HAMPSHIRE ATHLETICS

Inter Counties Cross Country Championships 10th March 2012

Report by Colin Goater, Manager for Under 20 Men and Senior Men

Perhaps not the strongest teams we have had at this most prestigious televised event but without doubt a most successful and enjoyable day for all those concerned. I have received many 'thank you' emails and calls from runners and parents alike.

The races I was involved were the first and last of the day with the Under 20s being the first. In that event Harvey Dixon of AF&D was narrowly beaten into 4th place. Our other scorers were Tom Bennett (Andover) 50th, Matt Gordon and Chris Spinks both Havant AC 62nd and 64th, Martin Campbell (Southampton) 171st and Toby Power (New Forest Runners) 185th. The team finished 6th overall.

In the Senior event we finished 2nd team with 9 to score. Individual positions Harry Carter (CofP) 63rd, Neil Phillips (AFD) 92nd, Mark Greenwood (AFD) 93rd, Alex Teuten (CofP) 98th, Matt Revier (Southampton) 115th, Mike Cummings (Herne Hill Harriers) 116th, Matt Bennett (Southampton AC) 133rd, Matt West (Winchester &D) 140th, Matt Hibbert (Southampton AC) 142nd

Another interesting statistic from CAU, the organizing group, was that Hampshire were the 5th County overall taking into consideration all the event age groups.

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