

Belle Vue Merseysiders 1937  
(Team took over Liverpool fixtures)

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Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> July 1937 Belle Vue, Manchester  
Belle Vue Merseysiders v Norwich (Provincial Trophy) Cancelled

Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> July 1937 Hall Green, Birmingham  
Birmingham 59 Belle Vue Merseysiders 49 (Provincial Trophy)

BIRMINGHAM

|                |             |    |
|----------------|-------------|----|
| Les Bowden     | 3 3 3 3 1 2 | 15 |
| Keith Harvey   | 0 1 0       | 1  |
| Malcolm Craven | 2 3 3 1 0 3 | 12 |
| Bob Lovell     | 1 2 1 2 3 0 | 9  |
| Steve Langton  | 3 2 3 3 2 3 | 16 |
| Danny Lee      | 0 1 2 1 0 0 | 4  |
| Jack Tidbury   | 1 0         | 1  |
| Les Gregory    | 1           | 1  |

BV MERSEYSIDERS

|               |             |    |
|---------------|-------------|----|
| Eric Blain    | 1 1 0 0     | 2  |
| Oliver Hart   | 2 0 1 2 2 2 | 9  |
| Stan Hart     | 3 3 2 3 3 3 | 17 |
| Len Eyre      | 0 0         | 0  |
| Eric Butler   | 1 0 1 1     | 3  |
| Tom Price     | 2 0 0 0 3 2 | 7  |
| Ernie Price   | 1 2 2 2 2 1 | 10 |
| Charlie Oates | 1 0         | 1  |

|                                   |      |   |   |    |    |
|-----------------------------------|------|---|---|----|----|
| 1 Bowden O Hart Blain Harvey      | 79.0 | 3 | 3 | 3  | 3  |
| 2 S Hart Craven Lovell Eyre       | 78.2 | 3 | 3 | 6  | 6  |
| 3 Langton T Price E Price Lee     | 80.2 | 3 | 3 | 9  | 9  |
| 4 Craven Lovell Blain O.Hart      | 78.2 | 5 | 1 | 14 | 10 |
| 5 S Hart Langton Lee Eyre         | 78.4 | 3 | 3 | 17 | 13 |
| 6 Bowden E Price Harvey T.Price   | 80.4 | 4 | 2 | 21 | 15 |
| 7 Langton Lee O Hart Blain        | 80.0 | 5 | 1 | 26 | 16 |
| 8 Bowden S Hart E Butler Harvey   | 79.8 | 3 | 3 | 29 | 19 |
| 9 Craven E Price Lovell T.Price   | 80.0 | 4 | 2 | 33 | 21 |
| 10 Bowden O Hart Tidbury Blain    | 79.2 | 4 | 2 | 37 | 23 |
| 11 S Hart Lovell Craven E. Butler | 78.8 | 3 | 3 | 40 | 26 |
| 12 Langton E Price Lee T.Price    | 80.6 | 4 | 2 | 44 | 28 |
| 13 Lovell O Hart E Butler Craven  | 80.2 | 3 | 3 | 47 | 31 |
| 14 S Hart Langton Oates Lee       | 78.6 | 2 | 4 | 49 | 35 |
| 15 T Price E Price Bowden Tidbury | 80.3 | 1 | 5 | 50 | 40 |
| 16 Langton O Hart E Butler Lee    | 80.4 | 3 | 3 | 53 | 43 |
| 17 S Hart Bowden Gregory Oates    | 79.4 | 3 | 3 | 56 | 46 |
| 18 Craven T Price E Price Lovell  | 80.4 | 3 | 3 | 59 | 49 |

Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> July 1937 Belle Vue, Manchester  
Belle Vue Merseysiders 59 Norwich 46 (Provincial Trophy)

BELLE VUE MERSEYSIDERS

|             |             |   |
|-------------|-------------|---|
| Eric Blain  | 3 3 0 1 1 0 | 8 |
| Oliver Hart | 0 2 0 0 3 2 | 7 |

|               |             |              |
|---------------|-------------|--------------|
| Stan Hart     | 3 0 3 3 3 3 | 15           |
| Len Eyre      | 1 0 0 1 - - | 2            |
| Tom Price     | 1 1 1 2 2 1 | 8            |
| Ernie Price   | 3 3 3 3 3 3 | 18           |
| Eric Butler   | 1 0         | 1            |
| Charlie Oates |             | did not ride |

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#### NORWICH

|                |             |    |
|----------------|-------------|----|
| Dick Wise      | 2 3 2 2 0 2 | 11 |
| Paul Goodchild | 1 2 0 3 - - | 6  |
| Bert Spencer   | 0 2 2 2 0 3 | 9  |
| Jock Sweet     | 2 0 3 0 1 1 | 7  |
| Wilf Jay       | 2 1 1 0 2 0 | 6  |
| Bill Birtwell  | 0 0 2 - - - | 2  |
| Chun Moore     | 1 0 2       | 3  |
| Alec Peel      | 2 0         | 2  |

