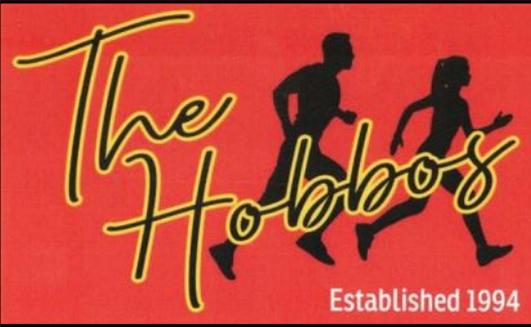


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# HomeRuns



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Newsletter of the Hobson's Bay Running Club Inc, Melbourne



## Linda's Egg 'For Keeps'

Well done Linda. Those Hawthorn socks did it.

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Anna & Simon holding the twins with Teddy standing

## Forthcoming Events

|              |  |
|--------------|--|
| Sat 25th Oct | 7:40am, October Handicap & Morning Tea                 |
| Mon 3rd Nov  | 6pm, 10th Phar Lap 2-mile, Old Williamstown Racecourse |
| Mon 10th Nov | Hobbos Committee Meeting, 7:30pm on Zoom               |
| Tue 18th Nov | Spring Gift 1500m & BBQ, NPAT, 6pm                     |
| Sun 7th Dec  | Christmas Gift 1500m & BBQ, time TBA                   |

For details of our 2025/26 Daylight Savings Series and other events, see the various columns, articles and flyers throughout *Home Runs*.

As always, see Facebook for latest & event registration advice

## The Hobbos - a social club with a running problem



## Membership

2025 Memberships were due on 4th April

<https://www.hobbos.org.au/new-membership-link/>

### Membership fees

**Individual: \$70 (fee unchanged this year despite increasing insurance cost)**

**Concession/Pensioner/Child\*: \$30 (no change)**

**Family: 2 x Single membership (Unlimited children)\*\***

\* a child not part of a family membership

\*\* please nominate participating family members

Runners who are not financial members are free to enter the monthly handicap but are not eligible to win the PRIZED KENYAN EGG

### FACEBOOK & INSTAGRAM

Don't forget our social media. It's a great way to share information or gossip, rather than waiting for the newsletter.

WEBSITE



# From the Editor's Desk

with Michael Slee



The Kenyan Egg has been the prize for the winner of the Hobsons Bay 5km Handicap since late 1996. The club started in that year and a suitable trophy was needed. A trophy for the winner to keep as they, and everyone else, accrued race points for the big, annual, perpetual prize, the Greenwich Cup.

Club founder Eero Keranen outlined the back-story of the Kenyan Egg in an article in the June '25 issue of Home Runs (you can find them all on the club's website).

The 2025 Greenwich Cup has become the proverbial '2-horse' race between Eero and Rob Falloon. Eero is in the box seat and to find out why read the GC wrap on page 19.

The Ted Joy Cup is another matter altogether as neither Eero nor Rob are eligible. The TJC is therefore up for grabs.



*7:40am (or earlier) avoids the queue for handicap #362*

*Would this be a 'season' of Kenyan Eggs?*



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# Gray Matters

with President John Gray



Well done to all of our members and friends who ran in Melbourne Marathon events mid-month. I would have loved to have been out there watching the race and seeing our clubmates run past, but I was 2 weeks out from the Burnie 10, and needed to get my last Sunday long run done. I hit 24km, my longest run since September last year, and a 46.5km week, my biggest since August last year before I succumbed to random niggles in both knees.

After that I need to keep ramping up to prepare for the Two Bays 28k in January, and also to check my appetite for a serious half marathon next year. I did have some fomo for the MM half marathon, but definitely no fomo for any full marathon torture!

Just from Strava alone, we had

|               |  |
|---------------|--|
| 10Km          | Will (53:11), Riainn & Paul Wilkie   |
| Half          | Diane, Mel Lococo, Gracie, Wendy, Dean, Cain, Kevvo, Mark Letman & Ron (1:42:56) |
| Full          | Stu Tennant, Peter Whyte, Karli, Clare & Sarah O'Neil                            |
| Full sub 4:00 | Tom W  |
| Full sub 3:30 | Mick W, Martin Mankowski, Brian, Gareth, Daniel Rees, Magnus V & Michael Hsu     |
| Full sub 3:00 | Daniel Hocking (2:44:45) & Simon Anderson (2:49:10)                              |

## The Daylight Savings Series

The Daylight Savings Series is a 6-race series with much easier qualification rules than our Greenwich Cup and Ted Joy Cup competitions. To qualify and receive an official handicap, you just need to have run in one Hobbos event in the last 6 months as a financial member. The series winner is the member with the highest points score from their best 4 results in the 6-race series.

The first event this year is the Phar Lap 2-mile handicap race at Altona Coastal Park (old Williamstown Racecourse) on Melbourne Cup Eve.

Unlike all of our other handicap events, the Phar Lap is a sealed handicap where runners & walkers are assigned a secret handicap. All runners start together, and there are awards for the first female and first male finishers (time finishing order), but the event winner and the awarded DSS points are determined from the handicap finishing order. You won't know if you are the race winner until the results from the timing system are processed! Each year the event is held in alternate directions, matching the Melbourne Cup and Sydney Cup, and this year the event will be held in the Sydney Cup anti-clockwise direction.

Pre-registration is now open via a link on Facebook, to assist us with catering for the supper afterwards, and for handicapping.

