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## The slog with LOG.....

It was a close fought battle for the Lincolnshire Challenge Shield at Hemswell Cliff last Thursday.

The annual competition with LOG saw them retain the trophy for another year, despite our HALO Haka at half time.

Thanks go to Brian Ward for planning the event, excellent courses with intricacies and loops, meaning you couldn't ease off for a moment. He also took some photos, which you can see [here](#)

Full results, with a breakdown of times for the four courses on both prologue and chase, can be found on the [website](#). Credit for a great results service go to Pete Shew.

### Poacher Week 11.....

Many thanks go to Pete Harris for planning last week's final Poacher event at Pillar Woods and indeed the series as a whole.

Thanks also to the individual planners, kite collectors and those who ran the registration desk throughout the series, namely, Brian Slater, Pete Shew and Neil Harvatt.

Well done to all the trophy winners, hopefully next year I might get to lift the new "Seniors Shield".

To win this one, you've got to be over 50 and have the letter S at least three times in your name, as in "Seniors Shield" or Chris Simmonds.

A quick mention for Lawrence Cook (under 50 and no esses) grabbing a season finale win on the medium last week and commiserations to Megan Adams (under 50 and only one S) on just missing out on a trophy in her first Poacher season.

### Poacher Champions for 2015

Paul Murgatroyd - Long Course Champion

Helena Crutchley - Women's Champion

Neil Harvatt - Masters Champion

David Offler - Senior Champion

Mike Smith - Ultra Champion

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### **Lincolnshire Urban League.....**

The next events are at Sleaford on Thursday and Bottesford on Saturday.

League positions so far are [here](#).

### **LEI Urban Ashby de la Zouch.....**

Neil Harvatt had another good urban, finishing second again on the M55s. Whilst Brian Hostad was tenth on the M40+ course. Meanwhile Brian and Amanda Ward competed at SELOC's Horwich festival of speed. A mix of park and urban sprints.

### **Events this week.....**

Thursday, [LOG](#), LUL Sleaford.

Saturday, [HALO](#), LUL Bottesford.

Sunday, [CLOK](#), Sneaton near Whitby.

### **HALO News.....**

Following her success at the World Cup this month, Charlotte Ward has again been selected to run for Team GB, this time in the Sprint competition at the World Championships in Scotland. Best Wishes Charlotte, from all at HALO and don't forget your mozzzy spray.

### **HALO Pics.....**

Poacher winners for the long, medium and short courses, being presented with their trophies by event organiser Pete Harris (over 50 but only one S) More photos [here](#)



Flora Jolly

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