Proposal for WCAC members entering WCAC races – February 2011

The Club wants to encourage club members to run in our races but also to maximise the number of marshals made available to help put on all our races, both very important to the success of the club races and to the image of the club in the local area. The Club has agreed to give free entry to any of our members wishing to enter our races as long as they provide 1 marshal to help at the race, more are always welcome! As all our races are predominantly on-line entry now, in order to make the administration of this as simple as possible the procedure will be as follows:

- WCAC club member should apply to enter a race via a postal entry downloaded from the race page on West Cheshire AC website. For all races EXCEPT the half marathon the entry form should be completed and sent to the address on the entry form, together with a note nominating your marshal. For the Half Marathon ONLY send the completed entry form and marshal nomination to Shell Chester Half Marathon, 7 School Lane, Guilden Sutton, Chester, CH3 7ET. Race entry will be guaranteed (even for the half marathon!). Entry should be requested at least two weeks prior to the race, four weeks for the half marathon.
- Runner to collect number on race day from the late entries/enquiries desk, on the basis that their nominated helper has already arrived and is being allocated their job. If, on the day, no helper is available, race entry will only be granted on payment of the on-line entry fee.

It is hoped that this will encourage greater participation at our races by club members, assisting the race organisers to actually stage the races being as important as a good club turn-out in the races