Sunday 27th May – Edinburgh Marathon

Just got back from a lovely sunny weekend in Edinburgh which made for a wonderful family break but not ideal running conditions. Managed to shave 6 minutes off my PB finishing in 03:38:36. In the right conditions this is definitely a course for those seeking a fast time and although only the first few miles are in the city, it is a scenic course following the promenade along the river out of town and then back on the road to Musselborough at the finish.

Kind Regards, Steve Page

Sunday 27th May – Poole Festival of Running 10km

0:43:26 Roger Teasdale

0:45:22 Michael Peters

0:46:28 James Shepard

0:49:31 Ian Hitching (don't forget he finished the 5km only a couple of hours earlier)

0:51:20 John Cowley

0:53:35 Joan Royal (first FV70, naturally)

A lovely day, however perhaps a little too hot for racing, many runners were struggling in the heat. There was a lot of support in the park and around the route and a fantastic atmosphere all round.

Sunday 27th May – Poole Festival of Running 5km

0:22:59 Ian Hitching

0:26:44 Anne Newlin
0:29:54 Lindsey Shannon

Sunday 20th May – Wessex Ridgeway Relay

This is a hilly cross-country relay race right across Dorset from Tollard Royal to Uplyme. The 100km course is split into 12 roughly equal legs, and teams can have up to 6 members. We entered four Doddler teams this year, and each of our runners ran two legs, with several hours rest in between.

The exception was Craig Dixon, who set off at 4 in the morning and ran the whole lot in one go, in 14:40:00. Impressive, if a little mad.

And Richard Fordham, Dawne Pearson and Jane Feather finished in 12:36:08, as part of a team called “Whose idea was this?”.

Our four Doddler teams finished first, third, seventh and 14th out of a total entry of 22 teams.

8:16:37 Dorset Doodlers A: Graham Smith (captain), Nick Berry, Ben King, Ian Matthews, Scott Pound, James Rielly

9:45:02 Dorset Doodlers B: Stuart Read (captain), Ashley Baker, Matt Clayton, Neil Cranidge, James Shepard, Shamsul Wahab

9:57:27 Doodlers Ladies: Rachel Baker (captain), Lerryn Chaffey, Lynda Faulkner, Rachel Harrison, Justine Kingsbury, Ginny Willey

11:04:00 Dorset Doodlers C: John Cowley (captain), Denise Bennett, Sandra Hamilton, Damian Patterson, Justin Perry, Christine Willis

There are some stories to be told about navigational blunders, injuries, feats of eating, and so on; but I've been bribed to keep quiet about them.

See www.gillinghamtrotters.talktalk.net/wessexres2012.htm for more detailed results.

Wednesday 16th May – Purbeck 10k

0:40:05 Spencer Mogridge

0:40:25 Graham Smith

0:41:56 Steve Page

0:41:58 Roger Teasdale

0:42:01 Lerryn Chaffey

0:43:35 Mike Peters

0:45:15 Neil Cranidge

0:49:15 Ian Hitching

0:50:15 John Cowley

0:54:07 Sandra Hamilton

And Spencer's nephew, Bradley Stranger, did it in 41:56. Not bad for a 15-year-old.

Saturday 12th May – Marlborough Downs Challenge

Craig Dixon reports “On Saturday I ran The Marlborough Downs challenge: 33 miles off-road across stunning countryside. Claire spent the day driving around meeting me at various checkpoints. I finished in 5 hours 28 min which included a 5 minute wait to cross a canal as two barges came through.”

Monday 7th May – RelayGB

Trevor Keep and Jenny Farthing have completed their legs of RelayGB.

Jenny did Dorchester to Lyme Regis in 4hrs 50mins - with a 5am start!

Trevor did Taunton to Glastonbury - in the dead of night - in 3.45hrs.

Trevor says “Neither legs were official marathon distance; I think each of ours was just over - not sure whether that makes us Ultra runners now, but I won't offend those that are by claiming so.”

Sunday 6th May – North Dorset Village Marathon

3:19:05 Craig Dixon
3:23:20 Scott Pound
3:41:02 Shamsul Wahab
3:45:24 Rachel Baker
3:49:03 Gavin Green
3:50:21 Roger Teasdale
4:01:38 Ian Hitching
4:27:10 Matt Clayton
4:27:10 Dan Simmonds
5:01:58 Angie Potter
5:17:41 Mark Freeman

Sunday 29th April - Woody's 8

Andy Goodman completed the Woody's 8 (ish) in 1 hour 41 minutes. It's a self navigating multi-terrain event from Umborne in South Devon.

