

BELLE VUE ACES 1931

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^ Revised 17.1.2021 to remove a Southern League Challenge Fixture (2.9.) which will be in SL file.

Northern League and other non Southern League Meetings

Southern League events will be found in the Manchester 1931 file (added to the site).

Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> April 1931 Belle Vue. Manchester

Two Lap Demonstration of Broadsiding (Masked Broadsiders)

Golden Helmet - Big Six Race

1 Frank Varey Fletcher, [ Woods, LMyerscough	81.8		
2 EYoung, TSimpson, Dunn, Abbott	91.6		
3 Charles, Crowther, Burgess, Blunt	85.4		
4 Walter Hull, Byers, Worswick, EMangnall	87.8		
5 WMulliner, Stanley Unsworth, JM Cockburn, ADobson	85.0		
6 Chun Moore, Franklyn, AESimons, Indian Allen	84.6		
SF1 Frank Varey bt Earnest Young	85.0	Match Race	
SF2 Walter Hull bt Charles	83.2	M	R
SF3 Chun Moore bt Mulliner	90.0	M	R
Final Frank Varey, Walter Hull, Chun Moore	83.2	3 riders only	

Belle Vue Handicap C.N. Glidewell Trophy

1 Hull (0), Worswick (4), Franklyn (0), [ Allen (0), Blunt (1)	88.0
2 Moore (0), AESimons (4), [ Charles (0), Young (2), Woods (2)	87.4
3 Simpson (3), Varey (0), [ Byers (1), Dunn (2), Crowther (2)	93.4
4 Burgess (2), Myerscough (1), [ Abbott (0), Fletcher (1), Mangnall (4)	98.2
Final Chun Moore (Scr), Tommy Simpson (3), Frank Burgess Hull (fexc inj)	90.6

Walter Hull had a bad crash that put him out of the meeting. He was hit by his bike and knocked out. The race was rerun without him.

Grade Scratch Race – Golden Gauntlet

1 Mullinger, Simons, [ Cockburn, Mangnall	93.2	?
2 Woods, Stanley Unsworth, [ Crowther, Dobson	91.6	?
3 Burgess, Young, [ Worswick, Simpson	82.4	?
Final Woods, Burgess, Unsworth, [ Mullinger Simons	93.2	^

^ winners and fastest two second men to final

Team Six - All Star Race

1 Varey, Abbott, Allen	84.6
2 Charles, [ CMoore, Franklyn	87.2
Frank Varey bt Frank Charles	85.0

Monday 6<sup>th</sup> April 1931 Belle Vue. Manchester

Lap record Attempt (Vic Huxley 19.2 in 1930) Frank Varey 19.4, 19.6

Grade Scratch Race

Tommy Simpson, Wilf Mulliner 92.8

Auto gives A.E.Simons second

Belle Vue Scratch Race (Golden Sash)

2 Chun Moore, Indian Allen

SF1 Chun Moore, Frank Varey 86.6 \*

Final Chun Moore, Frank Varey 86.6=\*

Big Six Match Race

1 Frank Varey bt Indian Allen

2 Chun Moore bt Arthur Franklyn

3 Frank Charles bt Cliff Watson

Final Frank Charles, Chun Moore Varey (ef) 83.8

Silver Helmet

Final Frank Charles, Arthur Franklyn 84.6

Match Race

Frank Charles bt Frank Varey 82.2

Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> April 1931 Belle Vue, Manchester

Belle Vue Aces 27 Preston 24 (Northern League)

BELLE VUE

Frank Varey F E 3 3

Indian Allen 2 E 2 4

Len Woods 3 3 3 9

Arthur Franklyn

Bob Harrison 3

Chun Moore 3 2 1 6

PRESTON

Joe Abbott 3 3 2 8

Jack Tye 1

Ginger Lees 2 3 2 7

Larry Boulton 2 0

Ham Burrill 2 F

Eddie Myerscough 2 F

Bill Anderton

1 Abbott Allen (Varey F) 86.0

2 Woods Lees 84.8

3 Moore Burrill 85.2

4 Lees Boulton (Allen E) (Varey E) 84.6 0 5

5 Woods Myerscough 84.0

6 Abbott Moore 85.0 15 19

7 Varey Allen (Burrill F) (Myrscgh F) 86.0 5 0 20 19

8 Woods Abbott Tye 83.6 3 3 23 22

9 Harrison Lees Moore 84.6 4 2 27 24

Big Nine

Dusty Haigh, Tommy Allott 84

Golden Torch  
Len Woods, Joe Abbott, Dusty Haigh 83.6

Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> April 1931 White City, Glasgow  
Glasgow 21 Belle Vue Aces 31 (Northern League)

#### GLASGOW

Drew McQueen	E 1 R	1
Arthur Moser	1 3 2	6
George McKenzie	R 2 1	3
Norrie Isbister	2 1 LD	3
Percy Dunn	1 0 0	1
Alfie Williams	3 1 3	7

#### BELLE VUE

Frank Varey	2 3 3	8
Indian Allen	3 2 2	7
Arthur Franklyn	R 2 1	3
Len Woods	3 R 2	5
Bob Harrison	2 0 3	5
Chun Moore	0 3 R	3
Frank Burgess		DNR

1 Allen Varey Moser (McQueen E)	90.5	1	5	1	5
2 Woods Isbister (P) (McKzie R) (Franklyn R)	95.1	2	3	3	8
3 Williams Harrison Dunn Moore	89.4	4	2	7	10
4 Moser Franklyn McQn (FRM) (Woods R)	93.4	4	2	11	12
5 Moore McKenzie Isbister Harrison	90.1	3	3	14	15
6 Varey Allen Williams Dunn	90.9	1	5	15	20
7 Harrison Moser (McQueen R) (Moore R)	91.2	2	3	17	23
8 Varey Allen McKenzie (Isbister LD)	90.8	1	5	18	28
9 Williams Woods Franklyn Dunn	89.1	3	3	21	31

Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> April 1931 Farringdon Park, Preston  
Preston 37 Belle Vue Aces 23 (Northern League)

#### PRESTON

Joe Abbott	3 3 3	9
Jack Tye	F F N	0
Ham Burrill	E 2	2
Tommy Golding	1 F 2	3
Ginger Lees	3 3 3	9
Larry Boulton	2 2	4
Eric Airey	0	0

#### BELLE VUE

Frank Varey	2 XU 3	5
Arthur Franklyn	F 2 1	3
Len Woods	3 1 F	4
Indian Allen	2 2 F	4
Bob Harrison	F 3 2	5
Chun Moore	1 F 1	2

1 Abbott Varey (Franklyn F) (Tye F)	81.4	3	2	3	2
2 Woods Allen Golding (Burrill E)	85.6	1	5	4	7
3 Lees Boulton Moore (Harrison F)	83.4	5	1	9	8
4 Abbott Allen Woods (Tye F)	82.4	3	3	12	11
5 Harrison Burrill (Moore F) (Golding F)	87.8	2	3	14	14
6 Lees Franklyn (Varey XU)	84.4	3	2	17	16
7 Abbott Harrison Moore Airey	83.4	3	3	20	19
8 Varey Golding Franklyn	87.8	2	4	22	23
9 Lees Boulton (Woods F) (Allen F)	84.6	5	0	27	23

Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> April 1931 Belle Vue, Manchester  
 Belle Vue Aces 31 Sheffield 23 (Northern League)

#### BELLE VUE

Frank Varey	2 3 3	8
Arthur Franklyn	1 1 1	3
Walter Hull	3 2 N	5
Len Woods	3 1	4
Bob Harrison	2 3	5
Chun Moore	3 1 2	6
Indian Allen	0	

#### SHEFFIELD

Dusty Haigh	3 3 2	8
Jack Barber	N	0
Jack Dixon	2 2	4
Gus Platts	1 1	2
Norman Hartley	2 2	4
Tommy Allott	1 1	2
Eric Blain	3	3

1 Haigh Varey Franklyn	84.2	3	3	3	3
2 Hull Dixon Platts	86.4	3	3	6	6
3 Moore Hartley Allott	86.4	3	3	9	9
4 Varey Dixon Franklyn	84.4	4	2	13	11
5 Woods Hull Allott	87.6	5	1	18	12
6 Haigh Harrison Moore	85.8	3	3	21	15
7 Varey Hartley Franklyn	86.8	4	2	25	17
8 Blain Haigh Woods	84.8	1	5	26	22
9 Harrison Moore Platts	87.4	5	1	31	23

#### Grade Scratch Race

Wilf Mulliner, Frank Burgess 95.4

#### Golden Gauntlet

Ht Frank Varey, Dusty Haigh

SF Haigh (f)

Final Frank Varey, W.E. "Gus" Platts Woods, Fletcher, Haigh (ef) 92

Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> April 1931 Owlerton, Sheffield  
 Sheffield 39 Belle Vue Aces 15 (Northern League)

#### SHEFFIELD

Dusty Haigh	3 3 N	6
Tommy Allott	1 1 2	4

Jack Dixon	3 2 3	8
Gus Platts	2 3 1	6
Norman Hartley	3 3 3	9
Eric Blain	1 1 1	3
George Corney	3	3

#### BELLE VUE

Frank Varey	2 2 0	4
Arthur Franklyn	0 0 2	2
Walter Hull	1 2 2	5
Len Woods	0 0 0	0
Chun Moore	2 0	2
Bob Harrison	0 1 1	2
Oliver Langton	0	

1 Haigh Varey Allott Franklyn	83.8	4	2	4	2
2 Dixon Platts Hull Woods	88.8	5	1	9	3
3 Hartley Moore Blain Harrison	84.0	4	2	13	5
4 Haigh Hull Allott Woods	86.6	4	2	17	7
RR 5 Platts Dixon Harrison Moore	88.8	5	1	22	8
6 Hartley Varey Blain Franklyn	84.8	4	2	26	10
7 Corney Allott Harrison Langton	91.2	5	1	31	11
8 Dixon Franklyn Platts Varey	90.6	4	2	35	13
9 Hartley Hull Blain Woods	84.6	4	2	39	15

Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> April 1931 Belle Vue, Manchester

#### Scratch Race

2 Grosskreutz, Abbott, Evens

? Woods

SF1 Walter Hull, Joe Abbott

SF2 Len Woods

Final Walter Hull, Len Woods, (Joe Abbott F) 91.2

#### Handicap

Ht Rowley

SF Rowley

Final Jack Rowley (3), Bob Harrison (1) Woods (f),Varey (ld)93.4

#### Silver Torch

1 Joe Abbott, Frank Varey 85

2 Arthur Franklyn, Oliver Langton

3 Walter Hull, [Max Grosskreutz

SF1 Frank Varey, **O Langton**, (Joe Abbott FIL) 89.8

SF2 Max Grosskreutz, Walter Hull 87.2

Final Frank Varey, Walter Hull , (Max Grosskreutz F) 86.8

#### Track Record Attempt

Max Grosskreutz (f)

Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> May 1931 Belle Vue, Manchester

Belle Vue Aces 35 Leeds 19 (Northern League)

#### BELLE VUE

Frank Varey	F 3 3	6
Len Woods	2 2 2	6
Eric Langton	3 3 3	9
Bob Harrison	1 2 1	4
Max Grosskreutz	1 3	4
Walter Hull	2 2 2	6

#### LEEDS

Frank Charles	3 3 2	8
Alec Hill	1 0	1
Gordon Byers	2 1	3
Sam Marsland	F 0	0
Roy Barrowclough	3	3
Len Myerscough	1 1 1	3
Albert Brown	1	1

