

THE FOURTH WEYBAC WALK Sunday 29th June 1980

Although the route was identical with previous Weybac Walks and the weather much the same as last year all "records" were broken this year. The number of finishers was more than the total of entrants in any earlier event, the shortest time was below two hours for the first time and a lady took less than three hours. One characteristic of this event is that all who start reach the end although one or two people overshot the finish and had to come back and a few others felt an urge to enter the sports ground early and having missed the only sign on the route wandered around searching for the finishing point. Whilst not a race the finishing list has been made out in order of "time taken" and the two minutes late start (10.02) and even later starters start times taken into account.

With the finishing point being close to both the Wey Navigation and the termination of the Basingstoke Canal it would be possible to alternate the Weybac Walk with a biennial trek along the other waterway to give variety. I would be pleased to hear from people with views on this.

Alan Blatchford

LIST OF FINISHERS AND TIMES

1. Ashley Saunders	LDWA	1.55	38. Eirene Alden	Byfleet	4.14
2. Peter Short	BAe	2.06	38. Bryon Alden	LDWA	4.14
2. Mark Pickard	LDWA	2.06	40. Barbara Blatchford	"	4.18
4. Ralph Henley	LDWA	2.15	41. David Thomas	S.NavS	4.19
4. Martyn Greaves	LDWA	2.15	42. John Blanchard	London	4.24
6. Des Yeabsley	BAe	2.25	43. Ronald Eaton	LDWA	4.25
7. Pauline Shore	LDWA	2.35	43. Joyce Eaton	LDWA	4.25
7. David Shore	LDWA	2.35	43. Val. Challenger	LDWA	4.25
9. David Allen	LDWA	3.05	43. Judy Loryman	BAIWS	4.25
10. Colin Mathews	Guildford	3.20	47. Sue Woodhouse	MM Maniac	4.26
11. Philip Barrow	Ewell	3.39	47. Jeff Boyman	MM Maniac	4.26
11. Colin Barnett	Oxted	3.39	49. Ian Bartram,	Biggleswade	4.36
13. Paul Gaston	LDWA	3.41	49. Paul Walker,	Biggleswade	4.36
14. Brian Penfold	RAF	3.47	51. David Coleman,	Guildford	4.37
15. Kate Challenger	LDWA	3.50	51. Anne Coleman,	Guildford	4.37
15. Dave Challenger	LDWA	3.50	53. Keith Littlejohns	P.O.	4.39
15. John Westcott	LDWA	3.50	53. Stephen Hearn	P.O.	4.39
18. David Street	BAe	3.52	53. David Linn	P.O.	4.39
18. Mike Etherton	Camberley	3.52	53. Ronald James	P.O.	4.39
20. Carol Woffington	O-O	3.53	53. Robert Dearing	P.O.	4.39
20. Carl Woffington	O-O	3.53	53. Brian Cook	P.O.	4.39
20. Noel Cassidy	Bolton	3.53	53. Graham Blanchard	London	4.39
23. Roger Chapman	RAF	3.55	60. Olive Matterface	LDWA	4.42
24. Catherine Cassidy	BAe	3.57	61. Anna Fergusson	LDWA	4.43
25. Clive Shrubsole	Mitcham	3.59	62. Jill Lazenby	LDWA	4.44
26. Roy Mathews	Guildford	4.01	62. Tina Farrant	Epsom	4.44
26. Tim Richards	Guildford	4.01	62. Jim Williams	LDWA	4.44
26. Douglas Quine	Guildford	4.01	65. Christine Varndell,	Oxted	4.46
29. Ray Hankin	BAe	4.03	65. Kenneth Varndell	Oxted	4.46
29. Bob Brazier	BAe	4.03	87. Jacqueline Caukwell	S.N.	4.56
31. Stephen Alden	LDWA	4.05	67. Susan Thomas	S.N.	4.56
31. Christine Challenger	"	4.05	67. Paul Thomas	S.N.	4.56
33. Guy Blanchard	London	4.06	70. Bill Parkes	MM Maniacs	4.57
34. Linda Stacy	Littlehmtn	4.08	70. Joyce Fort	Camberley	4.57
35. Martin Rider	Peterboro	4.09	70. Jack Fort	Camberley	4.57
36. Rosemary Allen	Worc Pk	4.12	70. Viv Leigh	MM Maniacs	4.57
36. Bob Allen	LDWA	4.12			

