

Victorian 10k – Marske :- Sunday 25th July 2010

Warm and cloudy conditions welcomed the runners to the 4th of 5 races in the Marske series, and the 2nd and final 10K of the series, the other 10K being the Mermaid, which is ran over the same testing course. Our very own **Andy Chadfield** took the victory, much to the delight of his team-mates. He finished in a fantastic time of 33.55. Five seconds behind him was **James Askew** of Newton Aycliffe A.C., just missing out on the victory on the final sprint. Twelve seconds behind Askew, finishing in 34.12 was **Richard Bellamy** of North York Moors. **Phil Teece** was 2nd for Marsh House and 6th Overall, finishing in 36.16. Phil unfortunately just missed out by 11 seconds on 1st place in the Over 50's veterans category, but finished 2nd in the category. **Andy Davies** was on his last race of the year and he went out with a bang, finishing 14th and in 37.44. **Andy Marr** was 4th for Marsh House and finished in a time of 39.11. **Paul Hughes** (who is on his first race back from injury) stuck with Marr most of the way but just fell back a little bit towards the end but still finished in a great time of 39.27. **John Gray** was the only other Marsh House man under 40 minutes, and he finished 5 seconds under that milestone. **The Marsh House men picked up 5 prizes for their efforts, with Andy Chadfield winning the 1st place prize, Phil Teece for being the 2nd Over 50's Vet, Andy Marr and Paul Hughes for Over 40's Vet prizes and Andy Chadfield, Phil Teece and Andy Davies for winning the team prize. Well Done!!!!!!**

New Marske's **Sharon Thornton** was the winner of the women's event, and she won in a time of 41.15. **Kate Aspin**, also of New Marske, was 2nd in a time of 43.22. **Sarah Jane Oates** of Crook was not too far behind Aspin, finishing in 43.55. Top of the Marsh House women Over 40's league currently is **Susan Walker**, and she opened that lead up a bit as she was the first Marsh House woman over the line, in a time of 50.40. **Fiona Sharpe** came 2nd for the Marsh House women, as she finished in 53.12. Over 50's Marsh House league leader **Linda Coull** was next, she came home in 55.54. Coull was followed in by **Helen Johnston** (56.14) and **Tara Oxley** (58.24)

Category Results for Marsh House runners

Male:

1st: Andy Chadfield

2nd: Andy Davies

3rd: Gary Carter

M40:

1st: Andy Marr

2nd: Paul Hughes

3rd: John Gray

4th: Ken Stephenson

5th: Peter Greenan

6th: Craig Lightfoot

7th: Nick Lawton

8th: Mark Grace

M50:

1st: Phil Teece

M60:

1st: Richard Scott

Female:

1st: Tara Oxley

2nd: Kelly McGough

F35:

1st: Fiona Sharpe

2nd: Helen Johnston

3rd: Karen Hutchinson

F45:

1st: Susan Walker

2nd: Linda Coull

3rd: Gail Woodhouse

4th: Alison Rae

**I'd just like to thank Our Marsh House runners
on behalf of the club for running, and well
done!!!!!!!**

**Coming Soon: New guess the runner feature
for the Billingham Marsh House website**