Congratulations to those members who represented the Club at the 2025 Lincolnshire County Track and Field Championships at Lincoln on Sunday May11th. Between them the fifteen "Gold Tops" competing at the Yarborough Track achieved ten Gold, six Silver and three Bronze County Awards.

Competing in the Mens 45 category Ollie Tiainen was first in the 100 metres and in also winning the Long and Triple Jump championships he created new County age group record performances. Six other members won 2025 County Championship titles: Rose Pell Under 13 Girls Long Jump, Mia Clark-Atkins Under 15 Girls Hammer Throw, Kirsten Richardson Under 17 Womens 80m. Hurdles, Issy Reid Under 17 Womens Shot and Javelin, Jess Newlin Under 20 Womens Hammer Throw and Beryl Clay Womens 80 Shot. Congratulations to all seven "Gold Tops" who are now the proud holders of 2025 Lincolnshire Championships titles. Just missing out on Championship titles and claiming Silver Championship Awards for second places were Emily Ward Under 13 Girls Long Jump, Lexi Mindham Under 15 Girls High Jump, Kirsten Richardson Under 17 Girls 300m Hurdles, Shona Mindham Under 17 Womens Shot and Issy Reid Under 17 Womens Discus. In addition Bronze Awards were claimed by Emily Ward Under 13 Girls 100 Metres, Lexi Mindham Under 15 Girls 75m Hurdles and Shona Mindham Under 17 Womens Discus. An exceptional set of results for our representatives considering the disruption in the training programme experienced by Boston and District Athletic Club members in the latter part of 2024 and during the first few months of 2025.

Another cause for celebration at this year's County Championships was the fact that nine members set new personal best performances on the day. Under 11 Boy John Maycock achieved his best 600 metres time , Under 13 Girl Emily Ward ran her fastest 800 metres and Ellis Richardson recorded his best 150 Metres time. Under 13 Girl Eurelia Barratt a newcomer to B.A.D.A.C. in her first ever competitive events recorded personal bests in 100 metres , 150 metres and Long Jump. In the Under 15 Girls age group Lexi Mindham improved both 100 metres and High Jump performances and Mia Clark-Atkins title winning Hammer Throw was a personal best . Kirsten Richardson created a personal best in the Under 17 Womens 300m Hurdles and in the same age group Issy Reid produced her best ever Discus competition performance and making her debut for the Club Shona Mindham set "P.Bs" in both Discus and Shot.

Congratulations to all our representatives at the County Championships at Lincoln for their performances, for the way they conducted themselves on the day and for wearing the Club vest with pride.

Beryl Clay