

## RYE HOUSE 1955

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Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> April 1955 California in Reading, Wokingham  
California Poppies 50 Rye House Roosters 34 (Challenge)

### California

Ron Sharp	1 2' F 0	3 1
Roy Bowers	3 3 3 2'	11 1
Eric Hockaday	1 0 0 1	2
Jimmy Gleed	3 3 2 3	11
Bob Andrews	0 2' 3 3	8 1
Pete Mould	1 3 X 3	7
Ross Gilbertson	2' 2	4 1
Tommy Sweetman	2 2'	4 1

### Rye House

Charlie Cheshire	F 0	0
Vic Ridgeon	2 1 2 0	5
Dave Slater	2 1 3 1'	7 1
Vernon Brown	0 0 2 1	3
Al Sparrey	3 3 2 3	11
Bill Simpson	2' 1 1' 1	5 2
D.Murray	1 0 0 0	1
Stan Bedford	1 1	2

Ht1 Bowers, Ridgeon, Sharp, Cheshire (f)	68.0	4	2	4	2
Ht2 Gleed, Slater, Hockaday, Brown	69.2	4	2	8	4
Ht3 Sparrey, Simpson, Mould, Andrews	69.2	1	5	9	9
Ht4 Gleed, Gilbertson, Murray, Cheshire	71.2	5	1	14	10
Ht5 Bowers, Sharp, Slater, Brown	69.6	5	1	19	11
Ht6 Sparrey, Gleed, Simpson, Hockaday	70.0	2	4	21	15
Ht7 Mould, Andrews, Ridgeon, Murray	71.0	5	1	26	16
Ht8 Slater, Sweetman, Bedford, Hockaday	72.0	2	4	28	20
Ht9 Bowers, Sparrey, Simpson, Sharp (f)	70.0	3	3	31	23
Ht10 Gleed, Ridgeon, Hockaday, Murray	70.0	4	2	35	25
Ht11 Andrews, Brown, Slater (frm), Mould (fexc)	71.0	3	3	38	28
Ht12 Sparrey, Gilbertson, Bedford, Sharp	71.1	2	4	40	32
Ht13 Andrews, Sweetman, Brown, Murray	75.0	5	1	45	33
Ht14 Mould, Bowers, Simpson, Ridgeon	72.0	5	1	50	34

### Wokingham Stakes

H 1 R Bowers E Hockaday V Ridgeon B Simpson

H 2 J Gleed R Sharp A Sparrey D Clark

H 3 P Mould B Andrews D Slater V Brown

### Reserves Scratch Race

Gilbertson T Sweetman D Murry S Bedford

Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> April 1955 Rye House Stadium, Hoddesdon  
Easter Cup

Stan Bedford	1 2 1	4
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Dave Slater	2 3 2	7
George Murrell	F 1 3	4
Al Sparrey	3 3 3	9
Vic Ridgeon	3 0 3	6
Harry Wilson	1 F	1
Jimmy Heard	2 3 1	6
Dave Freeborn	0 2 1	3
Vernon Brown	2 2 2	6
Mike Broadbanks	3 3 2	8
George Smithson	0 2 0	2
Bill Simpson	1 0 2	3
F.Turner	1 1 0	2
Bert Little	2 1 2	5
D.Murray	F E F	0
Willy Wilson	3 2 3	8

Ht1 Sparrey, Slater, Bedford, Murrell (f)	63.6
Ht2 Ridgeon, Heard, H.Wilson, Freeborn	64.0
Ht3 Broadbanks, Brown, Simpson, Smithson	65.4
Ht4 W.Wilson, Little, Turner, Murray (f)	67.4
Ht5 Slater, Brown, Turner, Ridgeon	67.6
Ht6 Broadbanks, Bedford, Little, H.Wilson (f)	65.4
Ht7 Heard, Smithson, Murrell, Murray (ef)	64.8
Ht8 Sparrey, W.Wilson, Freeborn, Simpson	64.8
Ht9 W.Wilson, Slater, Smithson (nf), H.Wilson (ns)	67.4
Ht10 Ridgeon, Simpson, Bedford, Murray (f)	65.2
Ht11 Murrell, Brown, Freeborn, Little	67.4
Ht12 Sparrey, Broadbanks, Heard, Turner	65.8

#### Easter Championship

SF1 Sparrey, Heard, W.Wilson, Bedford	64.2
Ht2 Ridgeon, Broadbanks, Slater, Brown	65.6
Final Sparrey, Broadbanks, Heard, Ridgeon	65.4

#### Easter Consolation Scratch

Ht1 Simpson, Little, Murrell (nf) 3 only	66.4
Ht2 Murray, Turner, Freeborn 3 only	67.6
Final Simpson, Little, Turner, Murray	67.2

Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> April 1955 Brafield Stadium, Brafield  
Brafield Flying Foxes 40 Rye House Roosters 44 (Southern Area League)

#### Brafield

Brian Miller	2' E 0 0	2 1
Vic Hall	3 2 2 2	9
Nick Nicholls	F 0 1'	1 1
Brian Meredith	2 3 3 2	10
Neil Roberts	1 1' F	2 1
Eric Croft	3 2 1 0	6
Dave Hankins	2' 2 3 3	10 1
Hank Bird	E 0	0

#### Rye House

Jim Heard	F 1	1
Vic Ridgeon	1 3 3 1	8
Mike Broadbanks	3 3 3 3	12
Vernon Brown	1 1 2' 1'	5 2
Al Sparrey	2 2 3 3	10
Dave Slater	0 1' 1 2	4 1
Stan Bedford	F 0 2	2
Bill Simpson	E 1 1'	2 1

Ht1 Hall, Miller, Ridgeon, Heard (f)	74.4	5	1	5	1
Ht2 Broadbanks, Meredith, Brown, Nicholls (f)	76.6	2	4	7	5
Ht3 Croft, Sparrey, Roberts, Slater	78.2	4	2	11	7
Ht4 Meredith, Hankins, Heard, Bedford (f)	77.0	5	1	16	8
Ht5 Broadbanks, Hall, Brown, Miller (ef)	78.4	2	4	18	12
Ht6 Meredith, Sparrey, Slater, Nicholls	75.4	3	3	21	15
Ht7 Ridgeon, Croft, Roberts, Simpson (ef)	77.2	3	3	24	18
Ht8 Broadbanks, Hankins, Simpson, Bird (ef)	77.2	2	4	26	22
Ht9 Sparrey, Hall, Slater, Miller	76.2	2	4	28	26
Ht10 Ridgeon, Meredith, Nicholls, Bedford	76.4	3	3	31	29
Ht11 Broadbanks, Brown, Croft, Roberts (f)	77.2	1	5	32	34
Ht12 Hankins, Slater, Simpson, Miller	77.6	3	3	35	37
Ht13 Hankins, Bedford, Brown, Bird	78.0	3	3	38	40
Ht14 Sparrey, Hall, Ridgeon, Croft	76.6	2	4	40	44

Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> April 1955 Rye House Stadium, Hoddesdon  
Rye House Roosters 57 Ringwood Turfs 24 (Southern Area League)

