

1953 Track CHAMP
HELSEBY

PROGRAMME.

Event 1.—Senior Hammer Throw.

N.C.A.A. Standard 140 ft.

Best Championship performance—53 ft. 10 ins., S. C. Forbes in 1952.

1. S. C. Forbes (Holder) Stockport Harriers.
2. D. Bestwick Stockport Harriers.
3. F. A. Royle Winnington Park R.C.
4. S. Hardman Port Sunlight A.C.

1st..... 2nd..... 3rd..... Distance 64 ft. 8½ ins.

Event 2.—Senior High Jump.

N.C.A.A. Standard 5 ft. 9 ins.

Best Championship performance—5 ft. 8 ins. by L. H. Platt in 1952.

1. L. H. Platt (Holder) Wallasey A.C.
2. G. R. Gleave Army.
3. T. Ridley Crewe C. and A.C.
4. H. S. Goodwin Wirral A.C.
5. T. C. Chambers Stockport Harriers.
6. D. Ryan Christies A.C.
7. M. W. Smith Wallasey A.C.

1st..... 2nd..... 3rd..... Height 5 ft. 9 ins.

Event 3.—Junior Long Jump.

N.C.A.A. Standard 20 ft.

Best Championship Performance—20 ft. 10½ ins. by D. A. Crump in

1951. Holder: A. Reeve (Wirral A.C.)

1. A. L. Blackhurst Birkenhead School.
2. T. P. Williams Birkenhead School.
3. E. W. Mason Old Mancunians A.C.
4. R. F. Clark King's School, Chester.
5. J. A. McGill Wallasey A.C. 20 ft. 10½ ins.

1st..... 2nd..... 3rd..... Distance 18 ft. 4½ ins.

Event 4.—Senior Discus.

N.C.A.A. Standard 120 ft.

Best Championship performance—110 ft. 1½ ins. by D. Ryan in 1952.

1. D. Ryan (Holder) Christies A.C.
2. D. J. Byrne Liverpool University A.C.
3. J. W. Cook Wirral A.C.
4. J. O'D. Mays U.S.A.
5. C. W. Gee Wallasey A.C.
6. D. Bestwick Stockport Harriers.
7. J. E. Wrathall Winnington Park R.C.
8. R. H. Owen Wallasey A.C.
9. J. L. Hallett Birkenhead School
10. S. Hardman Port Sunlight A.C.

1st..... 2nd..... 3rd..... Distance 120 ft. 3 ins.

104' 9" 103' 10½"

48 108
52 106
64 107
72 7

Event 5.—Senior 100 Yards. Heats.

No Standard.

Best Championship performance—10.1 secs. by E. Ashley in 1951.

(First Two in each Heat to run in Final).

1.	R. A. Brennan (Holder)	East Cheshire Harriers.
2.	N. E. Williams	Unattached.
3.	G. Barnes	R.A.F.
4.	E. Rogers	Crewe C. and A.C.
5.	T. C. Chambers	Stockport Harriers.
6.	L. T. Platt	Wallasey A.C.
7.	R. E. Heath	Wirral A.C.
8.	M. Spiers	Crewe C. and A.C.
9.	F. Smith	Crewe C. and A.C.
10.	C. A. Jolley	Liverpool Pembroke.
11.	E. Ashley	Sutton Harriers.
12.	E. J. A. Haygarth	Liverpool University A.C.
13.	J. A. Rowlands	Port Sunlight A.C.
14.	J. Sandiford	East Cheshire Harriers.
15.	H. I. Parker	Achilles.
16.	K. E. Carter	B.I.C.C. Helsby.
17.	I. Keith	Liverpool Pembroke.
18.	B. Jones	Sale Harriers.
19.	J. P. Brookes	Stockport Harriers.
20.	A. T. Jameson	Liverpool Pembroke.
21.	K. C. Woodward	Manchester Y.M.C.A. Harriers.
22.	J. H. Prydderch	Wallasey A.C.

HEAT 1. 1st 1 2nd 12 3rd..... Time 10.2 secs.

