

BMAF Road Race Report November 2024- November 2025.

I had intended to step down from the post of BMAF Road Race Sec due to personal reasons, but no one came forward to be inducted into the post. Fortunately, life has been good to me, so I am in a much better position to carry on. Hence, I am looking forward to another year of challenges to attempt to provide best service to those who wish to participate in BMAF Road Race Championships.

I am pleased to report back that entries from 5k to the Half Marathon have increased with Marathon numbers remaining consistent. The Finance Team have asked me to make a profit from Road Races to support development. On evaluation this has been the case but not at the expense of athletes who pay an affiliation fee to the BMAF. This was the policy I inherited nearly 14 years ago when I signed up, and I am pleased to declare that except for one Championship affiliated members have never had to pay a levy on top of the standard race entry fee. I am passionate that this should continue as there are other ways of making a small profit.

I will as always try to spread the Championships across the UK and promote on dates where there are no conflicts of interest.

I must stress that I only succeed with the help of others and it is good to have colleagues who I can turn to in time of need. I must record thanks to NEMAA, VETS AC ,SCVAC ,all who assisted at Mallory Park , Archie Jenkins, Peter Kennedy, Alex Rowe, Annie Fernandez Jones, Trevor Edgley and Family , Gavin Stephens, Adrian Essex and Rob Lands without their support I would fail.

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