

15<sup>th</sup> November' 17

### **Leinster Cross Country**

It was the turn for the uneven ages and senior athletes to contest Leinster cross country championships in Adamstown the weekend last over a tough and heavy course.

In the u11 Rachel Ayres was 42<sup>nd</sup>, Jessica Murray finished in 50<sup>th</sup> place, Katie McGrath was 88<sup>th</sup> and Aishling Crawley was 95<sup>th</sup>. In the boys u11 Timmy Byrne finished in 56<sup>th</sup> and James Kehoe was 123<sup>rd</sup>. In the Girls U13 Audrey Byrne was 86<sup>th</sup>, Aoibhin McDonald was 115<sup>th</sup> and Holly Brennan was 152<sup>nd</sup>. In the Boys u13 Jack Fenlon was 4<sup>th</sup>, Eoin Cawley was 22<sup>nd</sup>, Lee Murray was 24<sup>th</sup> and Adam Buggy was 49<sup>th</sup>. Seoige English was our sole runner in the u15 girls and she finished in 35<sup>th</sup> place. Orla Davis finished in 25<sup>th</sup> place in the girls u17 race.

In the senior ladies' race Colette English was 31<sup>st</sup>, Sinead Kelly 38<sup>th</sup> and Catriona McDonald 49<sup>th</sup> while in the senior men's Stephen Hunter was 12<sup>th</sup> and Coin Coyne was 29<sup>th</sup>.

Some weekend results from club athlete abroad. Cormac Kelly was 55th in the NCAA regionals in a time of 31.47, with Lamar University finishing 8th team overall and some great running from Cheryl Nolan over in the Surrey League, running sub 22 minutes for 6km (Cross Country), finishing 5th in Division 1 and helping her club (Hercules Wimbledon) to a 3rd place finish.

### **Road Race dates 2018**

The confirmed Road Race dates and Venues for 2018 are as follows; 4th Feb - Novice - Ballyfin AC, 25th Feb - Intermediate - St. Abbans, 25th March - Senior - Oughaval (to be held in Fisherstown), 8th April - Masters - St. Michaels.