Calendar for the 2025-26 DSS:

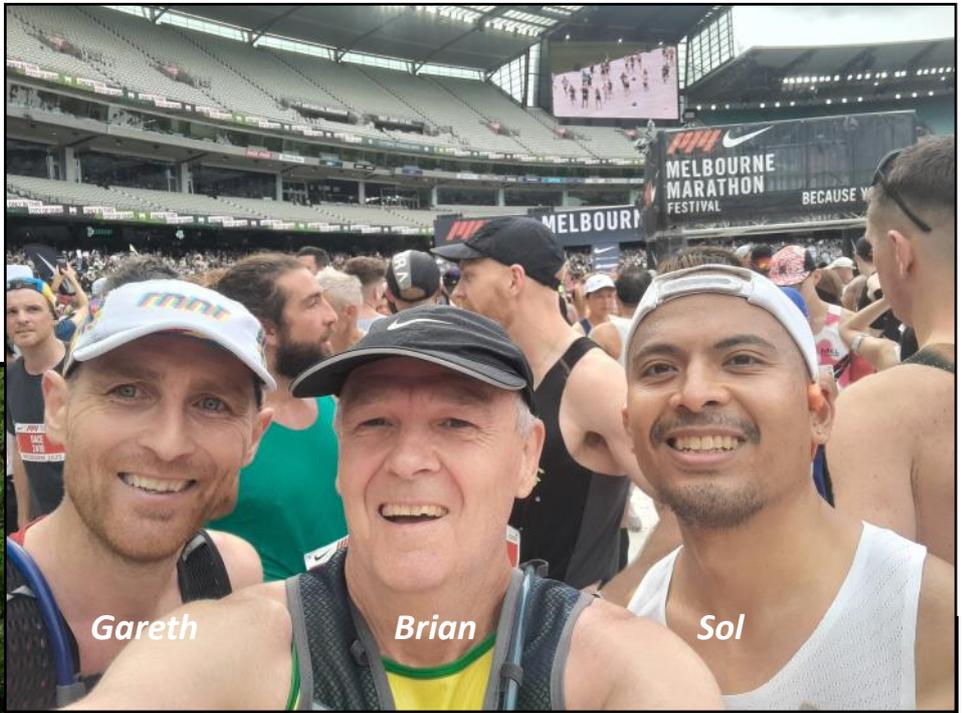
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|--------------------------------|---|--------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| <b>Mon 3<sup>rd</sup> Nov</b>  | 10 <sup>th</sup> Annual Phar Lap 2-mile sealed handicap | <b>Tue 10<sup>th</sup> Feb</b> | Summer Challenge 1000m handicap |
| <b>Tue 18<sup>th</sup> Nov</b> | Spring Gift 1500m handicap                              | <b>Sat 28<sup>th</sup> Feb</b> | February 5000m handicap         |
| <b>Sun 7<sup>th</sup> Dec</b>  | Christmas Gift 1500m handicap                           | <b>Tue 17<sup>th</sup> Mar</b> | Easter Gift 1500m handicap      |

**Until next month, stay fit, healthy and safe.**





# MELBOURNE MARATHON FESTIVAL



Gareth

Brian

Sol



Spartan Pete



Brian

Martin



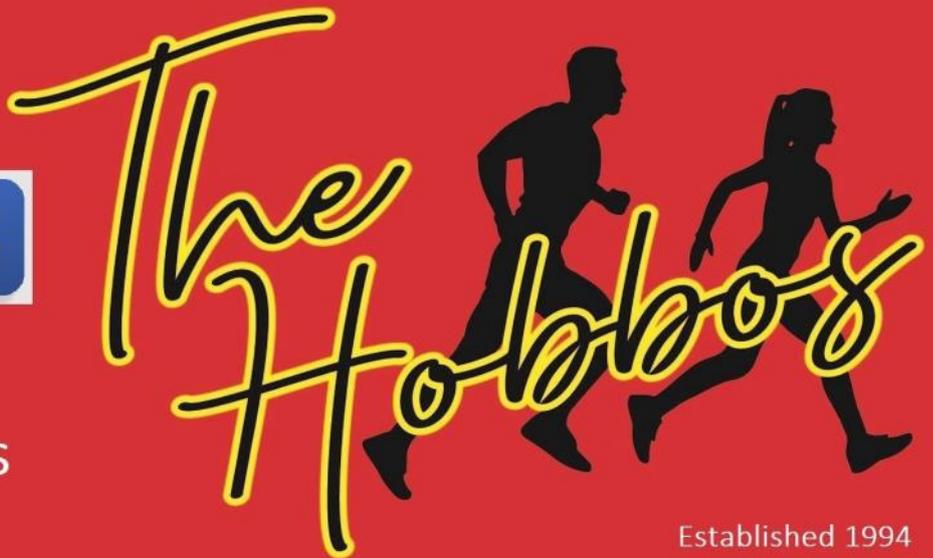
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Clare



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For info and  
registration

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# September Handicap



*Sandersons - 2 fifths*



*Sandersons - 3 fifths*



*Brian A.*



*John B.*



*Anna B.*



*Dean C.*



*Philippe D*



*Graeme D.*



*Millie D.*



*Owen D.*



*Di D.*





## Bumper turnout for GF Handicap

Our September handicap has become one where we all show our true colours. The traditional scheduling of our 5km handicap events on the last Saturday in the month means that in September our marquee race falls on AFL Grand Final day. Hence the temporary broadening of eligible club kit to include 'footy colours'. On that one day in September at the Hobbos handicap there was not a Brisbane top in sight, but Cat's guernseys were out in force. The Lions were obviously at the 'G!

The wonderful weather and a public holiday the day before meant we were all keen for a run along Greenwich Bay. And what a turnout it was. I'll leave it to the spokesperson of the club number crunching team, **Mick Beasley**, to lay out the facts.

*"Today was noteworthy for having fifty-one participants - the most participants in a monthly handicap since we've had the timing system (previous best was 49 in June 2019). Given the logjam which came through between about 49:55 and 51:05, it was reassuring to have the automatic recording in place."*

Mick also showered praise on **Will McKenzie**, his partner in statistics.

