

## MANCHESTER HARRIERS & A.C. FIXTURES – 2020/2021

**TRAINING:** track training sessions at both Wythenshawe & Sportcity are up and running – **with restrictions!** Members **must** contact their coach before attending – please don't just turn up. WYTHENSHAW – Tuesday & Thursday 6pm to 7pm; SPORTCITY – Monday & Wednesday 7:30pm to 9pm.

**COMPETITIONS:** cancelled events are marked with a (C), postponed events with a (P), and some re-scheduled events with an (R). The fixture list continues so we will be prepared when life gets back to normal!

The listing below is given as a guide to what's on/or was on – it is a **provisional list** and you should **check dates & venues**. If an entry has a blue background it's an event the Club was/is committed to competing in, organising or assisting. Other events are included as they have been recommended by a member or we have (or had) members competing. For more details contact: Debbie Beresford 07977 203478, Brenda Bradshaw 0161-796 6310, Lindsey Farrelly 07717 177609, Ed Fazakerley 0161-431 0059, David Gregory 0161-439 4884, George Lawson 0161-485 2261, Andrew Parsonage 07504 407360, Kes Salmon 07377 719394 or Carl Summers 0161-718 6557. If they can't help they will re-direct you.

OCTOBER 2020	
SAT 3 (C)	PRIMARY SCHOOLS CROSS COUNTRY LEAGUE – <i>EVENT TWO</i> - Wythenshawe Park – <b>CANCELLED</b>
SUN 4 <i>elite runners only or a Virtual race</i>	2020 LONDON MARATHON – <b>NEW DATE FOLLOWING POSTPONEMENT – IT'S FOR ELITE RUNNERS ONLY BUT THERE IS A VIRTUAL EVENT FOR THOSE WHO ENTERED THIS YEAR</b> (see London Marathon website for details). All runners entered this year may defer their place to a future London Marathon in 2021, 2022 or 2023.
SAT 10 (C)	MANCHESTER AREA CROSS COUNTRY LEAGUE - <i>MATCH ONE</i> – <b>OCTOBER DATE CANCELLED. REMAINING DATES SUBJECT TO GUIDELINES CURRENTLY BEING FINALISED.</b>
SUN 11 (C)	MANCHESTER MARATHON – <i>original date - Sunday 5 April; re-scheduled for 11 October</i> – <b>NOW CANCELLED</b>
NOVEMBER 2020	
SAT 7 <i>tbc</i>	MANCHESTER AREA CROSS COUNTRY LEAGUE - <i>MATCH TWO</i> – <b>SUBJECT TO CORONA VIRUS SITUATION</b>
SAT 14 (C)	PRIMARY SCHOOLS CROSS COUNTRY LEAGUE – <i>EVENT THREE</i> - Wythenshawe Park – <b>CANCELLED</b>
DECEMBER 2020	
SAT 5 <i>tbc</i>	MANCHESTER AREA CROSS COUNTRY LEAGUE - <i>MATCH THREE</i> – <b>SUBJECT TO CORONA VIRUS SITUATION</b>
SUN 20 <i>(Subject to covid-19 situation)</i>	CHRISTMAS HANDICAP – WYTHENSHAW PARK – JUNIORS 10 AM; SENIORS FOLLOW ON. <b>IF POSSIBLE</b> we'll have the usual PRESENTATIONS at the <b>CHEADLE SOCIAL CLUB</b> , ASHFIELD CRESENT (off Ashfield Road) <b>CHEADLE SK8 1BQ</b> where there's a large car park on Massie St next door to the Social Club – free on Sunday).
<i>continued overleaf.....</i>	

<i>Fixtures continued.....</i>	
<b>JANUARY 2021</b>	
SAT 16 <i>tbc</i>	<b>MANCHESTER AREA CROSS COUNTRY LEAGUE - MATCH FOUR – SUBJECT TO CORONA VIRUS SITUATION</b>
SAT 23 <i>cancelled, but.....!</i>	<b>PRIMARY SCHOOLS CROSS COUNTRY LEAGUE – EVENT FOUR - Wythenshawe Park – THE 2020/21 LEAGUE IS CANCELLED BUT WE WILL TRY TO PUT ON A FRIENDLY MATCH IF POSSIBLE.</b>
<b>FEBRUARY 2021</b>	
SAT 13 <i>tbc</i>	<b>MANCHESTER AREA CROSS COUNTRY LEAGUE - MATCH FIVE – SUBJECT TO CORONA VIRUS SITUATION</b>
<b>MARCH 2021</b>	
SAT 8 <i>cancelled, but.....!</i>	<b>PRIMARY SCHOOLS CROSS COUNTRY LEAGUE – EVENT FIVE - Wythenshawe Park – THE 2020/21 LEAGUE IS CANCELLED BUT WE WILL TRY TO PUT ON A FRIENDLY MATCH IF POSSIBLE.</b>
SAT 20 <i>cancelled, but.....!</i>	<b>PRIMARY SCHOOLS CROSS COUNTRY LEAGUE – RELAYS &amp; PRESENTATIONS - Wythenshawe Park – THE 2020/21 LEAGUE IS CANCELLED BUT WE WILL TRY TO PUT THE RELAYS ON IF POSSIBLE.</b>
SUN 21	<b>WILMSLOW HALF MARATHON – 10:30 – NEW DATE FOLLOWING POSTPONEMENT of 15 Mar 2020 &amp; RE-SCHEDULING on 11 Oct 2020</b>
<b>APRIL 2021</b>	
FRI 2	<b>SALFORD 10K – 10 am - Salford Sports Village, Lower Kersal, Salford NEW DATE FOLLOWING TWO POSTPONEMENTS (original date – Friday 10 April; second date 2 November)</b>
<b>OCTOBER 2021</b>	
SUN 3	<b>2021 LONDON MARATHON - entries from 2020 may be carried over.</b>
<p><b>WHEN WE GET BACK TO NORMAL, PLEASE CONTACT A COMMITTEE MEMBER IF YOU CAN HELP WITH <u>ANYTHING</u> !</b></p>	
<p><b>PLEASE USE THE WEBSITE <a href="http://www.manchesterharriers.co.uk">www.manchesterharriers.co.uk</a></b></p> <p>You'll find updates, news, photos, results and lots more. If you have any ideas for improvements or you have something you want included, corrected or changed, we would like to hear from you.</p> <p><b><i>We can alert you to new updates by email – just go to the website to subscribe.</i></b></p>	