Sunday 22nd April – London Marathon

3:23:40 Lerryn Chaffey
3:46:37 James Shepard
4:00:44 Adam Carter (running for North Dorset Tri Club)
4:06:57 Neil Cranidge
4:21:00 John Cowley
4:26:44 Christine Willis
4:28:57 Ian Hitching
4:34:26 Sandra Hamilton
4:36:47 Ron Curtis
5:14:55 Mark Freeman

Sunday 15th April – Pen Selwood Tough 10km

0:51:14 Angie Potter 3rd lady
0:51:52 John Cowley
1:03:41 Peter Cerely

Sunday 15th April – Brighton Marathon

3:35:12 Stuart Read (PB)
4:42:29 Kathie Child (carrying IT band injury)

"A great alternative to London. A good day but strong breeze with some long inclines. Great crowds and support apart from miles 21 to 23 through the dock area, just when you needed the support! None the less would recommend it to all the Doodlers for next year." Stuart

Sunday 15th April – Msaada 6

Ian reports. Four Doodlers ran the inaugural Msaada 6 mile multi-terrain run held at St Mary's School, Shaftesbury. In beautiful sunshine, the course took in both the landscaped grounds of the school and the surrounding fields and woodland tracks, producing an enjoyable, scenic route with plenty of cross-country variety - highly recommendable for next year! There was only a small field of runners and our Doodler quartet were the first 4 runners home (no official times recorded):

38:55 Ian Pollard (1st)
c40mins Ian Matthews
c44mins Denise Bennett (1st lady)
46mins Shamsul Wahab

Msaada is a Gillingham based charity which aims to help the people of Rwanda recover from the horrific 1994 genocide and to rebuild their lives in a meaningful way.

Thursday 12th April – Broad Oak Hilly

The rain kept away for our 4-mile hill race, immaculately administered by Kathie Child and family.

0:24:14	James Rielly
0:25:55	Ian Pollard
0:26:30	Ian Matthews
0:26:49	Graham Smith
0:27:52	Lerryn Chaffey
0:28:23	Craig Dixon
0:28:42	Gavin Green
0:28:58	James Meiklejohn (not joined yet)
0:29:05	Denise Bennett
0:29:23	Nikki Brooks (former Dodder, visiting from New Zealand)
0:29:33	Dan Simmonds
0:30:08	Shamsul Wahab
0:30:23	James Shepard
0:31:21	Matt Clayton
0:32:20	Angie Potter
0:33:01	John Cowley
0:33:42	Martin Lawson
0:43:27	Ron Curtis
0:36:25	Natalie Perrett
0:36:30	Jenny Farthing
0:40:10	Jane Feather

Wednesday 11th April – Yeovilton 5km

0:19:41	Lynda Faulkner
0:21:37	Neil Cranidge
0:23:01	John Cowley
0:23:29	Angie Potter
0:25:06	Christine Willis

Saturday 7th April – Compton 40

Craig Dixon writes. "On Saturday I ran the Compton 40 near Newbury. Figure of 8 course with lots of runners in the first half unfortunately most of them were doing the 20 mile option. Second half was a lot quieter and ran most of the second 20 alone. Lots of checkpoints and a well organised race. Finished in 6 hrs 42 mins (30/110). Approx 220 finishers on 20 mile course. Neon orange t shirt, creme egg and sausage, chips and beans made it all worth it at the finish."

Saturday 7th April - Charlottesville Half Marathon

Roger Teasdale tells us of his latest result from his trip to the States.

"This morning I took part in the Charlottesville Half Marathon, completing it in a time of 1hr 39m 37s which is a PB. It was an early start at 0630 and was a little chilly at first. The course was all on road but there were a few tough climbs in the out-and-back route. There was some fantastic scenery and the race was well organised and supported by the enthusiastic locals."

Friday 6th April – Kilmington Kanter

Andy Goodman participated in the inaugural running of this 7 mile multi-terrain event in Kilmington, East Devon. His time was 1:02:18. How does he discover these little-known races?

Sunday 1st April – Washington DC Cherry Blossom 10

Roger Teasdale reports from the USA. Excellent race conditions, the organisers called it 'no excuse weather'. It was a lovely course taking in many of the sights and attractions of the city. I ran the 10 miles in 1hr 14m 59. I'm not sure but I think I may have been the only Doddlor out of a field of about 16,000.