Rye House

Jim Heard	2' 2' 2' 3	9 3
Vic Ridgeon	3 3 3 3	11
Bill Simpson	2 3 2' 3	10 1
Vernon Brown	F 1' 0	1 1
Dave Slater	1 F	1
Al Sparrey	3 3 3 2'	11 1
Stan Bedford	2 1 1 1	5
Mike Broadbanks	3 2' 3	8 1

Ringwood

Merv Hannam	1 3 F 2	6
Gordon Richards	0 2 1' 0	3 1
Tom Reader	3 1 0 1	5
Glynn Chandler	X 0 F	0
Gerry Bridson	2 2 E 2	6
Bryan Meredith	F 0 E	0
Tom Worrell	0 0	0
Mike Tams	1 0 2 1	4

Ht1 Ridgeon, Heard, Hannam, Richards	65.2	5	1	5	1
Ht2 Reader, Simpson, Chandler (exc), Brown (f)	66.8	2	4	7	4
Ht3 Sparrey, Bridson, Slater, Meredith (f)	64.2	4	2	11	6
Ht4 Hannam, Bedford, Brown, Worrell	65.6	3	3	14	9
Ht5 Ridgeon, Heard, Reader, Chandler	64.0	5	1	19	10
Ht6 Broadbanks, Bridson, Bedford, Meredith	65.4	4	2	23	12
Ht7 Sparrey, Richards, Slater (f), Hannam (f)	65.5	3	2	26	14
Ht8 Simpson, Broadbanks, Tams, Reader	66.4	5	1	31	15
Ht9 Ridgeon, Heard, Bridson (ef), Meredith (ef)	65.8	5	0	36	15
Ht10 Broadbanks, Hannam, Richards, Brown	65.8	3	3	39	18
Ht11 Sparrey, Simpson, Reader, Chandler (f)	65.2	5	1	44	19
Ht12 Heard, Bridson, Bedford, Tams	68.0	4	2	48	21
Ht13 Simpson, Tams, Bedford, Worrell	66.6	4	2	52	23
Ht14 Ridgeon, Sparrey, Tams, Richards	64.0	5	1	57	24

Reserves Scratch Race

Tams, Bedford, Richards, Brown	65.0
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Rye House Scurry

Ht1 Ridgeon, Simpson, Hannam, Reader	65.6
Ht2 Broadbanks, Sparrey, Heard, Bridson	65.0
Final Ridgeon, Sparrey, Broadbanks, Simpson	65.6

Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> May 1955 Ringwood Stadium Ringwood  
 Ringwood Turfs v Rye House Roosters (Southern Area League) Postponed

Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> May 1955 Rye House Stadium, Hoddesdon  
 Silver Trophy Qualifying Round

Bill Simpson	3 1 3	7
Bert Little	1 3 0	4
Al Sparrey	2 3 2	7
Jim Heard	F F	0
Vernon Brown	0 1 1	2
Geoff Woodger	3 2 3	8
Stan Bedford	2 2 2	6
Dave Freeborn	1 0 2	3
Mike Broadbanks	3 3 1	7
Dave Slater	F 1 X	1
Wally Wilson	1 E	1
Vic Ridgeon	2 2 3	7

Ht1 Simpson, Sparrey, Little, Heard (f)	65.6
Ht2 Woodger, Bedford, Freeborn, Brown	65.4
Ht3 Broadbanks, Ridgeon, Wilson, Slater (f)	63.6
Ht4 Sparrey, Bedford, Slater, Heard (f)	63.8
Ht5 Little, Woodger, Brown, Wilson (ns)	65.4
Ht6 Broadbanks, Ridgeon, Simpson, Freeborn	64.2
Ht7 Simpson, Freeborn, Brown, Slater (fexc)	67.6
Ht8 Woodger, Sparrey, Broadbanks, Little	68.2
Ht9 Ridgeon, Bedford, Wilson (ef), Heard (ns)	65.0
Decider	
Broadbanks, Ridgeon, Sparrey, Simpson	64.2
Final	
Mike Broadbanks bt Geoff Woodger (f)	64.4

Match Races

Ht1 Les McGillivray bt Jimmy Gooch	64.2
Ht2 Jimmy Gooch bt Les McGillivray	64.4
Ht3 Les McGillivray bt Jimmy Gooch	64.6

The Hoddesdon Hurricane

Ht1 Ridgeon, Freeborn, Wilson, Woodger (f)	66.4
Ht2 Bedford, Sparrey, Brown, Preedy (ns)	65.6
Ht3 Broadbanks, Simpson, Little, Slater (ns)	65.6
SF1 Ridgeon, Broadbanks, Sparrey (f) 3 only	65.4
SF2 Bedford, Freeborn, Simpson 3 only	67.0
Final Stan Bedford bt Vic Ridgeon	65.0

Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> May 1955 Arlington Stadium, Eastbourne  
 Eastbourne Eagles 33 Rye House Roosters 47 (Southern Area League)

Eastbourne		
Wally Wilson	2 1 2 3	8
Alan Brett	E E E E	0
Harry Wilson	0 3 3 2	8
Bob Bunney	2 3 1 E	6
Jim Preddy	2 1 0 E	3
Bert Little	0 3 1 1	5
Dave Collett	E 2'	2 1
Dave Freeborn	F F 1	1

Rye House					
Stan Bedford	1	2	2	1	6
Vic Ridgeon	3	F	3	3	9
Mike Broadbanks	3	3	F	3	9
Bill Simpson	1	2'	2'	2'	7 3
Vernon Brown	1	2	1	1	5
Al Sparrey	3	F	3	2'	8 1
Gerry King	F	0			0
Dave Slater	E	3			3

Ht1 Ridgeon, W.Wilson, Bedford, Brett (ef)	68.4	2	4	2	4
Ht2 Broadbanks, Bunney, Simpson, H.Wilson	68.6	2	4	4	8
Ht3 Sparrey, Preddy, Brown, Little	71.8	2	4	6	12
Ht4 Buney, Bedford, Collett (ef), Slater (ef)	70.0	3	2	9	14
Ht5 Broadbanks, Simpson, W.Wilson, Brett (ef)	67.8	1	5	10	19
Ht6 H.Wilson, Brown, Bunney, Sparrey (f0)	71.6	4	2	14	21
Ht7 Little, Bedford, Preddy, Ridgeon (f)	71.6	4	2	18	23
Ht8 H.Wilson, Freeborn (f), Broadbanks (f), King (f)	74.0	3	0	21	23
Ht9 Sparrey, W.Wilson, Brown, Freeborn (f)	70.8	2	4	23	27
Ht10 Ridgeon, H.Wilson, Bedford, Bunney (ef)	68.8	2	4	25	31
Ht11 Broadbanks, Simpson, Little, Preddy	69.0	1	5	26	36
Ht12 W.Wilson, Collett, Brown, King	70.0	5	1	31	37
Ht13 Slater, Simpson, Freeborn, Preddy (ef)	70.4	1	5	32	42
Ht14 Ridgeon, Sparrey, Little, Brett (ef)	68.8	1	5	33	47

Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> May 1955 Rye House Stadium, Hoddesdon

Rye House Roosters 55 Brafield Flying Foxes 27 (Southern Area League)