|    |   |      |   |   |    |    |
|----|---|------|---|---|----|----|
| 1  | Eric Blain, Dick Wise, Paul Goodchild, Oliver Hart, | 80.4 | 3 | 3 | 3  | 3  |
| 2  | Stan Hart, Jock Sweet, Len Eyre, Bert Spencer,      | 79.0 | 4 | 2 | 7  | 5  |
| 3  | Ernie Price, Wilf Jay, Tom Price, Bill Birtwell,    | 81.0 | 4 | 2 | 11 | 7  |
| 4  | Wise, Goodchild, no third (S. Hart & Eyre n/f),     | 85.0 | 0 | 5 | 11 | 12 |
| 5  | E. Price, Spencer, T. Price, Sweet,                 | 80.0 | 4 | 2 | 15 | 14 |
| 6  | Blain, O. Hart, Jay, Birtwell,                      | 82.6 | 5 | 1 | 20 | 15 |
| 7  | E. Price, Wise, T. Price, Goodchild,                | 81.6 | 4 | 2 | 24 | 17 |
| 8  | Sweet, Spencer, no third (Blain & O. Hart n/f),     | 81.4 | 0 | 5 | 24 | 22 |
| 9  | S. Haart, Birtwell, Jay, Eyre,                      | 80.8 | 3 | 3 | 27 | 25 |
| 10 | Goodchild, Wise, Blain, O. Hart,                    | 80.6 | 1 | 5 | 28 | 30 |
| 11 | S. Hart, Spencer, Eyre, Sweet,                      | 81.2 | 4 | 2 | 32 | 32 |
| 12 | E. Price, T. Price, Chun Moore, Jay,                | 82.4 | 5 | 1 | 37 | 33 |
| 13 | S. Hart, Alec Peel, Eric Butler, Wise,              | 81.4 | 4 | 2 | 41 | 35 |
| 14 | E. Price, T. Price, Sweet, Spencer,                 | 83.0 | 5 | 1 | 46 | 36 |
| 15 | O. Hart, Jay, Blain, Peel,                          | 82.2 | 4 | 2 | 50 | 38 |
| 16 | E. Price, Wise, T. Price, Moore,                    | 82.6 | 4 | 2 | 54 | 40 |
| 17 | Spencer, O. Hart, Sweet, Blain,                     | 82.4 | 2 | 4 | 56 | 44 |
| 18 | S. Hart, Moore, no third (Butler & Jay n/f),        | 82.6 | 3 | 2 | 59 | 46 |

#### Midget Cars

Pashley, Skirrow, m L White

3M 44.2

Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> July 1937 Belle Vue, Manchester

Belle Vue Merseysiders 59 Southampton 47 (Provincial Trophy) \*

- BVM 60 S 46 based on score in marked programme

#### BV MERSEYSIDERS

|             |              |      |
|-------------|--------------|------|
| Eric Blain  | 0 2 0 2 1' 3 | 8 1  |
| Oliver Hart | 2 0 2 1' 2 0 | 7 1  |
| Stan Hart   | 0 3 3 3 1' 0 | 10 1 |
| Alan Butler | 1 2' 1 1 2   | 7 1  |
| Tom Price   | 1 1 1 3 1 2' | 9 1  |
| Ernie Price | 3 3 3 2' 3 3 | 17 1 |
| Len Eyre    | 2            | 2    |
| Eric Butler |              | DNR  |

#### SOUTHAMPTON

|               |             |   |
|---------------|-------------|---|
| Frank Goulden | 3 1 2 3     | 9 |
| Ivor Creek    | 0 0 0 0 3 1 | 4 |

|                |              |     |
|----------------|--------------|-----|
| Billy Dallison | 3 2 3 2 2 2  | 14  |
| Cyril Anderson | 2' 0 1 0 0 0 | 3 1 |
| Syd Griffiths  | 2 3 2 1 3 3  | 14  |
| Jack Hobson    | 0 1          | 1   |
| Vic Collins    | 0 1 0 0      | 1   |
| Jim Boyd       | 0 0          | 0   |

|  |      |   |   |    |    |
|--|------|---|---|----|----|
| Ht1 Goulden, O.Hart, Creek (nf), Blain (nf)      | 81.0 | 2 | 3 | 2  | 3  |
| Ht2 Dallison, Anderson, A.Butler, S.Hart         | 84.4 | 1 | 5 | 3  | 8  |
| Ht3 E.Price, Griffiths, T.Price, Collins         | 81.0 | 4 | 2 | 7  | 10 |
| Ht4 S.Hart. A.Butler, Goulden, Creek             | 81.6 | 5 | 1 | 12 | 11 |
| Ht5 E.Price, Dallison, T.Price, Anderson         | 81.2 | 4 | 2 | 16 | 13 |
| Ht6 Griffiths, Blain, Collins, O.Hart            | 83.6 | 2 | 4 | 18 | 17 |
| Ht7 E.Price, Goulden, T.Price, Creek             | 82.0 | 4 | 2 | 22 | 19 |
| Ht8 Dallison, O.Hart, Anderson, Blain            | 82.6 | 2 | 4 | 24 | 23 |
| Ht9 S.Hart, Griffiths, A.Butler, Hobson          | 82.2 | 4 | 2 | 28 | 25 |
| Ht10 Goulden, Blain, O.Hart, Creek               | 83.0 | 3 | 3 | 31 | 28 |
| Ht11 S.Hart, Dallison, A.Butler, Anderson        | 82.4 | 4 | 2 | 35 | 30 |
| Ht12 T.Price, E.Price, Griffiths, Collins        | 83.6 | 5 | 1 | 40 | 31 |
| Ht13 Creek, Eyre, S.Hart, Boyd                   | 83.6 | 3 | 3 | 43 | 34 |
| Ht14 E.Price, Dallison, T.Price, Anderson        | 82.2 | 4 | 2 | 47 | 36 |
| Ht15 Griffiths, O.Hart, Blain, Collins           | 83.0 | 3 | 3 | 50 | 39 |
| Ht16 E.Price, T.Price, Creek, Boyd               | 84.2 | 5 | 1 | 55 | 40 |
| Ht17 Blain, Dallison, Anderson (nf), O.Hart (nf) | 84.0 | 3 | 2 | 58 | 42 |
| Ht18 Griffiths, A.Butler, Hobson, S.Hart         | 84.8 | 2 | 4 | 60 | 46 |

Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> August 1937 Belle Vue, Manchester  
English Provincial Riders 48 Australians 60 (Challenge)

#### EPR

|                  |             |      |
|------------------|-------------|------|
| Stan Hart        | 2 2 0 2 1'  | 7 1  |
| Harry Shepherd   | 1' 0 2 1'   | 4 2  |
| Frank Goulden    | 0 1 0       | 1' 1 |
| George Greenwood | 3 3 2 3 2 3 | 16   |
| Ernie Price      | 2 1 1 1 1 1 | 7    |
| Eric Blain       | 0 0 0       | 0    |
| Les Bowden       | 0 3 3 2'    | 8 1  |
| Ted Bravery      | 0 1' 2      | 2 1  |

