

# Warwick Athletics and Cross Country Club



## ANOTHER GREAT TERM FOR WUAXC!

### UPCOMING EVENTS:

#### WEEK 3

Circle  
Reunion Race

#### WEEK 8

Circle  
Skool Dayz

#### WEEK 9

Kasbah Social  
Circle

#### WEEK 10

Pub Jog  
Sports Ball  
Circle

Term 2 was another busy term for WUAXC filled with competitions, training, socials, charity work and lots of fun!

Here are our top highlights:

- Both the men's and women's teams finished 16<sup>th</sup> at BUCS XC and Alex Brecker finished in 4<sup>th</sup> place, one of our best results to date!
- Completed the last 2 cross country races of the Birmingham and Midlands leagues; women's team finished in 7<sup>th</sup> place whilst the men's team placed 14<sup>th</sup> overall in division one.
- Around 60 members attended our annual XC awards dinner, which was also joined by 3 representatives from one of our sponsors, Belvoir Student lettings. Oliver Poulain and Emily Denham won the prestigious Captain's best XC athlete awards.
- The indoor season was successful with members competing at the SEAA Indoor Championship and BUCS Indoors; our best result came from James McCarthy who won a silver medal in the 1500m race.
- Outdoor Season began with Leicester Open with 19 athletes competing across both track and field disciplines.
- This term, WUAXC also took part in the Running and Swimming Grid Challenge running just under 1500km between the 28 participants.
- Our 24hr Charity Relay Run, organised by our women's jogging captain, Lauren Hawkins, was a success again this year, raising £1,729.76 for British Blind Sport, which Santander generously matched.
- With 4 circles, 2 freshers' socials, 1 skool dayz, 1 pub jog, 1 fresher's meal, 1 BUCS night out, 1 women's jogging smack night and 1 indication our socials calendar was jam packed!
- To complete the term in style, 24 of our athletes jetted off to Prague for an epic foreign tour, organised by Evie McD!

Term 3 has kicked off to a great start with 3 of our athletes making finals at BUCS outdoors; James McCarthy finished 6<sup>th</sup> in the 1500m final, Kate Pattison finished 9<sup>th</sup> in the discus final and Franklin Ngemoh finished 3<sup>rd</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> in the 800m and 100m Wheelchair races respectively.

We also had a good turnout at the sunny Silverstone 10km on Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> May with 10 of our athletes competing! Good luck to all of WUAXC in their exams and roll on the rest of term 3, which set to be a great end to a great year!