Rye House					
Stan Bedford	2'	2'	2'	3	9 3
Vic Ridgeon	3	3	3	3	12
Mike Broadbanks	3	3	2	3	11
Bill Simpson	1	3	2'	1	7 1
Dave Slater	2'	2	1'	2	7 2
Al Sparrey	3	1'	2	2'	8 2
Vernon Brown	0	1			1
Gerry King	F	0			0

Brafield					
Neil Roberts	0	1'	0	0	1 1
Vic Hall	1	3	2	1	7
Brian Meredith	2	1	E	3	6
Dave Hankins	0	0	0	1	1
Eric Croft	0	F			0
Brian Miller	1	F	1	0	2
Fran Greasley	2	3	2	3	10
Nick Nicholls					DNR

Ht1 Ridgeon, Bedford, Hall, Roberts	63.8	5	1	5	1
Ht2 Broadbanks, Meredith, Simpson, Hankins	63.0	4	2	9	3
Ht3 Sparrey, Slater, Miller, Croft	64.2	5	1	14	4
Ht4 Simpson, Greasley, Roberts, Brown	64.8	3	3	17	7
Ht5 Ridgeon, Bedford, Meredith, Hankins	64.4	5	1	22	8
Ht6 Broadbanks, Simpson, Croft (f), Miller (f)	63.4	5	0	27	8
Ht7 Hall, Slater, Sparrey, Roberts	64.4	3	3	30	11
Ht8 Greasley, Broadbanks, King (f), Meredith (ef)	65.2	2	3	32	14
Ht9 Ridgeon, Bedford, Miller, Croft (ns)	64.4	5	1	37	15
Ht10 Broadbanks, Hall, Simpson, Roberts	63.4	4	2	41	17
Ht11 Meredith, Sparrey, Slater, Hankins	64.4	3	3	44	20
Ht12 Bedford, Greasley, Brown, Croft (ns)	64.8	4	2	48	22
Ht13 Greasley, Slater, Hankins, King	66.2	2	4	50	26

Ht14 Ridgeon, Sparrey, Hall, Miller 64.0 5 1 55 27

Reserves Scratch Race

Roberts, Brown, Hankins, King (f) 66.8

Hertfordshire Chase

Ht1 Ridgeon, Meredith, Bedford, Greasley 64.8

Ht2 Broadbanks, Hall, Sparrey, Miller 63.8

Final Broadbanks, Ridgeon, Meredith, Hall 64.6

Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> May 1955 Rye House Stadium, Hoddesdon

Rye House Roosters 61 Ringwood Turfs 22 (Southern Area League)

Rye House

Stan Bedford 2' 2' 2' 3 9 3

Vic Ridgeon 3 3 3 3 12

Mike Broadbanks 3 3 3 3 12

Bill Simpson 2' 2 1 1 6 1

Dave Slater 3 3 3 0 9

Al Sparrey 2' 2 X 2' 6 2

Vernon Brown 1 1 2

Jimmy Heard 2' 3 5 1

Ringwood

Merv Hannam 1 3 F 2 6

Tom Reader 0 1 0 1 2

Glynn Chandler 0 F 1 F 1

Gerry Bridson 1 1 2 2 6

Gordon Richards 0 2 1 2 5

Tony Wintour 1 F 0 0 1

George Hutchinson 0 1' 1 1

Gordon Short 0 X 0

Ht1 Ridgeon, Bedford, Hannam, Reader 63.0 5 1 5 1

Ht2 Broadbanks, Simpson, Bridson, Chandler 63.4 5 1 10 2

Ht3 Slater, Sparrey, Wintour, Richards 64.8 5 1 15 3

Ht4 Hannam, Simpson, Brown, Hutchinson 64.8 3 3 18 6

Ht5 Ridgeon, Bedford, Bridson, Chandler (f) 64.6 5 1 23 7

Ht6 Broadbanks, Richards, Simpson, Wintour (f) 65.0 4 2 27 9

Ht7 Slater, Sparrey, Reader, Hannam (f) 65.2 5 1 32 10

Ht8 Broadbanks, Heard, Chandler, Short 64.0 5 1 37 11

Ht9 Ridgeon, Bedford, Richards, Wintour 65.0 5 1 42 12

Ht10 Broadbanks, Hannam, Simpson, Reader 65.0 4 2 46 14

Ht11 Slater, Bridson, Chandler (f), Sparrey (exc) 66.6 3 2 49 16

Ht12 Bedford, Richards, Brown, Short (exc) 65.4 4 2 53 18

Ht13 Heard, Bridson, Hutchinson, Slater 67.6 3 3 56 21

Ht14 Ridgeon, Sparrey, Reader, Wintour 64.8 5 1 61 22

Silver Sash Match race

Vic Ridgeon bt Glyn Chandler (WO)

Reserves Scratch Race

Hutchison, Heard, Brown, G.Short 66.4

Two Lap Dash

Ht1 Ridgeon, Hannam, Richards, Bedford 44.8

Ht2 Broadbanks, Slater, Reader, Bridson 44.2

Final Hannam, Ridgeon, Broadbanks, Slater (f) 45.4

Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> June 1955 Rye House Stadium, Hoddesdon

Rye House Roosters 47 California Poppies 36 (Southern Area League)

Rye House					
Vic Ridgeon	0	3	F	3	6
Stan Bedford	2	1	2	2'	7 1
Mike Broadbanks	1	3	F	2	6
Bill Simpson	3	0	1	1'	5 1
Jimmy Heard	3	1'	3	0	7 1
Al Sparrey	2'	2	2'	2	8 2
Geoff Woodger	2	3			5
Vernon Brown	1	2			3

California					
Pete Mould	1	3	0	F	4
Tommy Sweetman	3	3	3	0	9
Gil Goldfinch	0	2	2'	1	5 1
Ron Sharp	2	0	F	X	2
Jimmy Gleed	0	0	1	1	2
Eric Hockaday	1	2	3	1	7
Bob Andrews	1	3			4
Ross Gilbertson	3	0			3

Ht1 Sweetman, Bedford, Mould, Ridgeon	63.9	2	4	2	4
Ht2 Simpson, Sharp, Broadbanks, Goldfinch	65.0	4	2	6	6
Ht3 Heard, Sparrey, Hockaday, Gleed	64.8	5	1	11	7
Ht4 Mould, Woodger, Andrews, Simpson	64.6	2	4	13	11
Ht5 Ridgeon, Goldfinch, Bedford, Sharp	64.0	4	2	17	13
Ht6 Broadbanks, Hockaday, Simpson, Gleed	63.2	4	2	21	15
Ht7 Sweetman, Sparrey, Heard, Mould	64.8	3	3	24	18
Ht8 Gilbertson, Goldfinch, Brown, Broadbanks (f)	65.0	1	5	25	23
Ht9 Hockaday, Bedford, Gleed, Ridgeon (f)	65.0	2	4	27	27
Ht10 Sweetman, Broadbanks, Simpson, Mould (f)	66.4	3	3	30	30
Ht11 Heard, Sparrey, Goldfinch, Sharp (f)	65.2	5	1	35	31
Ht12 Woodger, Bedford, Gleed, Gilbertson	65.4	5	1	40	32
Ht13 Andrews, Brown, Sharp (exc), Heard (nf)	65.2	2	3	42	35
Ht14 Ridgeon, Sparrey, Hockaday, Sweetman	65.0	5	1	47	36

