

HARROGATE HARRIERS

YOUNG ATHLETES TRAINING GROUP NEWS

29TH AUGUST 2005

Arguably the District's most successful team of the year is Harrogate Harriers' Young Athletes League squad of track and field athletes who in the short space of three seasons of being together have been promoted to the North of England Premier Division. This is quite a remarkable achievement brought about by a club that this season has relied on teamwork and the commitment of, on average per meeting, 45 very enthusiastic athletes. Next year they will compete in a division that comprises of the sixteen best age-grouped teams in the Region from a League of eighty six athletics clubs.

Harrogate Harriers would like to thank all the athletes who represented the club in the Young Athletes League especially **Hannah Spruce, Caroline Lambert, Katherine Coupland, Daniel Coupland, Ravi Patel, Lara Green, Georgina Large, Tobin Carey-Williams, Tom Hart, Axel Brown, Fran Lyth, Hannah Brown and Robert Coupland**. These thirteen athletes competed at all five meetings and should be congratulated for their commitment to the team.

The sixty seven training group members who represented the Young Athletes League team were as follows:-

Under 13's Girls.

Hannah Spruce, Rebecca Turner, Katherine Coupland, Caroline Lambert, Nicki Gears, Anna Grundy, Zoe Rowbotham and Derrian Bradder.

Under 13's Boys.

Ravi Patel, Fraser Birtwistle, Freddie Procter, Mika Brown, Daniel Coupland, Lyle MacFarlane, Alex Rhodes, Elliott Kilvington, Dominic Brown and Keiran McFarlane.

Under 15's Girls

Grace Chattaway, Hannah Grayson, Sarah Pritchard, Lara Green, Georgina Large, Laura Biscoombe, Amy Hill, Abigail Needham, Olivia Shackley-Charles and Rebecca Gilmour.

Under 15's Boys

Chris Windle, Tobin Carey-Williams, Duncan Birtwistle, Tom Hart, Axel Brown, Ed Thomas, Alex Bell, Alex McFarlane, Josh Eves, James Pearson, Fergus Gray and Phil Barry.

Under 17's Girls

Fran Lyth, Hannah Brown, Sarah Hickling, Henri Carradine, Sarah Shaw, Alex Culshaw, Charlotte Donnelly, Kirsty Atkinson and Gabriella Ireland.

Under 17's Boys

John Greenwood, Mark Pettit, Adam Pawson, Rob Seymour, Josh Needham, Tim Wainwright, Tom Rushton, Tristan Laight, Rob Coupland, Chris Raske, Ryan MacFarlane, Jack Merrell, Sean Rushton, Matt Hallam, Ashley Williams, Alex Harper and Tom Miller.

Twenty nine athletes represented the club in the National Junior League as follows:-

Junior Ladies

Fran Lyth, Hannah Brown, Sally Hudson, Alex Culshaw, Charlotte Donnelly, Katy Leigh, Sarah Shaw, Sarah Hickling and Issy Rowe.

Junior Men

John Greenwood, Mark Pettit, Ed Clementson, Chris Raske, Scott Hubbocks, Tim Wainwright, Frank Beresford, Matt Hallam, Sean Rushton, Ashley Williams, Tom Rushton, Tristan Laight, Jack Merrell, Ryan MacFarlane, Stuart Johnstone, Brendan Roberts, Adam Pawson, Rob Seymour, Alex Harper and Tom Miller.

Hannah Brown, Charlotte Donnelly and **Matt Hallam** competed in all four League meetings with Hannah winning an Athlete of the Meeting award at Trafford in the final match of the season.