

# EASTBOURNE 1939

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Sources of information : EG = Eastbourne Gazette; E Cour = Eastbourne Courier; E Chron - Eastbourne Chronicle SCH = Sussex County Herald; TMC = The Motor Cycle; 75YES = 75 Years of Eastbourne Speedway (Jacobs & Burnett); HoBS = Homes of British Speedway (Bamford & Jarvis), marked programme

## Sunday, 9<sup>th</sup> April 1939, Arlington Stadium, Eastbourne

EG 12.4.39; E Cour 14.4.39

Les Gore broke his collarbone in a fall.

### Hailsham Handicap

Ht 1: Charlie Dugard, Vic Harris	78.0
Ht 2: Harry Saunders, J Jarvis	77.8
Ht 3: Stan Johns, M Kaye	73.8
Ht 4: Charlie Page, H Brine	75.0
SF1: Saunders, Dugard, Jarvis, Harris	71.6
SF2: Page, Brine, Johns, Kaye	71.8
Final: Page, Brine, Dugard, Saunders	71.8

### Junior Scratch Race

Jack Kemsley, Vic Harris	81.6
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### Easter Scratch Race

Ht 1: Charlie Dugard, Danny Lee	74.6
Ht 2: Harry Saunders, Les Gore	77.2
Ht 3: H Brine, J Jarvis	75.4
Ht 4 : Stan Johns, Charlie Page	74.0
SF1: Lee, Dugard, Saunders, Gore	72.8
SF2: Johns, Brine, Page, Jarvis	73.4
Final: Johns, Lee, Dugard, Brine	72.8

## Sunday, 30<sup>th</sup> April 1939, Arlington Stadium, Eastbourne

Meeting cancelled

**Sunday, 30<sup>th</sup> April 1939, Bell End, Holbeach  
Holbeach & Spalding Tulips 79 Eastbourne 29**

*LFP 1.5.39, marked programme. Arch Windmill and Doug Wells failed to appear for Eastbourne; it was reported that as it was raining in London they assumed the meeting would be postponed.*

**Holbeach & Spalding**

Ted English	3	2'	3	2'	1	2'	13	3
Alan Smith	1	3	2	3	0	1	10	
Roy Duke	3	2'	3	3	2'	3	16	2
Tip Mills	2'	3	0	3	2	3	13	1
Geoff Godwin	1	2'	2'	0	2'	2'	9	4
Buster Yeomans	3	3	3	3	3	3	18	

**Eastbourne**

Tiger Hart	0	0	1	1	0		2	
Fred Williams	2	1	0	0	1	0	4	
Freddie Watson	1	1	1'	1			4	1
Phil Lewry	0	0	0	0	0		0	
Charlie Appleby	2	0	2	2	2	2	10	
Bill Goodall	0	1	1	3			5	
George Mills	0	1	1				2	
Sam Warren	0	1	1'				2	1

Ht 1: English, Williams, Smith, Hart (f)	102.3	4	2	4	2
Ht 2: Duke, T Mills, Watson, G Mills	104.4	5	1	9	3
Ht 3: Yeomans, Appleby, Godwin, Goodall	96.8	4	2	13	5
Ht 4: T Mills, Duke, Williams, Warren	99.8	5	1	18	6
Ht 5: Yeomans, Godwin, Watson, Lewry	96.1	5	1	23	7
Ht 6: Smith, English, G Mills, Appleby	102.4	5	1	28	8
Ht 7: Yeomans, Godwin, Goodall, Williams	99.5	5	1	33	9
Ht 8: English, Smith, Warren, Lewry	104.4	5	1	38	10
Ht 9: Duke, Appleby, Watson, T Mills	98.0	3	3	41	13
Ht 10: Smith, English, Goodall, Williams	102.2	5	1	46	14
Ht 11: Duke, T Mills, G Mills, Lewry	99.2	5	1	51	15
Ht 12: Yeomans, Appleby, Warren, Godwin	94.6	3	3	54	18
Ht 13: T Mills, Duke, Williams, Hart (f)	98.3	5	1	59	19
Ht 14: Yeomans, Godwin, Hart, Lewry	93.8	5	1	64	20
Ht 15: Goodall, Appleby, English, Smith	96.9	1	5	65	25
Ht 16: Yeomans, Godwin, Hart, Williams	95.1	5	1	70	26
Ht 17: T Mills, English, Watson, Lewry	97.3	5	1	75	27
Ht 18: Duke, Appleby, Smith, Hart	94.7	4	2	79	29

