



England Athletics Masters Association

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Dear Masters Athlete,

Thank you for expressing an interest in being considered for selection for the England Masters cross country team in connection with the International to be held at in **Swansea, Wales on Saturday 17th November 2018**. Teams will be selected by a panel of selectors representing the various regions of England. Selectors will take into consideration performances at **5k and 10k road, track and country**.

BMAF championship events will also be considered but I must stress that these are not selection races as such. We will look at the **EAMA Inter Area Club XC at Bury St Edmunds on 29th September 2018** as this will give us a more up to date guide to form on the country. This will help in terms of identifying performances by athletes in the same age groups going head to head. Power of 10 statistics are useful but do not compare runner against runner, course against course and conditions against conditions.

I would therefore urge you to ensure that you include all relevant 5k and 10k results posted this year in your application form together with any relevant BMAF/Area club championship results.

If selected you must be prepared to pay your own travel and accommodation expenses, as there is no financial assistance available from EAMA. Some Area Masters clubs may offer a contribution towards expenses. Your England vest may be supplied. You will however need to supply other items of running kit (including red shorts if possible).

Athletes will be notified about the outcome of their application within a few days of the selection meeting in October.

It is important that all athletes wishing to be selected are paid up members of their respective Masters/Veteran area club or association and also be UK registered. Applications must be made on the official form which must be fully completed and sent to the relevant area club/association representative named below by Wednesday 3rd October at the latest. Applications received after this date will not be considered. Please ensure you supply a reply paid envelope with the correct postage.

Good luck with your application and with your training and racing during the coming months.

Yours in Sport,

Philip Lee
EAMA Cross Country Secretary

Please send your completed application form to your area representative named below:

Club/Association:	Area Representative:	Address:
EMAC	Ty Farrer	20 Trinity Way, Papworth Everard, Cambs, CB23 3AR
MMAC	Mick Smedley	12A Bagshaw Street, Crewton, Derby, DE24 8TX
VAC	Mike Mann	90 Crescent Lane, London, SW4 9PL
NMAC	Sue Cordingley	12 Coiners Fold, Mytholmroyd, West Yorkshire, HX7 5BS
NEMAA	Kim Matthews	7 Spencers View, Stella Riverside, Blaydon on Tyne, NE21 4FT
SWVAC	Alison White	6 Hillcrest Gardens, Exmouth, Devon, EX8 4FE
IoM	Mo Kelly	47 Ballacriy Park, Colby, Isle of Man, IM9 4LX
SCVAC	Michael Jefferies	5, Cornflower Close, Weaving, Maidstone, Kent ME14 5UL

Team Managers David & Ruth Lesley 19 Glenbervie Drive, Leigh-on Sea, Essex, SS9 3JU



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Due to the new GDPR and the way the selection process works in that the selectors pass your information to the Team Managers or the Cross Country secretary, EAMA would like you to read and sign this document if you agree with it.

In conducting the selection process EAMA, through their associate clubs, will collect certain information about me that may include my name, date of birth, gender, address, email address, telephone number and names of EAMA and UKA clubs of which I am a member.

I agree that EAMA may use my Personal Information as required, for the selection process used by EAMA, for the purpose of selecting a team to compete in the British and Irish Masters Cross Country International and that they may pass on my Personal Information to the officials of EAMA involved in the selection process.

I agree that EAMA can keep my Personal Information for as long as the selection process and completion of the EAMA Cross Country team requires it and that EAMA will then safely and securely delete/destroy my Personal Information so that they no longer have access to it.

Signed

Date



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Full Name Gender / Age

Date	Event	Distance	Time	Position	Road or Track

Please return this form and your name, age and address form together with a **Stamped Addressed Envelope** to your Masters / Veterans Club representative **no later than October 3rd, 2018**

If you are competing in the EAMA Inter Club XC and are concerned about making the deadline for applying do not worry. The results will be available at the selection meeting for all the selectors to use in the selection process on the day.