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5th.September 2022.

Dear Colleague,

Midland Area Race Walking Association.
Winter League Series 2022.

This year's winter league races will be held on the following dates: -

- 1) Sunday 9th.October 2022 – Stourport Sports Club.**
- 2) Sunday 20th November 2022. – New College, Cycle Circuit, Leicester.**
- 3) Sunday 11th.December 2022. – Coventry (Science Park, Warwick University)**

The Winter league series will be judged as 'B' race category.

Entry fees are as follows:

Competitors – 17yrs & over - £5.00 **per race** which includes 50p R.W.A. Levy per meeting

Competitors – Under 17yrs & over 11yrs – £4.00 **per race** and which includes 50p R.W.A.

Levy per meeting

Competitors – Under 11yrs - £1.50 per race.

I am requesting that all clubs try to ensure that even if a member is only intending to compete in either one or two races in the series, that he or she is entered on the attached entry form.

This will enable a race number to be issued at the outset, rather than on the day of the race and so prevent a late minute rush for an allocation of a race number.

It should be mentioned, that if a competitor decides to enter at the last minute on the day of the race, then he or she cannot be guaranteed a 'handicap allowance'.

Your co-operation in helping avoid this problem does not occur before races, would be much appreciated.

Please note:

- a) Men and women are allowed to compete at 5km, 10km or both. To qualify for an individual medal in the 5km series, a walker must walk three races at 5km. For an individual 10km medal the walker must walk 3 races at 10km. This also applies to all distances in the Series.**
- b) Doubling up at the same meeting should be allowed but the athlete must pay for each race.**
- c) For handicap purposes it would be helpful if athletes stipulate their intended distance/s when entering the series. Prior notice should be given to the handicapper if an athlete subsequently wishes to race a distance which she/he had not already indicated.**
- d) Volunteers as Marshals are significantly required for all three meetings.**

**Entry fees may be paid either by cheque (payable to Midland Area RWA) or by Bank Transfer.
Details: Account Name – Race Walking Association Midland Area)**

Sort Code – 54-21-13

Acc.No. 01013130

Ref – Wlge 2022.

Cash payments should be avoided please if at all possible.

Entries please by Wednesday 5th.October 2022.

Entries for 10km and 5km races will receive a handicap allowance as in previous years

Regarding the 1st Series at Stourport Sports Club, please do not encroach onto the cycle circuit before 12noon as the circuit has only been booked from 12noon.

Each entrant will only pay for what race they compete in and in any one of the series.

Basically I need to put race numbers to names save last minute panic.

I accept they may be the odd late entry but would wish to avoid if at all possible.

Please also ensure that the athletes' competition/registration number is included on the entry form.

If I can assist with directions to either of the venues then please contact me for details.

Start Times – 1st Series at Stourport Sports Club Only. (Start times for Series 2 and 3 will be notified in due course)

12.50pm – 5km (Men & Women & U/17's)

1.35pm - 1km (Boys and Girls U/11yrs)

1.35pm - 2km (Boys and Girls U/13yrs)

1.35pm - 3km (Boys and Girls U/15yrs)

1.55pm - 10km (Men and Women)

Regards, Glyn Jones

Competition Secretary.

Midland Area RWA.
Midland Winter League Series 2022
9th.October 2022, 20th.November 2022, 11th.December 2022.
Entry Form.

Name.....Surname.....

Address.....

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Post Code.....

Telephone Number.....

e-mail address.....

Date of Birth.....

Gender(M/F).....

EA Affiliated Club.....

Competition Licence

Number.....County.....

I wish to enter (please tick) 10km [] 5km [] 5km U/17 []

Under 15 Girls 3km [] Under 15 Boys 3km []

Under 13 Girls 2km [] Under 13 Boys 2km []

Under 11 Boys 1km [] Under 11 Girls 1km []

Declaration: I agree to abide by UKA rules and accept that
neither the race organisers, partner organisations nor sponsors
will be held responsible for any injury or illness nor damage to
or loss of property resulting from this event. (Parent to sign if
athlete under 15)

Signed.....Date.....