HEAT 2. 1st 5 2nd 8 3rd 14 4th 17 5th 21 Time.....

HEAT 3. 1st 3 2nd 7 3rd 10 4th 13 5th 18 Time 10.2 secs.

1st..... 2nd 13 3rd..... Time 10.7 secs.

Event 6.—Senior One Mile.

N.C.A.A. Standard 4 mins. 26 secs.

Best Championship performance—4mins. 21.2 secs. by J. F. Green in 1951.

1.	G. Knott (Holder)	Stockport Harriers.
2.	D. Caldwell	Sale Harriers.
3.	R. C. Smedley	Crewe C. and A.C.
4.	B. J. Parker	Wirral A.C.
5.	G. Haynes	East Cheshire Harriers.
6.	J. F. Green	Wirral A.C.
7.	J. Reay	Sale Harriers.
8.	G. Knowles	B.I.C.C. Helsby.
9.	J. Lancaster	Manchester A. and C.C.
10.	A. Callaghan	Stockport Harriers.
11.	N. Ainsworth	Wirral A.C.
12.	B. G. Smith	Sale Harriers.
13.	W. J. Hinds	Wirral A.C.
14.	D. J. Standfast	Wallasey A.C.
15.	D. R. Coleman	Manchester A. and C.C.

1st..... 2nd 7 3rd 12 4th..... Time 4 mins. 32.6 secs.

Event 7.—Ladies' High Jump.

N.C.W.A.A. Standard 4 ft. 9 ins.

Best Championship performance—4ft. 7ins. by D. Potter in 1952.

1. D. Potter (Holder) ... Stockport Harriers.
2. C. E. Walker ... Stockport Harriers.
3. M. J. Collings ... Wallasey A.C.
4. P. Moston ... Stockport Harriers.
5. W. Fletcher ... Wirral A.C.

1st. 3 2nd. 5 3rd. 4 4th. 8 5th. 1 Height 4 ft. 9 ins.

Event 8.—Junior 100 Yards. Heats.

No Standard.

(First Three in each Heat to run in Final).

Best Championship performance—10.2secs. by E. Ashley in 1949 and

M. Spiers in 1951. Holder: J. A. Rowlands (Port Sunlight A.C.)

1. R. B. Tomkins ... Crewe C. and A.C.
2. R. J. Blease ... Crewe C. and A.C.
3. A. L. Blackhurst ... Birkenhead School.
4. W. J. Bell ... Birkenhead School.
5. K. H. Done ... Port Sunlight A.C.
6. A. Lunt ... Unattached.
7. A. Garner ... Manchester G.S.
8. E. Fish ... Stockport Harriers.
9. G. H. Smith ... Stockport Harriers.
10. T. J. K. Hanna ... Wirral A.C.

HEAT 1.

1st. 2 2nd. 3 3rd. 5 4th. 6 5th. 8

Time 10.4 secs.

HEAT 2.

1st. 4 2nd. 7 3rd. 10 4th. 20

Time 10.8 secs.

Event 9.—Senior 440 Yards. Heats

N.C.A.A. Standard 52secs.

(First Three in each Heat to run in Final).

Best Championship performance—51.3 secs. by H. I. Parker in 1952.

1. ~~H. I. Parker (Holder)~~ ... ~~Achilles.~~
2. R. W. Taylor ... Stockport Harriers.
3. R. Bullerton ... Wallasey A.C.
4. R. E. Heath ... Wirral A.C.
5. ~~N. F. Williams~~ ... ~~Unattached.~~
6. J. Forrest ... Stockport Harriers.
7. F. J. Hickford ... Manchester A. and C.C.
8. E. Mountain ... East Cheshire Harriers.
9. F. A. Royle ... Winnington Park R.C.
10. L. Keth ... Liverpool Pembroke.
11. B. Jones ... Sale Harriers.
12. ~~H. Faith~~ ... ~~Stockport Harriers.~~

HEAT 1.

1st. 4 2nd. 6 3rd. 3

Time 55.2 secs.

HEAT 2.

1st. 11 2nd. 7 3rd. 8

Time 56 secs.

Event 10.—Senior Putting The Shot.

