

Dear all,

There are quite a few club issues and events coming up that we would like to inform you about:



ICE tags.

Thank you to everybody who has responded to this. Richard (Macca) will be placing the order imminently. Please can you let us know by Sunday 3rd Feb if you would like to order any. We are also happy to include the family / other householders of members.

Send to info@brackleyrunningclub.co.uk

MK Festival of Running (Sunday 17th March)

The MK Festival of Running offers 4 distances of races. The club is subsidising this race, and will refund members race fees in total. Lots of you have entered and sent your acceptance emails. If you enter please send your acceptance email to info@brackleyrunningclub.co.uk and your fee will be refunded in due course (please include your bank details in your email). We are however just waiting for the bank account to be transferred to new treasurer, Maxine (Mini Max) and then payments will be made.



CLUB KIT

The new kit won't be delivered until March unfortunately. For those members who are waiting for kit there is obviously no requirement to wear club kit at races until we have been able to supply it to you. We are really sorry about the delay, but this is related to our kit supplier.

You can view the kit on this page - http://www.brackleyrunningclub.co.uk/merchandise.asp and order by sending an email to info@brackleyrunningclub.co.uk or message Chris Noble (Noz). Some sizes are still in stock.

There is a social night out this **Saturday (2nd February) at the Plough in Brackley**, any time from 6.30. We will be celebrating the awesome efforts by lots of members through their RED January exploits. It is also a good opportunity to say hi to people who you only ever see in lycra and flashy hi-viz. Hope to see lots of you there!



Dare I mention Christmas?.....

but Claire (Froggles) has surpassed herself already this year and booked the venue, which will again be at the Brackley Town Football Club on Friday December 13th. Save the date for the social event of the year!

As well as Facebook, social events are on the club website.



Tash Berry (Clip Clop) recently posted on the facebook page about the **Hilly 100**, which will be on the **12th May 2019**. This has been one of the highlights of the BDRC calendar over the last few years, it's such a fun and supportive event for runners of all abilities. If you are interested have a chat with Tash or email: info@brackleyrunningclub.co.uk

Championships

We have added in the **next 2 Stowe Winter Runs** into the Champs (as the first one was so good!) and replaced the Slaughter Valentines with **Leighton in March**. You can view all the races in the Champs & Handicap on this page http://www.brackleyrunningclub.co.uk/club-championship.asp



Save the date for helping marshal the Chicken Run (Brackley's annual 10k run hosted and organised by BDRC colleagues) on Sunday June 16th. Chris Noble (Noz), who is head marshal, will be making an appeal for volunteers soon. Most importantly, BDRC'ers normally end up in the pub for well earned drinks and some food in the pub!

Club Standards

BDRC ran a new iniative last year called club standards. A way of **rewarding runners efforts throughout the year**. There has been one change to the 2019 version of the club standards, changing the Gold standard to running a minimum of a half marathon (as opposed to a marathon last year). Please see the website for details on how it works and what you need to do to take part:

http://www.brackleyrunningclub.co.uk/club-standards.asp. The awards that were offered were presented at the AGM in November, please check the AGM photos for a look at these: http://www.brackleyrunningclub.co.uk/latest-news.asp



Time Trial

BDRC TT 2019 will be returning in late April. These are run once a month between April and September. These are fun summer night runs with a bit of friendly competition. Please read the rules and the provisional dates here: http://www.brackleyrunningclub.co.uk/timetrial.asp

Thanks for reading! BDRC Committee