#### AUSTRALIANS

|                 |              |      |
|-----------------|--------------|------|
| Bluey Wilkinson | 3 2 3 3 3 0  | 15   |
| Charlie Spinks  | 0 2' 0 1 2   | 5 1  |
| Eric Collins    | 1' 3 1 2 2   | 9 1  |
| Bert Spencer    | 2 2' 3 0     | 7 1  |
| Dick Case       | 3 3 3 3 3 1' | 16 1 |
| Bill Rogers     | 1 1 1 2' 0   | 5 1  |
| Vic Duggan      | 0            | 0    |
| Billy Lamont    | 1' 0         | 1 1  |

|   |      |   |   |    |    |
|---|------|---|---|----|----|
| Ht1 Wilkinson, Hart, Shepherd, Spinks     | 78.6 | 3 | 3 | 3  | 3  |
| Ht2 Greenwood, Spencer, Collins, Goulden  | 79.4 | 1 | 5 | 4  | 8  |
| Ht3 Case, Price, Rogers, Blain            | 79.6 | 2 | 4 | 6  | 12 |
| Ht4 Greenwood, Wilkinson, Goulden, Duggan | 79.0 | 4 | 2 | 10 | 14 |
| Ht5 Collins, Spencer, Price, Blain        | 82.0 | 1 | 5 | 11 | 19 |
| Ht6 Case, Hart, Rogers, Shepherd          | 80.8 | 2 | 4 | 13 | 23 |
| Ht7 Wilkinson, Spinks. Price, Blain       | 81.4 | 1 | 5 | 14 | 28 |

|  |      |   |   |    |    |
|--|------|---|---|----|----|
| Ht8 Spencer, Shepherd, Collins, Hart       | 82.0 | 2 | 4 | 16 | 32 |
| Ht9 Case, Greenwood, Rogers, Goulden       | 80.0 | 2 | 4 | 18 | 36 |
| Ht10 Wilkinson, Hart, Shepherd, Spinks     | 82.2 | 3 | 3 | 21 | 39 |
| Ht11 Greenwood, Collins, Lamont, Bravery   | 82.0 | 3 | 3 | 24 | 42 |
| Ht12 Case, Rogers, Price, Bowden           | 82.4 | 1 | 5 | 25 | 47 |
| Ht13 Wilkinson, Greenwood, Spinks, Bravery | 81.0 | 2 | 4 | 27 | 51 |
| Ht14 Bowden, Collins, Price, Spencer       | 81.8 | 4 | 2 | 31 | 53 |
| Ht15 Case, Bravery, Hart, Lamont           | 83.4 | 3 | 3 | 34 | 56 |
| Ht16 Bowden, Spinks, Price, Wilkinson      | 81.4 | 4 | 2 | 38 | 58 |
| Ht17 Collins, Bravery, Hart, Collins       | 83.6 | 5 | 1 | 43 | 59 |
| Ht18 Greenwood, Bowden, Case, Rogers       | 80.4 | 5 | 1 | 48 | 60 |

Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> August 1937 Belle Vue, Manchester  
 Belle Vue Merseysiders 72 Birmingham 36 (Provincial Trophy)

#### MERSEYSIDERS

|             |                 |      |
|-------------|-----------------|------|
| Eric Blain  | 3 3 2 3 2 2     | 15   |
| Oliver Hart | 0 0 0 2' 3 3    | 8 1  |
| Stan Hart   | 3 3 3 3 3 3     | 18   |
| Alan Butler | 0 0 1 0 2       | 3    |
| Eric Price  | 2' 2' 2' 3 3 2' | 14 4 |
| Tommy Price | 3 3 3 0 1 3     | 13   |

#### BIRMINGHAM

|                |               |     |
|----------------|---------------|-----|
| Les Bowden     | 2 2 1 0       | 5   |
| Jack Tidbury   | 1' 1' 0 1 2 1 | 6 2 |
| Malcolm Craven | 2 1 3 2 2 0   | 10  |
| Bob Lovell     | 1' 0 1 0 1    | 3 1 |
| Steve Langton  | 1 2 2 2 1 1   | 9   |
| Danny Lee      | 0 0 0         | 0   |
| Les Gregory    | 1' 1' 0       | 2 1 |
| Keith Harvey   | 1' 0          | 1 1 |

|  |      |   |   |    |    |
|--|------|---|---|----|----|
| 1] Blain, Bowden, Tidbury, O. Hart       | 85.0 | 3 | 3 | 3  | 3  |
| 2] S. Hart, Craven, Lovell, A. Butler    | 80.0 | 3 | 3 | 6  | 6  |
| 3] T. Price, E. Price, Langton, Lee      | 82.6 | 5 | 1 | 11 | 7  |
| 4] S. Hart, Bowden, Tibury, A. Butler    | 80.4 | 3 | 3 | 14 | 10 |
| 5] T. Price, E. Price, Craven, Lovell    | 82.2 | 5 | 1 | 19 | 11 |
| 6] Blain, Langton, Gregory, O. Hart      | 83.8 | 3 | 3 | 22 | 14 |
| 7] T. Price, E. Price, Bowden, Tidbury   | 82.0 | 5 | 1 | 27 | 15 |
| 8] Craven, Blain, Lovell, O. Hart        | 83.4 | 2 | 4 | 29 | 19 |
| 9] S. Hart, Langton, A. Butler, Lee      | 81.8 | 4 | 2 | 33 | 21 |
| 10] Blain, O. Hart, Tidbury, Bowden      | 82.2 | 5 | 1 | 38 | 22 |
| 11] S. Hart, Craven, Harvey, A. Butler   | 82.6 | 3 | 3 | 41 | 25 |
| 12] E. Price, Langton, Gregory, T. Price | 83.4 | 3 | 3 | 44 | 28 |
| 13] S. Hart, Tidbury, Eyre, Harvey       | 81.4 | 4 | 2 | 48 | 30 |
| 14] E. Price, Craven, T. Price, Lovell   | 83.4 | 4 | 2 | 52 | 32 |
| 15] O. Hart, Blain, Langton, Lee         | 82.6 | 5 | 1 | 57 | 33 |
| 16] T. Price, E. Price, Tidbury, Harvey  | 84.4 | 5 | 1 | 62 | 34 |
| 17] O. Hart, Blain, Lovell, Craven       | 83.4 | 5 | 1 | 67 | 35 |
| 18] S. Hart, A. Butler, Langton, Gregory | 84.0 | 5 | 1 | 72 | 36 |