1 Charles Woods Hill (Varey F)	86.2	2	4	2	4
2 Langton Byers Harrison, Masland (f)	85.6	4	2	6	6
3 Barrowclough Hull Myerscough	84.6	2	4	8	10
4 Varey Woods Byers	84.4	5	1	13	11
5 Langton Harrison Myerscough	84.8	5	1	18	12
6 Charles Hull Grosskreutz, Hill	86.0	3	3	21	15
7 Varey Woods Myerscough	85.2	5	1	26	16
8 Langton Charles Harrison	84.6	4	2	30	18
9 Grosskreutz Hull Brown	86.8	5	1	35	19

#### Handicap

Cyril Crowther (2), Chun Moore (Scr)	89.2
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#### Match Race

Chun Moore bt Arthur Franklyn	82.6
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Senior Race Cyril Crowther, Wilf Mulliner	92.2
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Golden Helmet Eric Langton, Chun Moore	83.6
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Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> May 1931 Trent Bridge, Nottingham  
Nottingham 21 Belle Vue Aces 31 (Challenge)

#### NOTTINGHAM

1 Nobby Key	2 F	2
2 Buster Brown	1' 0	1 1
3 Billy Ellmore	0 3 3	6
4 Wally Humphry	2 2' 1	5 1
5 Fred Strecker	F F F 0	5
6 George Dykes	2 2 1	5
7 Nobby Kendrick	2	2

#### BELLE VUE

1 Frank Varey	E 3 F	3
2 Len Woods	3 E 2 5	3
3 Eric Langton	3 3 3	9
4 Chun Moore	1 2' 2'	5 2
5 Wally Hull	3 1 1	5

6 Bob Harrison 1 0 3 4  
7

1 Woods Key Brown Varey (ef)	79.8	3	3	3	3
2 Langton Humphry Moore Ellmore	79.6	2	4	5	7
3 Hull Dykes Harrison Strecker (fell)	78.8	2	4	7	11
4 Langton Moore Brown (nf) Key (fell)	77.6	0	5	7	16
5 Ellmore Humphry Hull Harrison	78.0	5	1	12	17
6 Varey Dykes Woods (ef) Strecker (fell)	80.6	2	3	14	20
7 Harrison Kendrick Hull	78.2	2	4	16	24
8 Ellmore Woods Humphry Varey (fell)	79.0	4	2	20	26
9 Langton Moore Dykes Strecker (fell)	79.4	1	5	21	31

Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> May 1931 Belle Vue, Manchester  
Belle Vue Aces 32 Leicester Stadium 22 (Challenge)

#### BELLE VUE

Frank Varey	1 3 2	6
Len Woods	2 1	3
Eric Langton	3 3 2	8
Bob Harrison	1 1 0	2
Max Grosskreutz	3 1 2	6
Walter Hull	2 2 0	4
Arthur Franklyn	3	3

#### LEICESTER STADIUM

Squib Burton	3 3 3	9
Ian Ritchings	0 0 1	1
Syd Jackson	2 0 3	5
Arthur Tims	0 2 1	3
Alby Taylor	1 2 1	4
Alf Mattson	0 0 0	0

1 Burton Woods Varey Ritchings	82.2	3	3	3	3
2 Langton Jackson Harrison Tims	85.2	4	2	7	5
3 Grosskreutz Hull Taylor Mattson	84.6	5	1	12	6
4 Varey Tims Woods Jackson	86.6	4	2	16	8
5 Langton Taylor Harrison Mattson	88.4	4	2	20	10
6 Burton Hull Grosskreutz Ritchings	83.4	3	3	23	13
7 Franklyn Varey Taylor Mattson	86.6	5	1	28	14
8 Burton Langton Ritchings Harrison	84.4	2	4	30	18
9 Jackson Grosskreutz Tims Hull	84.6	2	4	32	22

#### Big Nine

1 Squib Burton, Eric Langton	82.2
2 Dusty Haigh, Syd Jackson, Frank Varey	
3 Len Woods, (Bob Harrison E)	
Final Dusty Haigh Woods (ef), Burton (nf), Blain (nf)	84.4

#### Silver Helmet

1 Eric Langton, (Dusty Haigh F)	
2 Squib Burton, Bob Harrison	
3 Alf Mattson, Max Grosskreutz, Len Woods	
Final Squib Burton, Walter Hull, Alf Mattson	84.4

Grade Scratch Race  
Final R Mulliner, C Crowther 92.4

Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> May 1932 Belle Vue, Manchester

Belle Vue Scratch Race

1 West, Simons, Worswick, [ EYoung, AMoore 90.2  
2 Franklyn, Crowther, OLangton, [ Blunt, DFletcher 87.0  
3 Dixon, Kempster, Hastings, Simpson (f), Hartley (f) 89.2  
4 Case, CMoore, Mulliner, [ Burgess, Haigh 88.6  
SF1 Franklyn, West, [ Simons, Crowther 88.6  
SF2 Kempster, CMoore, Dixon, Case (ef) 93.2  
Final Franklyn, CMoore, Kempster, West 88.8

All Star - Big Nine Race

1 Franklyn, OLangton, Crowther 86.6  
2 Hastings, Hartley, Dixon 85.4  
3 Haigh, Kempster, Case 83.4  
Final Haigh, Franklyn, Hastings 84.8

North v South - Big Four Race

1 Chun Moore bt CMoore 84.0  
2 Dudty Haigh bt Dicky Case 84.0  
Final Dusty Haigh bt C Moore 82.0

Trophy Race for Golden Torch

1 Franklyn, Simons, [ OLangton, Kempster 85.8  
2 West, Fletcher, Case (ns), Hastings (ns) 96.8  
3 Haigh, Simpson, [ Dixon, Hartley ?  
4 Mulliner, Yung, Blunt, Crowther 88.2  
Final Haigh, Franklyn, Mulliner, West 83.4

Chariot Race 2 laps

1 S D McClinton bt C A McClinton 76.6  
2 S D McClinton bt C A McClinton ?

Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> May 1931 Elland Road, Leeds  
Leeds 22 Belle Vue Aces 30 (Northern League)

LEEDS

Frank Charles	3	3
Alec Hill	F 2 2	4
Gordon Byers	1 1	2
Sam Marsland	3 3	6
Roy Barrowclough	1 3	4
Geoff Kilburn	1	1
Harry Watson	2 2	6

BELLE VUE

Frank Varey	2 2 XT	4
Len Woods	E 1 E	1
Eric Langton	3 3 3	9
Bob Harrison	2 F/N 2	4
Max Grosskreutz	2 3	5
Walter Hull	N 2 1	3

Indian Allen                    3 1                    4

1 Charles Varey (EP) (Woods E) (A Hill F)	85.6	3	2	3	2
2 Langton Harrison Byers	85.3	1	5	4	7
3 Allen Grosskreutz Barrowclough	87.6	1	5	5	12
RR 4 Langton A Hill Allen	85.1	2	4	7	16
5 Marsland W Hull Byers	87.8	4	2	11	18
6 Barrowclough Varey Woods	87.8	3	3	14	21
7 Grosskreutz A Hill W Hull	85.4	2	4	16	25
RR 8 Marsland Watson (Varey XT) (Woods E)	89.0	5	0	21	25
9 Langton Harrison Kilburn	87.5	1	5	22	30

Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> May 1931 Belle Vue, Manchester  
Belle Vue Aces 40 Glasgow 14 (Northern League)

#### BELLE VUE

Eric Langton	3 2 3	8
Frank Varey	E 3 2	5
Walter Hull	3 3 3	9
Len Woods	2 2 2	6
Arthur Franklyn	2 N 3	5
Chun Moore	E 3 2	5
Bob Harrison	2	2

#### GLASGOW

George McKenzie	2 0 1	3
Norrie Isbister	N N 0	0
Percy Dunn	1 1 0	1
Alfie Williams	F 0 1	2
Drew McQueen	3 0 1	4
Andy Nicholl	1 0	1
Arthur Moser	1 1 1	3

1 Langton McKenzie Moser (Varey E)	86.6	3	3	3	3
2 Hull Woods Dunn (Williams F)	87.8	5	1	8	4
3 McQueen Franklyn Nicholl (Moore E)	87.8	2	4	10	8
4 Varey Langton Dunn Williams	86.8	5	1	15	9
5 Hull Woods Moser McQueen	86.8	5	1	20	10
6 Moore Harrison Moser McKenzie	87.8	5	1	25	11
7 Langton Varey McQueen Nicholl	86.8	5	1	30	12
8 Hull Woods McKenzie Isbister	87.2	5	1	35	13
9 Franklyn Moore Williams Dunn	87.4	5	1	40	14

#### Evening Chronicle Cup

Ht winners - Eric Langton **83.4**, Oliver Langton, Frank Varey, Walter Hull.  
Final Eric Langton, Walter Hull Varey 88.2

#### Golden Gauntlet

SF1 Eric Langton, Frank Varey	82.6
SF2 Walter Hull, Len Woods	86.6
SF3 Arthur Franklyn, Max Grosskreutz	85.0
Final Eric Langton, Walter Hull, Arthur Franklyn	83.4

Track Record Attempt (Standing Start)  
Eric Langton

Rolling Start  
Max Grosskreutz

Monday 25<sup>th</sup> May 1931 Belle Vue, Manchester  
Belle Vue Aces 73 Wombwell 22 (National Trophy)

Belle Vue

Frank Varey	3 3 0 3	9
Len Woods	2 2 3 2	9
Wally Hull	3 3 2 3	11
Max Grosskreutz	1 1 3 2	7
Eric Langton	3 3 3 3	12
Oliver Langton	2 2 2 2	8
Arthur Franklyn	3 3 3 3	12
Bob Harrison	2 2	4
Indian Allen	1	1

Wombwell

Tommy Gamble	1 1 1 1	4
2		
Gregory	2 2 1	5
Arthur Moore	1 1	2
O'Neill	1 2 2 1	6
5		
J Lindsay,	2	2
7 J Mitchell.	1 1	2
E Gill	1	1

Match

Ht1 Varey Woods, Gamble	83.6	5	1	5	1
Ht2 Hull, Gregory, Grosskreutz	84.0	4	2	9	3
Ht3 E Langton, O'Langton, O'Neill	96.4	5	1	14	4
Ht4 Franklyn, J.Lindsay,	88.6	3	2	17	6
Ht5 Varey, Woods, Arthur Moore	85.8	5	1	22	7
Ht6 Hull, O'Neill, Grosskreutz,	88.8	4	2	26	9
Ht7 E Langton, O Langton, J Mitchell	89.8	5	1	31	10
Ht8 Franklyn, Harrison, Gamble	87.2	5	1	36	11
Ht9 Woods, O'Neill, Allen	86.2	4	2	40	13
Ht10 Grosskreutz, Hull, E Gill	85.6	5	1	45	14
Ht11 E Langton, O Langton, Gamble	85.2	5	1	50	15
Ht12 Franklyn, Gregory, Moore	86.4	3	3	53	18
Ht13 Varey, Woods, Mitchell,	85.0	5	1	58	19
Ht14 Hull, Grosskreutz, Gamble	85.0	5	1	63	20
Ht15 E Langton, O Langton, Gregory,	87.2	5	1	68	21
Ht16 Franklyn, Harrison, O'Neill	87.2	5	1	73	22

Silver / Golden Torch Trophy Race

SF Varey, O Langton

Walter Hull, Eric Langton 87.2

Belle Vue Handicap

Ht Allen

SF Allen

Track Record Attempts  
Rolling Start Max Grosskreutz  
Standing Start Eric Langton

Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> May 1931 Belle Vue, Manchester

British Individual Championship  
Eric Langton bt Max Grosskreutz 2 – 0 83.0 & 83.2

Belle Vue Handicap  
Ht Allen, Mulliner  
SF Allen, Mulliner  
Wilf Mulliner, Indian Allen 91.6