**Reserves Scratch Races (two)**

Cancelled as reserves had replacement rides in the match

**April Scratch Race**

Ht 1: Yeomans, Watson, English (nf), Hart (nf)	95.7
Ht 2: Duke, Williams, Warren, Hudson	96.4
Ht 3: Godwin, G Mills, Lewry (nf)	97.9
Ht 4: T Mills, Smith, Appleby, Goodall	92.5
Final: Duke, Yeomans, Godwin, T Mills (f)	92.5

## Sunday, 14<sup>th</sup> May 1939, Arlington Stadium, Eastbourne

EG 17.5.39

### Eastbourne Handicap

Ht 1: Charlie Dugard, Danny Lee	74.6
Ht 2: Tiger Hart, Stan Johns	73.2
Ht 3: Not run	
Ht 4: Dick Harris, Charlie Page	74.2
SF1: Lee, Hart, Dugard	71.8
SF2: Harris, Johns, Page	74.2
Final: Johns, Hart, Lee, Harris	72.8

### Junior Scratch Race

Jack Kemsley, J Jarvis	81.4
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### All-Star Scratch Race

Ht 1: Tiger Hart, Charlie Dugard	76.4
Ht 2: Jack Kemsley, Danny Lee	84.0
Ht 3: Not run	
Ht 4: Dick Harris, Stan Johns	74.2
SF1: Hart, Dugard, Kemsley	74.6
SF2: Harris, Johns, Lee	75.2
Final: Hart, Harris, Dugard	73.0

## Sunday, 28<sup>th</sup> May 1939, Arlington Stadium, Eastbourne

EG 31.5.39

### Hailsham Handicap

Ht 1: Con Crowley, Tiger Hart	73.8
Ht 2: Dick Harris, Harry Bray	77.2
Ht 3 : Charlie Page, Charlie Dugard	76.8
SF1: Hart, Crowley, Harris	75.4
SF2: Dugard, Page, Bray	77.2
Final: Crowley, Hart, Page, Dugard	74.2

### Junior Scratch Race

Con Crowley, Vic Harris, E Fenner	85.6
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### Whitsun Scratch Race

Ht 1: Jack Kemsley, Tiger Hart	81.6
Ht 2: Harry Bray, Dick Harris	86.4
Ht 3: Charlie Dugard, Charlie Page	79.8
SF1: Hart, Kemsley, Bray	79.8
SF2: Dugard, Harris	81.4
Final: Hart, Dugard, Kemsley, Harris	80.8

## Sunday, 11<sup>th</sup> June 1939, Arlington Stadium, Eastbourne

EG 14.6.39; E Cour 16.6.39

### Jempson Memorial Cup

Ht 1: Tiger Hart, T Gibson	77.2
Ht 2: Stan Dell, Charlie Dugard	75.8
Ht 3: Jim Baylais, Stan Johns	73.4
Ht 4: Charlie Page, Jack Kemsley, [Con Crowley (f)]	78.4
SF1: Hart, Dell, Gibson, Dugard	74.0
SF2: Baylais, Johns, Page, Kemsley	73.8
Final: Baylais, Hart, Johns	74.0

### Junior Scratch Race

Basil Harris, Don Earle, J Kaye	82.2
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### June Handicap

Ht 1: Jim Baylais, Don Earle	74.2
Ht 2: Stan Johns, Tiger Hart	72.2
Ht 3: Dick Harris, Jack Kemsley	73.2
Ht 4: Stan Dell, Harry Bray	74.8
SF1: Johns, Hart, Baylais, Earle	71.8
SF2: Dell, Harris, Kemsley, Bray	74.8
Final: Johns, Harris, Hart, Dell (f)	71.8

### Match Race

Arch Windmill beat Jack Tidbury	77.2
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## Sunday, 25<sup>th</sup> June 1939, Arlington Stadium, Eastbourne

