



BSCC junior road racing results page

Race name: Criterium Victoria Park Wk17 2009

Date: 18.03.09

Junior Girls Handicap – 4 laps 5.2km Handicap

1st Rochelle Liston

2nd Emily Oliver

3rd Olivia Oliver

Fastest time: Emily Oliver 10:39

Junior Women's U13/15 – 5 laps 6.5km Scratch

1st Emma Bilston

2nd Molly Hegert

3rd Victoria Snibson

Junior Boys U9– 15 - 4 laps 5.2km Handicap

1st Connor Carey

2nd Craig Firman

3rd Nicholas White

Fastest time: Nicholas White

Junior Men U15/17 – 5 laps 6.5km Handicap

1st Angus Lyons

2nd Allistair Kane

3rd Harry Martin

Fastest time: Jasper Foley 10:23

Race description:

The gender groups were separated into four distinct male / female categories male and the racing was as close. The young juniors had to cover an extra lap, Rochelle Liston and Emily Oliver rode to within seconds of their estimated race times, Liston 13:00 came in at 12:54 and Oliver 10:35 finished in 10:39. Liston managed to hold out from limit as Oliver claimed her sister Olivia on the run to the line, Emily taking second and fastest. Alice Marquand made her debut ride with the club and finished just outside the placings.

The Junior A and B girls raced a scratch race, with the group content to circulate. Josie Gamble was the new girl on the block and was looking comfortable until the last two laps as the pace increased slightly. In a big sprint to the line Emma Bilston moved round the bunch from the turn and sprinted for the line. Molly Hegert shadowing Bilston missed out by centimetres settling for second with Victoria Snibson getting in front of the rest for third.

Nine riders made up the Junior U9-15 field. Connor Carey performed better than anticipated holding out by several seconds over Craig Firman and Nicholas White. White took third and fastest.

With the field finishing within one minute of each other the Junior A grade handicap was an intense charge for the finish from the outset. Angus Lyons from midfield set about his task early and was strong. He claimed four outlying riders to be sitting ahead being chased and the laps counted down. He took the win putting in a gap on Allistair Kane with Harry Martin who finished in a close sprint to the line. Jasper Foley from scratch took the time coming in at sixth.