



# A.C.E. Race Running Club Newsletter - Summer 2013



What fantastic weather we enjoyed this summer – read our latest news!

## Rotary Club of Ayr

We were delighted to be chosen by The Rotary Club of Ayr as one of the beneficiaries from their Annual Charity Golf Day & Dinner Dance. Despite fears that the wet weather would not abate, the day dawned hot & sunny and a fantastic day of golf was enjoyed at Belleisle. The entertainment continued at the Dinner Dance at night. Before dinner, a short presentation about the club was given to the guests, followed by dinner and much dancing the night away. The money raised has allowed us to order new bikes in much needed smaller sizes.



Our heartfelt thanks to The Rotary Club of Ayr and to everyone who supported the day.

## Competition News

After the first competition of the year took place in very wet & windy conditions we were all a bit worried.



However, things improved dramatically and we were able to finally dust off the shorts!. Club members attended events in Glasgow, Perth, Grangemouth and Wishaw as well as the more experienced Gavin, Hannah & Kayleigh travelling to England. The warm weather saw many new personal bests set including 4 for Abigail, 1 for Andrew, 2 for Jackson and 3 each for Kevan, Maykayla & Sam. Congratulations everyone and keep up the hard work. A special mention goes to William for taking part in his first competition where he put in excellent performances.

## Ayrshire Athletics Arena

Following the success of the Indoor festival in May, the club has been running a weekly session on a Wednesday night at the arena primarily aimed at those living in North & East Ayrshire.

## IWAS World Games

The 2013 IWAS World Games are being held in Stadskanaal, Holland from 14<sup>th</sup> – 22<sup>nd</sup> September. These Games are a senior event held every 2 years and are second only in stature to the Paralympics. Gavin & Kayleigh attended the last event in Sharjah in 2011. In addition to Gavin & Kayleigh, fellow club member Hannah will be competing on her first call up for Scotland. We wish them all a very successful and enjoyable trip.