Silver Sash Match Race	
Vic Ridgeon bt Tommy Sweetman	62.4*

Consolation Race	
Andrews, Gilbertson, Woodger, Brown	65.0

Hertford Scurry	
Ht1 Sweetman, Heard, Sparrey, Goldfinch	64.8
Ht2 Hockaday, Bedford, Mould, Broadbanks	65.4
Final Hockaday, Sweetman, Heard, Bedford	66.0

Extra Race	
Gerry King bt Leo McAuliffe	67.2

Sunday 12th June 1955 California in Reading, Wokingham  
California Poppies 50 Rye House Roosters 33 (Southern Area League)

California					
Ron Sharp	3	3	3	3	12
Gil Goldfinch	2'	2'	1	1'	6 3
Tommy Sweetman	2	3	3	F	8
Pete Mould	F	1'	1	3	5 1
Jimmy Gleed	F	E	3	1	4
Eric Hockaday	1	1			2
Bob Andrews	2	2'	2		6 1

Ross Gilbertson 2' 2' 3 7 2

Rye House

Stan Bedford 1 3 2' 1' 7 2  
Vic Ridgeon 0 3 2 3 8  
Al Sparrey 3 E 1 X 4  
Jim Heard 1 1 E 2  
Dave Slater 2' 2 0 1 5 1  
Mike Broadbanks 3 0 2 E 5  
Bill Simpson 0 2 2  
Geoff Woodger 0 0 0 0

Ht1 Sharp, Goldfinch, Bedford, Ridgeon 69.4 5 1 5 1  
Ht2 Sparrey, Sweetman, Heard, Mould (f) NT 2 4 7 5  
Ht3 Broadbanks, Slater, Hockaday, Gleed (f) 71.0 1 5 8 10  
Ht4 Bedford, Andrews, Mould, Simpson 71.4 3 3 11 13  
Ht5 Sharp, Goldfinch, Heard, Sparrey (ef) 71.0 5 1 16 14  
Ht6 Sweetman, Slater, Mould, Broadbanks 69.4 4 2 20 16  
Ht7 Ridgeon, Bedford, Hockaday, Gleed (ef) 69.6 1 5 21 21  
Ht8 Sweetman, Gilbertson, Sparrey, Woodger 68.8 5 1 26 22  
Ht9 Sharp, Broadbanks, Goldfinch, Slater 69.6 4 2 30 24  
Ht10 Mould, Ridgeon, Bedford, Sweetman (f) 70.4 3 3 33 27  
Ht11 Gleed, Gilbertson, Sparrey (exc), Heard (ef) 71.0 5 0 38 27  
Ht12 Sharp, Andrews, Slater, Woodger 70.0 5 1 43 28  
Ht13 Gilbertson, Simpson, Gleed, Woodger 72.0 4 2 47 30  
Ht14 Ridgeon, Andrews, Goldfinch, Broadbanks (ef) 69.0 3 3 50 33

Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> June 1955 Rye House Stadium, Hoddesdon

Rye House Roosters 67 Eastbourne Eagles 17 (Southern Area League)

Rye House

Vic Ridgeon 3 3 3 2' 11 1  
Stan Bedford 2' 2' 2' 2 8 3  
Bill Simpson 2' 3 3 3 11 1  
Al Sparrey 3 2' 1 2' 8 2  
Dave Slater 3 2' 3 2' 10 2  
Mike Broadbanks 2' 3 2' 3 10 2  
Jim Heard 3 1' 4 1  
Geoff Woodger 2' 3 5 1

Eastbourne

Wally Wilson 0 0 1 F 1  
George Smithson 1 0 1 1 3  
Dan English 1 1 1 0 3  
Bob Bunney 0 E 1 1 2  
Dave Freeborn 0 0 0  
Gordon Richards 1 2 1 0 4  
Bert Little 1 0 0 0 1  
George Murrell 0 3 3

- 1 RIDGEON V, BEDFORD S, SMITHSON G, Wilson W 67.2 5.0 1.0 5.0 1.0
- 2 SPARREY, A SIMPSON, B ENGLISH, D BUNNEY, B 66.2 **5.0** 1.0 **10.0** 2.0
- 3 SLATER, D BROADBANK, M RICHARDS, G FREEBORN, D 66.2 **5.0** 1.0 **15.0** 3.0
- 4 HEARD, J SPARREY, A LITTLE, B WILLSON, W 66.0 **5.0** 1.0 **20.0** 4.0
- 5 RIDGEON, V BEDFORD, S ENGLISH, D BUNNEY, B 65.4 **5.0** 1.0 **25.0** 5.0
- 6 SIMPSON, B RICHARDS, G SPARREY, A FREEBORN, D 66.6 **4.0** 2.0 **29.0** 7.0
- 7 BROADBANK, M SLATER, D WILLSON, W SMITHSON, G 66.2 **5.0** 1.0 **34.0** 8.0
- 8 SIMPSON, B WOODGER, G ENGLISH, D MURRELL, G 67.0 **5.0** 1.0 **39.0** 9.0
- 9 RIDGEON, V BEDFORD, S RICHARDS, G LITTLE, B 66.0 **5.0** 1.0 **44.0** 10.0
- 10 SIMPSON, B SPARREY, A SMITHSON, G WILLSON, W 64.8 **5.0** 1.0 **49.0** 11.0
- 1 RIDGEON, V BEDFORD, S SMITHSON, G WILLSON, W 67.2 **5.0** 1.0 **5.0** 1.0



**11** SLATER, D BROADBANK, M BUNNEY, B ENGLISH, D 66.6 **5.0** 1.0 **54.0** 12.0  
**12** MURRELL, G BEDFORD, S HEARD, J LITTLE, B 67.4 3.0 3.0 **57.0** 15.0  
**13** WOODGER, G SLATER, D BUNNEY, B LITTLE, B 67.8 **5.0** 1.0 **62.0** 16.0  
**14** BROADBANK, M RIDGEON, V SMITHSON, G RICHARDS, G 64.2 **5.0** 1.0 **67.0** 17.0

Silver Sash  
 Vic Ridgeon bt Gordon Richards 65.4

Consolation Race  
 Woodger, Heard, Smithson, Murrell (f) 67.6

Cheshunt Stakes  
 Ht1 Broadbanks, Ridgeon, Woodger, Sparrey 63.0  
 Ht2 Simpson, Heard, Bedford, Richards 66.6  
 Final Broadbanks, Ridgeon, Simpson, Heard 64.6

Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> July 1955 Rye House Stadium, Hoddesdon  
 Rye House Roosters 44 Brafield Flying Foxes 40 (Southern Area League)

Rye House				
Stan Bedford	1	2	1' 1'	5 2
Vic Ridgeon	3	0	2 2	7
Al Sparrey	3	X		3
Jim Heard	2'	3	3 2	10 1
Bill Simpson	1	0	3 1	5
Mike Broadbanks	3	1	1 1'	6 1
Dave Slater	2'	3	1' 2	8 2
Gerry King	0	0		0

