

The Lincolnshire Challenge Shield.....

The Lincolnshire Challenge Shield and Poacher event took place on World Orienteering Day last week. Thanks to Ollie and Megan for planning the many courses needed.

Long story short.....WE WON the Challenge Shield, beating LOG for the first time in three years. Rather fitting as it's our anniversary year. Well done to all HALO runners, especially those in point scoring positions.

Tomorrow night we are back Poaching at Normanby Park South, where Helena is the planner. Starts are from 6pm or earlier, full details are on the HALO website.

Wetherby.....

CLARO said they would offer something different for the Wetherby Urban on Sunday and didn't dissapoint. The dissused railway tracks running through the middle of the town, with bridges spanning deep railway cuttings, made for great control sites.

Lots of HALO runners attended, so top finishers only, Emma Van Dam 5th WJ, Megan Smith 14th WO, Helena Crutchley 7th WV, Dorothy Smith 9th WUV. George Van Dam 2nd MJ, Paul Van Dam 14th MV, Brian Ward 2nd MSV, Pete Shew 13th MUV.

York.....

The annual York Urban event took place yesterday. Many HALO runners did both the CLARO and EBOR events this weekend with George, Brian and Pete getting identical results for the two races. Other results were, Brian Hostad 14th MV, Danny Chan 20th MV. Pete Harris19th MSV, Ken Hutson 23rd MUV and Helen Chan 8th WV. Special mentions to Wayne Byrne and Stuart Whittingham, who finished 2nd and 9th OB.

World Orienteering Cup.....

Whilst we were thrashing the opposition last Wednesday, Charlotte Ward was doing the same with Team GB. She competed in the Mixed Sprint Relay at Turku in Finland, where her team finished 10th.

Events Coming Up.....

Wednesday 31st May, **HALO** - Lincolnshire Poacher 8 Normanby Park South Sunday 4th June, SYO - Treeton Urban Wednesday 7th June, **HALO** - Lincolnshire Poacher 9 Brookenby Sunday 11th June, EPOC - Dewsbury Urban Wednesday 14th June, **HALO** - Lincolnshire Poacher 10 Hemswell Wednesday 21st June, **HALO** - Lincolnshire Poacher 11 Healing Manor Saturday 24th June, **HALO** - Hull Weekend Sprints Sunday 25th June, **HALO** - Hull Weekend Urban

Useful links.....

Websites of clubs and associations frequently mentioned in the <u>HALO</u> newsletter. AIRE, CLARO, CLOK, DVO, EBOR, EPOC, FABIAN, LEI, LOG, NOC, SYO, YHOA

A Final word.....

A big thanks to Pete Harris and Pete Shew for the organisation and technical know how that meant the LCS was a success, and congrats to Neil on getting to receive the trophy on our behalf. You can see how much effort he put into securing the win.







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