



## Pitsford Triathlon – Sprint Distance

1<sup>st</sup> May 2016

### Race Report

The inaugural Pitsford Triathlon – Sprint Distance race was contested on the chilly but beautiful morning of Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> May.

106 hardy triathletes took on the bracing 400m swim (shortened from 750m) in Pitsford Reservoir before tackling the 20.6km bike course and 5km run.

First out of the water was Mark Yeoman of Sigma Sport with Jacob Chapman from BJR right behind him. Yeoman left Chapman in T1 and returned for T2 still in the lead but with Tom Greeves from Rugby Triathlon Club and Benvenuto Baldelli of Savona Triathlon hot on his heels. Out on the run course it was Baldelli who asserted his dominance with the fastest run of the day (17:59) and he took the win in 1:02:13. Greeves put in a very solid 18:14 run split to



come through to take second spot in 1:03:07 leaving Yeoman just 5 seconds behind to complete the podium in third place (1:03:12). Colin Lewin put in the quickest bike split on the day (35:22) which seen him take 4<sup>th</sup> place overall.



The fastest swim of the day went to Lucy Nell from RAF Triathlon (6:09). Nell went on to dominate the women’s field and finish in 8<sup>th</sup> place overall in 1:06:12. Marie

Voice from BRAT was the fastest lady on the run course with a split of 19:34. This saw Voice in to 11<sup>th</sup> place overall and 2<sup>nd</sup> lady in 1:09:14 with Naomi Wright taking 3<sup>rd</sup> spot in 1:09:49.

Further back in the field many others fulfilled their own goals and challenges. There were a significant number of first time triathletes who completed their first open water triathlon with us – congratulations to them and we hope you continue to enjoy this journey called triathlon with us. Most importantly everyone enjoyed the race and finished safely with a smile on their face. We look forward to seeing many of you again for Pitsford Triathlon – Standard Distance on 17<sup>th</sup> July. We promise the water will be warmer by then.

<b>Top Three Men</b>		
<b>Position</b>	<b>Name</b>	<b>Time</b>
1	Benvenuto Baldelli	1:02:13
2	Tom Greeves	1:03:07
3	Mark Yeoman	1:03:12

<b>Top Three Woman</b>		
<b>Position</b>	<b>Name</b>	<b>Time</b>
1	Lucy Nell	1:06:12
2	Marie Voice	1:09:14
3	Naomi Wright	1:09:49

**Age Group Winners**

<b>Age Group</b>	<b>Male</b>	<b>Time</b>	<b>Female</b>	<b>Time</b>
20-24	Robert Gaskill	01:12:08	Olivia Matthews	01:16:36
25-29	Tom Greeves	01:03:07	Lucy Nell	01:06:12
30-34	Andrew Arnold	01:05:05	Naomi Wright	01:09:49
35-39	Pete Matthews	01:05:51	Sarah Brooker	01:18:12
40-44	Mark Yeoman	01:03:12	Julia Trapp	01:25:03
45-49	Benvenuto Baldelli	01:02:13	Sally Smith	01:17:18
50-54	Kieth Edwards	01:09:57	Pamela Homer	01:52:53
55-59	Stephen Taylor	01:15:25		
60-64	David Lasicow Pooley	01:19:00	Pauline Smith	01:59:28
65-69	David Girling	01:25:56		

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- 9 hour limit
- Chip Timed
- Very popular team prize 5 runners, one must be a lady
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- 07:30am First Wave
- Swim 1.5k - Bike 40k - Run 10k
- Three superb courses
- Commemorative Top and finish line picture for all finishers
- Entry Fee £55.00 (BTF members), £60.00 (unaffiliated)
- Why not enter both Pitsford Triathlons with our Discount Bundle

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- 08:00am First Swim Start
- Brilliant Club Team Event with a great atmosphere
- 3 person Team who all complete all 3 disciplines
- Swim 3 x 750m - Bike 3 x 20k - Run 3 x 5k
- Entry Fee £144 for the 3 x person team(BTF members)including VAT
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