*"With the size of the field I have to confess I wasn't looking forward to dealing with all the inevitable glitches and get the results processed before everyone finished their tea and departed. The key is the data entry, and Will managed to stay largely on top of the chaos during registration before managing to run himself. This paid off when it came to processing the results, there were very few glitches to correct, and it was one of the smoothest we've had all year."*

I must say, as editor of Home Runs, it is an absolute treat to have Handicap Results (in all forms) as well as the progressive Greenwich and Ted Joy Cup tables at my disposal within 24 hours of the running of the race. There's nothing like creating the handicap content while the event is still fresh in the mind. Add to that the race video, from which I lifted the cover shot of Linda crossing the line (subtitles and all), and also the race day photos of Hobbos at the turn! More often than not these images are available on the same day for everyone to enjoy and relive the moment. Thanks **Ray Barnard** (finish video) and **Karen Hayes** (turn photos).

## Helpers Make It Happen



# “Do I get to keep this?”



**Linda Viberg** is new to the club this year. Her win in September was completely unexpected taking an enormous PB to seal it. – the only PB amongst the eligible runners. Linda reduced her 5km best by a whopping 1:39, setting a new mark of 26:53, and crossing the line 20 seconds ahead of second place getter **Cain Speakman**.

Linda ran her first handicap in April. With runs in May and July she had completed the necessary three qualifying runs. August was her first handicap run where she was eligible to win and her impressive PB ensured that it earned her a Kenyan Egg.

After the traditional photo op of the handicap winner Linda asked me a question about the Kenyan Egg. “Is this to keep or do I give it back for next month?” When I said that it was for keeps Linda’s grin said it all. “It, the egg, is beautiful.” The Kenyan Egg which Linda received is engraved with a giraffe in shades of burgundy and brown. The hand carved soapstone eggs are beautiful objects in their own right. Hobbos’ history imbues each individual Kenyan Egg with that extra something making them sought after and treasured when you are fortunate enough to win one, let alone a couple or a few.

Although a relatively new to the club, Linda has thrown herself into literally everything. The mindset of ‘why not?’ saw her sign up for the entire **XCR** season which Linda thoroughly enjoyed. Apart from more handicaps, next up for Linda is the **Daylight Savings Series (D.S.S.)**. My guess it is another case of why not?

Congratulations Linda.

## September Handicap

Four runners beat the handicapper, posting times under the target 50 minutes. Linda, our winner, Cain (2nd), Melissa Rutze (3rd) and John Gray (4th).

There were PBs for some not in the main field. Ivy Kaye took 1:06 from his best, Dean Crowley took 15 seconds from his previous best AND went sub-20 for the first time. Chatting with Dean at morning tea revealed a very happy Hobbo having set off in pursuit of Cain after a quick exchange, mid-race, on ‘target time’. The spur of the moment plan working perfectly for both - Dean and his PB and Cain who finished in second place.

Wieger Vos took 6 seconds from his best, Anna Anderson and her jet propelled pram sliced 51

seconds from her PB (pram best). Jarvis John ran the 5km 1:06 faster than before and Dominique Tanner walked 3:20 quicker than she had before, but she was feeling it at the end.

The fastest time of the day went to Magnus Vaisnys (18:56). Three others also went under 20 minutes - Jimmy Dwyer (19:11), Cain (19:38) and Dean (19:46).