Golden Helmet  
1 Indian Allen  
2 Max Grosskreutz, Walter Hull  
3 Frank Charles, Eric Langton  
4 Reg West, Arthur Franklyn  
SF1 Max Grosskreutz, Walter Hull  
SF2 Eric Langton, Frank Charles  
Final Eric Langton, Walter Hull, Max Grosskreutz, Frank Charles 82.2

Junior Match Race  
Eric Worswick bt Babs Neild who fell. 92.2

Sidecars  
Eric Heptonstall v. J.S.Cummings Heptonstall crashed

Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> May 1931 Station Road, Wombwell  
Wombwell 27 Belle Vue Aces 64 (National Trophy)

WOMBWELL  
Geoff Kilburn

Arthur Moore  
Buster Breaks

Harrison Gill

J Lindley

BELLE VUE  
Frank Varey 3 3 3 X 9  
Len Woods 2 3  
Max Grosskreutz 3 3  
Indian Allen  
Eric Langton 3 3 3 1 10  
Bob Harrison 2  
Arthur Franklyn 3 3 2 1 9  
Chun Moore 3

1 Varey  
2 Grosskreutz 90.0

3 E Langton	90.0		
4 Franklyn	91.0		
5 Grosskreutz	90.0		
6 E Langton	90.6		
7 Franklyn	91.0		
8 Varey	98.4		
9 Kilburn	96.2		
10 A Moore, Franklyn, Breaks	92.4	4	2
11 Varey, Woods, Gill	89.6	1	5
12 E Langton	92.0		
13 Kilburn Harrison, Franklyn	?	3	3
14 Woods Varey X	93.4		
15 Grosskreutz	89.8		
16 C Moore Lindley, E Langton	93.0		

Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> May 1931 Belle Vue, Manchester

#### British Individual Championship

Arthur Franklyn bt Bob Harrison 2 – 0 85.6 85.0

#### Grade Scratch Race

1 Burgess, Simons, Worswick [ SUnsworth, Dobson ?

2 Mulliner, Simpson, Young, [Blunt, Fletcher 85.4

Final WMulliner, A.E.Simons, Burgess, Simpson 94.4

#### North Manchester Handicap

1 Worswick (4), OLangton (2), [ Varey (0),  
CMoore (0), Dunn (1) 92.0

2 Grosskreutz (0), Blunt (2), Young (3),  
[ Fletcher (1), Simons (3) 92.4

3 ELangton (0), Simpson (2), [ Woods (1),  
Allen (1), Dobson (3) 91.6

4 Hull (0), West (1), [ Mulliner (2),  
Burgess (3), Unsworth (4) 90.4

Final ELangton (Scr), Grosskreutz (Scr), Hull Worswick 86.6=\*

#### Match Race

Dead Heat - Eric Langton and Max Grosskreutz 82.6

#### Scratch Race

1 Woods, Hull, [ 90.4

2 ELangton, Mulliner, [ Blunt, Harrison 88.2

3 Varey, OLangton, Young, CMoore 90.4

4 Franklyn, West, [ Worswick, Grosskreutz 90.4

Final Eric Langton, Frank Varey Woods, Franklyn 86.4 \* SS record

#### Standing Start Record Silver Helmet

1 MGrosskreutz, ELangton, Mulliner, CMoore 83.2 ?

2 Varey, Franklyn, Fletcher, Allen 83.6 ?

3 Harrison, Hull, [ Woods, West 84.0 ?

Final ELangton, MGrosskreutz Varey, Harrison 81.8

Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> June 1931 Belle Vue, Manchester

#### Big Nine

1 Frank Charles, Dusty Haigh [ Eric Langton last.  
 2 Bob Harrison, Frank Varey, Walter Hull  
 3 Arthur Franklyn, Max Grosskreutz  
 Final Arthur Franklyn, Frank Charles 85.6

Scratch Race  
 Oliver Langton, Dick Fletcher 90

Golden Torch  
 1 Max Grosskreutz, Arthur Franklyn  
 2 Joe Abbott  
 3 Eric Langton, Walter Hull  
 Final Eric Langton, Max Grosskreutz, Joe Abbott 84

County Match (Battle of the Roses) Lancashire 31 Yorkshire 23

Lancashire  
 Arthur Franklyn © 3 1 2 6  
 Frank Charles 2 2 3 7  
 Wally Hull 2 1 3  
 Bob Harrison 1 3 1 5  
 Joe Abbott 3 3 2 8  
 Norman Hartley 1 2 3  
 Alec Hill 1 1

Yorkshire  
 Dusty Haigh 1 2 3 6  
 Frank Varey 1 2 3  
 Eric Langton 3 3 3 9  
 4  
 Roy Barrowclough 2 2 1 5  
 6

1 Franklyn, Charles, Haigh	85.2	5	1	5	1
2 ELangton, Hull Harrison	83.6	3	3	8	4
3 Abbott, Barrowclough, Hartley	85.6	4	2	12	6
4 ELangton, Charles, Franklyn,	84.4	3	3	15	9
5 Harrison, Barrowclough, Hull	88.4	4	2	19	11
6 Abbott, Haigh Varey	86.8	3	3	22	14
7 Charles, Franklyn, Barrowclough	86.6	5	1	27	15
8 Haigh, Varey Harrison	84.6	1	5	28	20
9 ELangton, Abbott, Hull	84.2	3	3	31	23

(Lancashire lost at Leeds 23/29 a fortnight before but won 54-52 on aggregate.)

Friday 5<sup>th</sup> June 1931 Hall Green, Birmingham  
 Hall Green v Belle Vue Aces (Challenge)  
 Rained Off

Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> June 1931 Belle Vue, Manchester  
 Belle Vue Aces 40 Leicester Super 14 (Northern League)

BELLE VUE  
 Frank Varey 3 2 2 7  
 Bob Harrison 2 3 3 8

Eric Langton	3 2 3	8
Walter Hull	2 3 0	5
Max Grosskreutz	3 0 3	6
Arthur Franklyn	2 2 2	6

#### LEICESTER SUPER

Arthur Jervis	1 3 2	6
Ian Ritchings	0 1 1	2
Fred Wilkinson	1 1 1	3
Hal Herbert	F F 0	0
Cliff Watson	1 1 F	2
Tom Price	F F 1	1

1 Varey Harrison Jervis Ritchings	90.2	5	1	5	1
2 Langton Hull Wilkinson Herbert (f)	85.8	5	1	10	2
3 Grosskreutz Franklyn Watson Price (f)	90.8	5	1	15	3
4 Harrison Varey Wilkinson Herbert (f)	88.8	5	1	20	4
5 Hull Langton Watson Price (f)	85.8	5	1	25	5
6 Jervis Franklyn Ritchings Grosskreutz	87.6	2	4	27	9
7 Harrison Varey Price Watson (f)	88.6	5	1	32	10
8 Langton Jervis Ritchings Hull	85.6	3	3	35	13
9 Grosskreutz Franklyn Wilkinson Herbert	87.2	5	1	40	14

#### British Individual Championship

Chun Moore bt Walter Hull 2 – 0 87.6 86.6

#### Golden Gauntlet

1 Frank Varey, Oliver Langton

2 Eric Langton, Arthur Jervis

3 Arthur Franklyn, Max Grosskreutz

4 Hull

SF1 Frank Varey, Eric Langton, (Arthur Jervis ef)

SF2 Arthur Franklyn, Max Grosskreutz

RR Final Eric Langton, Arthur Franklyn, Max Grosskreutz, (Frank Varey NS) 83.8

#### Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> June 1931 Belle Vue, Manchester

Belle Vue Aces 30 Hall Green 23 (Challenge)

#### BELLE VUE

Frank Varey	0 1 2	3
Chun Moore	3 0 1	4
Eric Langton	2 3 2	7
Wally Hull	0 1 3	4
Arthur Franklyn	2 3 3	8
Max Grosskreutz	2 2	4
Bob Harrison	0	0

#### HALL GREEN

Taft	2	
2	0	
Fred Strecker	3 3 E	6
Les Patrick	1 2 1	4
Syd Jackson	3 2 3	8
6	1	

1 Moore, Taft, Varey (nf)	3	2	3	2
2 Fred Strecker, Eric Langton, Patrick, Hull	2	4	5	6
3 Syd Jackson, Arthur Franklyn, ?, Harrison	2	4	7	10
4 Fred Strecker Patrick, Varey, Moore	1	5	8	15
5 Eric Langton, Syd Jackson, Hull	4	2	12	17
6 Franklyn, Grosskreutz	5	1	17	28
7 Jackson, Varey, Moore	3	3	20	21
8 Hull, ELangton	5	1	25	22
9 Arthur Franklyn, Grosskreutz, Patrick Fred Strecker E	5	1	30	23

British Individual Championship  
 Len Woods bt Reg West 2 – 0

Big Nine

1 Hull, Burton (f)  
 2 Varey,  
 3 ELangton  
 Final Eric Langton, Frank Varey, Walter Hull 85.0

Silver Torch

1 HD Fletcher, Franklyn, Varey  
 2 Hull  
 3 Burton, ELangton  
 4 Patrick  
 Walter Hull, Les Patrick, Dick Fletcher, (Squib Burton F) 85

Lap record Attempt

Squib Burton unsuccessful.

Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> June 1931 Owlerton, Sheffield  
 Sheffield 29 Belle Vue Aces 24 (Northern League KO Cup)

Sheffield

Dusty Haigh	3 3 3	9
Jack Barber	2 1 0	3
Jack Dixon	E 3 2	5
Fred Hatton	1	1
Norman Hartley	1 3 0	4
Eric Blain	3 2 2	7
Harry Credland	0 0	0

Belle Vue

Frank Varey	0 F 3	3
Chun Moore	1 0	1
Eric Langton	3 2 3	8
Wally Hull	2 0 1	3
Arthur Franklyn	2 1 2	5
Max Grosskreutz	0 2 1	3
Indian Allen	1	1

1 Haigh Barber Moore Varey	82.8	5	1	5	1
2 Langton Hull Hatton Dixon (ef)	84.8	1	5	6	6
3 Blain Franklyn Hartley Grosskreutz	84.0	4	2	10	8
4 Haigh Langton Barber Hull	82.2	4	2	14	10
5 Dixon Grosskreutz Franklyn Credland	83.8	3	3	17	13

6 Hartley Blain Moore (nf)(Varey F)	83.8	5	0	22	13
7 Haigh Franklyn Grosskreutz Barber	83.6	3	3	25	16
8 Varey Dixon Allen Credland	83.8	2	4	27	20
9 Langton Blain Hull Hartley	84.0	2	4	29	24

Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> June 1931 Belle Vue, Manchester  
 Belle Vue Aces 33 Sheffield 20 (Northern League KO Cup)

#### Belle Vue

Frank Varey	2 2 3	7
Wally Hull	E 3 1	4
Eric Langton	3 3 E	6
Len Woods	2 1 2	5
Arthur Franklyn	3 1 2	6
Max Grosskreutz	F 2 3	5
Chun Moore		DNR

#### Sheffield

Dusty Haigh	3 3 3	9
Jack Barber	1 F 1	2
Norman Hartley	1 1 1	3
Eric Blain	0 0 0	0
Jack Dixon	F 2 0	2
Fred Hatton	2 0 2	4
WE "Gus" Platts (Res)	0	0

1 Haigh Varey Barber (Hull E)	82.4	2	4	2	4
2 Langton Woods Hartley (frm), Blain (f)	84.4	5	1	7	5
3 Franklyn Hatton (Dixon F) (Grosskrtz F)	84.6	3	2	10	7
4 Hull Varey Hartley, Blain	84.2	5	1	15	8
5 Langton Dixon Woods, Hatton	83.0	4	2	19	10
6 Haigh Grosskreutz Franklyn, Barber (f)	82.6	3	3	22	13
7 Varey Hatton Hull, Dixon	86.4	4	2	26	15
8 Haigh Woods Barber (Langton E)	83.2	2	4	28	19
9 Grosskreutz Franklyn Hartley Platts	83.8	5	1	33	20