Brafield				
Neil Roberts	0	1	2' F	3 1
Vic Hall	2	3	3 3	11
Dave Hankins	1	1	2 0	4
Brian Meredith	F	3	2 3	8
Fran Greasley	2	2	3 3	10
Brian Miller	0	1'	0 0	1 1
Colin Goodddy	0	2'		2 1
Alan Pearce	1'	0		1 1

Ht1 Ridgeon, Hall, Bedford, Roberts	63.6	4	2	4	2
Ht2 Sparrey, Heard, Hankins, Meredith (f)	65.2	5	1	9	3
Ht3 Broadbanks, Greasley, Simpson, Miller	63.2	4	2	13	5
Ht4 Heard, Slater, Roberts, Gooddy (lefttr)	64.6	5	1	18	6
Ht5 Meredith, Bedford, Hankins, Ridgeon (frmttd)	64.0	2	4	20	10
Ht6 Heard, Greasley, Miller, Sparrey (fexc)	65.4	3	3	23	13
Ht7 Hall, Roberts, Broadbanks, Simpson	65.0	1	5	24	18
Ht8 Slater, Hankins, Pearce, King	65.8	3	3	27	21
Ht9 Greasley, Ridgeon, Bedford, Miller	64.0	3	3	30	24
Ht10 Hall, Heard, Slater, Roberts (f)	65.2	3	3	33	27
Ht11 Simpson, Meredith, Broadbanks, Hankins	66.0	4	2	37	29
Ht12 Greasley, Slater, Bedford, Pearce	66.2	3	3	40	32
Ht13 Meredith, Gooddy, Simpson, King	66.0	1	5	41	37
Ht14 Hall, Ridgeon, Broadbanks, Miller	64.6	3	3	44	40

Silver Sash Match Race  
 Vic Hall bt Vic Ridgeon (ef) 64.6

Consolation Race  
 Bedford, Slater, Miller, Simpson 66.4

Extra Race

Pearce, Goody, McAuliffe, King 65.8

The Hoddeson Hurricane

Ht1 Heard, Greasley, Hankins, Broadbanks 65.8

Ht2 Meredith, Greasley, Ridgeon, Woodger 66.6

Final Hall, Meredith, Greasley, Heard (f) 67.6

Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> July 1955 Arlington Stadium, Eastbourne

Eastbourne Eagles 36 Rye House Roosters 47 (Southern Area League)

Eastbourne

Wally Wilson	0 3 2 0	5
Jim Preedy	1 2' 1' 1'	5 3
Merv Hannam	3 2 3 3	11
Bob Bunney	0 1' 0	1 1
George Hutchinson	0 1 2 0	3
Gerry Bridson	1 0 1' 2	4 1
George Smithson	2 2' 1	
Dave Freeborn	0 2	2

Rye House

Stan Bedford	2' 3 2' F	7 2
Vic Ridgeon	3 3 X 3	9
Dave Slater	1' 1 2 0	4 1
Jim Heard	2 0 3 3	8
Bill Simpson	2' 1 0 2'	5 2
Mike Broadbanks	3 3 3 F	9
Vernon Brown	0 1	1
Dave Collett	1' 3	4 1

Ht1 Ridgeon, Bedford, Preedy, Wilson	69.4	1	5	1	5
Ht2 Hannam, Heard, Slater, Bunney	68.2	3	3	4	8
Ht3 Broadbanks, Simpson, Bridson, Hutchinson	67.8	1	5	5	13
Ht4 Bedford, Smithson, Bunney, Brown	70.0	3	3	8	16
Ht5 Wilson, Preedy, Slater, Heard	74.2	5	1	13	17
Ht6 Broadbanks, Hannam, Simpson, Bunney	68.4	2	4	15	21
Ht7 Ridgeon, Bedford, Hutchinson, Bridson	70.8	1	5	16	26
Ht8 Hannam, Slater, Collett, Freeborn	71.2	3	3	19	29
Ht9 Broadbanks, Wilson, Preedy, Simpson	69.8	3	3	22	32
Ht10 Hannam, Smithson, Bedford (f), Ridgeon (exc)	73.4	5	0	27	32
Ht11 Heard, Hutchinson, Bridson, Slater	69.8	3	3	30	35
Ht12 Collett, Simpson, Smithson, Wilson	72.6	1	5	31	40
Ht13 Heard, Freeborn, Brown, Hutchinson	70.8	2	4	33	44
Ht14 Ridgeon, Bridson, Preedy, Broadbanks (f)	71.2	3	3	36	47

Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> July 1955 Rye House Stadium, Hoddesdon

Brian Crutcher Trophy

Vernon Brown	2 2 2	6
George Smithson	1 1 1	3
Tom Reader		DNR
Geoff Woodger	3 3 0	6
Gerry King	0 0 1	1
Jim Preedy	1 E	1
Bill Simpson	3 3 1	7
Wally Wilson	2 2 1	5
Vic Ridgeon	2 3 3	8
Jim Heard	1 3 3	7
Dave Slater	3 2 3	8
Glyn Chandler		DNR
Mike Broadbanks	3 2 2	7

George Murrell	1	1	2	4
Stan Bedford	2	1	3	6
Bob Anderson	E	E	2	2

Ht1 Woodger, Brown, Smithson, Reader (ns)	64.6
Ht2 Simpson, Wilson, Preedy, King	65.2
Ht3 Slater, Ridgeon, Heard, Chandler (ns)	63.0
Ht4 Broadbanks, Bedford, Murrell, Anderson (ef)	62.8
Ht5 Ridgeon, Broadbanks, Smithson, King	65.0
Ht6 Heard, Brown, Murrell, Preedy (ef)	65.6
Ht7 Simpson, Slater, Bedford, Reader (ns)	66.6
Ht8 Woodger, Wilson, Anderson (ef), Chandler (ns)	65.8
Ht9 Slater, Anderson, Smithson, Preedy (ns)	65.2
Ht10 Bedford, Brown, King, Chandler (ns)	67.0
Ht11 Ridgeon, Murrell, Wilson, Reader (ns)	62.4
Ht12 Heard, Broadbanks, Simpson, Woodger	62.4
SF1 Simpson, Woodger, Ridgeon, Brown	66.0
SF2 Broadbanks & Bedford, Slater, Heard (ef)	65.8
Final Broadbanks, Bedford, Woodger, Simpson (f)	64.2

#### Hard Luck Scratch Race

Ht1 King, Smithson, Preedy (ef) 3 only	72.0
Ht2 Murrell, Anderson, W.Wilson 3 only	71.8
Final Murrell, Smithson, King, Anderson	68.2

### Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> July 1955 Brafield Stadium, Brafield

Brafield Flying Foxes 55 Rye House Roosters 29 (Southern Area League)

#### Brafield

Neil Roberts	1	2	2'	1'	6	2
Vic Hall	3	3	3	2	11	
Bryan Meredith	3	2	3	3	11	
Dave Hankins	1	2'	1'	1	5	2
Allan Pearce	E	3	3	2'	8	1
Brian Miller	2	E	2'	0	4	1
Mike Kerry	3	2			5	
Colin Gooddy	2'	3			5	1