N.C.A.A. Standard 41 ft.

Best Championship performance—39ft. 7½ins. by D. J. Byrne in 1951.

1.	D. J. Byrne (Holder)...	Liverpool University A.C.
2.	C. W. Gee	Wallasey A.C.
3.	D. Bestwick	Stockport Harriers.
4.	J. P. Brookes	Stockport Harriers.
5.	D. H. Jones	Winnington Park R.C.
6.	S. Hardman	Port Sunlight A.C.
7.	A. J. D. Porteous	Liverpool University A.C.
8.	K. C. Woodward	Manchester V.M.C.A. Harriers.
9.	S. C. Forbes	Stockport Harriers.

1st..... 1 and 7 3rd..... Distance 42 3½ ft.ins.

38'0½" 37'2"

Event 11.—Senior 100 Yards Final.

COMPETITORS

1. 12. 6 17. 3 13

1st..... 6 and 1 3rd..... 12 Time 10.4 secs.

Event 12.—Senior 120 Yards Hurdles.

N.C.A.A. Standard 16.2 secs.

Best Championship performance—16.5secs. by B. O. Kivlin in 1949
and W. H. Clephan in 1950.

1.	D. Ryan (Holder)	Christies A.C.
2.	J. W. Cook	Wirral A.C.
3.	J. E. Wrathall	Winnington Park R.C.
4.	M. W. Smith	Wallasey A.C.
5.	J. G. Reader	Liverpool University A.C.
6.	B. Jordon	Stockport Harriers.

1st..... 4 and 5 3rd..... 3 Time 17.1 secs.

Event 13.—Senior Pole Vault.

N.C.A.A. Standard 11 ft.

Best Championship performance—11ft. 6ins. by J. Perry in 1948.

Holder: E. Frivold (Manchester University).

1.	W. G. Lomas	Winnington Park R.C.
2.	M. E. Morrell	Wirral A.C.
3.	R. A. Simcock	Birkenhead School.
4.	W. J. Britton	Birkenhead School.
5.	G. J. Marrs	Birkenhead School.
6.	M. W. Smith... ..	Wallasey A.C.

1st..... 1 and 2 3rd..... 3 Height 9 9 ft.ins.

9'6" 9'0"

Event 16.—Senior Long Jump.

N.C.A.A. Standard 21 ft. 6 ins.

Best Championship performance—23ft. 6ins. by L. H. Platt in 1951.

1.	L. H. Platt (Holder) ...	Wallasey A.C.
2.	C. R. Hewson ...	Wallasey A.C.
3.	A. T. Jameson ...	Liverpool Pembroke.
4.	A. Reeve ...	Wirral A.C.
5.	B. O. Kivlin ...	Wallasey A.C.
6.	A. J. D. Porteous ...	Liverpool University A.C.
1st	1	
2nd	4	
3rd	5	
	Distance	21 ft 10 ins.

20' 3 1/2 18' 7 1/2

Event 17.—Junior High Jump.

N.C.A.A. Standard 5 ft. 5 ins.

Bset Championship performance—5ft. 5ins. by J. G. Moores in 1949.
Holder: A. Potter (M.A. and C.C.)

1.	T. Ridley ...	Crewt A. and C.C.
2.	H. S. Goodwin ...	Wirral A.C.
3.	A. L. Blackhurst ...	Birkenhead School.
4.	P. M. George ...	Birkenhead School.
5.	R. F. Clark ...	King's School, Chester.

1st	1	2nd	2	3rd	4	Height	5 ft. 7 ins.
			5' 5"	5' 4"			

Event 18.—Senior Javelin.

N.C.A.A. Standard 165 ft.

Best Championship performance—170ft. 5ins. by M. E. Morrell in 1952.

1.	M. E. Morrell (Holder)	Wirral A.C.
2.	T. C. Chambers ...	Stockport Harriers.
3.	C. W. Gee ...	Wallasey A.C.
4.	D. Ryan ...	Christies A.C.
5.	D. Bestwick ...	Stockport Harriers.
6.	R. H. Owen ...	Wallasey A.C.
7.	R. A. Lancaster ...	Wallasey A.C.
8.	S. C. Forbes ...	Stockport Harriers.