#### Match Race

Eric Langton bt Vic Huxley 2/0 81.8 and 82.2

#### Scratch Race

1 DFletcher, Mulliner [ OLangton, Fred Hatton	89.6
2 Woods, Platts, Young, Worswick (f)	90.0
Final Woods, Platts, Mulliner, Fletcher	88.6

#### Special Golden Helmet Race

1 Haigh, Huxley, [ Fletcher Woods	81.6
2 ELangton, Dixon, Mulliner, Barber	82.6
3 Grosskreutz, OLangton, Hartley, Hull	83.8
4 Varey, C Moore, Franklyn, Blain	83.6
SF1 Haigh, Huxley, ELangton, Dixon	82.2
SF2 Grosskreutz, OLangton, Franklyn, Varey (ef) ?	
Final Huxley, OLangton, Grosskreutz, Haigh (f)	83.4

Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> June 1931 Belle Vue, Manchester  
 Belle Vue 11 Preston 14 (Challenge Match)

Belle Vue		
Frank Varey	E F	0
Eric Langton	2 2 2	6
Walter Hull	1 1 1	3
Max Grosskreutz	2	2

Preston		
Joe Abbott	2 2 1	5
Ginger Lees	1 2 2	5
Les Wotton	2 1 1	4
4		

RR 1 Joe Abbott bt Frank Varey (ef)	NT	0	2	0	2
2 Eric Langton bt Ginger Lees	82.2	2	1	2	3
3 Les Wotton bt Walter Hull	83.4	1	2	3	5
4 Ginger Lees bt (Frank Varey F)	83.4	0	2	3	7
5 Eric Langton bt Les Wotton	82.8	2	1	5	8
6 Joe Abbott bt Walter Hull	84.2	1	2	6	10
7 Max Grosskreutz bt Les Wotton	82.6	2	1	8	11
8 Eric Langton bt Joe Abbott	82.0	2	1	10	12
9 Ginger Lees bt Walter Hull	84.0	1	2	11	14

#### British Individual Championship

Arthur Franklyn by Len Woods	2 - 0	80.6	84.2
Eric Langton bt Chun Moore	2 - 0	82.8	82.0

#### Belle Vue Handicap

1 Mulliner, Grosskreutz,	89.8
2 Blunt, Woods,	89.4
3 Harrison, Charles	89.8
4 ELangton, Fletcher	87.0
Final Len Blunt, Wilf Mulliner, Bob Harrison, Eric Langton F	90.2

Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> June 1931 Farringdon Park, Preston  
Preston 14 Belle Vue 8 (Three Man Challenge)

#### PRESTON

1 Joe Abbott	R 2 2	4
2 Ginger Lees	2 1 2	5
3 Les Wotton	1 2 2	5

#### BELLE VUE

1 Frank Varey	2 R R	2
2 Wally Hull	R 1 1	2
3 Max Grosskreutz	2 2 R	4

1 Varey Abbott (ret)	85.4	0	2	0	2
2 Lees Hull (ret)	86.2	2	0	2	2
3 Grosskreutz Wotton	81.2	1	2	3	4
4 Abbott Hull	83.8	2	1	5	5
5 Grosskreutz Lees	81.2	1	2	6	7
6 Wotton Varey (ret)	84.8	2	0	8	7
7 Abbott Grosskreutz (ret)	88.0	2	0	10	7
8 Lees Varey (ret)	82.0	2	0	12	7

9 Wotton Hull 82.4 2 1 14 8

[Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> June 1931 Belle Vue, Manchester Southern League]

Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> June 1931 Melton Road, Leicester  
 Leicester Super 29 Belle Vue Aces 24 (Northern League)

LEICESTER SUPER

Arthur Jervis	3 3 3	9
Ian Ritchings	0 0 1	1
Hal Herbert	0 1 3	4
Cliff Watson	0 3 1	4
Tommy Price	3 3 3	9
Fred Wilkinson	0 1 1	2
George Marsh		

BELLE VUE

Frank Varey	1 0 2	3
Len Woods	2 2 0	4
Eric Langton	3 2 2	7
Oliver Langton	2 N 0	2
Walter Hull	1 2 2	5
Bob Harrison	2 0 0	2
Wilf Mulliner	1	1

1 Jervis Woods Varey, Ritchings	73.4	3	3	3	3
2 E Langton O Langton Herbert (nf), Watson (nf)	74.6	0	5	3	8
3 Price Harrison Hull Wilkinson	76.8	3	3	6	11
4 Jervis E Langton Mulliner Ritchings	76.4	3	3	9	14
5 Watson Hull Herbert Harrison	76.0	4	2	13	16
6 Price Woods Wilkinson Varey	75.4	4	2	17	18
7 Jervis Hull Ritchings Harrison	74.0	4	2	21	20
8 Herbert Varey Watson Woods	75.6	4	2	25	22
9 Price E Langton Wilkinson OLangton	76.4	4	2	29	24

Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> June 1931 Belle Vue, Manchester  
 Belle Vue 31 Preston 20 (Northern League) [Second Half of Southern League match]

BELLE VUE

Frank Varey	2 2 3	7
Len Woods	2	2
Eric Langton	3 3 2	8
Oliver Langton	2 2	4
Walter Hull	3 2 2	7
Bob Harrison	2 1	3

PRESTON

Joe Abbott	3 3 3	9
Eric Airey	1	1
Ginger Lees	E 3 3	6
Larry Boulton	0 1 1	2
Les Wotton	1 1	2
Eddie Myerscough	0	0

1 Abbott Varey Airey	82.8	2	4	2	4
2 E Langton O Langton Lees (efchain), Boulton (nf)	83.2	5	0	7	4
3 Hull Harrison No third	84.6	5	0	12	4
4 Lees Varey Boulton	83.6	2	4	14	8
5 E Langton O Langton Wotton	83.6	5	1	19	9
6 Abbott Hull Harrison	83.2	3	3	22	12
7 Varey Woods Wotton	83.8	5	1	27	13
8 Abbott E Langton No third	83.2	2	3	29	16
9 Lees Hull Boulton	83.4	2	4	31	20

Trophy for Top Scorer of each team

[ Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> June 1931 Belle Vue, Manchester Southern League]

Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> June 1931 Farringdon Park, Preston  
Preston 25 Belle Vue Aces 29 (Northern League)

PRESTON

Joe Abbott	3 R 3	6
Eric Airey	1 2 N	3
Les Wotton	2 E	2
Eddie Myerscough	2 1	3
Ginger Lees	3 2 2	7
Larry Boulton	1 1 1	3

BELLE VUE

Frank Varey	2 3 2	7
Len Woods	3	3
Eric Langton	3 3 3	9
Oliver Langton	1 1	2
Walter Hull	2 3 2	7
Bob Harrison	1	1

1 Abbott Varey Airey	82.4	4	2	4	2
2 E Langton Myerscough O Langton	83.4	2	4	6	6
3 Lees Hull Boulton	85.0	4	2	10	8
4 E Langton Airey O Langton (Abbott R)	82.6	2	4	12	12
5 Hull Wotton Harrison	83.6	2	4	14	16
6 Varey Lees Boulton	83.6	3	3	17	19
7 Abbott Hull Tye	85.0	4	2	21	21
8 Woods Varey Myerscough (Wotton EIL)	84.0	1	5	22	26
9 E Langton Lees Boulton	83.4	3	3	25	29

Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> June 1931 Belle Vue, Manchester

Belle Vue Handicap

1 Indian Allen 1) Crowther (2), [ Varey (0), Smiling Gregory (1)	101.8
2 Frank Burgess (2), [ Franklyn (0), Hornby (1) Len Blunt (2)	88.6
3 Bob Harrison (0), [ C Moore (0), L Myerscough (1), Mulliner (2)	88.8
4 Clem Cort (1), [ Hull (0), Fletcher (1), Simpson (2)	?
Final Indian Allen (1), Clem Cort (1),	

Frank Burgess (2), (Bob Harrison R) 90.8

Scratch Race

1 Frank Varey, [ Mulliner, Fletcher, Crfowther 89.4  
2 Oliver Langton, CMoore, [ Cort, Ftanklyn 92.2  
3 Walter Hull, Gregory, [Allen, West 91.0  
4 Bob Harrison, Simpson, [ Blunt, Hornby 89.4  
Final FVarey, WHull, Harrison OLangton 87.2

Golden Torch

1 Arthur Franklyn [Burgess, Mulliner, Gregory ?  
2 Frank Varey, [ Blunt, West, CMoore ?  
3 Bob Harrison, [ OLangton, Allen, Cort ?  
4 Dick Fletcher, [ Hornby, Myerscough, Hull ?  
Final FVarey, AFranklyn, BHarrison Fletcher 83.8

Match Race

Eric Gregory bt Wilf Mulliner 85.4

Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> June 1931 White City, Glasgow  
Glasgow 24 Belle Vue Aces 30 (Northern League)

GLASGOW

Drew McQueen	3 3 3	9
Norrie Isbister	0 1 0	1
Andy Nicholl	2 3 1	6
Sam Aitkenhead	1 1 0	2
Alfie Williams	1 2 1	4
George McKenzie	0 0 2	2
Billy Llewellyn		

BELLE VUE

Len Woods	2 1 2	5
Frank Varey	1 3 3	7
Eric Langton	3 2 3	8
Oliver Langton	0 0 N	0
Walter Hull	2 2 2	6
Bob Harrison	3 E 1	4
Wilf Mulliner		DNR

1 McQueen Woods Varey Isbister	86.1	3	3	3	3
2 E Langton Nicholl Aitkenhead O Langton	88.1	3	3	6	6
3 Harrison Hull Williams McKenzie	86.1	1	5	7	11
4 McQueen E Langton Isbister O Langton	84.8	4	2	11	13
5 Nicholl Hull Aitkenhead (Harrison E)	90.2	4	2	15	15
6 Varey Williams Woods McKenzie	89.2	2	4	17	19
7 McQueen Hull Harrison Isbister	86.1	3	3	20	22
8 Varey Woods Nicholl Aitkenhead	89.7	1	5	21	27
9 E Langton McKenzie Williams 3 riders only	89.0	3	3	24	30

[Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> July 1931 Belle Vue, Manchester Southern League]

Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> July 1931 Belle Vue, Manchester

Handicap

1 Frank Burgess  
 2 Cyril Crowther, (Max Grosskreutz F)  
 3 Len Blunt 4 Chun Moore, Larry Boulton (Scr)  
 SF1 Frank Burgess, Cyril Crowther,?  
 SF2 Chun Moore, Len Blunt 88.6  
 Final Frank Burgess, Len Blunt, Chun Moore 88.6

#### Scratch Race

Ht winners - Indian Allen (Max Gosskreutz 2nd), Larry Boulton, Cyril Crowther, Joe Abbott  
 SF1 Larry Boulton, Cyril Crowther  
 SF2 Joe Abbott, Max Grosskreutz  
 Final Max Grosskreutz, Joe Abbott 86.2

#### Silver Torch

Max Grosskreutz, Clem Cort, Joe Abbott Franklyn (f) 83

Sidecars (3 Laps) Edgar Ford (Douglas) bt George Richards (Douglas) 2/1 best time Richards 69.4  
 Richards's outfit packed up in the decider.

