

Wirral AC Cross Country Champions (Male)

The Club has held a Senior Mens Championships since its first season, 1911-12, with the exception of five years during World War 1 and one year in World War 2. Championships for Juniors (U21) and Youths (U18) began in the late 1920s, for Boys (U16) in season 1952-53 and for Colts (U14) in season 1968-69. In season 1974-75, all age groups moved down 1 year to the presently used age groups of U13, U15, U17 and U20. The club minute book and annual reports for 1924-1931 has been lost and the winners shown here for that period have been obtained from articles in the Birkenhead News (Birkenhead Central Reference Library)

	<i>Colts (U14)</i>	<i>Boys (U16)</i>	<i>Youths (U18)</i>	<i>Juniors (U21)</i>	<i>Senior Men</i>
1911-12					Archie Bethel
1912-13					Sep Francom
1913-13					Sep Francom
1914-15					WW1 - no race
1915-16					WW1 - no race
1916-17					WW1 - no race
1917-18					WW1 - no race
1918-19					WW1 - no race
1919-20					Sep Francom
1920-21					Sep Francom
1921-22					Sep Francom
1922-23					Arthur Francom
1923-24					Arthur Francom
1924-25					Arthur Francom
1925-26					Arthur Francom
1926-27					Arthur Francom
1927-28				First Champs	Arthur Francom
1928-29			First Champs	William Laing	Sam Dodd
1929-30			?	?	Sam Dodd
1930-31			?	?	Sam Dodd
1931-32			G Griffiths	Cyril Dodd	Sam Dodd
1932-33			Jack Jackson	C Bowker	Sam Dodd
1933-34			Harold Wilson	Squire Davey	Sam Dodd
1934-35			G Mitchell	H Wynne	Sam Dodd
1935-36			A J Taylor	W Turner	Sam Dodd
1936-37			W Kenyon	Tommy Sloan	Brian Calveley
1937-38			W Kenyon	Tommy Sloan	Squire Davey
1938-39			H Stannought	John Kay	Squire Davey
1939-40			Geoff Moss	H Stannought	Jimmy Mulheirn
1940-41			Geoff Moss	Norman Graves	WW2 - no race
1941-42			Charlie Pagan	Norman Graves	A J Taylor
1942-43			T Shimmins	Charles Pagan	Cyril Ellinson
1943-44			E Clarke	Charles Pagan	George Houghton
1944-45			Willie Banks	Jack Davies / Sam Wingate	George Houghton
1945-46			Walter Hinds	Willie Banks	Ken Hall

1946-47			William Devine	Willie Banks	Norman Graves
1947-48			William Devine	Willie Banks	John Kay
1948-49			Graham Torrible	Walter Hinds	John Kay
1949-50			Ken Rushton	Graham Torrible	Johnny Green
1950-51			Ken Rushton	Tom Welsh	Ken Hall
1951-52		First Champs	No winner	Maurice Morrell	Johnny Green
1952-53		Jim Roberts	Ken Scholes	Maurice Morrell	Johnny Green
1953-54		Terry Woodhouse	Pete Adams	Maurice Morrell	Walter Hinds
1954-55		Mal Gibson	Dave Jeffs	Rodney Jones	Maurice Morrell
1955-56		Frank Charters	Gordon Davies	Fred Eccleston	Maurice Morrell
1956-57		John Rogers	Bill Bennett	Dave Jeffs	Rodney Jones
1957-58		Trevor Hocking	William Reid	Harry Lund	Ken Hall
1958-59		D Crawshaw	John Rogers	Bill Bennett	Maurice Morrell
1959-60		Dave Rimmer	Gareth Adams	Bill Bennett	Martin Cranny
1960-61		Steve Drury	Dave Rimmer	Dougie Biddle	Bill Bennett
1961-62		Len Stapleton	John Nunnen	Brian Doyle	Dougie Biddle
1962-63		Tim Overington	Steve Drury	John Nunnen	Martin Cranny
1963-64		Tim Overington	Barry Irvine	Dave Rimmer	Martin Cranny
1964-65		Michael Hines	Barry Irvine	Peter Morris	Leo Carroll
1965-66		Joey Thistlewaite	Tim Overington	Rob Sly	Martin Cranny
1966-67		George Murphy	Brian Hadfield	Race discontinued	Martin Cranny
1967-68	First Champs	Paul O'Hare	George Murphy	/	Leo Carroll
1968-69	Mike Gallagher	Dave Jackson	George Murphy	/	Martin Cranny
1969[70	Geoff Currie	Mike Ryan	Dave Dutton	/	Leo Carroll
1970-71	Steve Edmunds	John Preston	Phil Nicholas	/	Tim Overington
1971-72	Laurie Lawlor	Peter Lawson	Mike Ryan	until new age	Doug Watson
1972-73	Edmund Dodd	Steve Edmonds	Paul Forster	groups were	John Myatt
1973-74	Adrian Twells	Mark Smith	Steve Edmunds	introduced in1974	Leo Carroll
	U13 Boys	U15 Boys	U17 Men	U20 Men	Senior Men
1974-75	Steve Hockenhull	Hugh Quinn	Mark Smith	Steve Edmunds	Leo Carroll
1975-76	Steve Wilkinson	Paul Griffiths	Mike Tunstall	Steve Edmunds	Leo Carroll
1976-77	Ikem Billy	Roy Heeney	Mike Tunstall	Eddie White	Dave Lindesay
1977-78	Dave Parker	Keith Caldwell	Ian Fitzpatrick	Mike Tunstall	Dave Lindesay
1978-79	Paul Watterson	Mike Capper	Dan Bintley	Mike Tunstall	Dave Lindesay
1979-80	John Robinson	Nick Tozer	Dan Bintley	Mike Tunstall	Dave Lindesay
1980-81	Mike Davies	John Robinson	Dave Robinson	Dan Bintley	Leo Carroll
1981-82	Mike Davies	John Robinson	Nick Tozer	Dan Bintley	Dave Lindesay
1982-83	Sean Kelly	David Jones	John Goodwin	Mike Capper	Dave Lindesay
1983-84	Nick Harvey	Richard Jones	Ian Lockett	Robbie Tudor	Dave Lindesay
1984-85	Nick Harvey	Mike King	Richard Jones	John Robinson	Ian McBain
1985-86	Rob Morgan	Mike King	Richard Jones	John Robinson	Peter Kilgallon
1986-87	John Atherton	Nick Harvey	Chris Ryan	John Robinson	Dave Lindesay
1987-88	Stephen Lamprell	M Davidson	Rob Evans	Seb Shepley	Ian McBain