1st	1	2nd	5	3rd	4	Distance	173 ft. 2 ins.
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152' 7 1/2 151' 9

49 125' 7" 55 119' 3 1/2 6 8 7

Event 19.—Junior 100 Yards. Final.

COMPETITORS	2. 5. 8. 7. 4. 20.				
1st.....	1	2nd.....	2	3rd.....	5
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Event 20.—Senior Three Miles.

N.C.A.A. Standard 14 mins. 50 secs.

Best Championship performance—14 mins. 58.3 secs. by J. F. Green in 1952.

1.	J. F. Green (Holder)...	Wirral A.C.
2.	A. Bleasley ...	Crewe A. and A.C.
3.	H. T. Clayton ...	Stockport Harriers.
4.	B. J. Parker ...	Wirral A.C.
5.	C. A. Kenny ...	Birkenhead.
6.	D. Rowlands ...	Wirral A.C.
7.	A. Leigh ...	East Cheshire Harriers.
8.	K. Hall ...	Wirral A.C.
9.	Tom A. Smith ...	East Cheshire Harriers.
10.	I. Roberts ...	Wirral A.C.
11.	J. G. Banner ...	Wirral A.C.
12.	A. Callaghan ...	Stockport Harriers.
13.	B. G. Smith ...	Sale Harriers.
14.	G. Wilford ...	Crewe C. and A.C.
15.	D. H. Jones ...	Winnington Park R.C.
16.	G. R. Harvey ...	Winnington Park R.C.
17.	D. J. Standfast ...	Wallasey A.C.
18.	P. D. Smith ...	Sale Harriers.

1st..... 9th 2nd..... 18 3rd..... 13 Time 14 mins. 59.8 secs.

Event 21.—Senior Hop, Step and Jump.

N.C.A.A. Standard 42 ft. 6 ins.

Best Championship performance—45 ft. 3 ins. by L. H. Platt in 1952.

1.	L. H. Platt (Holder)...	Wallasey A.C.
2.	J. O'D. Mays ...	U.S.A.
3.	M. E. Morrell ...	Wirral A.C.
4.	A. Reeve ...	Wirral A.C.
5.	B. O. Kivlin ...	Wallasey A.C.

1st..... 1 2nd..... 4 3rd..... 3 Distance 43 ft. 7½ ins.

Event 22.—Junior 440 Yards.

N.C.A.A. Standard 54 secs.

Best Championship performance—55.5 secs. by J. G. Reader in 1952.

Holder: J. G. Reader (Birkenhead School).

1.	B. Fox ...	Sale Harriers.
2.	R. J. Blease ...	Crewe C. and A.C.
3.	J. K. Billingham ...	Sale Harriers.
4.	E. J. Campbell ...	Liverpool Pembroke.

1st..... 2 2nd..... 1 3rd..... 3 Time 52.7 secs.

Event 23.—Junior Javelin.

N.C.A.A. Standard 150 ft.

Best Championship performance—184 ft. 10 ins. by M. E. Morrell in 1951.

51.	Holder:	K. F. Clark (Birkenhead School).
1.	R. B. Tomkins	 Crewe C. and A.C.
2.	R. A. Simcock	 Birkenhead School.
3.	M. R. Harding	 Birkenhead School.
4.	A. Backhouse	 Stockport Harriers.
5.	R. F. Clark	 King's Schol. Chester.
6.	G. H. Cashin	 Birkenhead School.

1st..... 2 2nd..... 5 3rd..... 6 Distance 158 ft. 10½ ins.

152 N.C.A.A. Standard

148 3" 144 5E

Event 24.—Senior 880 Yards.

N.C.A.A. Standard 2 mins.

Best Championship performance—2mins, by R. C. Smedley in 1952.