#### Sidecar Lap Record (Alan Bruce 23.2)

George Richards 22.4\*

#### Sidecar Three Lap Record

George Richards 69.4

Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> July 1931 Melton Road, Leicester

Leicester Super 30 Belle Vue Aces 23 (Northern League)

#### LEICESTER SUPER

Arthur Jervis	2 3	5
Ian Ritchings	3 1 1	5
Hal Herbert	0 2 F	2
Fred Wilkinson	2 1 2	5
Cliff Watson	2 2 2	6
George Marsh	3 1 1	5
George Hazzard	0 2	2

#### BELLE VUE

Frank Varey	1 3 3	7
Len Woods	0	0
Eric Langton	3 3 3	9
Oliver Langton	1 0 0	1
Walter Hull	1 3 2	6
Bob Harrison	0 0 0	0
Wilf Mulliner	0 F	0

1 Ritchings Hazzard Varey Hazzard	88.0	5	1	5	1
2 E Langton Wilkinson O Langton Herbert	83.4	2	4	7	5
3 Marsh Watson Hull Harrison	85.6	5	1	12	6
4 E Langton Jervis Ritchings OLangton	80.4	3	3	15	9
5 Hull Herbert Wilkinson Harrison	82.8	3	3	18	12
6 Varey Watson Marsh Woods	81.2	3	3	21	15
7 Jervis Hull Ritchings Harrison	81.4	4	2	25	17
8 Varey Wilkinson (Mulliner F) (Herbert F)	101.0	2	3	27	20
9 E Langton Watson Marsh OLangton	80.0	3	3	30	23

[Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> July 1931 Belle Vue, Manchester Southern League]

Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> July 1931 Belle Vue, Manchester

Belle Vue Aces 50 Wimbledon Dons 46 (National Trophy)

BELLE VUE

Arthur Franklyn	3 2 2 2	9
Frank Varey	2 0 0 3	5
Max Grosskreutz	3 2 2 3	10
Len Woods	2 0 1 2	5
Eric Langton	3 3 3 1	10
Indian Allen	0 1 0 0	1
Walter Hull	E 2 1 2	5
Bob Harrison	2 3 0 0	5

WIMBLEDON

Jim Kempster	0 1 1	2
Len Stewart	1 2 0	3
Dick Case	E 3 3 3	9
Ernie Evans	1 1 2 2	6
Vic Huxley	2 3 3 3	11
Ray Tauser	3 2 3 1	9
Len Parker	1 0 0 0	1
Claude Rye	1	1

1 Franklyn Varey Stewart Kempster	85.2	5	1	5	1
2 Grosskreutz Woods Evans(Case EIL)	84.2	5	1	10	2
3 Langton Huxley Hill	83.0	3	3	13	5
4 Tauser Harrison Parker (Hull EIL)	85.8	2	4	15	9
5 Case Franklyn Evans	84.4	2	4	17	13
6 Huxley Grosskreutz Hill	80.4	2	4	19	17
7 Langton Tauser Allen	83.4	4	2	23	19
8 Harrison Hull Rye	85.2	5	1	28	20
9 Huxley Franklyn Hill	80.6	2	4	30	24
10 Tauser Grosskreutz Woods	82.8	3	3	33	27
11 Langton Stewart Kempster	83.4	3	3	36	30
12 Case Evans Hull	84.8	1	5	37	35
13 Varey Franklyn Tauser	81.6	5	1	42	36
14 Grosskreutz Woods Kempster	84.0	5	1	47	37
15 Case Evans Langton (ET)	85.4	1	5	48	42
16 Huxley Hull Hill	80.8	2	4	50	46

Gold Sash

Ht E Langton, Huxley	80.2
Final E Langton, Case, Evans	80.8

Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> July 1931 Belle Vue, Manchester

Junior Handicap

1 E Young, H Woodward	
2 RA Platt, ERic Worswick	
Final E. Young, Eric Worswick	95.8

Scratch Race

1 Frank Burgess, EGregory (f)  
 2 Franklyn, Grosskreutz,  
 3 ELangton, Harison,  
 4 Woods  
**Final** Len Woods, Eric Langton, **Burgess, Franklyn** 88.4

British Individual Championship  
 Eric Langton bt Frank Varey 2 – 0 87.8 87.0

Belle Vue Handicap  
 1 Gregory, Grosskreutz,  
 2 Allen, McQueen  
 3 Burgess  
 4 Harrison  
**Final** F Burgess, B **Harrison, Gregory, Allen** 92.2

Big Nine  
 1 Hull, Harrison, Franklyn  
 2 Eric Langton, Max Grosskreutz Abbott 83.6  
 3 Varey, Cort, McQueen (f)  
**Final** Eric Langton, Frank Varey, Walter Hull 85.2

Match Race  
 Arthur Franklyn bt Reg West 85.6

Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> July 1931 Belle Vue, Manchester  
 Belle Vue Aces 28 Belle Vue Southern 25 (Challenge)

BV Northern

Frank Varey	1	E	2	3
Len Woods	3	3	0	6
Eric Langton	2	3	2	7
Oliver Langton	1	0	E	1
Walter Hull	3	0	1	4
Chun Moore	3	2	2	7
Reg West				DNR

BV Southern

Arthur Franklyn	2	3	3	8
Eric Gregory	0	0		0
Max Grosskreutz	3	E	3	6
Indian Allen	0	2		2
Clem Cort	0	2	1	3
Bob Harrison	1	1	3	5
Reg West	1	0		1

1 Woods Franklyn Varey Gregory	83.6	4	2	4	2
2 Grosskreutz E.Langton OLangton, Allen	82.6	3	3	7	5
3 Moore Hull Harrison, Cort	86.2	5	1	12	6
4 Woods, Allen, Varey (ef), Grosskreutz (ef)	84.8	3	2	15	8
5 ELangton, Cort, Harrison, OLangton	83.4	3	3	18	11
6 Franklyn Moore, Hull, Gregory	83.2	3	3	21	14
7 Harrison Varey, Cort, Woods	85.0	2	4	23	18
8 Franklyn, E.Langton West, OLangton (ef)	83.4	2	4	25	22
9 Grosskreutz, CMoore, Walter Hull West	84.4	3	3	28	25

### Handicap

1 Hornby (2), ELangton (0), Haigh (0), [ Harrison (1)(f), West (2)	90.2
2 OLangton (1) Hull (0), Hartley (1), [Tommy Simpson (2) , Varey (0) ns	89.6
3 Burgess (1), Allen (1), Franklyn (0), [ Cort (0), Cyril Crowther (2)	88.4
4 Woods (1), Grosskreutz (0), Blunt (2), Muliner (2) CMOore (1)	88.4
Final CHornby (2), FBurgess (1), Wood, OLangton	90.2

### Silver Helmet

1 ELangton, Woods, [ West, Harrison	85.0
2 Cort , CMOore, [ Hartley, Simpson	85.2
3 Franklyn, Hull, OLangton, Mulliner	84.6
4 Grosskreutz Burgess, Allen, Haigh	?
FinalMax Grosskreutz, Eric Langton Franklyn Cort	83 0

### Match Race

Arthur Franklyn bt Frank Varey 2/0 83.2 + best time 82.2

[Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> July 1931 Belle Vue, Manchester (Southern League)]

Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> July 1931 Belle Vue, Manchester

Belle Vue Aces 27 Preston 26 (Northern League Knock Out Cup)

### Belle Vue

Frank Varey	1 E 1	2
Clem Cort	2	2
Max Grosskreutz	3 3 3	9
Len Woods	2 1	3
Eric Langton	1 3 3	7
Wally Hull	1 1	2

### Preston

Joe Abbott	3 2 2	7
Les Wotton	E 3 E	3
Bill Kellner	1 2	3
Ginger Lees	3 2 3	8
Larry Boulton	2 1 2	5
Jack Tye (Res?)	F	

1 Abbott Cort Varey	81.6	3	3	3	3
2 Grosskreutz Woods Tye (f), Wotton (ef)	80.8	5	0	8	3
3 Lees Boulton Langton	81.6	1	5	9	8
4 Wotton Cort Kellner (Varey E)	82.4	2	4	11	12
5 Grosskreutz Lees Boulton	81.2	3	3	14	15
6 Langton Abbott Hull	82.2	4	2	18	17
7 Lees Boulton Varey	82.0	1	5	19	22
8 Grosskreutz Abbott Woods	81.6	4	2	23	24
9 Langton Kellner Hull (Wotton E)	83.6	4	2	27	26

### Belle Vue Scratch Race

1 Andy Nicholl

2 Max Grosskreutz  
 3 Oliver Langton, Eric Langton  
 4 Walter Hull, Gustav Kellner  
 Final Max Grosskreutz, Oliver Langton, Andy Nicholl 87.8

Golden Gauntlet

1 Frank Varey  
 2 Eric Langton, Oliver Langton  
 3 Max Grosskreutz  
 4 Joe Abbott  
 Final Max Grosskreutz, Eric Langton, Frank Varey 81

Monday 27<sup>th</sup> July 1931 Wimbledon, London  
 Wimbledon Dons 55 Belle Vue Aces 41 (National Trophy)

WIMBLEDON

Len Stewart	1 2 0 F	3
Jim Kempster	3 1 2 2	8
Dick Case	3 3 3 3	12
Ernie Evans	1 2 1 2	6
Vic Huxley	2 3 3 2	10
Claude Rye	1 1 1 1	4
Ray Tauser	3 1 2 0	6
Len Parker	2 2 0 2	6
Ivor Hill		
Stan Lemon		

BELLE VUE

Frank Varey	0 0 0 0	0
Arthur Franklyn	2 3 2 1	8
Eric Langton	2 3 3 3	11
Clem Cort	0 0 1 0	1
Max Grosskreutz	3 F 3 3	9
Len Woods	F N N N	0
Walter Hull	1 2 2 3	8
Bob Harrison	0 0 0 1	1
Oliver Langton	1 1 1	3
Reg West		0

1 Kempster Franklyn Stewart	77.4	4	2	4	2
2 Case E Langton Evans	73.6	4	2	8	4
3 Grosskreutz Huxley Rye (Woods F)	73.0	3	3	11	7
4 Tauser Parker Hull	74.8	5	1	16	8
5 E Langton Stewart Kempster	74.0	3	3	19	11
6 Case Evans O Langton (Grsskrtz F)	73.0	5	1	24	12
7 Huxley Hull Rye	74.8	4	2	28	14
8 Franklyn Parker Tauser	75.2	3	3	31	17
9 Grosskreutz Kempster O Langton	73.6	2	4	33	21
10 Case Hull Evans	74.6	4	2	37	23
11 Huxley Franklyn Rye West	74.0	4	2	41	25
12 E Langton Tauser Cort Parker	72.6	2	4	43	29
13 Hull Kempster Harrison (Stewart F)	76.6	2	4	45	33
14 Case Evans Franklyn	75.4	5	1	50	34
15 E Langton Huxley Rye	72.0	*= 3	3	53	37
16 Grosskreutz Parker O Langton (Tauser F)	74.4	2	4	55	41

Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> July 1931 Belle Vue, Manchester  
 Belle Vue Six 32 Australians 22 (Challenge)

H 1 MAX G VAREY CTERCTKO	81.2	2-4	2-4
H 2 E LANGTON O LANGTON R WEST	83.0	5-1	7-5
H 3 CORT EVANS STEWART	84.6	3-3	10-8
H 4 VAREY FRANKLYN WEST	84.0	5-1	15-9
H 5 E LANGTON STEWART O LANGTON	82.6	4-2	19-11
H 6 MAX G HARRISSON CTERCTKO	83.6	2-4	21-15
H 7 VAREY EVANS FRANKLYN	84.2	4-2	25-17
H 8 E LANGTON CTERCTKO O LANGTON	81.4	4-2	29-19
H 9 LV PRAAG F CHARLES CORT	85.6	3-3	32-22

Match Race

MAX G bt E LANGTON 2-0	79.6	84.8
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Scratch Race

Final FRANKLYN GREGORY	92.0
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Silver Torch

Final E LANGTON CORT MAX G	87.0
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Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> July 1931 Farringdon Park, Preston  
 Preston 27 Belle Vue Aces 26 (Northern League Knock Out Cup)

