

INTEResting – 15 Jun 2022

Hi,

Fast and furious at tonight's Longniddry Sprintelope, with only a handful of seconds separating the top runners on both courses...

News and Results

- Congratulations to **Keith Dawson** on being elected as the new **Chair of Scottish Orienteering**, joining fellow Interloper Ben Hartman (Treasurer) on the Board of Directors
- The **Scottish Long Distance Championships** took place in **Glen Dye**, with great terrain and a challenging 'over the hill or round the side' route choice on the longer courses. Congratulations to Laurence Ward (2nd, M16A), William Ivory (5th, M50L), **Ben Hartman** (1st, M50S), Andy Kitchin (3rd, M55L), Colin Eades (5th, M55L), Graeme Ackland (3rd, M60L), Laura Kitchin (2nd, W10A), **Lucy Ward** (1st, W12A), Lorna Eades (3rd, W50L), Ann Haley (4th, W55L), Jane Ackland (6th, W55L)
- **Scottish Relays at Sluie Woods** – well done to Interlopers2 (6th, Age-class 17+ points, Fiona Eades / Ann Haley / Max Carcas), Interlopers 5 (2nd, Age-class 20+ points, Lucy Ward / Lorna Eades / Colin Eades),
- **Scottish Schools Orienteering Festival** – well done to all club members who took part in this at Scone Palace, including Lucy Ward (1st, S1 Girls), Matthew Hartman (2nd, S1 Boys), Ben Ross (2nd, S2 Boys), Freya Mowbray (3rd, S2 Girls), Bethan Kitchin (8th, S2 Girls), Laurence Ward (3rd, S3 Boys). Apologies if I've missed any top-half results here – it's all listed by school not club of course!
- **ELO Barns Ness** – well done to the following on the green course: Graeme Ross (3rd), Matthew Ross (4th), Mary Ross (6th), Ben Ross (9th), Pat Bartlett (10th); on orange Sue Twissell (3rd) and Isaac Murdoch (6th),
- **Almond Park** – good runs from Max Carcas (2nd, green) and Colin Inverarity (2nd, orange)
- **British Sprint Champs** – well done to Sasha Chepelin (8th, Mens Open A final), Matthew Leitch (2nd, Mens Open B final), Paul Caban (15th, M55A), Graeme Ackland (8th, M60A), Pat Squire (5th, M75A), Fiona Eades (4th, W18A), Mairi Eades (12th, W Open A), Lorna Eades (4th, W55A), Jane Ackland (15th, W55A)
- **British Sprint Relay Champs** – in the AdHoc category, INT4 (Matthew Leitch, Jane Carcas, Pat Squire) were 7th, in Elite, INT1 (Pippa Carcas, James Ackland, Ben Stevens, Fiona Eades) were 5th, in the SuperVets, INT2 (Graeme Ackland, Jane Ackland, Paul Caban) were 2nd, and INT3 (David Eades, Lorna Eades, Max Carcas) put up a good time, albeit non-competitive
- We've had almost 2 months of **Sprintelopes** now. Results so far up on the [Munro Leagues](#) site. There's a trip across the bridge to Fife next week for KFO's Dunfermline Sprintelope. Latest Sprintelope news on the [Facebook page](#) as always
- Our proposed autumn events list is out – we are looking for planners and organisers for these. Don't be shy!

Forthcoming Events

A little quieter than last month, but still plenty going on, especially Sprintelopes every Wednesday evening...

- [ESOC Blackford Hill local event](#), Saturday 18th June (some maps still available at RaceSignUp)
- Jamie Stevenson Trophy incorporating Scottish Junior Cup Round 1, Sunday 19th June
- [Dunfermline Sprintelope](#) (KFO), Wednesday 22nd June

- [ELO Winton Hill Local Event](#), Saturday 25th June
- [Astley Ainslie Sprintelope](#) (ESOC), Wednesday 29th June
- [Buckstone Sprintelope](#) (INT), Wednesday 6th July (exact location TBC)
- [Exchange / West End / Dean Village Sprintelope](#) (ESOC), Wednesday 13th July
- [Morningside Sprintelope](#) (INT), Wednesday 20th July
- [Saughton Park Local Event](#) (ESOC) Saturday 16th July

Enjoy those long evenings,

William