#### Rye House

Gerald King	0	1'			1	1
Vic Ridgeon	2	2	2	1	7	
Dave Slater	2	1	1	1	5	
Jim Heard	E	X			0	
Bill Simpson	1	0	0	E	1	
Mike Broadbanks	3	3	1	3	10	
Vernon Brown	0	0	1		1	
Geoff Woodger	1	0	F	3	4	

Ht1 Hall, Ridgeon, Roberts, King	77.4	4	2	4	2
Ht2 Meredith, Slater, Hankins, Heard (ef)	78.0	4	2	8	4
Ht3 Broadbanks, Miller, Simpson, Pearce (ef)	77.4	2	4	10	8
Ht4 Kerry, Hankins, Woodger, Brown	79.2	5	1	15	9
Ht5 Hall, Roberts, Slater, Heard (exc)	80.0	5	1	20	10
Ht6 Broadbanks, Meredith, Hankins, Simpson	76.0	3	3	23	13
Ht7 Pearce, Ridgeon, King, Miller (ef)	78.0	3	3	26	16
Ht8 Meredith, Gooddy, Slater, Woodger	78.2	5	1	31	17
Ht9 Hall, Roberts, Broadbanks, Simpson	80.0	5	1	36	18
Ht10 Meredith, Ridgeon, Hankins, Woodger (f)	79.0	4	2	40	20
Ht11 Pearce, Miller, Slater, Brown	78.0	5	1	45	21
Ht12 Woodger, Kerry, Roberts, Simpson (ef)	79.8	3	3	48	24
Ht13 Gooddy, Pearce, Brown, Heard (ns)	79.4	5	1	53	25

Sunday 31<sup>st</sup> July 1955 Rye House Stadium, Hoddesdon  
 Rye House Roosters 32 Eastbourne and Brafield 22 (Challenge)

Rye House

Mike Broadbanks	F 3 1	4
Geoff Woodger	2 2' 3	7 1
Vernon Brown	0 1'	1 1
Dave Slater	3 3 2	8
Bill Simpson	2' 1' 1	4 2
Jimmy Heard	3 2 3	8
Gerry King	0	0

Eastbourne / Brafield

Brian Meredith	3 3 3	9
Dave Collett	1 0 0	1
Brian Miller	1' 1 2	4 1
Brian Elliott	2 0 E	2
Mike Kerry	1 1' F	2 1
Neil Roberts	E 2 2	4

Ht1 Meredith, Woodger, Collett, Broadbanks (f)	63.4	2	4	2	4
Ht2 Slater, Elliott, Miller, Slater	66.8	3	3	5	7
Ht3 Heard, Simpson, Kerry, Roberts (ef)	63.2	5	1	10	8
Ht4 Broadbanks, Woodger, Miller, Elliott	63.6	5	1	15	9
Ht5 Slater, Roberts, Kerry, King	65.0	3	3	18	12
Ht6 Meredith, Heard, Simpson, Collett	65.0	3	3	21	15
Ht7 Woodger, Roberts, Broadbanks, Kerry (f)	67.0	4	2	25	17
Ht8 Meredith, Slater, Brown, Collett	66.4	3	3	28	20
Ht9 Heard, Miller, Simpson, Elliott (ef)	65.4	4	2	32	22

August Championship

Ht1 Woodger, Meredith, Slater, Hank.Bird (ef)	66.4
Ht2 Broadbanks, Anderson, Simpson, Miller	64.2
Ht3 Heard, Roberts, Elliott, Johnny O'Connor	66.0
Ht4 Brown, Collett, King, Kerry (ns)	68.4
SF1 Meredith, Woodger, Roberts, Heard (ef)	67.2
SF2 Broadbanks, Brown, Collett (f), Anderson (f)	64.8
Final Broadbanks, Woodger, Meredith, Woodger	64.0

Consolation Scratch Race

Ht1 King, Brown, Lunn, Bird (ef)	64.2
Ht2 Murrell, O'Connor, Anderson (ef), Cyril Clapp (ns)	63.6
Final Brown, Murrell, O'Connor, King (f)	68.4

Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> August 1955 Rye House Stadium, Hoddesdon  
 Southern Area League Riders' Championship Qualifying Round

Gerry King	F 2 F 0 0	2
Vic Ridgeon	3 1 2 2 3	11
Dave Hankins	E 0 0 0 1	1
Glyn Chandler	2 2 2 2 2	10
Neil Roberts	3 F 3 1 1	8
Tom Reader	2 0 3 0 E	5
Brian Miller	E 1 1 1 0	3
George Smithson	1 0 1 1 1	4
Vic Hall	2 1 2 1 1	7
Dave Slater	3 3 3 2 3	14
Wally Wilson	1 2 F 0 0	3

Geoff Woodger	0	1	0	2	2	5
Jimmy Heard	1	3	E	3	2	9
Mike Broadbanks	3	2	3	3	3	14
Stan Bedford	E	3	1	3	2	9
Al Sparrey	2	3	2	3	2	12
Vernon Brown (res)						DNR

Ht1 Ridgeon, Chandler, Hankins (ef), King (f)	66.8
Ht2 Roberts, Reader, Smithson, Miller (ef)	68.6
Ht3 Slater, Hall, Wilson, Woodger	69.2
Ht4 Broadbanks, Sparrey, Heard, Bedford (ef)	65.0
Ht5 Heard, King, Hall, Roberts (f)	66.8
Ht6 Slater, Broadbanks, Ridgeon, Reader	66.0
Ht7 Bedford, Wilson, Miller, Hankins	68.8
Ht8 Sparrey, Chandler, Woodger, Smithson	66.8
Ht9 Reader, Sparrey, King (f), Wilson (f)	67.8
Ht10 Roberts, Ridgeon, Bedford, Woodger	65.8
Ht11 Broadbanks, Hall, Smithson, Hankins	65.2
Ht12 Slater, Chandler, Miller, Heard (ef)	64.6
Ht13 Broadbanks, Woodger, Miller, King	65.2
Ht14 Heard, Ridgeon, Smithson, Wilson	63.2
Ht15 Sparrey, Slater, Roberts, Hankins	66.2
Ht16 Bedford, Chandler, Hall, Reader	67.0
Ht17 Slater, Bedford, Smithson, King	65.6
Ht18 Ridgeon, Sparrey, Hall, Miller	65.2
Ht19 Heard, Woodger, Hankins, Reader (ef)	64.2
Ht20 Broadbanks, Chandler, Roberts, Wilson	65.2

Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> August 1955 Rye House Stadium, Hoddesdon  
Rye House Roosters 61 Eastbourne Eagles 23 (Southern Area League)

Rye House						
Stan Bedford	1	2'	2'	2		7 2
Vic Ridgeon	3	3	3	2'		11 1
Dave Slater	2'	2'	F	2'		6 3
Jimmy Heard	3	3	3	3		12
Mike Broadbanks	3	3	3	3		12
Al Sparrey	2'	2'	F	3		7 2
Gerry King	E	1'				1 1
Geoff Woodger	3	2'				5 1

Eastbourne						
Dave Collett	0	2	1	1	1	5
Glyn Chandler						DNR
Merv Hannam						DNR
Bob Bunney	X	1	2	0		3
Tom Reader	1	1	1	3		6
Jim Preedy	0	F	0			0
Gerry Bridson	2	1'	0	2	F	1 6 1
Bob Warner	1	0	1'	0	E	0 2 1