Preston Total

Joe Abbott	R 3 1	4
Eric Airey	2 1 0	3
Les Wotton	2 1 3	6
Jack Tye	1 2 F/N	3
Ginger Lees	3 FIL 3	6
Larry Boulton	1 2 1	4
Gustav* Kellner	1	1

Belle Vue

Frank Varey	1 3 2	6
Eric Langton	3 F 0	3
Arthur Franklyn	0 0	0
Frank Charles	0 2 2	4
Wally Hull	3 0 0	3
Max Grosskreutz	2 3 2	7
Clem Cort	3	3

1 Langton Airey Varey (Abbott R)	79.6	2	4	2	4
2 Hull Wotton Tye Charles	80.2	3	3	5	7
3 Lees Grosskreutz Boulton Franklyn	80.6	4	2	9	9
4 Abbott Charles Airey Hull	79.2	4	2	13	11
5 Grosskreutz Tye Wotton Franklyn	80.8	3	3	16	14
6 Varey Boulton (Lees FIL) (Langton F)	84.6	2	3	18	17
7 Cort Grosskreutz Abbott Airey	83.6	1	5	19	22
RR 8 Wotton Varey Kellner ELangton	82.4	4	2	23	24
9 Lees Charles Boulton Hull	84.0	4	2	27	26

Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> August 1931 Belle Vue, Manchester  
 Belle Vue Aces 34 Leeds 19 (Northern league)

BELLE VUE

Frank Varey	2 3 3	8
Len Woods	1 0 0	1
Eric Langton	3 2 3	8
Oliver Langton	2 1 2	5
Walter Hull	3 2 2	7
Chun Moore	2 XW 3	5
Frank Burgess		DNR

LEEDS

Roy Barrowclough	3 3 1	7
Tommy Gamble	0 1 0	1
Drew McQueen	0 2 0	2
Alec Hill	1 1 1	3
Gordon Byers	E 3 0	3
Alex Peel	1 0 2	3
Rol Stobart		DNR

1 Barrowclough Varey Woods, Gamble	88.8	3	3	3	3
2 E Langton O Langton Hill McQueen	90.6	5	1	8	4
3 Hull Moore Peel (Byers E)	90.2	5	1	13	5
4 Varey McQueen Hill Woods	90.0	3	3	16	8
5 5 Byers E Langton O Langton Peel	88.4	3	3	19	11
6 Barrowclough Hull Gamble (Moore XWL)	89.0	2	4	21	15
7 Varey Peel Woods (nf), Byers (nf)	91.2	3	2	24	17
8 E Langton O Langton Barrowclough Gamble	86.6	5	1	29	18
9 Moore Hull Hill McQueen	87.0	5	1	34	19

Handicap

1 OLangton (1), Varey (0) Barrowclough (0), Crowther (2), Gamble (1) (ns)	93.8
2 FBurgess (2), Fletcher (1), Hill (1) (Eric Langton E) Byers (ns)	93.2
3 Haigh (Scr), Hull (0), Stobart (1), [ Peel (1), Mulliner (2)	91.4
4 ANicholl (1), McQueen (0), [Moore (0), TSimpson (2), Blunt (2)	94.2
Final Frank Burgess (2), Andy Nicoll (1), (Dusty Haigh R), (Oliver Langton E)	89.8

Match Race

Frank Varey bt Drew McQueen	84.4
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Big Nine 3 per race

1 Eric Langton, Andy Nicholl, Roy Barrowclough	83.2
2 Frank Varey, Walter Hull Gordon Byers	85.2
3 Oliver Langton, (C Moore F), (DMcQueen E)	86.6
Final Eric Langton, Oliver Langton, Frank Varey	83.8

Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> August 1931 Belle Vue, Manchester

Evening Chronicle Cup

E Langton, OLangton 89.6

Belle Vue Scratch  
Andy Nicoll, Mulliner 90.8

Two Lap Dash  
Frank Varey bt Wally Hull 40.8\* & 41.2  
Oliver Langton bt Andy Nicoll 41.2

Golden Helmet  
Vary, ELangton 83.0

Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> August 1931 Belle Vue Manchester  
Rained Off

Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> August 1931 Owlerton, Sheffield  
Sheffield 28 Belle Vue Aces 25 (Northern League)

#### SHEFFIELD

Dusty Haigh	3 3 1	7
Jack Barber	2 0 0	2
George Wigfield	0 2 2	4
Jack Dixon	1 3 0	4
Eric Blain	3 3 3	9
Norman Hartley	E 1 1	2
Gus Platts		DNR

#### BELLE VUE

Frank Varey	F 2 3	5
Frank Burgess	1 0 1	2
Eric Langton	3 2 2	7
Oliver Langton	2 1 0	3
Walter Hull	2 1 2	5
Chun Moore	0 3	3
Dick Fletcher		DNR

1 Haigh Barber Burgess Varey (f)	84.6	5	1	5	1
2 E Langton O Langton Dixon Wigfield (et)	85.0	1	5	6	6
3 Blain Hull Hartley (ef), Moore (ns)	84.8	3	2	9	8
4 Haigh E Langton O Langton Barber	84.0	3	3	12	11
5 Dixon Wigfield Hull Moore	84.8	5	1	17	12
6 Blain Varey Hartley Burgess	83.6	4	2	21	14
7 Moore Hull Haigh Barber	84.0	1	5	22	19
8 Varey Wigfield Burgess Dixon (eye injury)	84.6	2	4	24	23
9 Blain E Langton (P)Hartley O Langton	83.4	4	2	28	25

Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> August 1931 Belle Vue, Manchester  
Belle Vue Aces 33 Sheffield 21 (Northern League)

#### BELLE VUE

Frank Varey	2 1 3	6
Len Woods	0 2 0	2
Eric Langton	3 3 3	9
Oliver Langton	1 2 1	4
Walter Hull	3 2 3	8

Dick Fletcher	2 1 N	3
Chun Moore	1	1

#### SHEFFIELD

Dusty Haigh	3 3 2	8
Gus Platts	1 0	1
George Wigfield	2 0 0	2
Eric Blain	0 3 2	5
Norman Hartley	1 1 1	3
Jack Dixon	0 0 2	2
Jack Barber	0	0

1 Haigh Varey Platts Woods	90.0	2	4	2	4
2 E Langton Wigfield O Langton Blain	88.2	4	2	6	6
3 Hull Fletcher Hartley Dixon	87.6	5	1	11	7
4 Blain Woods Varey Wigfield	90.0	3	3	14	10
5 E Langton O Langton Hartley Dixon	85.8	5	1	19	11
6 Haigh Hull Fletcher Barber	85.4	3	3	22	14
7 Varey Dixon Hartley Woods	87.4	3	3	25	17
8 E Langton Haigh O Langton Platts	84.6	4	2	29	19
9 Hull Blain Moore Wigfield	85.2	4	2	33	21

[Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> August 1931 Belle Vue, Manchester second half Southern League]

#### Reserve Riders Race

Hornby, Allen, Fletcher, 3 only ?

Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> August 1931 Belle Vue, Manchester

Belle Vue Aces 37 Preston 17 (Northern League Knock Out Cup Replay)

#### Belle Vue

Frank Varey	1 3 3	7
Eric Langton	2 2 2	6
Max Grosskreutz	3 3 2	8
Arthur Franklyn	0 2 1	3
Walter Hull	3 3 2	8
Clem Cort	2 2 1	5

#### Preston

Larry Boulton	3 1 3	7
Jack Tye	F F	0
Ginger Lees	2 1 3	6
Eric Airey	1	1
Les Wotton	1 1	2
Gustav (Bill) Kellner	1	1

1 Boulton Langton Varey	82.4	3	3	3	3
2 Grosskreutz Lees Airey, Franklyn	81.6	3	3	6	6
3 Hull Cort Wotton Tye (f)	84.6	5	1	11	7
4 Varey Langton Lees	84.2	5	1	16	8
5 Grosskreutz Franklyn Wotton Tye (f)	83.6	5	1	21	9
6 Hull Cort Boulton	84.2	5	1	26	10
7 Varey Langton Kellner	83.6	5	1	31	11
8 Boulton Grosskreutz Franklyn	82.2	3	3	34	14
9 Lees Hull Cort	83.4	3	3	37	17

[Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> August 1931 Belle Vue, Manchester second half Southern League]

Team 6

Ht1 C Moore, Hull, Varey ? note: meeting abandoned on news of death of Jim "Indian" Allan

Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> August 1931 Empire Stadium, London

WEMBLEY

1 Colin Watson	2 2 F	4
2 Norman Evans	1' 1' E	2 2
3 Harry Whitfield	1' 3 2	6 1
4 George Greenwood	2 2' 1'	5 2
5 Lionel Van Praag	3 2 2	7
6 Col Stewart	1 1' 0	2 1
7		

BELLE VUE

1 Eric Langton	3 3 3	9
2 Frank Varey	0 0 0	0
3 Max Grosskreutz	3 3 3	9
4 Arthur Franklyn	0 0 1	1
5 Frank Charles	0 1 2	3
6 Wally Hull	2 0 3	5
7 Oliver Langton		DNR

1 Langton Watson Evans Varey	81.0	3	3	3	3
2 Grosskreutz Greenwood Whitfield Franklyn	81.0	3	3	6	6
3 Van Praag Hull Stewart Charles	80.6	4	2	10	8
4 Grosskreutz Watson Evans Franklyn	80.4	3	3	13	11
5 Whitfield Greenwood Charles Hull	82.6	5	1	18	12
6 Langton Van Praag Stewart Varey	81.0	3	3	21	15
7 Hull Charles Watson (fell) Evans (ef)	81.2	0	5	21	20
8 Langton Whitfield Greenwood Varey	80.2	3	3	24	23
9 Grosskreutz Van Praag Franklyn Stewart	81.2	2	4	26	27

Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> August 1931 Belle Vue, Manchester

Pursuit Race

1 Eric Langton, Len Woods	
2 Walter Hull, Frank Varey	
Final Eric Langton, Frank Varey	100.6

Match Race

Frank Charles bt (Walter Hull F)	92.2
Max Grosskreutz bt Eric Langton	89.2
Frank Varey v Arthur Franklyn	

Scratch Race

1 Eric Langton, Frank Charles	
2 Max Grosskreutz, Ernie Evans	
3 Frank Burgess, Bob Harrison	
4 Clem Cort only finisher.	
Final Eric Langton, Max Grosskreutz, Frank Burgess, Clem Cort	93.4

### Silver Helmet

- 1 Ernie Evans, Frank Charles
  - 2 Eric Langton, Bob Harrison
  - 3 Oliver Langton, Clem Cort, (Max Grosskreutz F)
  - 4 Arthur Franklyn, Len Stewart
- SF1 Eric Langton, Ernie Evans  
SF2 Oliver Langton, Arthur Franklyn, Clem Cort  
Final Eric Langton, Oliver Langton 94.2

[ Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> August 1931 Belle Vue, Manchester Southern League]

Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> August 1931 Belle Vue, Manchester  
Belle Vue Aces 25 Sheffield 29 (Challenge)

### Belle Vue

Frank Varey	1 1 3	5
Len Woods	F E 2	2
Eric Langton	3 F N	3
Oliver Langton	1 2 1	4
Chun Moore	3 2 2	7
Walter Hull	2 1 1	4

### Sheffield

Dusty Haigh	3 3 3	9
Tommy Allott	2 F 2	4
George Wigfield	F 2 3	5
Jack Dixon	2 3 XS	5
Eric Blain	F 3 F	3
Austin Humphries	1 1 1	3