*Jimmy D.*



*Graham E.*



*Tara F.*



*Will McK.  
& Anna McA.*



*Bel F., Simone & Sarah T.*



*John G.*



*Elise H.*



*Vicky H.*



*Shona T.*



*Di W.*



*Simone T.*



*Carey D.*

**Photos by Karen**

# Hobbos Handicap - September 2025 - 361st Running



| Pos                  | Name                 | Finish | Time  | Start | PB    | AGPB  | Split 1 | Split 2 | Points | Bonus | Total |
|----------------------|----------------------|--------|-------|-------|-------|-------|---------|---------|--------|-------|-------|
| <b>Greenwich Cup</b> |                      |        |       |       |       |       |         |         |        |       |       |
| 1                    | Linda Viberg         | 49:08  | 26:53 | 22:15 | 28:32 | 28:32 | 13:38   | 13:15   | 20     | 12    | 32    |
| 2                    | Cain Speakman        | 49:48  | 19:38 | 30:10 | 19:26 | 19:34 | 9:51    | 9:47    | 19     | 11    | 30    |
| 3                    | Melissa Rutze        | 49:56  | 29:21 | 20:35 | 26:02 | 27:12 | 14:47   | 14:34   | 18     | 0     | 18    |
| 4                    | John Gray            | 49:58  | 20:38 | 29:20 | 18:51 | 20:00 | 10:00   | 10:38   | 17     | 5     | 22    |
| 5                    | Belinda Fithie       | 50:13  | 30:13 | 20:00 | 27:34 | 28:08 | 14:48   | 15:25   | 16     | 0     | 16    |
| 6                    | Michael Musgrove     | 50:23  | 40:28 | 9:55  | 35:15 | 40:09 | 20:21   | 20:07   | 15     | 8     | 23    |
| 7                    | Matt Loader          | 50:26  | 22:31 | 27:55 | 22:06 | 22:06 | 11:08   | 11:23   | 14     | 7     | 21    |
| 8                    | Anna McAlister       | 50:26  | 25:41 | 24:45 | 25:30 | 25:30 | 12:29   | 13:12   | 13     | 10    | 23    |
| 9                    | Jimmy Dwyer          | 50:31  | 19:11 | 31:20 | 18:44 | 18:44 | 9:36    | 9:35    | 12     | 7     | 19    |
| 10                   | Mike Newby           | 50:33  | 23:18 | 27:15 | 23:13 | 23:13 | 11:29   | 11:49   | 11     | 11    | 22    |
| 11                   | Peter Whyte          | 50:36  | 27:16 | 23:20 | 25:58 | 25:58 | 13:23   | 13:53   | 10     | 0     | 10    |
| 12                   | Rachel Kealy         | 50:42  | 27:42 | 23:00 | 26:50 | 26:50 | 13:49   | 13:53   | 9      | 3     | 12    |
| 13                   | Anna Bowdis          | 50:46  | 26:36 | 24:10 | 26:02 | 26:02 | 13:11   | 13:25   | 8      | 6     | 14    |
| 14                   | Jac Wainright        | 50:55  | 28:15 | 22:40 | 27:26 | 27:26 | 14:07   | 14:08   | 7      | 3     | 10    |
| 15                   | Neil Speakman        | 50:59  | 25:24 | 25:35 | 23:15 | 23:15 | 12:46   | 12:38   | 6      | 0     | 6     |
| 16                   | Jane Whitmore        | 51:07  | 25:47 | 25:20 | 23:08 | 24:28 | 12:58   | 12:49   | 5      | 0     | 5     |
| 17                   | Tara Fairbrother     | 51:14  | 30:49 | 20:25 | 28:56 | 28:56 | 16:03   | 14:46   | 5      | 0     | 5     |
| 18                   | Michael Slee (Walk)  | 51:17  | 40:32 | 10:45 | 38:43 | 39:03 | 19:58   | 20:34   | 5      | 0     | 5     |
| 19                   | Helen Vaxevanis      | 51:26  | 26:41 | 24:45 | 24:53 | 24:53 | 13:03   | 13:38   | 5      | 0     | 5     |
| 20                   | Brian Armstrong      | 51:54  | 21:19 | 30:35 | 18:09 | 19:33 | 10:39   | 10:40   | 5      | 0     | 5     |
| 21                   | Diane Donoghue       | 52:13  | 32:33 | 19:40 | 30:23 | 30:44 | 16:02   | 16:31   | 5      | 0     | 5     |
| 22                   | Graham Edwards       | 52:45  | 48:35 | 4:10  | 36:14 | 46:07 | 24:18   | 24:17   | 5      | 0     | 5     |
| 23                   | Philippe Delecheneau | 53:31  | 30:46 | 22:45 | 26:05 | 26:35 | 15:26   | 15:20   | 5      | 0     | 5     |
| 24                   | Elise Hardiker       | 53:38  | 34:18 | 19:20 | 28:59 | 28:59 | 16:47   | 17:31   | 5      | 0     | 5     |
| 25                   | John Becroft         | 53:49  | 53:04 | 0:45  | 24:12 | 49:35 | 26:12   | 26:52   | 5      | 0     | 5     |
| 26                   | Ken Smith            | 55:41  | 47:26 | 8:15  | 22:28 | 41:52 | 23:23   | 24:03   | 5      | 0     | 5     |
| 27                   | Jason Rees           | 56:49  | 28:54 | 27:55 | 20:44 | 22:11 | 14:38   | 14:16   | 5      | 0     | 5     |

# Hobbos Handicap - September 2025 - 361st Running

| Pos               | Name                    | Finish | Time  | Start | PB    | AGPB  | Split 1 | Split 2 | Points | Bonus | Total |
|-------------------|-------------------------|--------|-------|-------|-------|-------|---------|---------|--------|-------|-------|
| <b>Ineligible</b> |                         |        |       |       |       |       |         |         |        |       |       |
| 1                 | Magnus Vainys           | 50:36  | 18:56 | 31:40 | 18:48 | 18:48 | 9:24    | 9:32    | 10     | 0     | 10    |
| 2                 | Dean Crowley            | 50:01  | 19:46 | 30:15 | 20:01 | 20:01 | 9:47    | 9:59    | 10     | 0     | 10    |
| 3                 | Simon Anderson (Pram)   | 51:22  | 20:17 | 31:05 | 18:26 | 18:26 | 9:57    | 10:20   | 10     | 0     | 10    |
| 4                 | Abby Speakman           | 50:11  | 21:11 | 29:00 | 20:26 | 20:45 | 10:38   | 10:33   | 10     | 0     | 10    |
| 5                 | Graeme Dewerson         | 52:27  | 21:32 | 30:55 | 19:09 | 19:17 | 10:30   | 11:02   | 10     | 0     | 10    |
| 6                 | Olly Rees               | 50:24  | 21:39 | 28:45 | 21:37 | 21:37 | 10:46   | 10:53   | 10     | 0     | 10    |
| 7                 | Nick Tavendale          | 50:22  | 22:22 | 28:00 | 17:12 | 17:12 | 11:05   | 11:17   | 10     | 0     | 10    |
| 8                 | Wieger Vos              | 50:18  | 24:58 | 25:20 | 25:04 | 25:04 | 12:11   | 12:47   | 10     | 0     | 10    |
| 9                 | Mark Letman             | 53:19  | 25:19 | 28:00 | 21:51 | 21:51 | 12:33   | 12:46   | 10     | 0     | 10    |
| 10                | Will McKenzie           | 50:20  | 25:20 | 25:00 | 22:41 | 22:41 | 12:12   | 13:08   | 10     | 0     | 10    |
| 11                | Shona Tudge             | 51:05  | 26:05 | 25:00 | 25:21 | 25:21 | 12:43   | 13:22   | 10     | 0     | 10    |
| 12                | Simone Trigger          | 50:37  | 26:37 | 24:00 |       |       | 12:01   | 14:36   | 10     | 0     | 10    |
| 13                | Anna Anderson (Pram)    | 49:29  | 26:59 | 22:30 | 27:50 | 27:50 | 13:15   | 13:44   | 10     | 0     | 10    |
| 14                | Cat McRae               | 48:20  | 28:05 | 20:15 | 27:35 | 27:35 | 14:15   | 13:50   | 10     | 0     | 10    |
| 15                | Owen Dewerson           | 50:57  | 28:47 | 22:10 | 28:19 | 28:19 | 13:59   | 14:48   | 10     | 0     | 10    |
| 16                | Di Williamson           | 50:51  | 28:51 | 22:00 | 28:50 | 28:50 | 14:29   | 14:22   | 10     | 0     | 10    |
| 17                | Jarvis John             | 49:30  | 29:30 | 20:00 | 30:36 | 30:36 | 14:52   | 14:38   | 10     | 0     | 10    |
| 18                | Victoria Hartos         | 50:31  | 30:01 | 20:30 |       |       | 15:00   | 15:01   | 10     | 0     | 10    |
| 19                | Sarah Trigger           | 50:37  | 30:37 | 20:00 |       |       | 14:49   | 15:48   | 10     | 0     | 10    |
| 20                | Millie Dewerson         | 54:28  | 32:28 | 22:00 | 28:27 | 28:27 | 15:13   | 17:15   | 10     | 0     | 10    |
| 21                | Freya Rees              | 48:10  | 35:00 | 13:10 | 33:47 | 33:47 | 17:13   | 17:47   | 10     | 0     | 10    |
| 22                | Dominique Tanner (Walk) | 51:32  | 45:32 | 6:00  | 48:52 | 48:52 | 22:59   | 22:33   | 10     | 0     | 10    |
| <b>Guests</b>     |                         |        |       |       |       |       |         |         |        |       |       |
| 1                 | Ivy Kaye                | 49:30  | 29:30 | 20:00 | 30:36 | 30:36 | 14:52   | 14:38   | -      | 0     | -     |
| 2                 | Carey Dewerson          | 56:13  | 40:43 | 15:30 |       |       | 19:51   | 20:52   | -      | 0     | -     |