### Eastbourne 49 Cambridge 34 (Challenge)

EG 28.6.39

#### Eastbourne

Tiger Hart	3 3 3 3	12
Harry Bray	1 1'	2 1
Dick Harris	3 3 3 3	12
Charlie Dugard	0 1 2' 2	5 1
Stan Johns	3 3 3 2	11
Con Crowley	2' 2' 0 1	5 2
Danny Lee	2'	2 1

#### Cambridge

Jack Tidbury	2 2	4
Jim Baylais	1' 2 3	6
Jack Hyland	2 1 2 2	7
Ken Tidbury	1' 1' 2	4 2
Charlie Page	1 1' 2'	4 2
Harry Brown	1 1' 3	5 1
Arch Windmill	1 3	4

Ht 1: Hart, J Tidbury, Baylais	75.6	3	3	3	3
Ht 2: Harris, Hyland, K Tidbury, Dugard	75.2	3	3	6	6
Ht 3: Johns, Crowley, Brown	?	5	1	11	7
Ht 4: Hart, Lee, Hyland	73.2	5	1	16	8
Ht 5: Harris, Baylais, Dugard	74.2	4	2	20	10
Ht 6: Johns, Hyland, K Tidbury	74.8	3	3	23	13
Ht 7: Hart, Crowley, Page	77.2	5	1	28	14
Ht 8: Harris, K Tidbury, Bray	74.4	4	2	32	16
Ht 9: Johns, J Tidbury, Brown	75.6	3	3	35	19
Ht 10: Hart, Hyland, Page	74.2	3	3	38	22
Ht 11: Harris, Dugard, Windmill	73.2	5	1	43	23
Ht 12: Baylais, Johns	73.4	2	3	45	26
Ht 13: Windmill, Dugard, Bray	73.4	3	3	48	29
Ht 14: Brown, Page, Crowley	78.8	1	5	49	34

#### Sudden Death Race

Ht 1: Charlie Dugard, Don Earle	72.4
Ht 2: Dick Harris, Arch Windmill	71.8
Ht 3: Ken Tidbury, Hyland	72.2
Ht 4: Harry Bray, Charlie Page	74.8
Final: Dugard, Harris, Tidbury, Bray	74.2

### Sunday, 9<sup>th</sup> July 1939, Arlington Stadium, Eastbourne

#### Championship of Sussex

EG 12.7.39

#### Qualifying Scores

Tiger Hart	3	2	3	3	0	11
Nobby Stock	0	0	3	3	3	9
Arthur Pilgrim	2	0	2	0	0	4
N Thompson	0	2	0	2	0	4
Stan Johns	3	3	3	3	3	15
Charlie Dugard	2	3	2	2	2	11
Charlie Page	3	2	0	2	0	7
Harry Bray	0	2	0	0	0	2
Ken Tidbury	0	3	3	2	2	10
Harry Brown	0	2	3	2	3	10
Dick Harris	2	3	0	3	3	11
Con Crowley	2	0	0	0	0	2
Jack Kemsley	0	0	2	0	0	2

Ht 1: Hart, Dugard	76.4
Ht 2: Johns, Harris	75.8
Ht 3: Page, Pilgrim	79.4
Ht 4: Tidbury, Crowley	78.2
Ht 5: Johns, Hart	73.8
Ht 6: Tidbury, Brown	79.0
Ht 7: Harris, Thompson	76.4
Ht 8: Dugard, Page	78.6
Ht 9: Brown, Stock (f), Harris (f)	90.6
Ht 10: Johns, Pilgrim	77.8
Ht 11: Hart, Thompson	77.6

Ht 12: Stock, Tidbury	76.4
Ht 13: Harris, Dugard	77.0
Ht 14: Hart, Tidbury	76.4
Ht 15: Johns, Brown	76.8
Ht 16: Stock, Kemsley	76.6
Ht 17: Harris, Page, Hart (ret)	76.2
Ht 18: Johns, Dugard	75.6
Ht 19: Brown, Bray, Crowley (f), Page (f)	75.8
Ht 20: Stock, Dugard	74.8
Final: Hart, Harris, Dugard, Johns (f)	74.8

### Match Race

Nobby Stock beat Tiger Hart	75.2
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## Sunday, 23<sup>rd</sup> July 1939, Arlington Stadium, Eastbourne

