## Veterans AC League 5 km, Battersea Park 12th Jul 22

The field was a little down, but the usual Surrey Walking Club trio appeared. The first home, David Hoben, had a rather better race and was in front of not only his clubmates but a further M35 newcomer. Chris Flint was only just 12 seconds behind this time. The winner of the race, Steve Bishop, formerly of the Stock Exchange Club had returned to walking after many years but his years of running left him very fit hence a convincing M60 win. A couple of minutes behind in second place the ever -present Maureen Noel from Belgrave recorded her normal impressive time as first and only female competitor.

## **Results:**

## Mixed 5 km:

1. S.Bishop (Vets M60) 30 min 11 sec; 2. M.Noel (Belg W55) 32 min 17 sec; 3. P.Watts (Swanley M70) 32 min 36 sec; 4. N.Fleeman (Manx M60) 35 min 8 sec; 5. **D.Hoben** (Sy WC M65) 37 min 40 sec; 6. A.Olszewski (Unatt M35) 37 min 51 sec; 7. **C.Flint** (Sy WC M75) 37 min 52 sec; 8. **P.Hannell** (Sy WC M75) 39 min 54 sec.