70. Dorothy Smith	LDWA	4.57	107. Redford Liford	LDWA	5.37
70. David Smith	LDWA	4.57	107. Oliver Dixon	ESAMS	5.37
76. Les Brown	MM Maniacs	5.03	109. Janet Sayers	Fleet	5.39
77. Chris. Butterfield	LDWA	5.06	109. Richard Mills	MM Mans	5.39
77. Andy Butterfield	LDWA	5.06	109. Helen McNally	MM Mans	5.39
79. John Hoyle,	Merstham	5.08	109. Iain Brock	MM Mans	5.39
79. Nicholas Hoyle	Merstham	5.08	109. Susan Strange	Fleet	5.39
79. David Hyde	MM Maniacs	5.08	114. Mark Ward	Biggs'wade	5.41
79. James Cadman	BAe	5.08	114. Steven Price	Biggs'wad.	5.41
79. James C Cadman	BAe	5.08	114. Derek Edwards	Chi-Sq S	5.41
79. Ingrid Cadman	BAe	5.08	114. Philip Edwards	Chi-Sq	5.41
85. Jean Morrison	BAIWS	5.09	114. Mary Edwards	Chi-Sq S	5.41
85. Bill Wright	BAIWS	5.09	114. Jonathan Edwards	Chi-Sq	5.41
85. Len Casemore	BAIWS	5.09	114. Andrew Edwards	Chi-Sq S	5.41
88. Rosemary Ford	BAIWS	5.10	121. John LeWarne	Biggs'wad.	5.43
89. Karen Smout	Cranleigh	5.11	122. Ian Wallace	Lingfield	5.49
89. Sue Kapadia	Cranleigh	5.11	122. Chris. Ramsay	Lingfield	5.49
91. Dominique Ligtenberg	ND	5.12	122. Jon. Wildman	Lingfield	5.49
92. Helen Behan	Bagshot	5.15	125. Joanne Smith	Lingfield	5.51
92. Peter Behan	Bagshot	5.15	125. Michael Wallis	Lingfld	5.51
94. Anne Blanchard	London	5.20	125. Trevor Crohurst	L'field	5.51
94. William Blanchard	London	5.20	125. Roger Cowsill	Lingfld	5.51
96. David Coates	LDWA	5.25	129. Michael Holland	YHA	5.57
96. Ralph Coates	Guildford	5.25	130. Ian Hamilton	Christ'ch	6.29
98. Joan Wrenn	Guildford	5.33	130. Robert Hamilton	LDWA	6.29
98. Pat Arnold	Guildford	5.33	132. Bob Rose	Fleet	6.35
98. Mike Smith	RAF	5.33	132. John Pye	Yateley	6.35
98. Gill Smith	Hi Wycombe	5.33			
98. Stuart Skelton	Buckingm	5.33			
103. Sue Unwins	Aldershot	5.34			
104. Ian Mayne	BAe	5.38			
104. Carol Kovacevic	BAe	5.38			
104. George Kovacevic	BAe	5.38			

+2 more

BAe = British Aerospace

LDWA = Long Distance Walkers Assoc.

P.O. = Post Office, Chichester

BAIWS = British Airways International Walking Section

STATISTICS

	<u>1980</u>	<u>1979</u>	<u>1978</u>	<u>1977</u>
entries	158	112	113	120
finishers	135	83	82	99
fastest	1.55	2.10	2.10	2.05
slowest	6.35	6.16	5.59	6.56

People who have completed all WEYBAC WALKS to date

Ron EATON, Colin MATHEWS, David COLEMAN, John LeWARNE,

OTHER WALKS within 50 miles of Weybridge

BRITISH AIRWAYS WALKS	Sat 6th Sept	15½M	and 24½M	at Windsor
CHILTERN MARATHON	Sun 14th Sept	25M		at Marlow
GUILDFORD BOUNDARY WALK	Sun 21st Sept	22M		at Guildford

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