**TWENTY-FIVE CLUB**

***MARCH & JULY 2020 DRAWS SUSPENDED.***

***MEMBERSHIPS WILL BE CARRIED FORWARD TO NOVEMBER***

***PLEASE support the Club - it's only £12 PER YEAR  
and you get THREE chances to win £25, £15 or £10  
with draws in March, July & November.***

***THE MORE MEMBERS JOIN,  
THE MORE MONEY TO THE CLUB  
AND TO THE WINNERS***

Up to 25 members the draw is for £25, £15 & £10, but for every 10 tickets sold above 25, an additional £20 goes to the Club and to the winning members. Contact Brenda - email [arnoldbradshaw@btinternet.com](mailto:arnoldbradshaw@btinternet.com).

***DRAW 38 (NOV 2019) TOOK PLACE AT THE OFFICES OF COLGATE-  
PALMOLIVE'S DENTAL HEALTH UNIT (DHU)***

***WINNERS: FIRST – BRENDA BRADSHAW;***

***SECOND – JOAN BENNION; THIRD – JEAN SKITT***

***The list and tickets were first checked and verified by two members  
of Colgate-Palmolive's Dental Health Unit.***

***The draw had 24 tickets purchased by 14 members and raised £46 for  
club funds. With thanks to the members who support the 25 Club.***

***THE MARCH 2020 & JULY 2020 DRAWS HAVE  
BEEN SUSPENDED – THE NEXT DRAW WILL  
(HOPEFULLY) TAKE PLACE AT THE END OF  
NOVEMBER 2020***

***2020 MEMBERSHIP RENEWALS WERE DUE ON THE 1<sup>ST</sup> JANUARY.***

***Reminders have been sent out. If you have any queries please***

***contact Brenda (Membership Secretary) at***

***[arnoldbradshaw@btinternet.com](mailto:arnoldbradshaw@btinternet.com)***

***The Club did operate normally at the beginning of the year, we still  
have to pay members' England Athletics fees and we have to be  
prepared to carry on as usual as soon as the current emergency is  
over! All of which means we do need members to pay their  
membership fees – please.***

## **2020 SENIOR ROAD RACE CHAMPIONSHIP FORMAT CHANGES DUE TO COVID-19**

The following distances are included:

5K x3 **plus 1** to compensate for the loss of the Sizzlers,

5M x1, 10K x3, 10 Miles x2,

Half Marathon x2 **plus 1** to compensate for the loss of Wilmslow,  
Marathon x2

**No named events due to corona virus.**

To qualify, you *must*: complete a minimum of five races; the races must be recognised, licenced events; they must be rated as "Road" races. The five races can be any combination, for instance if you've done two marathons and three 10Ks you've done enough to qualify. We will pick up results from Power of Ten so you don't need to tell us you've done them but you do need to tell us if you know a race isn't recorded by PoT - we'll need the race name, the date, your time, the winner's time and how many finished. The Championship runs throughout the year - 1<sup>st</sup> January to 31<sup>st</sup> December. Here's an example of how the points work: If you compete in 7 races and your positions within the Club are 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup> - your best five positions, i.e. 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> would be added to give a total of 9. The member with the lowest number of points wins. If you do more than the stated number of races, i.e. three 10 Milers, we'll use your best two times. If there is any doubt as to whether or not a race should be included, it will be discussed by the Committee and their decision will be final. *Awards to: first Senior Man [aged 17 or over - including Veterans, i.e. if a veteran is first overall, he will be declared Senior Mens Road Champion]; first Man Over 40, Over 45, Over 50, Over 55, Over 60; first Senior Woman [aged 17 or over - including Veterans, i.e. if a veteran is first overall, she will be declared Senior Womens Road Champion]; first Woman Over 35, Over 40, Over 45, Over 50, Over 55, Over 60. In the happy event that we get a good increase in the number of members completing the championship, the number of awards will be increased.*

*Please send your results to Brenda ... by telephone: 0161-796 6310  
or write to Brenda at: 12 Heaton Drive, Hollins Village, Bury BL9 8BQ  
or e-mail Brenda c/o: [arnoldbradshaw@btinternet.com](mailto:arnoldbradshaw@btinternet.com).*

## **2018 CHAMPIONS**

**ED FAZAKERLEY & WENDY WOODHEAD**

*2019 SENIOR ROAD RACE CHAMPIONSHIP RESULTS  
WILL BE ANNOUNCED WHEN NORMALITY IS RESUMED!*

*Please contact Brenda at [arnoldbradshaw@btinternet.com](mailto:arnoldbradshaw@btinternet.com)  
with additions or corrections to the fixtures  
or telephone Brenda on 0161-796 6310.*