Results are displayed in Finishing order for the Greenwich Cup, and by Elapsed time otherwise.



# Trail Runners Are Awesome by Cat Muir

After last year's DNF in the 100km Surf Coast Century due to injury on the day (see last year's race report), I had unfinished business this year. While I wasn't ready for another 100km event just yet, I entered the 50km to take that injured foot for a test run.

As always trail events are best done with friends. Unfortunately, Di was out with an injury but was happy to crew & Mandy came down from Port Macq to join in the fun. \*\*\*Nothing like a little friendly footy rivalry.

The forecast: 17-degrees, not much wind & virtu-



ally no rain. The conditions were perfect! We started on the beach in the medium paced wave of the 50km runners & were on our way before 7am.

Sand, trail, views for miles! We came up the hill to the first aid station at 10kms. Uh Oh, say I to Mandy. I've lost my phone!!! Hmm it appears I didn't do up the zipper on my vest somewhere between 7 & 9kms & it fell out....



Mandy offered to run back with me to look for it, but I decided it was best left in the hands of the universe. I wasn't keen to potentially add on another 2 – 6kms to the run!

We left a message at the aid station to ask the sweeps to keep an eye out for it + Di & Zac to let them know it was MIA. They rang said phone until the lovely Harry answered it; his mate who was

running in a relay team had picked it up! This is one of the many reasons why trail runners are awesome! They always stop & check on you if you are looking worse for wear (or lost) & collect your dropped items as they crack out amazing runs themselves!

After being reunited with my lost property at the 25km mark/Torquay aid station, a quick thank you, a shoe & sock change & a restock of snacks we were back on the trails for the 2<sup>nd</sup> half of our adventure. This half has a lot more single track (virtually no sandy beach running).



Before we knew it, we were back in Anglesea at the finish line enjoying the accomplishment that comes with setting out to achieve an awesome adventure.

The Surf Coast Century event is well run, close to home & you can train on the trails the event is held on. Besides the 50 & 100km solo events, you can run the 100km as a relay in teams of 2, 3 or 4 people.

If this is something you'd like to do next year, please see our trail coach Luke Beck next time you are at the track & have a chat! You don't have to run the whole way; you can run & hike; & of course there is plenty of snacking to be done as you enjoy the trails (& a little lost property collecting).



***Whose idea WAS it?***



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# Hobbos Greenwich and Ted Joy Cups 2025

