

OTLEY'S FISHER IN TOP FORM

OTLEY Athletic Club's Ian Fisher continued his impressive season with a commanding individual victory in the final scoring event of the Harrogate League Championship.

Otley's men's team won the overall trophy for the first time finishing over 100 points clear of second placed Ripon Runners.

Having travelled to Swaledale for the event the Otley men's team finished second on the night but their performances over the season meant that they took the championship.

The competition is based on 10 runners from each club counting for points so this success reflects the excellent team commitment of the Otley squad and the depth of talent within the club.

The "Elite Trophy", with only three runners to count, was also won by Otley with Ian Fisher continuing his impressive season with a commanding individual victory. He remains unbeaten in these events over the last three years.

Veteran Malcolm Pickering ran impressively to finish second. The other scoring runners were Mick Jeffrey, Andrew Robertshaw, Paul Cubbon, John Armitstead, Tony Allen, John Stralton, Dale Foster and Mark Drew.

The ladies' team has been well supported and again finished second on the night and second overall. Joan Cubbon had an excellent run finishing second lady. The other counters were Carol Armitstead, Kath Robertshaw, Sally Pickering and Julie Dundas.