1 Haigh, Allott, Varey, (Woods F)	82.4	1	5	1	5
2 E.Langton, Dixon, O.Langton, (Wigfield F)	84.6	4	2	5	7
3 Moore, Hull, Humphries, (Blain F)	83.0	5	1	10	8
4 Dixon, Wigfield, Varey, (Woods E)	82.8	1	5	11	13
5 Blain, O.Langton, Humphries, (E.Langton F)	84.6	2	4	13	17
6 Haigh, Moore, Hull, (Allott F)	83.0	3	3	16	20
7 Varey, Woods, Humphries, (Blain F)	83.6	5	1	21	21
8 Haigh, Allott, O.Langton	83.8	1	5	22	26
9 Wigfield, Moore, Hull, (Dixon XS)	82.8	3	3	25	29

### Evening Chronicle Cup

- 1 Frank Varey, Len Woods
  - 2 Charlie Hornby, Vic Ctercteko
  - 3 George Wigfield, Walter Hull
  - 4 Chun Moore, (Dusty Haigh E), (Jack Dixon E)
- Final Frank Varey, George Wigfield, Charlie Hornby, Chun Moore 85.8

### Golden Gauntlet

- 1 George Wigfield, (Dusty Haigh F)
- 2 Frank Varey, (Jack Dixon NS)
- 3 Charlie Hornby, (Walter Hull E), (George Corney E), (Eric Blain F)
- 4 Chun Moore Final Frank Varey, George Wigfield, Chun Moore, (Charlie Hornby E) 83.2

Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> August 1931 Farringdon Park, Preston  
Preston Reserves 24 Belle Vue Reserves 30 (Challenge)

PRESTON

1 Rol Stobart	0 3 0	3
2 Eric Worswick	1 1 1	3
3 Peter Waterhouse	2 3 3	8
4 Maurice Stobart	1'1 1	3 1
5 Bill Anderton	F 1 0	1
6 Fred Winstanley	1 3 2	6
7 F. Armstrong	N	0
8 Norman Griffiths		DNR

BELLE VUE

1 Len Blunt	2'0	2 1
2 Frank Burgess	3 2 3	8
3 Dick Fletcher	0 E 0	0
4 Tommy Simpson	3 2 2	7
5 George Hazzard	3 3 E	6
6 Wilf Mulliner	2' 2' 2	6 2
7 Alf Somersby	1	1

1 Burgess Blunt Worswick RStobart	87.0	1	5	1	5
2 Simpson Waterhouse MStobart Fletcher	86.6	3	3	4	8
3 Hazzard Mulliner Winstanley Anderton (fell)	86.2	1	5	5	13
4 R. Stobart Simpson Worswick Fletcher (ef)	88.4	4	2	9	15
5 Waterhouse Burgess M. Stobart Blunt	85.0	4	2	13	17
6 Winstanley Simpson Anderton Fletcher	86.6	4	2	17	19
7 Hazzard Mulliner Worswick RStobart	84.6	1	5	18	24
8 Burgess Winstanley Somersby Anderton	85.4	2	4	20	28
9 Waterhouse Mulliner M. Stobart Hazzard (ef)	86.5	4	2	24	30

[ Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> August 1931 Belle Vue, Manchester Southern League]

Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> August 1931 Farringdon Park, Preston

Preston 26 Belle Vue Aces 29 (Northern League Knock Out Cup Replay)

Preston

Joe Abbott	2 2 3	7
Eric Airey	0 0 2	2
Les Wotton	0 2 1	3
Jack Tye	2 0 N	2
Ginger Lees	3 3 2	8
Larry Boulton	0 1	1
Rol Stobart	2	2

Belle Vue

Frank Varey	1 C 3	4
Eric Langton	3 2 0	5
Max Grosskreutz	3 3 3	9
Clem Cort	1 1 1	3
Wally Hull	2 3 FIL	5
Len Woods	1 1 1	3
Oliver Langton		DNR

1 Langton Abbott Varey Airey	81.8	2	4	2	4
2 Grosskreutz Tye Cort Wotton	82.2	2	4	4	8

3 Lees Hull Woods Boulton	82.6	3	3	7	11
4 Grosskreutz Abbott Cort Airey	82.0	2	4	9	15
5 Hull Wotton Woods Tye	83.4	2	4	11	19
6 Lees Langton Boulton (Varey C)	83.0	4	2	15	21
7 Abbott Airey Woods (Hull FIL)	85.6	5	1	20	22
8 Varey Stobart Wotton ELangton (nf)	83.6	3	3	23	25
9 Grosskreutz Lees Cort Boulton	82.0	2	4	25	29

[ Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> August 1931 Belle Vue, Manchester Southern League Challenge]

Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> August 1931 Elland Road, Leeds  
Leeds 42 Belle Vue Reserves 9 (£100 Challenge)

#### LEEDS

1 Roy Barrowclough	3 3 2'	8 1
2 Alec Hill	1 2' 3	6 1
3 Drew McQueen	3 2' 3	8 1
4 Geoff Kilburn	2' 3 F	5 1
5 Gordon Byers	3 3 3	9
6 Alec Peel	2' 2' 2'	6 3

#### BELLE VUE

1 Eric Gregory	2 0 2	4
2 Dick Fletcher	0 0 F	0
3 Frank Burgess	1 E E	1
4 Len Blunt	0 1 1	2
5 Charlie Hornby	E F 1	1
6 Percy Dunn	1 E 0	1

1 Barrowclough Gregory Hill Fletcher	85.2	4	2	4	2
2 McQueen Kilburn Burgess Blunt	86.8	5	1	9	3
3 Byers Peel Dunn Hornby (ef)	87.8	5	1	14	4
4 Barrowclough Hill Blunt Burgess (ef)	86.2	5	1	19	5
5 Kilburn McQueen Hornby (f), Dunn (ef)	85.2	5	0	24	5
6 Byers Peel Gregory (nf), Fletcher (nf)	86.8	5	0	29	5
7 Hill Barrowclough Hornby Dunn	84.8	5	1	34	6
8 McQueen Gregory Kilburn (f), Fletcher (f)	88.8	3	2	37	8
9 Byers Peel Blunt Burgess (ef)	88.2	5	1	42	9

Both teams used reserves [Kilburn & Burgess] to replace missing riders

[Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup> September 1931 Belle Vue, Manchester Southern League Challenge]

Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> September 1931 Belle Vue, Manchester  
England 53 Australia 36 (Test Match)

#### ENGLAND

Eric Langton	2 1 E 1	4
Frank Varey	F 0 2 3	5
Colin Watson	1 1 3 1	6
Tommy Croombs	3 2 F 2	7
Jack Parker	3 3 3 3	12
Dusty Haigh	1 2 1 2	6
Joe Abbott	1 1 F/N N	2
Ginger Lees	2 3 3 3	11
Fred Wilkinson	0	0

Larry Boulton

AUSTRALIA

Vic Huxley	3 2 2 3	10
Billy Lamont	1 0 0 F	1
Frank Arthur	2 3 F 1	6
Charlie Spinks	0 2 2 0	4
Max Grosskreutz	2 3 3 1	9
Lionel Van Praag	0 0 E 2	2
Bluey Wilkinson	3 1 2 2	8
Ron Johnson	F F N N	0
Len Woods	1 0	1
Bobby Blake		DNR

1 Huxley Langton Lamont (Varey F)	82.4	2	4	2	4
2 Croombs Arthur Watson, Spinks	82.0	4	2	6	6
3 Parker Grosskreutz Haigh, Van Praag	81.8	4	2	10	8
4 B Wilkinson Lees Abbott (Johnson F)	82.6	3	3	13	11
5 Arthur Spinks Langton, Varey	83.8	1	5	14	16
6 Grosskreutz Croombs Watson Van Praag	83.0	3	3	17	19
7 Parker Haigh B Wilk(FRM) (Johnson F)	83.0	5	1	22	20
8 Lees Huxley Abbott, Lamont	85.4	4	2	26	22
9 Grosskreutz Varey (Langton E) (Praag EIL)	83.2	2	3	28	25
10 Watson B Wilkinson Woods (Croombs F)	84.2	3	3	31	28
11 Parker Huxley Haigh, Lamont	82.6	4	2	35	30
RR 12 Lees Spinks (Arthur F) Abbott (ns)	84.8	3	2	38	32
13 Varey B Wilkinson Langton Woods	84.0	4	2	42	34
14 Huxley Croombs Watson (ET) (Lamont F)	84.8	3	3	45	37
15 Parker Haigh Arthur, Spinks	83.6	5	1	50	38
16 Lees Van Praag Grsktz (FRM) F Wilkinson	85.0	3	3	53	41

[Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> September 1931 Belle Vue, Manchester Southern League]

Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> September 1931 Owlerton, Sheffield  
Sheffield 40 Belle Vue 12 (Challenge 2<sup>nd</sup> leg Ag 69 – 37)

SHEFFIELD

Dusty Haigh	1 3 2'	6+1
Tommy Allott	3 2' 3	8+1
Eric Blain	3 3 3	9
Fred Hatton	1 2' 2'	5+2
Broncho Dixon	2' 3 1'	6+2
George Wigfield	3 1 2	6
Norman Hartley		DNR

BELLE VUE

Frank Varey	2 2 X	4
Len Woods	0 0 E	0
Chun Moore	2 0 3	5
Wally Hull	0 1 0	1
Fred Wilkinson	1 E 0	1
Dick Fletcher	F E 1	1
Eric Gregory		DNR

1: T Allott, F Varey, D Haigh Woods 82.4 4-2 4-2

2: E Blain, C Moore, F Hatton Hull	83.8	4-2	8-4
3: G Wigfield, B Dixon, F Wilkinson (et) Fletcher (f)	84.8	5-1	13-5
4: D Haigh, T Allott, W Hull C Moore	83.8	5-1	18-6
5: E Blain, F Hatton, Wilkinson (ef), Fletcher (ef)	84.6	5-0	23-6
6: B Dixon, F Varey, G Wigfield Woods	83.8	4-2	27-8
7: T Allott, D Haigh, D Fletcher Wilkinson	81.8	5-1	32-9
8: E Blain, F Hatton, F Varey ex,start, Woods (ef)	84.2	5-0	37-9
9: C Moore, G Wigfield, B Dixon Hull	82.8	3-3	40-12

Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> September 1931 Belle Vue, Manchester  
 Belle Vue Aces 37 Leeds 16 (Northern League Knock Out Cup)

Belle Vue

Frank Varey	3 3 3	9
Clem Cort	1 1	2
Eric Langton	3 3 3	9
Chun Moore	2 2 1	5
Max Grosskreutz	3 3 3	9
Frank Charles	1 2	3

Leeds

1 Roy Barrowclough	2 2	4
2 Alec Hill	1 2	3
3 Gordon Byers	2 1	3
4 Tommy Gamble	1	1
5 Drew McQueen	2 2	4
6 Alex Peel		0
7 Geoff Kilburn	1	1

1 Varey Barrowclough Hill	85.4	3	3	3	3
2 Langton Moore Gamble	85.2	5	1	8	4
3 Grosskreutz McQueen Charles	83.6	4	2	12	6
4 Varey Byers Cort	87.2	4	2	16	8
5 Langton Moore Kilburn	86.4	5	1	21	9
6 Grosskreutz Barrowclough No third	84.6	3	2	24	11
7 Varey McQueen Cort	85.8	4	2	28	13
8 Langton Hill Moore	84.6	4	2	32	15
9 Grosskreutz Charles Byers	84.4	5	1	37	16

Team 6

Ht1 Chun Moore, Hull, Varey 83,2  
 note: meeting abandoned on news of death of Jim "Indian" Allan

Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> September 1931 Elland Road, Leeds  
 Leeds 26 Belle Vue Aces 27 (Northern league Knock Out Cup)

Leeds

Roy Barrowclough	F 3 2	5
Alec Hill	2 2 1	5
Drew McQueen	0 2 E	2
Geoff Kilburn	3 1 1	5
Gordon Byers	3 2 E	5
Tommy Gamble	E	
Alex Peel	3 1	4