Lap Record Attempt (Rolling Start)

Eric Langton 1st 18.0 2nd 17.8

4 Lap Record Attempt (Rolling Start)

Eric Langton 75.4

## Midget Cars 4 Laps Attempt 79.0

Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> August 1937 Belle Vue, Manchester  
Belle Vue Merseysiders 49 Southampton 35 (Provincial League)

### BV MERSEYSIDERS

|               |         |    |
|---------------|---------|----|
| 1 Eric Blain  | 0 3 2 3 | 8  |
| 2 Oliver Hart | 1 3 1 3 | 8  |
| 3 Stan Hart   | 3 3 3 3 | 12 |
| 4 Alan Butler | 1 0 2 3 | 6  |
| 5 Len Eyre    | 3 1 1 0 | 5  |
| 6 Ernie Price | 2 2 0 2 | 6  |
| 7 Jack Gordon | 2 1     | 3  |
| 8 Eric Butler | 0 1     | 1  |

### SOUTHAMPTON

|                |         |    |
|----------------|---------|----|
| Bert Jones     | 3 2 3 2 | 10 |
| Cyril Anderson | 2 1 2 3 | 8  |
| Syd Griffiths  | 2 3 2 2 | 9  |
| Jack Hobson    | 0 X 0   | 0  |
| Billy Dallison | 0 1     | 1  |
| Vic Collins    | 0 1 1 0 | 2  |
| Jim Boyd       | 1 1 2 1 | 5  |
| No No.8        |         |    |

|  |      |   |   |    |    |
|--|------|---|---|----|----|
| 1 Jones Anderson O Hart Blain            | 85.6 | 1 | 5 | 1  | 5  |
| 2 S Hart Griffiths A Butler Hobson       | 81.0 | 4 | 2 | 5  | 7  |
| 3 Eyre E Price Dallison Collins          | 82.4 | 5 | 1 | 10 | 8  |
| 4 Blain Gordon Boyd Hobson (exc)         | 82.6 | 5 | 1 | 15 | 9  |
| 5 S Hart Jones Anderson Butler           | 81.0 | 3 | 3 | 18 | 12 |
| 6 Griffiths E Price Eyre Hobson (ns)     | 82.6 | 3 | 3 | 21 | 15 |
| 7 O Hart Blain Collins Dallison          | 82.6 | 5 | 1 | 26 | 16 |
| 8 S Hart Griffiths Boyd EButler          | 82.2 | 3 | 3 | 29 | 19 |
| 9 Jones Anderson Eyre EPrice             | 87.0 | 1 | 5 | 30 | 24 |
| 10 Blain Griffiths O Hart Hobson         | 82.2 | 4 | 2 | 34 | 26 |
| 11 S Hart A Butler Collins Dallison (ns) | 81.0 | 5 | 1 | 39 | 27 |
| 12 Anderson Jones E Butler Eyre          | 85.4 | 1 | 5 | 40 | 32 |
| 13 A Butler Boyd Gordon Dallison (ns)    | 83.4 | 4 | 2 | 44 | 34 |
| 14 O Hart E Price Boyd Collins           | 83.0 | 5 | 1 | 49 | 35 |

Attempt On Lancashire Mile Record  
Joe Abbott 80.6 79.8 (both failed)

Attempt on One Lap Record  
Frank varey 21.4 (failed)

Attempt on Two Lap Record  
Frank Varey 39.0 (Failed)  
Record attempts all before match

Midget Car Record Attempt  
Charlie Pashley 78.8 (failed)

Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> August 1937 Hall Green, Birmingham

Birmingham 53 Belle Vue Merseysiders 31 (Provincial League)

BIRMINGHAM

|                  |           |    |
|------------------|-----------|----|
| 1 Les Bowden     | F/N N N N | 0  |
| 2 Malcolm Craven | 3 3 1 2   | 9  |
| 3 Tiger Hart     | F 2 3 2   | 7  |
| 4 Bob Lovell     | 1 3 3 3   | 10 |
| 5 Steve Langton  | 1 0 0 3   | 4  |
| 6 Jack Tidbury   | 0 2 3 3   | 8  |
| 7 Danny Lee      | 2 3 2 2   | 9  |
| 8 Keith Harvey   | 1 0 3 2   | 6  |

BV MERSEYSIDERS

|               |           |   |
|---------------|-----------|---|
| 1 Eric Blain  | 1 0 2 0   | 3 |
| 2 Oliver Hart | F/N 1 1   | 2 |
| 3 Stan Hart   | 3 3 2 F/N | 8 |
| 4 Alan Butler | 2 2 1 2   | 7 |
| 5 Tom Price   | 3 F 1 0   | 4 |
| 6 Ernie Price | 2 1 0 1   | 4 |
| 7 Eric Butler | R 0 1 0   | 1 |
| 8 Jack Gordon | 1 0 1     | 2 |

|                                     |      |   |   |    |    |
|-------------------------------------|------|---|---|----|----|
| RR 1 Craven Lee Blain (E Butler R)  | 77.6 | 5 | 1 | 5  | 1  |
| 2 S Hart A Butler Lovell (T Hart F) | 77.0 | 1 | 5 | 6  | 6  |
| 3 T Price E Price Langton Tidbury   | 79.0 | 1 | 5 | 7  | 11 |
| 4 Lee A Butler Harvey E Butler      | 76.2 | 4 | 2 | 11 | 13 |
| 5 Lovell T Hart O Hart Blain        | 77.6 | 5 | 1 | 16 | 14 |
| 6 S Hart Tidbury A Butler Langton   | 76.4 | 2 | 4 | 18 | 18 |
| 7 Craven Lee E Price (T Price F)    | 77.6 | 5 | 1 | 23 | 19 |
| 8 T Hart S Hart Gordon Harvey       | 76.4 | 3 | 3 | 26 | 22 |
| 9 Tidbury Blain O Hart Langton      | 77.8 | 3 | 3 | 29 | 25 |
| RR 10 Harvey A Butler Craven Gordon | 77.8 | 4 | 2 | 33 | 27 |
| 11 Lovell T Hart T Price E.Price    | 78.2 | 5 | 1 | 38 | 28 |
| 12 Langton Harvey E Butler Blain    | 79.0 | 5 | 1 | 43 | 29 |
| 13 Lovell Lee Gordon T Price        | 77.0 | 5 | 1 | 48 | 30 |
| 14 Tidbury Craven E Price E Butler  | 77.6 | 5 | 1 | 53 | 31 |

Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> August 1937 Belle Vue, Manchester  
 Belle Vue Merseysiders 30 Norwich 54 (Provincial League)

BV MERSEYSIDERS

|                 |         |   |
|-----------------|---------|---|
| 1 Eric Blain    | 2 3 0 2 | 7 |
| 2 Len Eyre      | 1 1 0 2 | 4 |
| 3 Ernie Price   | 0 2 2 2 | 6 |
| 4 Jack Gordon   | 1 0 0 0 | 1 |
| 5 Tom Price     | 3 0 2 2 | 7 |
| 6 Alan Butler   | 2 1 1 0 | 4 |
| 7 Eric Butler   | F N     | 0 |
| 8 Charlie Oates | 0 0 1   | 1 |

NORWICH

|                |         |    |
|----------------|---------|----|
| 1 Dick Wise    | 3 3 3 3 | 12 |
| 2 Jock Sweet   | 0 1 0 1 | 2  |
| 3 Bert Spencer | 3 3 3 1 | 10 |
| 4 Wilf Jay     | 2 2 2 3 | 9  |
| 5 Wal Morton   | 0 3 3 3 | 9  |

|                  |         |   |
|------------------|---------|---|
| 6 Paul Goodchild | 1 2 1 3 | 7 |
| 7 Bill Birtwell  | 1 1     | 2 |
| 8 Alec Peel      | 1 2     | 3 |

|                                     |      |   |   |    |    |
|-------------------------------------|------|---|---|----|----|
| 1 Wise Blain Eyre Sweet             | 80.2 | 3 | 3 | 3  | 3  |
| 2 Spencer Jay Gordon E Price        | 82.0 | 1 | 5 | 4  | 8  |
| 3 T Price A Butler Goodchild Morton | 83.3 | 5 | 1 | 9  | 9  |
| 4 Blain Jay Birtwell (E Butler F)   | 82.6 | 3 | 3 | 12 | 12 |
| 5 Wise E Price Sweet Gordon         | 82.0 | 2 | 4 | 14 | 16 |
| 6 Spencer Jay A Butler T Price      | 82.6 | 1 | 5 | 15 | 21 |
| 7 Morton Goodchild Eyre Blain       | 83.4 | 1 | 5 | 16 | 26 |
| 8 Spencer E Price Peel Oates        | 83.0 | 2 | 4 | 18 | 30 |
| 9 Wise T Price A Butler Sweet       | 81.6 | 3 | 3 | 21 | 33 |
| 10 Jay Blain Spencer Eyre           | 81.2 | 2 | 4 | 23 | 37 |
| 11 Morton E Price Goodchild Gordon  | 83.6 | 2 | 4 | 25 | 41 |
| 12 Wise T Price Birtwell Oates      | 81.8 | 2 | 4 | 27 | 45 |
| 13 Morton Peel Oates Gordon         | 84.0 | 1 | 5 | 28 | 50 |
| 14 Goodchild Eyre Sweet A Butler    | 84.2 | 2 | 4 | 30 | 54 |

#### Four Lap Midget Car Race

Pashley, Worswick, Warburton, Marsh 81.0

Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> August 1937 The Firs, Norwich

Norwich 48 Belle Vue Merseysiders 34 (Provincial League)

#### NORWICH

|                  |         |    |
|------------------|---------|----|
| 1 Dick Wise      | 3 R 0 0 | 3  |
| 2 Jock Sweet     | 0 1 2 2 | 5  |
| 3 Bert Spencer   | 2 3 3 3 | 11 |
| 4 Wilf Jay       | 3 2 2 R | 7  |
| 5 Wal Morton     | 3 3 1 0 | 7  |
| 6 Paul Goodchild | 2 1 3 3 | 9  |
| 7 Bill Birtwell  | 2 R     | 2  |
| 8 Alec Peel      | 1 3     | 4  |

#### BV MERSEYSIDERS

|                 |          |     |
|-----------------|----------|-----|
| 1 Eric Blain    | 2 1 2 2  | 7   |
| 2 Len Eyre      |          | DNR |
| 3 Ernie Price   | 1 2 2 3  | 8   |
| 4 Jack Gordon   | 0 NS 0 1 | 1   |
| 5 Tom Price     | 1 3 1 3  | 8   |
| 6 Alan Butler   | 0 2 0 1  | 3   |
| 7 Charlie Oates | 3 0 1 0  | 4   |
| 8 Eric Butler   | 1 0 0 2  | 3   |

|   |      |   |   |    |    |
|---|------|---|---|----|----|
| 1 Wise Blain E Butler Sweet             | 81.6 | 3 | 3 | 3  | 3  |
| 2 Jay Spencer E Price Gordon            | 79.0 | 5 | 1 | 8  | 4  |
| 3 Morton Goodchild T Price A Butler     | 82.0 | 5 | 1 | 13 | 5  |
| 4 Oates Birtwell (Wise R) (Gordon NS)   | 85.2 | 2 | 3 | 15 | 8  |
| 5 Spencer Jay Blain E Butler            | 81.0 | 5 | 1 | 20 | 9  |
| 6 Morton E Price Goodchild Gordon       | 81.8 | 4 | 2 | 24 | 11 |
| 7 T Price A Butler Sweet Wise           | 83.2 | 1 | 5 | 25 | 16 |
| 8 Spencer E Price Peel Oates            | 81.2 | 4 | 2 | 29 | 18 |
| 9 Goodchild Blain Morton (FIL) E Butler | 82.6 | 4 | 2 | 33 | 20 |
| 10 E Price Sweet Gordon Wise            | 83.8 | 2 | 4 | 35 | 24 |
| 11 Spencer Jay T Price A Butler         | 83.0 | 5 | 1 | 40 | 25 |

|  |      |   |   |    |    |
|--|------|---|---|----|----|
| 12 Peel Blain Oates Morton               | 83.4 | 3 | 3 | 43 | 28 |
| 13 T Price E Butler (Jay R) (Birtwell R) | 83.0 | 0 | 5 | 43 | 33 |
| 14 Goodchild Sweet A Butler Oates        | 85.0 | 5 | 1 | 48 | 34 |