## Current Standings - Greenwich Cup

| Place | Name                | Jan  | Feb  | Mar  | Apr  | May  | Jun  | Jul  | Aug  | Sep  | Oct | Nov | Dec | Best Eight | Notes | Total Runs |
|-------|---------------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|-----|-----|-----|------------|-------|------------|
| 1.    | Eero Keranan (Walk) | 26   | 32   | 26   | 29   | 28   | 29   | 32   |      | (20) |     |     |     | 222        | n     | 7          |
| 2.    | Rob Falloon (walk)  | 10   | 21   | 31   | 32   | 23   | 31   | 31   | 25   |      |     |     |     | 204        | n     | 8          |
| 3.    | Jac Wainright       | 10   | 21   | 29   | (20) | 31   | 27   | 26   |      | 10   |     |     |     | 174        | n     | 7          |
| 4.    | Jason Rees          | 29   | 31   | 30   |      |      | 28   | 29   |      | 5    |     |     |     | 152        | n     | 6          |
| 4.    | Michael Musgrove    | 18   | 19   | 17   | 31   | 11   | 6    | 14   | 19   | 23   |     |     |     | 152        | n     | 9          |
| 6.    | John Gray           | 12   | 5    | 12   | 21   | 12   | (20) | 18   | 19   | 22   |     |     |     | 136        | n     | 8          |
| 7.    | Anastasia Aldred    | 30   | 20   | 23   | 18   |      |      | 17   | 27   |      |     |     |     | 135        | n     | 6          |
| 8.    | Kevin Aldred        | (20) |      | 6    | 18   | 27   | 21   | 20   | 8    |      |     |     |     | 120        | n     | 6          |
| 9.    | Cain Speakman       | 27   | 7    |      | 10   | (20) | 10   |      | 7    | 30   |     |     |     | 111        | n     | 6          |
| 10.   | Anna Bovdis         | 32   |      | 7    | (20) | 17   | (10) | (10) | 14   |      |     |     |     | 110        | n     | 4          |
| 10.   | Matt Loader         | 5    | 5    | 10   | (20) | 10   | 10   | 5    | 29   | 21   |     |     |     | 110        | n     | 8          |
| 12.   | Kaia Morris         | 23   | 21   | 27   |      |      | 32   |      | 5    |      |     |     |     | 108        | n     | 5          |
| 13.   | Brian Armstrong     | 9    | 26   |      | 12   | 24   | (20) | 5    | 5    | 5    |     |     |     | 106        | n     | 7          |
| 14.   | Leigh Kelly         | 13   | 7    | 27   | 27   | 10   | (20) |      |      |      |     |     |     | 104        | n     | 5          |
| 15.   | Ken Smith           | 10   | 5    | 23   | (20) | 9    | 17   | 5    | 5    | 5    |     |     |     | 94         | n     | 8          |
| 16.   | David Walker (walk) | 10   | 10   |      | 10   | 32   |      | 30   |      |      |     |     |     | 92         | n     | 5          |
| 17.   | Peter Buissink      | (20) |      | (10) | (10) | (10) | (10) | (10) | (10) | (10) |     |     |     | 90         | n     | 0          |
| 18.   | Michael Slee (walk) | 5    | 5    | 12   | 5    | 12   | 13   | 17   | (20) | 5    |     |     |     | 89         | n     | 8          |
| 19.   | Mario Valastro      | 5    | 20   | 11   |      | 26   |      | (20) | 6    |      |     |     |     | 88         | n     | 5          |
| 20.   | Andrew Scardino     |      |      | 10   | (20) | 10   | 10   | 26   | 10   |      |     |     |     | 86         | n     | 5          |
| 21.   | Rae Carter          | 26   | 29   | 5    | (20) |      | 5    |      |      |      |     |     |     | 85         | n     | 4          |
| 22.   | Mick Beasley        | (20) | (10) | (10) | (10) | (10) |      | (10) | (10) | (10) |     |     |     | 80         | n     | 0          |
| 23.   | Belinda Fithie      | (20) | 5    | 5    | 5    | 5    | 8    |      | 10   | 16   |     |     |     | 74         | n     | 7          |
| 23.   | Diane Donoghue      | (20) | 6    |      | 5    | 20   | 8    | 10   |      | 5    |     |     |     | 74         | n     | 6          |
| 25.   | Graham Edwards      |      | 17   | 22   | 23   | 6    |      |      |      | 5    |     |     |     | 73         | n     | 5          |
| 26.   | Melissa Rutze       |      |      | (20) | 10   | 5    | 5    |      | 14   | 18   |     |     |     | 72         | n     | 5          |
| 27.   | Bronwyn Rowleson    |      |      |      | 10   | (20) | 14   | 26   |      |      |     |     |     | 70         | n     | 3          |
| 27.   | Freya Rees          | 10   | 10   | 10   | 10   | 10   | 10   | 10   |      | 10   |     |     |     | 70         | n     | 8          |
| 27.   | Will McKenzie       |      |      | (20) | (10) | (10) | (10) | (10) |      | 10   |     |     |     | 70         | n     | 1          |
| 30.   | Michael Reif        |      |      | 10   | 25   | 29   |      | 5    |      |      |     |     |     | 69         | n     | 4          |
| 31.   | Anna McAlister      | 10   |      | 10   |      | 25   |      |      | 23   |      |     |     |     | 68         | n     | 4          |
| 32.   | Elise Hardiker      |      |      | 10   | 10   | (20) | 14   | 8    | 5    |      |     |     |     | 67         | n     | 5          |
| 33.   | Rachel Kealy        |      | (20) | 5    | 5    | 5    | 17   |      | 12   |      |     |     |     | 64         | n     | 5          |
| 34.   | Linda Viberg        |      |      |      | 10   | 10   |      | 10   | 32   |      |     |     |     | 62         | n     | 4          |
| 35.   | Neil Speakman       | (20) |      | 8    | 8    |      | 5    | 5    | 9    | 6    |     |     |     | 61         | n     | 6          |
| 36.   | Clare Beaumont      | 10   | 10   | 10   | 10   | (20) |      |      |      |      |     |     |     | 60         | n     | 4          |





