

PITREAVIE

AMATEUR ATHLETIC CLUB (ESTABLISHED 1956)





Athlete And Youth Representative Update – July

Men's League Results:

- ➤ The Pitreavie team is pushing for promotion in division 2 of the Scottish men's League.
- There was a 14 man team at the 3rd match at Grangemouth on 13th July fighting to keep promotion hopes alive. We finished 2nd on the day and now 3rd overall in the league 1 point behind VP Glasgow and 3 behind leaders Shettleston.
- Results Jack Lawrie $400m H (A) 2^{nd} 58.02$, $110m H (A) 2^{nd} 14.76$, High Jump $(A) 3^{rd} 1.85$; Michael Burns $800m (A) 4^{th} 2:03.12$, $400m (A) 4^{th} 53.57$; Ryan Oswald $100m (A) 1^{st} 10.73$, $200m (A) 1^{st} 21.58$; Declan Brennan $100m (B) 1^{st} 11.2$, $200m (B) 2^{nd} 22.57$, Shot Putt $(A) 4^{th} 8.48$; Francis Smith $110m H (B) 1^{st} 15.98$, Triple Jump $(B) 4^{th} 9.90$; Lewis Hunter $(B) 2^{nd} 54.66$; Tyler White $1500m (A) 6^{th} 4.35.83$; Corey Smith $1500m (B) 3^{rd} 4.36.08$; Donald Tod Long Jump $(A) 1^{st} 6.70$, Triple Jump $(A) 3^{rd} 11.95$; Adam Johnston Long Jump $(B) 4^{th} 4.71$, High Jump $(B) 3^{rd} 1.55$; Craig Moriarty Pole Vault $(A) 3^{rd} 3.60$; Robbie Cuthbert Shot Putt $(B) 1^{st} 7.51$, Javelin $(B) 2^{nd} 26.88$; David Brand Javelin $(B) 3^{rd} 28.00$
- ➤ Relay Results 4x100m David Brand, Donald Tod, Steven Perrie-Clyde and Ryan Oswald 1st 43.31; 4x400m Lewis Hunter, Taylor Roy, Jack Lawrie and Michael Burns 3rd 3:32.43

SIAB Schools Track and Field International Results:

- Three Pitreavie athletes competed at the SIAB International event at Cardiff representing the Scottish Schools in a match between Scotland, England, Wales and Ireland.
- Craig Moriarty from St Columba's RC High School competed in the Pole Vault gaining a bronze medal in a vault of 3.73.
- Craig's training partner Kirsten Cronie from Woodmill High School competed in the women's Pole Vault coming 5th in a vault of 2.83
- ➤ Emma Rae from Dunfermline High School competed in the Hammer coming 7th in a throw of 50.02.
- All athletes said it was a fantastic experience and very exciting to represent Scotland. Craig and Kirsten have also been selected to represent Scotland at the Sainsbury's UK School Games in September at Manchester. Emma who is still Under 15 will have to wait until next year to be eligible for selection. Well done to all athletes!



Highland Games Results:

- > A fair few Pitreavie athletes have been competing at the Highland Games throughout July.
- ➤ The first Highland Games this month was Thornton Highland Gathering held in the Memorial Park on Saturday 5th July. At this event, our under 13 athlete Lewis Blair came 3rd in the 800m and won the 1600m in his first year competing in the Youths (under 16) age group.
- ➤ The next Highland Games event Pitreavie athletes have competed at was the famous Alva Games held in The Johnstone Park on Saturday 12th July. There Francis Smith came 2nd in the invitational 90m sprint.
- ▶ Pitreavie athletes also competed at the Burntisland Highland Games held at the Burntisland Links on Monday 21st July. Lewis Hunter managed to come 2nd in the Open (over 16) 90m and 1st in the 200m sprints. Corey Smith also managed to gain 3rd in the Open 800m. One of our younger athletes Eve Huxley also managed a 3rd place in the Youths 200m.
- ➤ On Saturday 26th July, Lewis Blair managed to win the Youths 1600m at the Airth Highland Games held in North Greens Park.
- The next day on Sunday 27th July, the St Andrews Highland Games were held in Station Park. Lewis Blair again won the Youths 1600m but also managed a win in





- the 800m also for the double win. Sarah Ross managed a 2nd place finish in the Open 90m sprint.
- After St Andrews Highland Games a few Pitreavie athletes now have places in the Fife Leagues of the Highland Games. Sarah Ross is joint 6th in the Open up to 400m league table with 12 point. Rebecca Burns 5th stands along with Aidan Thompson and Tullibody's William Bates in the Open over 400m league table with 12 points. In the Youths over 400m League Table, Lewis Blair stands 2nd with 12 points, Dylan Thomson stands 4th with 9 points and Laura Blair stands equal 6th with 5 points.
- ➤ In the SGHA League Table, Lewis Blair stands 3rd overall in the 400m upwards Scottish League Table with 17 points and is the only Pitreavie Athlete currently holding a postion in the SHGA League.

