

SOUTH CENTRAL ORIENTEERING ASSOCIATION JUNIOR SQUAD

REPORT TO SCOA COMMITTEE MEETING DECEMBER 2019

HIGHLIGHTS

- David Bunn took part in the Junior European Cup held in France. He ran in the sprint, long distance and relay.
- A number of JROS-sponsored events took place this period: Junior Inter-Regional Champs, Hawkshead weekend and the JROS AGM.
- There were also two British Schools events where SCJS athletes performed well:
 - British Schools Score Champs
 - Amelia Wing 1st Yr9 Girls
 - Natalie Wing 3rd Yr7 Girls
 - Maddie Woodcock 4th Yr7 Girls
 - British Schools Orienteering Champs
 - Adam Methven 1st Yr9 Boys
 - Amelia Wing 3rd Yr9 Girls
 - Maddie Woodcock 4th Yr7 Girls
 - Duncan Currie 4th Yr5 Boys
- David Bunn and Thomas Howell represented England in Northern Ireland at the annual Ward Junior Home Internationals (WJHIs).
- A significant number of SCOA Junior Squad athletes had excellent performances at the Southern Champs.
- A number of senior members left the squad to start university courses.

ACTIVITIES SEP – DEC 19

Date	Location	Coach/Comments
28/29 Sep	Cowms Rocks, Bamford Tankersley, Barnsley	JIRCS. See attached report
20 Oct	Burton Dassett	Athletes attended training organised by West Mids Junior Squad, enjoying the sunshine and learning about contours
2 Nov	New Forest	SCJS were invited to attend a training session organised by the East Mids Junior Squad – no athletes were available to attend
16 Nov	Holmbury Hill	SCJS were invited to attend a training session organised by the South East Junior Squad – Frank Townley attended
22-24 Nov	Hawkshead, Lakes	2 athletes and 2 coaches attended the JROS weekend centred on Hawkshead YHA. Training took place on Haverthwaite Heights, Great Tower and Esthwaite

LOOKING FORWARD

- JIRCs 2020: Initial contact made with SOC and Allan Farrington. Laurence, Simon and the team from 2019 stand ready to provide advice on any aspect of the JIRCs (individuals, relays and social). As noted over past year, Simon still has the medal inserts for the JIRCs 2020.

PLANNED ACTIVITIES

Date	Location	Coach/Comments
11 Jan 20	Wisley, Woking	
25-26 Jan 20	Fleet Pond, Fleet	Possible overnight
28 Mar 20	New Forest	
26-27 Sep 20	SOC Area	JIRCS

JIRCS



Burton Dassett



Hawkshead