Tuesday 31<sup>st</sup> August 1937 Trent Bridge, Nottingham  
 Nottingham 58 Belle Vue Merseysiders 26 (Provincial League)

NOTTINGHAM

|                     |           |    |
|---------------------|-----------|----|
| 1 George Greenwood  | 3 3 XS 1  | 7  |
| 2 Tommy Bateman     | 2 3 2 2   | 9  |
| 3 Fred Strecker     | 1 2 3 2   | 8  |
| 4 Tommy Allott      | 2 3 3 3   | 11 |
| 5 Ted Bravery       | 2 1 3 3   | 9  |
| 6 Billy Lamont      | 3 3 CIL 3 | 9  |
| 7 Harold Brailsford | 1 0       | 1  |
| 8 Sam Marsland      | 2 2       | 4  |

BV MERSEYSIDERS

|                 |         |   |
|-----------------|---------|---|
| 1 Eric Blain    | 1 N 2 1 | 4 |
| 2 Len Eyre      | 0 0 1 0 | 1 |
| 3 Ernie Price   | 3 2 E 3 | 8 |
| 4 Jack Gordon   | 0 2 0 0 | 2 |
| 5 Tom Price     | 0 2 1 2 | 5 |
| 6 Alan Butler   | 1 1 0 1 | 3 |
| 7 Charlie Oates | 0 0     | 0 |
| 8 Eric Butler   | 1 1 1   | 3 |

|  |       |   |   |    |    |
|--|-------|---|---|----|----|
| 1 Greenwood Bateman Blain Eyre           | 77.60 | 5 | 1 | 5  | 1  |
| 2 E Price Allott Strecker Gordon         | 75.60 | 3 | 3 | 8  | 4  |
| 3 Lamont Bravery A Butler T Price        | 79.00 | 5 | 1 | 13 | 5  |
| 4 Greenwood Gordon Brailsford Oates      | 77.04 | 4 | 2 | 17 | 7  |
| 5 Allott Strecker E Butler Eyre          | 77.18 | 5 | 1 | 22 | 8  |
| 6 Lamont E Price Bravery Gordon          | 77.02 | 4 | 2 | 26 | 10 |
| 7 Bateman T Price A Butler (Grnwood XS)  | 77.04 | 3 | 3 | 29 | 13 |
| 8 Strecker Marsland E Butler (E Price E) | 79.47 | 5 | 1 | 34 | 14 |
| 9 Bravery Blain Eyre (Lamont CIL)        | 78.06 | 3 | 3 | 37 | 17 |
| 10 E Price Bateman Greenwood Gordon      | 77.00 | 3 | 3 | 40 | 20 |
| 11 Allott Strecker T Price A Butler      | 76.02 | 5 | 1 | 45 | 21 |
| 12 Bravery Marsland Blain Oates          | 79.08 | 5 | 1 | 50 | 22 |
| 13 Allott T Price E Butler Brailsford    | 78.00 | 3 | 3 | 53 | 25 |
| 14 Lamont Bateman A Butler Eyre          | 78.00 | 5 | 1 | 58 | 26 |

Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> September 1937 Belle Vue, Manchester  
 Belle Vue Merseysiders 31 Bristol 52 (Provincial League)

BV MERSEYSIDERS

|                |         |    |
|----------------|---------|----|
| 1 Eric Blain   | 0 1 2 0 | 3  |
| 2 Acorn Dobson | 1 0 1   | 2  |
| 3 Tom Price    | 1 1 2 2 | 6  |
| 4 Ernie Price  | 2 3 3 3 | 11 |
| 5 Alan Butler  | 1 2 E   | 3  |
| 6 Jack Gordon  | 2 1 1   | 4  |
| 7 Len Eyre     | 0 0     | 0  |
| 8 Eric Butler  | 2       | 2  |

BRISTOL



|                   |          |    |
|-------------------|----------|----|
| 1 Harry Shepherd  | 3 2 3 XU | 8  |
| 2 Reg Vigor       | 2 0 1 3  | 6  |
| 3 Roy Dook        | 3 3 3 2  | 11 |
| 4 Bill Maddern    | N 3 2 3  | 8  |
| 5 Bill Rogers     | 3 3 1 1  | 8  |
| 6 George Saunders | F 1 0 2  | 3  |
| 7 Bill Longley    | F 2 3    | 5  |
| 8 Harry Bowler    | 1 2      | 3  |

|   |      |   |   |    |    |
|---|------|---|---|----|----|
| 1 Shepherd Vigor Dobson Blain                 | 82.2 | 1 | 5 | 1  | 5  |
| 2 Dook E Price T Price (Longley F)            | 82.2 | 3 | 3 | 4  | 8  |
| 3 Rogers Gordon A Butler (Saunders F)         | 82.0 | 3 | 3 | 7  | 11 |
| 4 Maddern Longley Blain Eyre                  | 83.4 | 1 | 5 | 8  | 16 |
| 5 E Price Shepherd T Price Vigor              | 83.4 | 4 | 2 | 12 | 18 |
| 6 Dook Maddern Gordon                         | 84.2 | 1 | 5 | 13 | 23 |
| 7 Rogers Blain Saunders Dobson                | 82.8 | 2 | 4 | 15 | 27 |
| 8 Dook T Price Bowler                         | 85.2 | 2 | 4 | 17 | 31 |
| 9 Shepherd A Butler Vigor                     | 83.6 | 2 | 4 | 19 | 35 |
| 10 Maddern Dook Dobson Blain                  | 84.8 | 1 | 5 | 20 | 40 |
| 11 E Price T Price Rogers Saunders            | 83.4 | 5 | 1 | 25 | 41 |
| 12 Longley E Butler (Shephrd XU) (A Butler E) | 86.4 | 2 | 3 | 27 | 44 |
| 13 E Price Bowler Rogers Eyre                 | 83.2 | 3 | 3 | 30 | 47 |
| 14 Vigor Saunders Gordon                      | 85.2 | 1 | 5 | 31 | 52 |