Ht1 Ridgeon, Bridson, Bedford, Collett	63.8	4	2	4	2
Ht2 Heard, Slater, Warner, Bunney (exc)	65.2	5	1	9	3
Ht3 Broadbanks, Sparrey, Reader, Preedy	64.0	5	1	14	4
Ht4 Heard, Collett, Bridson, King (ef)	62.6	3	3	17	7
Ht5 Ridgeon, Bedford, Bunney, Warner	65.6	5	1	22	8
Ht6 Heard, Slater, Reader, Preedy (f)	66.0	5	1	27	9
Ht7 Broadbanks, Sparrey, Collett, Bridson	64.6	5	1	32	10
Ht8 Woodger, Bridson, Warner, Slater (f)	66.6	3	3	35	13
Ht9 Ridgeon, Bedford, Reader, Warner	64.8	5	1	40	14
Ht10 Heard, Slater, Collett, Bridson (f)	66.2	5	1	45	15

Ht11 Broadbanks, Bunney, Warner (ef), Sparrey (f)	67.0	3	2	48	17
Ht12 Reader, Bedford, King, Warner	69.2	3	3	51	20
Ht13 Sparrey, Woodger, Collett, Bunney	66.4	5	1	55	21
Ht14 Broadbanks, Ridgeon, Bridson, Preedy	65.0	5	1	60	33

#### Challenge Races

Vic Ridgeon bt Mike Broadbanks	65.0
Dave Slater bt Al Sparrey	65.6

#### Rye House Scurry

Ht1 Heard, Woodger, Reader, Collett	65.2
Ht2 King, Bunney, Bridson, Warner	69.2
Ht3 Sparrey, Ridgeon, Bedford, Slater (ef)	66.0

#### Reserves Scratch Race Not Run

[ King, Murrell, Bridson, Warner

### Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> September 1955 Rye House Stadium, Hoddesdon Rye House Roosters 49 California Poppies 35 (Challenge)

#### Rye House

Al Sparrey	3 3 3 3	12
Vic Ridgeon	0 1 1 3	5
Dave Slater	2' 2' 2 3	9 2
Jimmy Heard	3 F 3 2'	8 1
Stan Bedford	0 0 0 2	2
Mike Broadbanks	2 2 2 E	6
Geoff Woodger	3 2'	5 1
Gerry King	1 1'	2 1

#### California

Ron Sharp	2 2 1 1	6
Gil Goldfinch	1' 3 0 1'	5 2
Pete Mould	1 0 3 1	5
Eric Hockaday	X 2 3 3	8
Tommy Sweetman	3 1 2 0	6
Bob Andrews	1 0 0 2	3
Ray Thackwell	1' F	1 1
Bob Anderson	0 1	1

Ht1 Sparrey, Sharp, Goldfinch, Ridgeon	64.0	3	3	3	3
Ht2 Heard, Slater, Mould, Hockaday (fexc)	64.0	5	1	8	4
Ht3 Sweetman, Broadbanks, Andrews, Bedford	65.0	2	4	10	8
Ht4 Woodger, Sharp, Thackwell, Heard (f)	65.2	3	3	13	11
Ht5 Sparrey, Hockaday, Ridgeon, Mould	65.4	4	2	17	13
Ht6 Heard, Slater, Sweetman, Andrews	64.4	5	1	22	14
Ht7 Goldfinch, Broadbanks, Sharp, Bedford	65.2	2	4	24	18
Ht8 Mould, Slater, King, Anderson	65.8	3	3	27	21
Ht9 Sparrey, Sweetman, Ridgeon, Andrews	66.4	4	2	31	23
Ht10 Slater, Heard, Sharp, Goldfinch	65.2	5	1	36	24
Ht11 Hockaday, Broadbanks, Mould, Bedford	65.6	2	4	38	28
Ht12 Sparrey, Woodger, Anderson, Sweetman	67.6	5	1	43	29
Ht13 Hockaday, Bedford, King, Thackwell (f)	66.8	3	3	46	32
Ht14 Ridgeon, Andrews, Goldfinch, Broadbanks (ef)	65.8	3	3	49	35

#### Match Race

Gerry King bt Bobby Croombs	69.2
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#### Reserves Scratch Race

Woodger, Anderson, Croombs, King (f)	69.6
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Wokingham Stakes	
Ht1 Heard, Sparrey, Hockaday, Sweetman	65.6
Ht2 Mould, Broadbanks, Slater, Sharp (ef)	66.6
Final Sparrey, Broadbanks, Mould, Heard	67.0

Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> September 1955 California in Reading, Wokingham  
California Poppies 38 Rye House Roosters 45 (Southern Area League)

California

Ron Sharp	1 1' 1' 3	6 2
Gil Goldfinch	3 2 2 1	8
Pete Mould	1 2 3 0	6
Ross Gilbertson	0 2 1' 1	4 1
Tommy Sweetman	2 1 E 3	6
Eric Hockaday	0 0 3	3
Bob Andrews	1' 2' 0	3
Bob Anderson	1 1	2

Rye House

Al Sparrey	2 3 3 3	11
Vic Ridgeon	F 2' 2' 3	7 2
Dave Slater	2' 0 E	2 1
Jim Heard	3 3 2 2	10
Stan Bedford	1 0 0 E	1
Mike Broadbanks	3 3 3 2'	11 1
Geoff Woodger	0 1	1
Gerald King	2 E X	2

Ht1 Goldfinch, Sparrey, Sharp, Ridgeon (f)	69.0	4	2	4	2
Ht2 Heard, Slater, Mould, Gilbertson	69.6	1	5	5	7
Ht3 Broadbanks, Sweetman, Bedford, Hockaday	67.0	2	4	7	11
Ht4 Sparrey, Gilbertson, Andrews, Woodger	70.0	3	3	10	14
Ht5 Heard, Goldfinch, Sharp, Slater	70.0	3	3	13	17
Ht6 Broadbanks, Mould, Gilbertson, Bedford	68.0	3	3	16	20
Ht7 Sparrey, Ridgeon, Sweetman, Hockaday	71.0	1	5	17	25
Ht8 Mould, King, Anderson, Slater (ef)	70.4	4	2	21	27
Ht9 Broadbanks, Goldfinch, Sharp, Bedford	71.0	3	3	24	30
Ht10 Sparrey, Ridgeon, Gilbertson, Mould	70.4	1	5	25	35
Ht11 Hockaday, Heard, Sweetman (ef), King (ef)	71.0	3	2	28	37
Ht12 Sharp, Andrews, Woodger, Bedford (ef)	71.4	5	1	33	38
Ht13 Sweetman, Heard, Anderson, King (fexc)	72.2	4	2	37	40
Ht14 Ridgeon, Broadbanks, Goldfinch, Andrews	68.6	1	5	38	45

Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> September 1955 Rye House Stadium, Hoddesdon  
Southern Area League Riders' Championship Final