### Eastbourne 48 Wisbech 36 (Challenge)

EG 26.7.39; E Cour 28.7.39, *programme*

#### Eastbourne

Tiger Hart	3 3 3 3	12
Harry Brown	2' 1 1 0	4 1
Stan Johns*	3 3 3 3	12
Charlie Page	2' 0 2' 3	7 2
Ted Gibson	0	0
Charlie Dugard	3 2 2 3	10
Jack Kemsley	1 1' 0 1 0	3 1
Price	0 0	0

#### Wisbech

Danny Lee	1 2 3 3	9
Fred Williams	0 1' 1 2	4 1
Ken Tidbury	1 3 2 2	8
Ken Glover	0 2 0 0	2
Jim Cashmore	0 0 0 2	2
Arthur Pilgrim	2 2 1 1'	6 1
Jack White	1' 2'	3 2
Jack Lemon	1 1'	2 1

Ht 1: Hart, Brown, Lee, Williams	77.4	5	1	5	1
Ht 2: Johns, Page, Tidbury, Glover	76.4	5	1	10	2
Ht 3: Dugard, Pilgrim, Kemsley, Cashmore	77.4	4	2	14	4
Ht 4: Hart, Glover, White, Gibson	78.6	3	3	17	7
Ht 5: Johns, Lee, Williams, Page	75.4	3	3	20	10
Ht 6: Tidbury, Dugard, Kemsley, Glover	77.0	3	3	23	13
Ht 7: Hart, Pilgrim, Brown, Cashmore	76.0	4	2	27	15
Ht 8: Johns, Tidbury, Lemon, Price	76.2	3	3	30	18
Ht 9: Lee, Dugard, Williams, Kemsley	75.4	2	4	32	22
Ht 10: Hart, Tidbury, Brown, Glover	74.8	4	2	36	24
Ht 11: Johns, Page, Pilgrim, Cashmore	74.8	5	1	41	25
Ht 12: Lee, White, Kemsley, Price	75.4	1	5	42	30
Ht 13: Page, Cashmore, Lemon, Kemsley	78.6	3	3	45	33
Ht 14: Dugard, Williams, Pilgrim, Brown	76.2	3	3	48	36

### Sudden Death Race

Ht 1: White, Brown, F Williams, Hart (ef),	75.0
Ht 2: Lee, Glover, [S Williams, Dugard, Mills]	75.2
Ht 3: Lemon, Johns, [Page, Houghton, Cashmore]	74.8
Ht 4: Kemsley, Tidbury, [Pilgrim, Price]	74.4
Final: Kemsley, Lee, Lemon, White	75.2

\*Assumed name for Stan Lemon

### Sunday, 6<sup>th</sup> August 1939, Arlington Stadium, Eastbourne

EG 9.8.39

#### Summer Handicap

Ht 1: Charlie Dugard, Jack Tidbury, Arthur Pilgrim (f)	76.4
Ht 2: Tiger Hart, Ken Tidbury	73.4
Ht 3: Jack Lemon, Stan Johns	74.0
Ht 4: Danny Lee, Charlie Page	75.6
SF1: Hart, K Tidbury, Dugard, J Tidbury	73.6
SF2: Lemon, Lee, Page, Johns (f)	73.4
Final: Hart, Lee, K Tidbury, Lemon	73.2

#### Match Race

Basil Harris beat Don Earle	78.6
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#### August Scratch Race

Ht 1: Charlie Dugard, A Pilgrim, Tiger Hart (f)	76.4
Ht 2: Stan Johns, Jack Kemsley	77.2
Ht 3: Cyril Brine, Ken Tidbury	76.2
Ht 4: Danny Lee, Harry Brown	75.4
SF1: Dugard, Johns, Kemsley, Pilgrim	75.0
SF2: Lee, Brown, K Tidbury, Brine	75.6
Final: Dugard, Johns, Lee, Brown	75.2

#### Match Races

Tiger Hart beat Stan Johns	73.0
Ken Tidbury beat Cyril Brine	75.0

### Sunday, 20<sup>th</sup> August 1939, Arlington Stadium, Eastbourne

Meeting cancelled

### Sunday, 3<sup>rd</sup> September 1939, Arlington Stadium, Eastbourne

EG 6.9.39

Cancelled – war declared at 11 a.m.