**Belle Vue Scratch Race**  
**Final E.Price, Vigor,**

Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> September 1937 Belle Vue, Manchester  
 Belle Vue Merseysiders 46 Nottingham 37 (Provincial League)

**BV MERSEYSIDERS**

|                  |         |    |
|------------------|---------|----|
| 1 Ernie Price    | 3 2 3 2 | 10 |
| 2 Alan Butler    | 1 1 1 3 | 6  |
| 3 Harold Jackson | 2 2 3 2 | 9  |
| 4 Eric Blain     | 1 1 F 3 | 5  |
| 5 Tom Price      | 2 2 2 3 | 9  |
| 6 Jack Gordon    | 1 0 1 0 | 2  |
| 7 Len Eyre       | 1 1     | 2  |
| 8 Acorn Dobson   | 1 2     | 3  |

**NOTTINGHAM**

|                    |         |    |
|--------------------|---------|----|
| 1 George Greenwood | 2 3 3   | 8  |
| 2 Sam Marsland     | 0 0 F 1 | 1  |
| 3 Fred Strecker    | 3 1 2   | 6  |
| 4 Tommy Allott     | F 3 3 3 | 9  |
| 5 Ted Bravery      | 3 2 3 2 | 10 |
| 6 Fred Tuck        | 0 0 2 1 | 3  |
| 7 Jim Baylais      | 0 0 0   | 0  |
| 8 Don Hemingway    | 0 F 0   | 0  |

|                                       |      |   |   |    |    |
|---------------------------------------|------|---|---|----|----|
| 1 E Price Greenwood A Butler Marsland | 79.6 | 4 | 2 | 4  | 2  |
| 2 Strecker Jackson Blain (Allott F)   | 82.6 | 3 | 3 | 7  | 5  |
| 3 Bravery T Price Gordon Tuck         | 82.2 | 3 | 3 | 10 | 8  |
| 4 Allott E Price Eyre Baylais         | 82.2 | 3 | 3 | 13 | 11 |
| 5 Greenwood Jackson Blain Marsland    | 81.4 | 3 | 3 | 16 | 14 |
| 6 Allott T Price Strecker Gordon      | 82.6 | 2 | 4 | 18 | 18 |

|  |      |   |   |    |    |
|--|------|---|---|----|----|
| 7 E Price Bravery A Butler Tuck            | 82.2 | 4 | 2 | 22 | 20 |
| 8 Jackson Strecker Dobson Hemingway        | 84.0 | 4 | 2 | 26 | 22 |
| 9 Greenwood T Price Gordon (Marsland F)    | 81.4 | 3 | 3 | 29 | 25 |
| 10 Allott E Price A Butler Baylais         | 82.6 | 3 | 3 | 32 | 28 |
| 11 Bravery Jackson Tuck (Blain F)          | 84.0 | 2 | 4 | 34 | 32 |
| 12 T Price Dobson (Hemngwy F) Baylais (nf) | 85.2 | 5 | 0 | 39 | 32 |
| 13 Blain Bravery Eyre Hemmingway           | 83.4 | 4 | 2 | 43 | 34 |
| 14 A Butler Tuck Marsland Gordon           | 85.4 | 3 | 3 | 46 | 37 |

#### Scratch Race

|   |      |
|---|------|
| 1 Greenwood, Allott, Bravery, Tuck      | 82.6 |
| 2 Tom Price, EPrice, Butler, Gordon     | 85.2 |
| Final Greenwood, Allott, EPrice, TPrice | 82.4 |

#### Midget Car Race

|                             |      |
|-----------------------------|------|
| Frank Marsh bt Bill Kitchen | 86.4 |
|-----------------------------|------|

Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> September 1937 Lonsdale Park, Workington  
Workington 27 Belle Vue Merseysiders 9 (Challenge)

#### WORKINGTON

|                   |          |     |
|-------------------|----------|-----|
| Maurice Stobart   | 3 3      | 6   |
| Al Rosenfeldt     |          | DNR |
| Norman Hargreaves | 3 3      | 6   |
| Sam Marsland      | 2' 3     | 5 1 |
| Ken Tidbury (res) | 2' 2' 2' | 6 3 |
| ^Don Tye "(res)   | 1'       | 1 1 |

#### BELLE VUE

|                |        |     |
|----------------|--------|-----|
| Tommy Price    | 2 2    | 4   |
| Charlie Oates  | 0 1 1' | 2 1 |
| Eric Butler    | 0 0 0  | 0   |
| Alan Butler    | 1 0    | 1   |
| ^Don Tye (res) | 1 1    | 2   |

^ rode for both sides

|   |      |   |   |    |   |
|---|------|---|---|----|---|
| 1 MStobart, Tidbury, Tye, E.Butler      | 88.7 | 5 | 1 | 5  | 1 |
| 2 Hargreaves, Marsland, A.Butler, Oates | 90.7 | 5 | 1 | 10 | 2 |
| 3 Marsland, T.Price, Tye", E.Butler     | 90.0 | 4 | 2 | 14 | 4 |
| 4 MStobart, Tidbury, Oates, A.Butler    | 88.6 | 5 | 1 | 19 | 5 |
| 5 Marsland, Tidbury, Tye, E.Butler      | 90.0 | 5 | 1 | 24 | 6 |
| 6 Hargreaves, T.Price, Oates, M.Stobart | 88.3 | 3 | 3 | 27 | 9 |

Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> September 1937 Bannister Court, Southampton  
Southampton 53 Belle Vue Merseysiders 30 (Provincial League)

#### SOUTHAMPTON

|                  |         |    |
|------------------|---------|----|
| 1 Frank Goulden  | 3 3 3 3 | 12 |
| 2 Jack Adams     | 0 0 N F | 0  |
| 3 Syd Griffiths  | 3 3 3 3 | 12 |
| 4 Jack Hobson    | 1 1 2 3 | 7  |
| 5 Billy Dallison | 3 3 3 3 | 12 |
| 6 Cyril Anderson | 2 0 0 N | 2  |
| 7 Bert Jones     | 2 2 2   | 6  |
| 8 Jim Boyd       | 2 0 F   | 2  |

BV MERSEYSIDERS

|                  |         |   |
|------------------|---------|---|
| 1 Ernie Price    | 2 2 2 2 | 8 |
| 2 Tom Price      | 1 0 1 3 | 5 |
| 3 Eric Blain     | DNR     |   |
| 4 Harold Jackson | 2 1 2 1 | 6 |
| 5 Alan Butler    | 1 2 1 1 | 5 |
| 6 Len Eyre       | 0 1 0 2 | 3 |
| 7 Jack Gordon    | 0 1 1 0 | 2 |
| 8 Eric Butler    | 0 1 0 0 | 1 |

|                                      |      |   |   |    |    |
|--------------------------------------|------|---|---|----|----|
| 1 Goulden E Price T Price Adams      | 71.4 | 3 | 3 | 3  | 3  |
| 2 Griffiths Jackson Hobson Gordon    | 69.8 | 4 | 2 | 7  | 5  |
| 3 Dallison Anderson A Butler Eyre    | 72.0 | 5 | 1 | 12 | 6  |
| 4 Goulden Jones Jackson E Butler     | 72.2 | 5 | 1 | 17 | 7  |
| 5 Griffiths E Price Hobson T Price   | 70.4 | 4 | 2 | 21 | 9  |
| 6 Dallison Jackson E Butler Anderson | 72.4 | 3 | 3 | 24 | 12 |
| 7 Goulden A Butler Eyre Adams        | 72.4 | 3 | 3 | 27 | 15 |
| 8 Griffiths Boyd Gordon E Butler     | 73.6 | 5 | 1 | 32 | 16 |
| 9 Dallison E Price T Price Anderson  | 71.6 | 3 | 3 | 35 | 19 |
| 10 Goulden Jones Jackson E Butler    | 73.4 | 5 | 1 | 40 | 20 |
| 11 Griffiths Hobson A Butler Eyre    | 71.6 | 5 | 1 | 45 | 21 |
| 12 Dallison E Price Gordon Boyd      | 73.0 | 3 | 3 | 48 | 24 |
| 13 Hobson Jones A Butler Gordon      | 70.4 | 5 | 1 | 53 | 25 |
| 14 T Price Eyre (Adams F) (Boyd F)   | 74.4 | 0 | 5 | 53 | 30 |

16<sup>th</sup> October 1937 Belle Vue, Manchester  
 Belle Vue Merseysiders 44 Norwich 35 (Provincial League)

BV MERSEYSIDERS

|                  |         |    |
|------------------|---------|----|
| 1 Tom Price      | 3 3 3 3 | 12 |
| 2 Jack Gordon    | 2 0 F 3 | 5  |
| 3 Eric Blain     | 2 1 2 0 | 5  |
| 4 Harold Jackson | 3 2 3 F | 8  |
| 5 Alan Butler    | 1 3 2 3 | 9  |
| 6 Len Eyre       | 0 1 1 1 | 3  |
| 7 No Rider       |         |    |
| 8 Acorn Dobson   | 1 F 1 F | 2  |

NORWICH

|                  |             |   |
|------------------|-------------|---|
| 1 Wal Morton     | F/N N NS NS | 0 |
| 2 Reg Hay        | 0 3 3 2     | 8 |
| 3 No Rider       |             |   |
| 4 Paul Goodchild | 0 0 2 2     | 4 |
| 5 Wilf Jay       | 3 1 1 3     | 8 |
| 6 Bill Birtwell  | 2 2 2 0     | 6 |
| 7 Alan Smith     | 1 2 2       | 5 |
| 8 Fred Alexander | 1 0 3 F     | 4 |

|  |      |   |   |    |    |
|--|------|---|---|----|----|
| RR 1 T Price Gordon Smith Hay              | 84.2 | 5 | 1 | 5  | 1  |
| 2 Jackson Blain Alexander Goodchild        | 85.8 | 5 | 1 | 10 | 2  |
| 3 Jay Birtwell A Butler Eyre               | 83.6 | 1 | 5 | 11 | 7  |
| 4 T Price Smith Dobson Goodchild           | 84.4 | 4 | 2 | 15 | 9  |
| 5 Hay Jackson Blain Alexander              | 84.0 | 3 | 3 | 18 | 12 |
| 6 A Butler Goodchild Eyre 3 riders only    | 86.2 | 4 | 2 | 22 | 14 |
| 7 T Price Birtwell Jay Gordon              | 85.2 | 3 | 3 | 25 | 17 |
| 8 Alexander Blain (Dobson F) 3 riders only | 85.6 | 2 | 3 | 27 | 20 |

|   |      |   |   |    |    |
|---|------|---|---|----|----|
| 9 Hay A Butler Eyre (Morton NS)               | 85.0 | 3 | 3 | 30 | 23 |
| 10 T Price Goodchild (Gordon F) 3 riders only | 94.0 | 3 | 2 | 33 | 25 |
| 11 Jackson Birtwell Jay Blain                 | 84.8 | 3 | 3 | 36 | 28 |
| 12 A Butler Smith Dobson (Morton NS)          | 86.0 | 4 | 2 | 40 | 30 |
| 13 Jay (Alexander F) (Jackson F) (Dobson F)   | 89.8 | 0 | 3 | 40 | 33 |
| 14 Gordon Hay Eyre Birtwell                   | 89.6 | 4 | 2 | 44 | 35 |

No second half, This match was second half of Belle Vue Aces Meeting