

Brid Half
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Report by Kay Farrow of Beverley Athletic Club

Almost 700 runners enjoyed a trip to the seaside last weekend to compete in the annual Bridlington half marathon.

The race was won by Andrew Pearson of Longwood who finished in 1 hour and five minutes, almost five minutes ahead of his nearest rival, last year's winner Pumlani Bangani of Salford Harriers.

Jonathan Leskiewicz (1.18.54) and Rob Snaith (1.18.59) of Beverley AC were on good form collecting prizes for 9th and 10th positions respectively. They were followed in 19th position by Roger Tomlin. The trio would have won the men's team prize for Beverley but prizes are only awarded to those who enter in advance and Roger was a late entry on the day.

New member Lucy Stamford was the first Beverley lady to finish followed by Debs Brant who recorded yet another personal best time.

Pam Atkins and Kay Farrow achieved very respectable times despite battling against a strong head wind in the last mile and a half.

Beverley AC results: Jonathan Leskiewicz 1.18.54; Rob Snaith 1.18.59; Roger Tomlin 1.22.10; Andy Arnold 1.32.32; Andrew Johnson 1.35.46; Lucy Stamford 1.40.54; Rob Reid 1.41.32; Andrew Brant 1.42.29; Debs Brant 1.45.07 PB; Steve Hadley 1.48.56; John Williamson 1.49.53; Paul Evans 1.53.18; Wayne Wilde 1.55.29; Dianne Coleman 1.56.11; Amanda Richie 1.56.18; Fiona Holland 2.02.38; Pam Atkins 2.04.57; Claire Burcham 2.07.03; Kay Farrow 2.09.46; Wendy Baxter 2.11.38; Jacqui Dickinson 2.14.01.