



PITREAVIE

AMATEUR ATHLETIC CLUB

(ESTABLISHED 1956)



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Athlete And Youth Representative Update – August

Pitreavie Family Fun Day:

- After last years success, the club decided to make the Family Fun Day and annual event and the 2nd Pitreavie AAC Family Fun Day commenced on 2nd August.
- Events that took place was the handicapped mile, Family Pentathlon and the Fancy Dress Race like last year. But this year we also had a barbeque so we can enjoy some good food and also a plasma screen in the gym so we can watch the a movie followed by Commonwealth Games Athletics.
- Also this year each training group set up there own stalls on the Fun Day where we raised funds for the club. Each stall included cake and candy, sweets and biscuits, tombola, chocolate tombola and smoothies.
- Everyone made the best of the bad weather and it was a good day.

British Masters Title For Steve Wallace:

- Steve Wallace is the British M55 triple jump champion after competing at Birmingham on Saturday 9th August.
- Due to bad weather the event had to be held indoors so Steve's jump of 10.13m will also be a Pitreavie Club Record.
- Steve also holds the M55 outdoor club record which he set at the Scottish Masters in June. Both club records will be ratified and updated soon. Well done Steve!

Celtic Games Results:

- Taylor Roy and Anna Gordon travelled to Dublin to represent Scotland at the Celtic Games on Saturday 9th August. Taylor competed in the Under 16 100m hurdles and Anna in the U18 pole vault. Lisa O'Neill was also selected for U16 javelin however due to injury was unable to compete.
- Taylor came 3rd in the U16 Boys 100m H in a time of 14.17.
- Anna won the U18 Womens Pole Vault in a height of 3.50.
- Well done to them both for gaining selection and bringing home medals.

European Title For Eilidh Child:



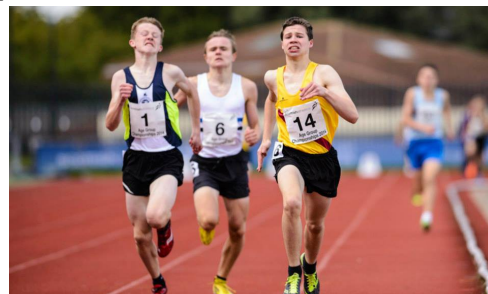
- Congratulations to Eilidh Child for her fantastic achievement in winning the 400m Hurdles at the European Championship in Zurich on Saturday 16th August.
- Following her silver medal at the Commonwealth Games, she won her heat and semi-final before winning her final.
- She has also created Club History as this is the first ever gold medal won by a member of Pitreavie AAC in a Major Championship.
- Well done Eilidh!

Scottish National Senior Track and Field Championship Results:

- **Men's Results:** Declan Brennan – 100m – 3rd – 11.93, 200m – 5th – 23.80; David Brand – 100m – 6th – 12.16, 200m – 6th – 24.15; Donald Tod – Long Jump – 5th – 6.44; Steven Perrie-Clyde – 200m – 8th – 24.47; Ewan Dyer – 400m H – 2nd – 53.63; Jack Lawrie – 400m H – 3rd – 54.05
- **Women's Results:** Anna Gordon – Pole Vault – 2nd – 3.40; Kimberley Murray – 200m – 8th – 27.11, 400m – 5th – 57.91; Rebecca Burns – 1500m – 6th – 4:35.35; Niamh Guest – 100m H – 5th – 17.13

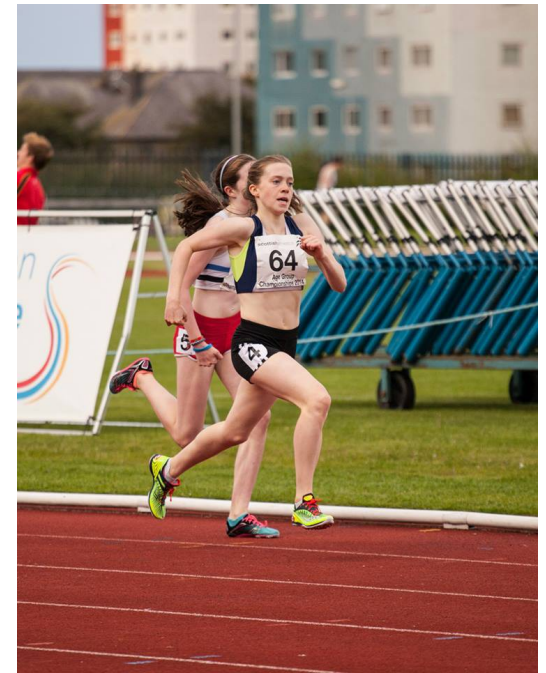
Scottish National Age Group Track and Field Championships:

- Many athletes from Pitreavie competed at the Scottish Age Group Championships up in Aberdeen and a lot of athletes did very well picking up Scottish medals.
- **Under 13 Girls Results:** Ailsa Marsh – 100m “A” Final – 8th – 14.03, 200m “B” Final – 6th – 30.85, 70m H “B” Final – 5th – 13.44; Jenny Gillanders – 1500m – 5th – 5:19.89; Jennifer Brydon – 70m H “B” Final – 3rd – 12.97, Long Jump (Pool 2) –



10th – 4.02; Skye Marshall – High Jump – 9th – 1.20; Eilish De Swarte – Shot Putt – 14th – 5.17; Seonaid Best – Shot Putt – 16th – 5.04; Lynn Harvey – Javelin – 9th – 10.74

- **Under 13 Boys Results:** Billy Doyle – 200m “A” Final – 3rd – 27.45, High Jump – 4th – 1.40; Lewis Blair – 800m – 3rd – 2:23.30; Euan Johnston – 75m H – 5th – 13.83, Long Jump – 9th – 3.99
- **Under 15 Girls:** Eve Huxley – 100m “A” Final – 5th – 12.61, 200m “A” Final – 6th – 27.44; Lucy McRoberts – 200m “B” Final – 2nd – 28.50; Aimee Scott – 300m – 7th – 46.80, High Jump – 4th – 1.51; Iona Crawford – 800m – 1st – 2:22.77; Bethany McAndrew – 75m H “A” Final – 3rd 12.19, Long Jump – 2nd – 5.10; Rebecca Porter – Discus – 1st – 32.00; Emma Rae – Hammer – 1st – 49.58
- **Under 15 Boys:** Ben Grant – 300m – 1st – 38.11; James Adam – 800m – 2nd – 2:07.69; Alex Johnston – 1500m – 8th – 4:41.70; Dylan Thomson – High Jump – 10th – 1.50; Joshua Revie – Shot Putt – 10th – 8.84
- **Under 17 Women:** Leah Davie – 1500m – 8th – 5:15.15;
- Kirsten Cronie – Pole Vault – 1st – 2.87; Megan Laing – Discus – 8th – 22.31; Ruth Harvey – Discus – 9th – 18.55; Emma Rae – Hammer – 1st – 49.36
- **Under 17 Men:** William Murray – 100m “A” Final – 5th – 11.49, Javelin – 4th – 39.34; Corey Smith – 1500m s/c – 4th – 5:01.74; Craig Moriarty – Pole Vault – 1st – 3.77; Adam Johnston – Long Jump – 14th – 5.33; Martin Carr – Long Jump – 14th – 5.33
- **Under 20 Women** – Niamh Guest – 100m – 5th – 12.97, 100m H – 2nd – 16.59; Naomi Fox – 100m H – 5th – 17.73; Kirsten Loudon – High Jump – 3rd – 1.50; Anna Gordon – Pole Vault – 1st – 3.70; Kirsten Mullen – Pole Vault – 3rd – 2.90; Kara Bradbeer – Pole Vault – 4th – 2.90
- **Under 20 Men** – Ben Potrykus – 1500m – 12th – 4:22.48; Declan Brennan – 100m – 1st – 11.11, 200m – 1st – 22.72; Jack Lawrie – 400m – 1st – 50.19, 110m H – 1st – 14.31, 400m H – 1st – 54.70; Aidan Thompson – 2000m s/c – 3rd – 6:48.59; Mark Guthrie – Hammer – 3rd – 52.33



Men's League Final Results:

- On the final match of the Men's League this season, 10 athletes turned out at the event held at Scotstoun Stadium fighting for promotion.
- Unfortunately Pitreavie missed out on promotion finishing the season however we managed to remain joint third in the league table.
- The highest points total by an individual athlete was by Declan Brennan who managed twenty-one points competing in the 100m and the shot putt.
- Results – Declan Brennan – 100m (A) – 2nd – 11.06, Shot Putt – 6th – 8.04; Steven Perrie-Clyde – 100m (B) – 4th – 11.40, 200m (A) – 2nd – 22.80; David Brand – 200m (B) – 1st – 22.45; Michael Burns – 400m (A) – 4th – 52.59; David Agnew – 400m (B) – 2nd – 52.43; Ben Potrykus – 800m (A) – 4th – 2:01.43, 1500m (A) – 5th – 4:26.50; Corey Smith – 800m (B) – 4th – 2:15.20; Tyler White – 1500m (B) – 3rd – 4:36.12; Cameron Sinclair – Long Jump (A) – 4th – 5.97; Steve Wallace – Triple Jump (A) – 5th – 10.08, Hammer – 5th – 21.08
- Relay Results – 4x100m – Steven Perrie-Clyde, Michael Burns, David Brand and Declan Brennan – 1st – 44.76; 4x400m – Corey Smith, Ben Potrykus, David Agnew and Michael Burns – 4th – 3:37.53

England U15/U17 Age Group Championships Results:



- Five Pitreavie Athletes went to Bedford for the English Champs (or British Champs as they are often known) on 30th/31st August. It was a real trek down but it was well worth it for the experience if you are looking to compete at the highest level of competition available across the UK. For all athletes it was their first time at this event.
- James Adam competed in the U15 Boys 800m at the championships where his heats were on the Saturday. He managed to get into the final (running a qualifying time of 2:05.20) and ran a tactical 2:06.9 finishing 7th on the Sunday
- Emma Rae also competed on the Saturday securing a bronze in the Hammer in the U15 Girls age group with a throw of 49.35.

- Rebecca Porter competed on the Sunday in the U15 Girls Discus winning a bronze in a PB throw of 34.84.
- Lisa O'Neil also competed on the Sunday in the U17 Womens Javelin gaining 5th place with a throw of 37.91.
- It sounds like it was a fantastic experience for athletes, coaches and parents who travelled to one of the most competitive fixtures in the track season. Well done everyone!

Highland Games Results:

- A fair few Pitreavie athletes have been competing at the Highland Games throughout August.
- One of the first Highland Games Fixtures in August was the Bridge Of Allan Highland Games held in the Games Park on Sunday 3rd August. At this event, Ewan Dyer came 3rd in the 90m Open Sprint Handicap. Michaels Burns came 2nd in the 200m Open Sprint Handicap and his sister Rebecca Burns came 1st in the Open 1600m Handicap in a winning time of 4:14.50.
- The next Highland Games event that attracted Pitreavie Athletes was Perth Highland Games held at the North Inch on Sunday 10th August. At this event, Corey Smith came 2nd in the 800m Open Handicap. In the 3200m Open Handicap, Aidan Thompson won the race in a time of 10:48.39 and Corey Smith came 2nd in the same race. Also one of Pitreavie's sprinters Eve Huxley won the 200m Youth Handicap Sprint in a winning time of 24.32.
- The next Highland Games event was the Crieff Highland Gathering held in the Market Park which also attracted Pitreavie athletes. In the 800m Open Handicap, Craig won the race in a winning time of 1:58.89. Aidan Thompson won the 3200m Open Handicap in a winning time of 10:01.09. One of Pitreavie's youngsters, Billy Doyle, competed in the 200m Youths Sprint Handicap and came 2nd in that race. This was also one of the few Highland Games that held jumping events and Oliver Lawson came 2nd in the triple jump, won the long jump in a winning jump of 17' 4" and also won the high jump in a jump of 1.50.
- One of the last Highland Games events held in August that attracted Pitreavie Athletes was the Birnam Highland Games held Little Dunkeld, Birnam on Saturday 30th August. In the Scottish 880 yards scratch championship race, Criag Robertson won the race in a time of 2:11.50. Craig also came 2nd in the 800m Open Handicap. Fellow Pitreavie athlete Rebecca Burns came 1st in the 1600m Open Handicap in a winning time of 4:38.32. One of Pitreavie's young sprinters Eve Huxley came 2nd in the 200m Youths Handicap Sprint.



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