**Monthly Handicap**

**Thursday 23rd February, 2017, 3.45 miles**

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| **RESULTS** |  |  |  |  |  |
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*Where a handicap was an estimate for a new, guest or lapsed runner they score no points but their handicap for the next month will be based on the time taken and qualify for a full score. A season’s best (SB) or personal best (PB) earns two bonus points except for the first race of each season. Please check your statistics on both tables and notify me of any errors.*

Fortunately the day's storm abated but the evening weather remained quite windy. However, the earlier bad weather probably accounted for the very low turnout.

Tom Howarth ran especially well to win with a time only five seconds outside his PB set back in March 2013. Also running well were Alex Tate with a PB and Colin Laidlaw, who moves into second place only one point behind Greg Oulton

Thanks to everyone for their contributions to the buffet which included some very nice home baking, and to Dawn Lock for her invaluable help at the start and finish.

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