Youths Development League – Upper Results and Promotion:

- ➤ Kingdom Athletic (a composite team of Pitreavie AAC, Fife AC and Dundee Hawkhill Harriers) competed in the last match of the Upper Youths Development League (formally known as the National Junior League) at Leeds on Sunday 27th July. We managed to get 2nd place for the match points which maintained our 2nd place in the League points. As the top 2 teams get promoted, Kingdom Athletic has been promoted to Northern Premier Division 1!
- Women's Results Sarah
 Connor U20W (A) 100m 4th –
 13.0, U20W (A) 200m 3rd –
 28.0, U20 (A) Long Jump 5th –
 3.97, U20W (B) Shot Putt 3rd –
 6.44; Autumn Norris U20W (B)
 100m 3rd 14.8, U20W (B)



 $200m - 4^{th} - 31.3, \ U17W \ (A) \ 800m - 5^{th} - 3:07.8; \ Isla \ Sinclair - U17W \ (B) \ 100m - 5^{th} - 14.1, \ U20W \ (B) \ Long \ Jump - 4^{th} - 3.60; \ Lexie \ Cook - U17W \ (A) \ 300m - 1^{st} - 44.4, \ U17W \ (B) \ 200m - 4^{th} - 28.6; \ Rachel \ Hunter - U20W \ (A) \ 100m \ H - 2^{nd} - 23.0, \ U20W \ (A) \ 400m \ H - 3^{rd} - 82.9, \ U20W \ (A) \ 1500m \ s/c - 1^{st} - 7:44.1, \ U20W \ (A) \ Javelin - 1^{st} - 26.13, \ U20W \ (A) \ Hammer - 5^{th} - 8.48; \ Anna \ Gordon - U20W \ (A) - 1^{st} - 3.70, \ U20W \ (B) \ Discus - 4^{th} - 13.55; \ Ruth \ Harvey - U20W \ Pole \ Vault \ (B) - 1^{st} - 2.20, \ U20W \ (A) \ Discus - 4^{th} - 17.14; \ Kirsten \ Cronie - U17W \ Pole \ Vault - 1^{st} - 3.10, \ U20W \ (A) \ Shot \ Putt - 4^{th} - 6.77, \ U17W \ Javelin - 6^{th} - 15.01; \ Catriona \ Smith - U17W \ Shot \ Putt - 3^{rd} - 8.23, \ U17W \ Discus - 2^{nd} - 26.44, \ U17W \ Hammer - 6^{th} - 10.46; \ Erin \ Graham - U20W \ (B) \ Hammer - 3^{rd} - 7.68, \ U20W \ (B) \ Javelin - 3^{rd} - 10.11$

- Relay Results Under 17 Men 4x100m Relay Team including Taylor Roy, Cameron Sinclair and William Murray 2nd 47.7; Under 17 Men 4x400m Relay Team including Taylor Roy 1st 3.47.1; Under 17 Women 4x100m Relay Team including Lexie Cook and Isla Sinclair 2nd 53.8; Under 17 Women 4x300m Relay Team including Isla Sinclair, Erin Graham and Lexie Cook 3rd 3:11.7; Under 20 Men 4x100m Relay Team including Declan Brennan and Steven Perrie-Clyde 2nd 46.0; Under 20 Men 4x400m Relay Team including Declan Brennan and Steven Perrie-Clyde 1st 3:39.2; Under 20 Women 4x100m Relay Team including Sarah Connor, Autumn Norris and Kirsten Cronie 3rd 55.2

Major Championship Dates and Trophy Meeting:

Date	Meeting	Venue & Closing Date
Saturday 23 rd August	Scottish National U13/U17 Age Group Championships	Aberdeen Sports Village Closing Date – Thursday 7 th August
Sunday 24 th August	Scottish National U15/U20 Age Group Championships	
Sunday 7 th September	Pitreavie AAC Young Athlete's Trophy Meeting	Pitreavie Stadium Closing Date – Friday 22 nd August

- > The Scottish National Age Group Championships can be entered online via the Scottish Athletics Website.
- For information on how to enter the Trophy Meeting, visit the Pitreavie Website via this link and look over the rules of entries http://www.pitreavie-aac.co.uk/index.php/events/pitreavie-young-athletes-trophy-meeting. Once you've read the rules of entry, follow the link to the entries website http://www.online-entries.co.uk/.

Jessica Barrows Selected For Young People's Sports Panel:



- ➤ Pitreavie Athlete Jessica Barrows has been selected with 15 others to form the second Young People's Sport Panel, a national platform that represents the voice of young people throughout the country.
- Jessica was once the Schools Liaison Officer on our committee, apart of the scottishathletics advisory group and now youth information charity Young Scot after impressing 2 rounds of interviews that attracted over 200 entries.
- The Sports Panel is a callaboration between sportscotland and Young Scot which gives the youths power as sportscotland want to listen to the youngsters.
- > She will investigate ways to encourage sport even into University life and with the Commonwealth Games here, taster sessions for different sport along with information should be given in her opinion.
- ➤ Jessica quotes "I'm very passionate about sport and to see the fun that kids have and the interaction they get is very important. It is such an exciting time to be involved in Scottish sport and I can't wait to get started"
- Good luck Jessica on your new role on the Scottish Young People's Sports Panel!

Social Media:

- A note to everyone that one of the main sources of communication in Pitreavie AAC is through the Pitreavie AAC website and website forum.
- We advise that more members and parents keep up to date with the latest news on the website and to join the website forum to keep up with the latest information and news.
- For those who use twitter, the club have a twitter account. You can follow @PitreavieAAC
- We also finally have a proper facebook page "Pitreavie AAC" now linked to the website where you can keep up to date with the latest new. Go and like the page!

Commonwealth Games:

- As Glasgow 2014 has come to Scotland, it is an appropriate time to inform younger and newer members and remind older members of the Club's proud tradition of producing athletes to represent Scotland at the Commonwealth Games
- Graham McDonald has added to the website a list of the performances of all our members at the Games and hope it will inspire current members to follow in their footsteps.
- In the finale of the games, congradulations goes out to Pitreavie's Eilidh Child who won the silver in the 400m hurdles in a time of 55.02 for Team Scotland.





By Corey Smith and Steven Perrie-Clyde