Belle Vue		
Frank Varey	3 0 3	6
Frank Charles	1 2	3
Eric Langton	2 0 3	5
Wally Hull	1 1	2
Max Grosskreutz	1 3 3	7
Clem Cort	2 0 0	2
Fred Wilkinson	E	

1 Varey Hill Charles, Barrowclough (f)	84.2	2	4	2	4
2 Kilburn Langton Hull. McQueen	86.7	3	3	5	7
3 Byers Cort Grosskreutz, Gamble (ef)	89.0	3	3	8	10
4 Barrowclough Hill Hull, ELangton	84.7	5	1	13	11
5 Grosskreutz McQueen Kilburn, Cort	84.7	3	3	16	14
6 Peel Byers Varey (nf), Wilkinson (ef)	87.9	5	0	21	14
7 Grosskreutz Barrowclough Hill Cort	84.2	3	3	24	17
8 Varey Charles Kilburn, McQueen (ef)	85.9	1	5	25	22
9 Langton Hull Peel (Byers E)	85.4	1	5	26	27

Leeds 27 Belle Vue Aces 26 (Northern League)

#### LEEDS

1 Roy Barrowclough	2 F 3	5
2 Alec Hill	1' 2 2'	5 2
3 Gordon Byers	2 3 2	7
4 Alec Peel	1'2'0	3 2
5 Drew McQueen	3 2 0	5
6 Geoff Kilburn	1 1 F	2
7		

#### BELLE VUE

1 Frank Varey	3 3 3	9
2 Len Woods	0 2' 1	3 1
3 Eric Langton	3 3 3	9
4 Oliver Langton	0 F	0
5 Wally Hull	2 1 1	4
6 Chun Moore	0 F 0	0
7 Frank Burgess	1	1

1 Varey Barrowclough Hill, Woods	83.5	3	3	3	3
2 E. Langton Byers Peel, OLangton	82.6	3	3	6	6
3 McQueen Hull Kilburn, Moore	87.3	4	2	10	8
4 E. Langton Hill Burgess Barrowclough (f)	82.4	2	4	12	12
5 Byers Peel Hull, Moore (f)	86.0	5	1	17	13
6 Varey Woods Kilburn, McQueen	86.9	1	5	18	18
7 Barrowclough Hill Hull, Moore	85.7	5	1	23	19
8 Varey Byers Woods, Peel	86.6	2	4	25	23
9 E. Langton McQueen Kilburn (fl) O. Langton (f)	85.0	2	3	27	26

[Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> September 1931 Belle Vue, Manchester Southern League]

Friday 18<sup>th</sup> September 1931 Farringdon Park, Preston  
Preston 42 Belle Vue 53 (Challenge)

PRESTON

1 Larry Boulton	3 2 3 3	11
2 Gustav Kellner	0 1' 2'	3 2
3 Jack Tye	3 3 2 R	8
4 Fred Winstanley	0 0 1' 1	2 1
5 Les Wotton	3 1' 3 E	7 1
6 Rol Stobbart	1 2 F E	3
7 Eddie Myerscough	1 2 2	5
8 Ron Thompson	0 0 0 1	1
9 Billy Halstead	2'	2 1
10 Maurice Stobart		

BELLE VUE

1 Frank Varey	2 3 1' 3	9 1
2 Len Woods	1' 1 2 2'	6 2
3 Frank Charles	1' 3 3 3	10 1
4 Charlie Hornby	2 0 2'	4 1
5 Clem Cort	E 2 0 3	5
6 Fred Wilkinson	2 1' 1 2'	6 2
7 Bob Harrison	3 E 0 1	4
8 Chun Moore	2' 3 3 E	8 1
9 Wilf Mulliner	1	1

1 Boulton Varey Woods, Kellner	80.4	3	3	3	3
2 Tye Hornby Charles Winstanley	83.8	3	3	6	6
3 Wotton Wilkinson Stobbart Cort (ef)	82.4	4	2	10	8
4 Harrison Moore Myerscough Thompson	84.6	1	5	11	13
5 Charles Boulton Kellner Hornby	82.6	3	3	14	16
6 Tye Cort Wilkinson Winstanley	84.4	3	3	17	19
7 Moore Stobbart Wotton Harrison (ef)	87.0	3	3	20	22
8 Varey Myerscough Woods Thompson	84.6	2	4	22	26
9 Boulton Halstead Wilkinson Cort	83.6	5	1	27	27
10 Moore Tye Winstanley Harrison	84.0	3	3	30	30
11 Wotton Woods Varey Stobbart (fell)	84.6	3	3	33	33
12 Charles Myerscough Mulliner THompson	83.4	2	4	35	37
13 Boulton Kellner Harrison Moore (ef)	86.0	5	1	40	38
14 Varey Woods Winstanley Tye (ret)	85.8	1	5	41	43
15 Charles Hornby Wotton (ef) Stobbart (ef)	86.0	0	5	41	48
16 Cort Wilkinson Thompson Myerscough	85.4	1	5	42	53

Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> September 1931 Belle Vue, Manchester  
 Belle Vue Aces 58 Preston 37 (Challenge)

Belle Vue

Frank Varey	3 3 3 3	12
Len Woods	1 X S 2 1	4
Eric Langton	3 3 3 3	12
Oliver Langton	1 1	2
Walter Hull	3 2 3	8
Fred Wilkinson	1 F N N	1
Chun Moore	3 3 3 X S	9
9 Wilf Mulliner	1 2 2	5
Dick Fletcher	3 E	3

Preston

Joe Abbott	2 2 1 2	7
Larry Boulton	2 1 2	5
Jack Tye	N N F F	0
Ginger Lees	3 1 E 3	7
Ron Thompson	2 1 1	4
Eddie Myerscough	1 2 2	5
Fred Winstanley	2 1 N 2	5
Gustav Kellner	2 1 1	4

1 Varey, Abbott, Woods	84.6	4	2	4	2
2 E.Langton, Kellner, O.Langton	83.2	4	2	8	4
3 Lees, Hull, Wilkinson	84.6	3	3	11	7
4 Moore, Winstanley, Myerscough	84.8	3	3	14	10
5 Varey, Boulton, Kellner, (Woods XS)	85.4	3	3	17	13
6 E.Langton, Thompson, Lees	83.4	3	3	20	16
7 Hull, Myerscough, Winstanley (FRM), (Wilkinson F)	84.8	3	3	23	19
8 Moore, Abbott, Mulliner	84.4	4	2	27	21
9 Varey, Woods, Thompson, (Lees E)	86.0	5	1	32	22
10 E.Langton, Myerscough, Kellner	83.2	3	3	35	25
11 Fletcher, Hull, Abbott	85.2	5	1	40	26
12 Moore, Mulliner, (Tye F)	85.0	5	1	45	27
13 Varey, Winstanley, Woods	87.0	4	2	49	29
14 E.Langton, Abbott, O.Langton	86.8	4	2	53	31
15 Hull, Boulton, (Fletcher E), (Tye F)	89.0	3	2	56	33
16 Lees, Mulliner, Thompson, (Moore XS)	86.4	2	4	58	37

British Individual Championship (Northern Final)

Eric Langton bt Ginger Lees 3 – 0 \* 81.4 81.2 8.8

\* won through on best of 6 at Preston

Match Race

Norman Hartley bt Len Blunt 82.8

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Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> September 1931 Belle Vue, Manchester

British Individual Championship (National Eliminator Final)

Jack Parker bt Eric Langton 2 – 0 82.8 80.6

(and again at Southampton 30.9.1931)

Match Race

Max Grosskreutz bt Dusty Haigh 85.2

Evening Chronicle Cup

1 Chun Moore, Tommy Allott, (Frank Varey E)

2 George Wigfield, Jack Dixon, (Eric Langton E)

3 Max Grosskreutz, (Jack Parker XS), (Dusty Haigh XS)

4 Walter Hull, Fred Wilkinson

SF1 Chun Moore, George Wigfield

SF2 Max Grosskreutz, Fred Wilkinson, Walter Hull (et)

Final Chun Moore, Max Grosskreutz, Fred Wilkinson, (Wigfield E) 85.0

Silver Helmet

1 Len Woods, Max Grosskreutz

2 Chun Moore, Tommy Allott, (Jack Parker E)  
3 Eric Langton, Dusty Haigh  
4 Norman Hartley, Fred Strecker, Oliver Langton, Wilf Mulliner  
SF1 Max Grosskreutz, Len Woods  
SF2 Dusty Haigh, Eric Langton  
Final Eric Langton, Dusty Haigh, Max Grosskreutz 81.4

Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> October 1931 - No meeting

Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> October 1931 Belle Vue, Manchester

Handicap

1 Wilf Mulliner (60 Yds), Arthur Franklyn (20)  
2 Dusty Haigh (Scr), Walter Hull  
3 Frank Burgess (60)  
4 Dick Fletcher  
Final Dusty Haigh (Scr), Frank Burgess (60 yds), Wilf Mulliner, (Dick Fletcher F) 83.6

Match Race

Larry Boulton bt Fred Wilkinson 84.2

Golden Sash

Max Grosskreutz, Eric Langton, Tommy Simpson, (Wilf Mulliner E) 82.2

Golden Helmet

Eric Langton bt Frank Varey 83.0

Supporters' Trophy

1 Max Grosskreutz, Walter Hull  
2 Dusty Haigh, Bob Harrison, (Eric Langton NS) 80.4  
3 Chun Moore, Len Woods, (Frank Varey F), (Joe Abbott E)  
4 Arthur Franklyn, Frank Charles  
Final Max Grosskreutz, Dusty Haigh, Chun Moore 82.2

Silver Torch

Eric Langton, Max Grosskreutz, Walter Hull 82.6

Lancashire Mile (Arthur Jervis 84.8 13/8/1930)

Eric Langton 83 Record Max Grosskreutz 83.2

Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> October 1931 Belle Vue, Manchester

Belle Vue KO Cup Winners 27 The Rest 26 (Charity Event)

Belle Vue

Frank Varey	2 2 3	7
Eric Langton	N	0
Max Grosskreutz	N 2 2	4
Clem Cort	2 3 1	6
Frank Charles	1 2	
Oliver Langton	N	
Len Woods	3 2 1	6

The Rest

Dusty Haigh	3 3 3	9
Fred Wilkinson	1 2	3

Larry Boulton	1 1	2
Arthur Franklyn	3 3	6
Bob Harrison	3 1 2	6
Chun Moore		0

1 Haigh Varey Wilknsn	83.2	2	4	2	4
2 Woods Cort Boulton	87.6	5	1	7	5
3 Harrison Woods Charles	85.6	3	3	10	8
4 Franklyn Varey Woods	87.4	3	3	13	11
5 Cort Grosskreutz Harrison	88.4	5	1	18	12
6 Haigh Wilkinson	86.8	1	5	19	17
7 Varey Harrison No third	84.8	3	2	22	19
8 Haigh Grosskreutz Cort	83.0	3	3	25	22
9 Franklyn Charles Boulton	85.0	2	4	27	26

#### Distance Handicap

1 Len Woods (40), Wilf Mulliner (60)  
 2 Frank Varey (20), Arthur Franklyn (40)  
 3 Frank Burgess (60), Dick Fletcher (20), Dusty Haigh (Scr) fell  
 4 Chun Moore (20), Oliver Langton (40)  
 Final Frank Burgess, Frank Varey , Chun Moore, (Len Woods E) 86.8

#### Scratch Race

1 Len Woods, Eric Gregory  
 2 Dusty Haigh, Clem Cort  
 3 Max Grosskreutz, Norman Hartley, No third  
 4 Frank Varey, Arthur Franklyn  
 Final Dusty Haigh, Max Grosskreutz, Len Woods, (Frank Varey E) 83.6

#### Match Race

Acorn Dobson bt Armstrong 85.0 Note now confirmed