1988-89	Dave Battle	Chris Yates	Lyndon McKeivitt	Simon McKeivitt	Ian McBain
1989-90	Andrew Gibson	William Green	Chris Yates	Simon McKeivitt	Ian McBain
1990-91	Chris Adamson	Dave Battle	Alan Woods	Simon McKeivitt	Robin Jones
1991-92	Jonathan Mather	Robbie Stewart	Dave Battle	Chris Yates	Robin Jones
1992-93	Michael Heath	David Fallon	Ben Reese	No Winner	Frank Kehoe
1993-94	Andy Brabin	Chris Lindesay	Chris White	Ben Reese	Mick McDevitt
1994-95	Andy Baddeley	Will Goudie	Gavin Marsden	Ben Reese	Mick McDevitt
1995-96	Simon Charlton	Will Goudie	Chris Lindesay	Mike Buntin	Alan Woods
1996-97	John Woodward	Stephen Edwards	Andy Brabin	Chris Lindesay	Peter Kilgallon
1997-98	Rory Smith	Mark Watson	Andy Brabin	Paul Howarth	Andy Beckett
1998-99	Ben Jones	Rory Smith	Leon Russell	Chris Lindesay	Pete Weatherhead
1999-00	James Absalom	Rory Smith	Mark Watson	Ben Cooke	Owen Hird
2000-01	Sam Nelson	Ben Jones	Mark Watson	Leon Russell	Phil Peerless
2001-02	Graeme Matthews	Jonny Mellor	No winner	Mark Watson	Mark Hulmston
2002-03	Tom Madden	Adam Peers	Jonny Mellor	Dave Yarwood	John Hunt
2003-04	Stephen Duckers	Tom Madden	Adam Peers	Leon Foster	Alan Woods
2004-05	Jon Breeze	Tom Madden	Adam Peers	Will Ferguson	Mark Hulmston
2005-06	Stephen Simpson	Jon Breeze	Tom Madden	Jordan Donnelly	John Hunt
2006-07	Max Jeffers	Sean Egan	Tom Madden	Will Ferguson	Mark Hulmston
2007-08	Conor Flanagan	Max Jeffers	Steve Duckers	Tom Madden	John Hunt
2008-09	Matt Westby	Max Jeffers	Andrew Gawne	Steve Duckers	Mark Hulmston
2009-10	Niall Flanagan	Nick Jones	Ben Costello	Sean Egan	Alan Woods
2010-11	Alex McBain	Dan Jarvis	Nick Jones	Ben Costello	Mark Hulmston
2011-12	Alex McBain	James Taylor	Dan Jarvis	Phil Robertson	Alan Woods
2012-13	Joe Wigfield	Alex McBain	Richard Evans	Phil Robertson	Alan Woods
2013-14	Arran Kearney	Michael Rooke	Will Patterson	Keiron Morgan	Phil Robertson
2014-15	Jacob Quarmby	Michael Rooke	James Taylor	Will Patterson	Phil Robertson