

## The Alan Hooley Relay, Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> July, 2006

### Summary

Sorry this report is late. I have been doing some "altitude training" at Thredbo.

There was a great feeling in the air at Gembrook before the Hooley Relay. Paul Wilson made a welcome comeback for the day and Old Scotch was in with a fighting chance. Paul had commented that he was only capable of running 4-minute kilometres. We all knew however that his natural ability would exceed his modesty.

19 Old Scotch runners braved the cold, rain and mud, but nevertheless enjoyed the highly technical course and the wood fire!

### Division 1 Team

Two months ago, Mark Purvis and I discussed the Hooley Relay. We knew that we were unable to match Haileybury in depth, however the four person relay format would give us an opportunity of an upset given the quality of our athletes. The Div 1 team consisted of Pete Simm, Darcy Long, Paul Wilson and Rob Schwerkolt. By the first change Pete had put us into the lead. Darcy long ran strongly, but unfortunately came up against Trent Harlow who was the fastest athlete of the day. Paul Wilson, Rob Schwerkolt had great first legs and put us into a good position for Simmy second leg. Despite his groin playing up, Pete ran his heart out and put OS back into the lead with a negative split compared to his first lap. We just couldn't quite hold off another assault from Harlow.

The net result was second place by just 47 seconds and certainly giving Haileybury a bit of a scare.

### Other Teams

Our Female Team, featuring Susanne Wilson, Lisa Lightfoot and Georgie Galbraith had their best result of the season. They finished in fourth place.

Our division 2 team of David Lightfoot, Ross Becroft, Scott Lawrence and Stuart Facey placed third. Both Becroft and Facey had huge second laps wiping off half a minute each off their first lap.

Our fourth team skipped ahead of the third team and came tenth in division 2.

Well done to all the runners, it was a great day!

### Full Results

See Scotch results below, OR for full results: <http://www.geocities.com/apsoc/>

### Volunteers

Thank you to all of the volunteers who helped out marshalling, cleaning up and setting up. It makes life easy when people just come forth to help, so CHEERS!

### Next Race

The next race is the Brighton-By-The-Sea Handicap – Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> of July. Green Point, Brighton, 76 C3.

### End of Season Dinner

The 75<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Dinner of the APSOCAA will be held after the Cooke-McLelland on Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> of September in the Cardinal Pavillion at Scotch College at 7pm. Please let me know at Brighton if you wish to attend.

For full details:

[http://www.geocities.com/apsoc4/APSOC\\_Dinner\\_flyer.pdf](http://www.geocities.com/apsoc4/APSOC_Dinner_flyer.pdf)

Cheers

Nick W-S, Cross Country VP

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**APSOCAA Alan Hooley Relay - 15 July 2006 - Team Results****Open****Division 1**

Pos	Team	Name	Lap 1	Lap 2	Total
2	OS1	Simm, Peter	10.56	10.53	
		Long, Darcy	11.35	11.33	
		Wilson, Paul	11.19	11.12	
		Schwerkolt, Robert	11.01	11.24	89.51

**Division 2**

Pos	Team	Name	Lap 1	Lap 2	Total
3	OS2	Lightfoot, David	11.58	13.29	
		Lawrence, Scott	12.49	12.46	
		Becroft, Ross	13.25	13.00	
		Facey, Stuart	15.05	14.38	107.10
10	OS3	Evans, Gregor	19.23	19.54	
		Evans, Naomi	19.44	20.20	
		Wilson, Rob	17.31	17.19	
		Kisler, Lynn	15.02	17.07	147.52
x	OS4	Wallace-Smith, Nick	13.32	13.51	
		Evans, Michael	16.00	XX.XX	
		Holmes, Jon	15.19	14.56	
		Dodgshun, Peter	15.14	15.26	DNF

**Women**

Pos	Team	Name	Lap 1	Lap 2	Total
4	OS1	Wilson, Susanne	13.21	13.27	
		Lightfoot, Lisa	15.58	14.53	
		Galbraith, Georgina	16.15	16.09	90.50

**APSOCAA Alan Hooley Relay - 15 July 2006 - Scratch****Results**

Pos	Name	Club	Time	Status
2	Simm, Peter	OS	10:53.2	
4	Schwerkolt, Robert	OS	11:00.6	
7	Wilson, Paul	OS	11:12.2	
14	Long, Darcy	OS	11:32.5	
21	Lightfoot, David	OS	11:57.6	
38	Lawrence, Scott	OS	12:46.4	
43	Becroft, Ross	OS	13:00.2	
45	Wilson, Susanne	OS	13:20.9	Female
47	Wallace-Smith, Nick	OS	13:31.7	
68	Facey, Stuart	OS	14:38.4	
76	Lightfoot, Lisa	OS	14:53.6	Female
78	Holmes, Jon	OS	14:56.6	
81	Kisler, Lynn	OS	15:01.8	Female
82	Dodgshun, Peter	OS	15:11.4	
97	Evans, Michael	OS	16:00.0	
102	Galbraith, Georgina	OS	16:08.6	Female
106	Wilson, Rob	OS	17:19.3	
111	Evans, Gregor	OS	19:23.4	
112	Evans, Naomi	OS	19:44.4	Female