1.	R. C. Smedley (Holder)	Crewe C. and A.C.
2.	J. Forrest	Stockport Harriers.
3.	F. J. Hickford	Manchester A. and C.C.
4.	E. Mountain	East Cheshire Harriers.
5.	J. Reay	Sale Harriers.
6.	H. Firth	Stockport Harriers.
7.	W. K. Tasker	Sale Harriers.
8.	R. Booth	Crewe C. and A.C.
9.	W. J. Hinds	Wirral A.C.
10.	G. Knott	Stockport Harriers.

1st..... 7 2nd..... 3 3rd..... 1 Time 2 mins. 4.2 secs.

Event 25.—Senior 440 Yards. *MURPLES*

N.C.A.A. Standard 59 secs.

(First Two in each Heat to run in Final).

Best Championship performance—61secs, by M. R. Potter in 1950.
Holder; J. W. Arnold (Crewe C. and A.C.)

1.	R. A. Lancaster	...	Wallasey A.C.
2.	J. Forrest	...	Stockport Harriers.
3.	J. E. Wrathall	...	Winnington Park R.C.
4.	M. E. Morrell	...	Wirral A.C.
5.	J. W. Arnold	...	Crewe C. and A.C.
6.	F. A. Royle	...	Winnington Park R.C.
7.	J. G. Reader	...	Liverpool University A.C.
8.	B. Jordan	...	Stockport Harriers.
9.	B. O. Kivlin	...	Wallasey A.C.

HEAT 1. 1 4 5
1st..... 5 2nd..... 1 3rd..... 4 Time 62.4 secs.

HEAT 4. 2 7 8
1st..... 2 2nd..... 7 3rd..... Time 63 secs.

HEAT 3. 3 6
1st 3 2nd 3 3rd 3 4th 3 5th 3 6th 3
Event 26.—Ladies' 100 Yards. Final.

COMPETITORS
1st..... 1 2nd..... 5 3rd..... 14 Time 11.6 secs.

in 1919.

Time 24.2 sec.

Time 23.9 secs.

Time 73.8 secs.

X 110 X

- Moston;
P. Gee;

- S. Jones;

- Hardman;
A. Brash;

- Rimmer;
Voas.

3.6 gecs

4.6

9. *ibid.*

Event 30.—Senior Two Mile Steeplechase.

N.C.A.A. Standard 11 mins.

Best Championship performance—11mins. 1.6secs. by F. T. Holt in 1950.

1.	L. Fitzsimmons	(Hldr.)	Stockport Harriers.
2.	D. Caldwell	...	Sale Harriers.
3.	H. T. Clayton	...	Stockport Harriers.
4.	P. N. Frost	...	East Cheshire Harriers.
5.	F. Crunbie	...	East Cheshire Harriers.
6.	F. Powell	...	Stockport Harriers.
7.	R. Pierce	...	Stockport Harriers.
8.	G. R. Harvey	...	Winnington Park R.C.
9.	W. J. Hinds	...	Wirral A.C.
10.	P. D. Smith	...	Sale Harriers.
11.	H. Morris	...	Crewe C. and A.C.
12.	D. R. Coleman	...	Manchester A. and C.C.

1st.....4.....2nd.....10.....3rd.....1.....Time 10 mins 58.4 secs.

Event 31.—Senior 220 Yards. Final.

COMPETITORS	1	9	13	14	16	17	
1st.....	13			14			Time 23.2 secs.
2nd.....						9	
3rd.....							

Event 32.—Senior 440 Yards Hurdles. Final.

COMPETITORS	2	3	5				
1st.....	2						Time 62.8 secs.
2nd.....		3				2	
3rd.....							

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TRAVELLING.

Trains from L'pool (Lime St.): 12.45 arrives Helsby 1.34
 Trains from L'pool (Lime St.): 1.30 arrives Helsby 2.24
 Trains from Rock Ferry 12.45 arrives Helsby 1.29
 Trains from Rock Ferry 1.42 arrives Helsby 2.19
 Trains from M'ch'ter (Exch'ge) 11.55 arrives Helsby 12.57
 Trains from M'ch'ter (Exch'ge) 1.35 arrives Helsby 2.37
 Buses from Warrington Every 15 minutes on the Hour.
 Buses from Chester Every 20 minutes on the Hour.