Vic Ridgeon	3 3 1 2 3	12
Bryan Meredith	2 F F 2 3	7
Jimmy Heard	F E 3 3 F	6
Tommy Sweetman	E 1 2 0 2	5
Ross Gilbertson	1 F 1 0 0	2
Eric Hockaday	3 1 0 1 2	7
Colin Goody	2 2 F 1 0	5
Bob Anderson	0 0 0 0 0	0
Pete Mould	0 2 2 2 1	7
Ron Sharp	1 3 3 2 2	11
Mike Broadbanks	3 3 3 3 3	15
Merv Hannam	2 3 2 F 3	10
Stan Bedford	F 1 1 1 F	3
Gil Goldfinch	2 2 1 3 1	9
Tom Reader	1 1 3 3 1	9

Dave Slater 3 2 2 1 2 10

Ht1 Ridgeon, Meredith, Heard (f), Sweetman (ef)	63.0
Ht2 Hockaday, Gooddy, Gilbertson, Anderson	63.0
Ht3 Broadbanks, Hannam, Sharp, Mould	62.4
Ht4 Slater, Goldfinch, Reader, Bedford (f)	63.4
Ht5 Ridgeon, Mould, Bedford, Gilbertson (f)	64.2
Ht6 Sharp, Goldfinch, Hockaday, Meredith (f)	64.2
Ht7 Broadbanks, Gooddy, Reader, Heard (ef)	63.6
Ht8 Hannam, Slater, Sweetman, Anderson	64.6
Ht9 Broadbanks, Slater, Ridgeon, Hockaday	64.4
Ht10 Reader, Hannam, Gilbertson, Meredith (f)	64.4
Ht11 Heard, Mould, Goldfinch, Anderson	63.0
Ht12 Sharp, Sweetman, Bedford, Gooddy (f)	65.0
Ht13 Goldfinch, Ridgeon, Gooddy Hannam (f)	63.2
Ht14 Broadbanks, Meredith, Bedford, Anderson	64.0
Ht15 Heard, Sharp, Slater, Gilbertson	63.0
Ht16 Reader, Mould, Hockaday, Sweetman	65.4
Ht17 Ridgeon, Sharp, Reader, Anderson	65.4
Ht18 Meredith, Slater, Mould, Gooddy	63.2
Ht19 Hannam, Hockaday, Heard (f), Bedford (f)	65.6
Ht20 Broadbanks, Sweetman, Goldfinch, Gilbertson	63.2

Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> October 1955 Rye House Stadium, Hoddesdon

Rye House Roosters 62 California Poppies 22 (Southern Area League)

Rye House

Al Sparrey	2' 1 2' 3	8 2
Vic Ridgeon	3 3 3 2'	11 1
Dave Slater	2' 3 2 1	8 1
Jimmy Heard	3 3 2'	8 1
Stan Bedford	1 1 0 3	5
Mike Broadbanks	3 3 3 3	12
Geoff Woodger	2' 3 2'	7 2
Gerry King	1' 2'	3 2

California

Ron Sharp	0 1 E X	1
Gil Goldfinch	1 2 2 1	6
Pete Mould	0 2 3 2	7
Tommy Sweetman	1 0 1' F	2 1
Eric Hockaday	2 1 1 1	5
Jimmy Gleed	F F	0
Ross Gilbertson	0 1	1
Bob Anderson	0 0 0 F	0

Ht1 Ridgeon, Sparrey, Goldfinch, Sharp	62.2*	5	1	5	1
Ht2 Heard, Slater, Sweetman, Mould	63.6	5	1	10	2
Ht3 Broadbanks, Hockaday, Bedford, Gleed (f)	61.8*	4	2	14	4
Ht4 Heard, Woodger, Sharp, Gilbertson	62.6	5	1	19	5
Ht5 Ridgeon, Mould, Sparrey, Sweetman	62.8	4	2	23	7
Ht6 Slater, Heard, Hockaday, Gleed (f)	64.8	5	1	28	8
Ht7 Broadbanks, Goldfinch, Bedford, Sharp (ef)	62.0	4	2	32	10
Ht8 Mould, Slater, King, Anderson	64.8	3	3	35	13
Ht9 Ridgeon, Sparrey, Hockaday, Anderson	63.0	5	1	40	14
Ht10 Woodger, Goldfinch, Slater, Sharp (fexc)	65.0	4	2	44	16
Ht11 Broadbanks, Mould, Sweetman, Bedford	63.0	3	3	47	19
Ht12 Sparrey, Woodger, Hockaday, Anderson	63.6	5	1	52	20
Ht13 Bedford, King, Gilbertson, Sweetman (f)	64.8	5	1	57	21
Ht14 Broadbanks, Ridgeon, Goldfinch, Anderson (f)	62.4	5	1	62	22



Special Match Race  
Mike Broadbanks bt Eric Ebbs 63.6

Novices Race 3 laps  
Bobby Croombs bt Gerry King (f) 45.2

Au Revoir Scratch Race 2 laps  
Ht1 Ridgeon, Sharp, Croombs, Mould 43.2 ?  
Ht2 Hockaday, Ebbs, Woodger, King 42.8\* ?  
Ht3 Sparrey, Goldfinch, Sweetman, Gleed (ef) 48.8 ?  
Final Ridgeon, Sparrey, Hockaday, Ebbs 43.0

### Rye House 1955 Needs in Bold

Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> April 1955 Wokingham California Poppies 50 Rye House Roosters 34 (Ch)  
10/04/55 RYE HOUSE EASTER CUP INDIVIDUAL SPARREY  
Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> April 1955 Brafield Brafield Flying Foxes 40 Rye House Roosters 44 (SAL)  
Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> April 1955 Hoddesdon Rye House Roosters 57 Ringwood Turfs 24 (SAL)  
Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> May 1955 Ringwood Ringwood Turfs v Rye House Roosters (SAL) Postponed  
Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> May 1955 Rye House Silver Trophy Qualifying Round  
Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> May 1955 Arlington Eastbourne Eagles 33 Rye House Roosters 47 (SAL)  
Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> May 1955 Hoddesdon Rye House Roosters 55 Brafield Flying Foxes 27 (SAL)  
Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> May 1955 Hoddesdon Rye House Roosters 61 Ringwood Turfs 22 (SAL)  
Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> June 1955 Hoddesdon Rye House Roosters 47 California Poppies 36 (SAL)  
Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> June 1955 Wokingham California Poppies 50 Rye House Roosters 33 (SAL)  
19/06/55 RYE HOUSE EASTBOURNE S AREA LEAGUE 67-17  
Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> July 1955 Hoddesdon Rye House Roosters 44 Brafield Flying Foxes 40 (SAL)  
Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> July 1955 Arlington Eastbourne Eagles 36 Rye House Roosters 47 (SAL)  
Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> July 1955 Rye House Brian Crutcher Trophy  
Sunday 31<sup>st</sup> July 1955 Hoddesdon Rye House Roosters 32 Eastbourne and Brafield 22 (Ch)  
Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> August 1955 Rye House Southern Area League Riders' Championship Qualifying Round  
Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> August 1955 Hoddesdon Rye House Roosters 61 Eastbourne Eagles 23 (SAL)  
11/09/55 RYE HOUSE CALIFORNIA CHALLENGE 49-35  
Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> September 1955 Wokingham California Poppies 38 Rye House Roosters 45 (SAL)  
Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> September 1955 Rye House Southern Area League Riders' Championship Final  
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