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| Place | Name                    | Jan | Feb  | Mar  | Apr | May  | Jun  | Jul  | Aug  | Sep  | Oct | Nov | Dec | Best Eight | Notes | Total Runs |
|-------|-------------------------|-----|------|------|-----|------|------|------|------|------|-----|-----|-----|------------|-------|------------|
| 36.   | Olly Rees               | 10  | 10   | 10   | 10  |      |      |      | 10   | 10   |     |     |     | 60         | n     | 6          |
| 38.   | Jimmy Dwyer             | 10  |      |      |     | 5    | (20) |      |      | 19   |     |     |     | 54         | n     | 3          |
| 39.   | Mike Newby              |     |      |      |     | 10   | 10   | 10   | 10   | 22   |     |     |     | 52         | n     | 4          |
| 40.   | William Hart            |     |      |      |     | 10   | 10   | 10   | 21   |      |     |     |     | 51         | n     | 4          |
| 41.   | Cat McRae               |     |      |      | 10  |      | 10   | (20) |      | 10   |     |     |     | 50         | n     | 3          |
| 41.   | Lois Speakman           |     |      | 10   |     |      | (20) |      | (10) | (10) |     |     |     | 50         | n     | 1          |
| 41.   | Ray Barnard             | 5   | 5    | 5    | 5   | 5    | 5    | 5    | (20) |      |     |     |     | 50         | n     | 6          |
| 41.   | Tara Fairbrother        |     |      | 10   | 9   | 21   |      | 5    |      | 5    |     |     |     | 50         | n     | 7          |
| 45.   | John Becroft            | 7   |      | 5    | 26  |      |      | 5    |      | 5    |     |     |     | 48         | n     | 5          |
| 46.   | John Horan (Pram)       | 10  | 10   | 10   | 10  | 17   |      |      |      |      |     |     |     | 47         | n     | 4          |
| 46.   | Melanie Griffin         | 13  |      | 11   |     | 18   |      | 5    |      |      |     |     |     | 47         | n     | 4          |
| 48.   | Laura Perree            |     |      | 10   | 10  | 10   | 25   |      |      |      |     |     |     | 45         | n     | 3          |
| 48.   | Terry Pearce            |     |      | 5    | 20  |      |      | (20) |      |      |     |     |     | 45         | n     | 2          |
| 50.   | Peter Whyte             |     | 5    | 5    | 6   | 5    | 5    | 13   |      | 10   |     |     |     | 44         | n     | 6          |
| 51.   | Helen Vaxevanis         |     | (20) | 5    |     | 11   |      |      |      | 5    |     |     |     | 41         | n     | 3          |
| 52.   | Anna Anderson (Pram)    | 10  |      | (20) |     |      |      |      |      | 10   |     |     |     | 40         | n     | 2          |
| 52.   | Lauren Scardino         |     |      |      | 10  | 10   | 10   | 10   |      |      |     |     |     | 40         | n     | 4          |
| 52.   | Magnus Vaisnys          |     |      | 10   | 10  |      |      | 10   | 10   |      |     |     |     | 40         | n     | 4          |
| 52.   | Savannah Scardino       |     |      |      | 10  | 10   | 10   | 10   |      |      |     |     |     | 40         | n     | 4          |
| 56.   | Helen Haralambous       |     |      |      |     | 5    | 30   |      |      |      |     |     |     | 35         | n     | 2          |
| 56.   | Jane Whitmore           |     |      |      |     | 5    |      | 5    | (20) | 5    |     |     |     | 35         | n     | 3          |
| 56.   | Lizzie Stranks          | 5   | 30   |      |     |      |      |      |      |      |     |     |     | 35         | n     | 2          |
| 59.   | Susan Walker            | 5   | 5    |      | 5   | 5    |      | 11   |      |      |     |     |     | 31         | n     | 5          |
| 60.   | Ann Girvin              |     | 10   |      |     | (20) |      |      |      |      |     |     |     | 30         | n     | 1          |
| 60.   | Harry Scardino          |     |      |      |     | 10   | 10   | 10   |      |      |     |     |     | 30         | n     | 3          |
| 60.   | Karen Hayes             |     |      |      |     |      | 10   |      | (20) |      |     |     |     | 30         | n     | 1          |
| 60.   | Lana Woodhouse          |     |      | (20) | 10  |      |      |      |      |      |     |     |     | 30         | n     | 1          |
| 60.   | Mark Letman             |     |      |      |     |      | (20) |      |      | 10   |     |     |     | 30         | n     | 1          |
| 60.   | Simon Anderson (Pram)   | 10  |      | 10   |     |      |      |      | 10   |      |     |     |     | 30         | n     | 3          |
| 66.   | Stuart Tennant          |     | 15   |      | 5   | 5    |      |      |      |      |     |     |     | 25         | n     | 3          |
| 67.   | John Danaher            | 5   |      |      |     | 9    |      | 9    |      |      |     |     |     | 23         | n     | 3          |
| 68.   | Brandon Bergin          | 10  |      | 10   |     |      |      |      |      |      |     |     |     | 20         | n     | 2          |
| 68.   | Dean Crowley            |     |      |      |     |      |      | 10   |      | 10   |     |     |     | 20         | n     | 2          |
| 68.   | Di Williamson           |     |      |      |     |      | 10   |      |      |      |     |     |     | 20         | n     | 2          |
| 68.   | Dominique Tanner (walk) |     |      |      |     |      | 10   |      |      | 10   |     |     |     | 20         | n     | 2          |
| 68.   | Gaye Crichton           |     | 10   | 10   |     |      |      |      |      |      |     |     |     | 20         | n     | 2          |