Sunday 1st April – Bournemouth Bay Half Marathon

1:34:00	Spencer Mogridge
1:46:40	Justin Perry
1:48:46	Ian Hitching
1:56:53	Joan Royal
1:57:54	Jenny Farthing

Sunday 25th March - Yeovil Half Marathon

1.33.42	Steve Page PB
1.36.29	Neil Cranidge PB
1.51.25	Ian Hitching
2.23.42	Peter Cerely

Steve says the weather was fantastic and the 9am start meant that running conditions were not too hot. Very good support for the runners all the way round.

Saturday 24th March – The Nightrunner

On Saturday evening Andy Goodman completed the Nightrunner in 1:19:17. It's a 7 mile multi-terrain event run in the dark and organised by Axe Valley Runners.

Sunday 11th March – New Forest Festival of Running Half Marathon

2:17:37	Jenny Farthing
2:22:06	Sara Cross

Sara writes. Nothing mind boggling like the grizzly but for me it was a real challenge. Particularly as I thought I was off to run a nice 10km and got there to find it was the day before so they put me in the half marathon. The last time I had done such a length was in 1988 the Minehead 1/2. Since then three Stickler races. There was not enough water and I would never have finished it if I hadn't been running the last miles with an Army officer and his girlfriend, who he was pacing for training in the London Marathon. They gave me some Lucozade and a disgusting energy jelly. I noticed there were lots of complaints about the water situation. They had run out at the 2nd station and I wasted minutes trying to scoop some out of the bottom of the bath then drank too much at the next station and sounded like a hot water bottle. It was a definite challenge and a personal best in distance, as the Army Officer with his gadget said it was 14 miles and his girlfriend and I had done the 13 miles in 2 hrs 12mins. As far as I know I have never run over 13 miles in my life.

Sunday 11th March – Great Western 10km

4 Daddlers turned out for this local multi-terrain race in its 2nd year at the new venue of Leweston School. A smallish turnout of 100+ runners due to a busy race weekend elsewhere (you're not kidding!).

0:42:43	Nick Berry	2nd overall
0:46:19	Steve Page	1st MV40
1:01:41	Andrew Berry	
1:01:58	Joan Royal	1st FV65

Sunday 11th March – New Forest Marathon

Ginny Willey took part in this LDWA off road navigation event. Not a race but 4hrs 50mins off fun running.

Sunday 11th March – Grizzly

3:09:01	Lynda Faulkner	5th lady, 2nd FV45
3:17:10	Craig Dixon	
3:26:08	Rachel Baker	
3:28:49	Gavin Green	
3:37:22	Stuart Read	
3:42:39	Neil Cranidge	
4:10:25	Justine Kingsbury	
4:10:27	Rachel Harrison	
4:17:28	Matt Clayton	
4:22:12	John Cowley	
4:31:34	Andy Goodman	
4:34:03	Christine Willis	
4:55:28	Nick Jefferson	

Sunday 11th March – Grizzly Cub

1:32:20	Angie Potter	3rd FV50
1:52:49	Pat Clayton	

Sunday 11th March – Zoom Mad March 20

2:31:01	Lerryn Chaffey
2:47:59	James Shepard
2:53:23	Roger Teasdale
3:00:12	Ian Hitching
3:09:03	Sandra Sanders
3:10:42	Ron Curtis
3:33:09	Mark Freeman

Saturday 3rd March – Poole parkrun 5km

Craig Dixon was 36th in a time of 18:43 PB in his first parkrun

Roger Teasdale was 65th in a time of 20:41 PB in his second parkrun

Ian Hitching was 198th in a time of 27:33 in his 30th parkrun

Good conditions if a little breezy in places but it's generally a flat fast course. The winner came in at 15:24!

Sunday 26th February – The Terminator

11.5 miles of hilly, multi-terrain fun at Pewsey in Wiltshire. But was there enough mud this year?

1:50:52	James Shepard
1:57:18	Keith Harrison
2:02:16	Ron Curtis
2:03:59	Rachel Harrison
2:11:57	Richard Fordham

Sunday 26th February – Heartbreak Marathon

Ginny Willey was 2nd lady and 14th overall in 3hrs 42 mins in the marathon section of the Heartbreak Running Festival in the New Forest, starting and finishing at Sandy Balls Holiday Centre. The marathon course consisted of 3 laps of the Forestman triathlon run course with an extra climb and 27 miles in total.

Sunday 19th February – Drover's Revenge

1:01:25	Craig Dixon	
1:02:19	Scott Pound	
1:07:01	Ginny Willey	3d woman
1:07:51	Stuart Read	
1:07:57	Shamsul Wahab	

1:08:43	Rachel Baker	1st FV40
1:11:10	Neil Cranidge	
1:12:17	Matt Clayton	
1:23:12	Martin Lawson	
1:24:15	Chris Beck	

This is a new race, from Broad Chalke. It's an 8.5 mile multi-terrain affair, with two big hills in the first three miles and some serious wetness to go with the mud. Ginny and Rachel got Norwegian cowbells and technical shirts as prizes.