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| Place | Name                     | Jan | Feb  | Mar | Apr | May | Jun | Jul | Aug | Sep | Oct | Nov | Dec | Best Eight | Notes | Total Runs |
|-------|--------------------------|-----|------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|------------|-------|------------|
| 68.   | Kevin Mahon              |     |      |     | 10  | 10  |     |     |     |     |     |     |     | 20         | n     | 2          |
| 68.   | Kieran Leonard           |     |      | 5   | 5   | 5   |     | 5   |     |     |     |     |     | 20         | n     | 4          |
| 68.   | Michael Williams         |     | (20) |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     | 20         | n     | 0          |
| 68.   | Ron Van der Heide        |     |      | 10  |     |     | 10  |     |     |     |     |     |     | 20         | n     | 2          |
| 68.   | Shona Tudge              |     |      |     |     | 10  |     |     | 10  |     |     |     |     | 20         | n     | 2          |
| 68.   | Stuart O'Neil            |     | (20) |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     | 20         | n     | 0          |
| 68.   | Tamara Petrov            |     | (20) |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     | 20         | n     | 0          |
| 68.   | Wieger Vos               |     |      |     |     |     | 10  |     | 10  |     |     |     |     | 20         | n     | 2          |
| 81.   | Sarah Lowe               |     | 11   | 5   |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     | 16         | n     | 2          |
| 82.   | Philippe Delecheneau     |     |      |     | 5   | 5   |     | 5   |     |     |     |     |     | 15         | n     | 3          |
| 83.   | Vanessa Coutts           | 8   | 5    |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     | 13         | n     | 2          |
| 84.   | Abby Speakman            |     |      |     |     |     |     | 10  |     |     |     |     |     | 10         | n     | 1          |
| 84.   | Adam Clarke              |     |      |     |     | 10  |     |     |     |     |     |     |     | 10         | n     | 1          |
| 84.   | Angus Dart               |     |      |     |     |     | 10  |     |     |     |     |     |     | 10         | n     | 1          |
| 84.   | Dominique Tanner         | 10  |      |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     | 10         | n     | 1          |
| 84.   | Graeme Dewerson          |     |      |     |     |     |     | 10  |     |     |     |     |     | 10         | n     | 1          |
| 84.   | Jalyn Bigarelli          |     |      | 10  |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     | 10         | n     | 1          |
| 84.   | Janelle Taylor           |     | 10   |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     | 10         | n     | 1          |
| 84.   | Jarvis John              |     |      |     |     |     |     | 10  |     |     |     |     |     | 10         | n     | 1          |
| 84.   | John Horan               |     |      |     |     | 5   |     |     |     |     |     |     |     | 10         | n     | 2          |
| 84.   | Karli Smith              |     |      | 10  |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     | 10         | n     | 1          |
| 84.   | Kieran Leonard (Chillie) | 10  |      |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     | 10         | n     | 1          |
| 84.   | Lorrimer Humphreys       |     |      |     |     |     |     | 10  |     |     |     |     |     | 10         | n     | 1          |
| 84.   | Lucas Van Merkestein     |     |      |     |     |     |     | 10  |     |     |     |     |     | 10         | n     | 1          |
| 84.   | Malcolm Powers           |     |      |     |     |     |     | 10  |     |     |     |     |     | 10         | n     | 1          |
| 84.   | Michael Palmers          |     |      | 10  |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     | 10         | n     | 1          |
| 84.   | Millie Dewerson          |     |      |     |     |     |     |     | 10  |     |     |     |     | 10         | n     | 1          |
| 84.   | Nick Tavendale           |     |      |     |     |     |     |     | 10  |     |     |     |     | 10         | n     | 1          |
| 84.   | Owen Dewerson            |     |      |     |     |     |     |     | 10  |     |     |     |     | 10         | n     | 1          |
| 84.   | Riain Casey              |     |      |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     | 10         | n     | 1          |
| 84.   | Sam Flockhard            |     |      |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     | 10         | n     | 1          |
| 84.   | Sarah Trigger            |     |      | 10  |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     | 10         | n     | 1          |
| 84.   | Sebastian Bigarelli      |     |      |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     | 10         | n     | 1          |
| 84.   | Simone Trigger           |     |      |     |     |     |     | 10  |     |     |     |     |     | 10         | n     | 1          |
| 84.   | Thomas Williams          |     |      |     |     | 10  |     |     |     |     |     |     |     | 10         | n     | 1          |
| 84.   | Tim Bigarelli            |     |      |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     | 10         | n     | 1          |



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## Current Standings - Greenwich Cup



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|-------|------------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|------------|-------|------------|
| 84.   | Victoria Hartos  |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     | 10         | n     | 1          |
| 110.  | Ashley Sanderson |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     | 5          | n     | 1          |

### Ted Joy Notes

- e: Eligible
- p: Provisionally eligible if 40 runs/walks are completed in 2025
- n: Cannot complete 40 runs/walks in 2025
- a: Did not complete enough runs/walks in either of 2023 or 2024

Points for Helping are shown in brackets - e.g. (20)

Number of records: 110



Eero



Rob



Jac

## Greenwich Cup

The main story of the month is that with **Rob Falloon** being away (he misses October as well), and Jason Rees injured, **Eero** was able to take his mandatory assist without losing ground - and even solidified his position.

With Rob still having to do his assist, Eero is both ahead on the scoreboard and has one more opportunity to score big points this year. Which he'll need, because in his last run he made the rookie error of winning, and that's never good for the handicap next time out.

Jac Wainright is in third, and a strong last quarter could see her in contention for the

Cup. Jason Rees is also in the frame, but has ruled himself out due to injury. At least someone in the club listens to **Abby's** advice! No-one else can catch Eero or Rob, but the third step of the podium is very much in play.



Jason

**Commentary by Handicapper Mick Beasley, & he should know!**



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Abby Speakman from Symmetry Physiotherapy Williamstown (84 Douglas Parade) 

### Join us for Regular Group Training Sessions and Social Runs

- Track sessions every Tuesday morning (6:00am start) and Tuesday evening (6:15pm start) at Newport Park Athletic Track (or as advised), led by AA accredited coaches, including warm-up
- Hill sessions on Thursdays mornings and evenings, check Facebook
- Sunday morning Long Runs for building endurance, check Facebook
- Sunday morning Newport Lakes laps & Occasional Sunday morning Social Well-being runs

### Join us for Regular Handicap Competitions, which suit all abilities

- Hobbos traditional monthly 5km Handicap for runners and walkers, on the last Saturday of every month, check-in by 7:40am. Walkers and early starters arrive early for 7:50am start.
- 1500m track events held around Christmas, Easter and Spring, and 5000m track time trial
- Winter 3000m cross-country event at Newport Lakes
- Two mile "Phar Lap" event, Monday before Melbourne Cup at the old Williamstown Racecourse
- Daylight Saving Series, consisting of some of the above events, all followed by free BBQ's

**For latest training and event details, check our Facebook group page as schedules and availability can change at short notice**

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# The October handicap is #362

**How many have you done?**