Sunday 19th February – Lytchett Manor 10

1:07:28	Graham Smith	3rd MV55
1:13:04	Gavin Green	
1:13:33	Roger Teasdale	
1:23:37	Ian Hitching	
1:24:49	John Cowley	
1:25:18	Mark Freeman	
1:26:42	Sandra Sanders	
1:27:43	Joan Royal	2nd FV60
1:29:22	Dave Rivett	
1:33:25	Christine Willis	

Sunday 12th February – Inca Trail

Ian Pollard came 8th out of a field of 49 in a time of 52mins 12 secs at YTRRC's Inca Trail race, which made him the 2nd V50.

Ian says it was another good morning for racing/running, weather fine and not too cold. The 7.5 mile off road course follows the droves and tracks across the Somerset Levels with a 'knoll' hill climb at the mid point. Some of the route was still frozen but mostly just thawed to make it muddy on top.

Sunday 5th February – Blackmore Vale Half Marathon

Pretty much ideal weather conditions (for mid-winter anyway).

1:27:54	Nick Berry
1:28:18	Ian Pollard
1:30:55	Scott Pound
1:31:10	Lerryn Chaffey
1:34:32	Steve Page
1:35:38	Spencer Mogridge
1:38:44	Gavin Green
1:40:27	Stuart Read
1:40:28	Neil Cranidge
1:40:48	Roger Teasdale
1:40:54	Rachel Baker
1:41:00	Shamsul Wahab
1:45:51	James Shepard
1:54:11	Ron Curtis
1:55:38	John Cowley
1:55:48	Jenny Fuller
1:56:00	Sandra Sanders
1:56:46	Angie Potter
1:58:10	Dave Rivett
1:58:47	Ian Hitching
2:07:06	Christine Willis

Sunday 29th January – Johnson Crane Half Marathon

Peter Fuller writes from South Africa.

Today, I completed my comeback race. Although still fat and overweight, I entered and completed my first race in nearly 2 years. This was the Johnson Crane (lifting machine not wading bird) 1/2 marathon at Benoni. Benoni is about 30k east of Johannesburg. The event comprised of a marathon (not up to that yet), a 1/2 marathon and 10k. There must have been in excess of 5000 entries in total. The race was reasonably flat although a gradual up hill for the last 4k. The event was incredibly well organised and cost £6:50 which included my day license. My time, probably a PW, was 2:15:30.

My knees are holding up and the training is going well. I am being sensible and not cranking up the mileage too much.

Trust everyone is training hard and getting stuck into the racing season.

Peter.

Sunday 22nd January - Any Which Way You Can

Andy Goodman writes as follows. Today, Sun 22 Jan, I completed "Any Which Way You Can" in 3 hrs 13 mins. I was quite pleased to finish less than half way down the field of 88. Everybody that I saw enjoyed themselves, and the three pounds entry included a full size local pasty (meat or veggie) and a bottomless tea pot. There was also a table groaning under the weight of homemade cakes, yours for a donation.

Sunday 15th January – Winter Tanners 30

Craig Dixon ran the Winter Tanners 30 mile which follows the North Downs Way in Surrey. This is an event organised by the Long Distance Walkers Association, although running is allowed. It was cold and hilly with a brilliant checkpoint that included Jaffa cakes, fig rolls, jelly babies and tea...not bad for £5. He finished in 4 hours 50 minutes.

Sunday 8th January – Milborne 10

1:06:08	Scott Pound
1:06:23	Ian Pollard
1:07:55	Graham Smith
1:08:56	Lerryn Chaffey
1:10:46	Spencer Mogridge
1:13:01	Stuart Read
1:14:23	Roger Teasdale
1:15:04	Rachel Baker
1:15:04	Neil Cranidge
1:15:55	Shamsul Wahab
1:19:54	Matt Clayton
1:21:17	Ian Hitching
1:21:30	Rachel Harrison
1:21:41	John Cowley
1:23:35	Angie Potter
1:24:28	Ron Curtis
1:29:15	Sandra Sanders
1:33:24	Mark Freeman
1:53:15	Dawne Pearson

Monday 2nd January – The Junction Quarter Marathon

This is the new name for the Broadstone Quarter.

0:43:32	Scott Pound
0:48:59	Roger Teasdale
0:52:21	Ian Hitching
0:54:52	John Cowley
0:58:07	Sandra Sanders
1:03:39	Mark Freeman