

It's Snake Lane 10 2/2/08 time again

THIS Sunday (24 February) one of the North of England's finest ten mile races comes to town.

The ever popular Snake Lane 10, hosted by Pocklington Runners, is the largest participating sports event in the Pocklington sporting calendar, and attracts a capacity field of 850 runners year after year, with over 200 other entries regularly having to be turned away.

Last year's winner, Stephen Hepples, is in blistering form after his recent victory at this year's Brass Monkey Half Marathon in January, and

has declared that his own course record of 49:22 will be under threat.

And this year Pocklington Runners have been able to put 45 runners into the race, with some newcomers and some very seasoned veterans taking part.

The race starts from Garth's End at 11.00am and makes its way through Meltonby towards Bishop Wilton, down Snake Lane, then the last three miles past Yapham Mill and into Pocklington, finishing in the town centre.

The lead man should be through the finish at around 11.50am.

So come on fellow people of Pocklington - please come out on Sunday morning and witness some of the North of England's finest runners in action. Every one of them will welcome your support, especially those wearing the Pocklington vest who help to make this race what it has become and thereby boost the club's standing.

The club wishes to thank everyone in advance for their support and co-operation. This is a very busy day for all concerned and the club's aim is to deliver a first class event with the minimum amount of inconvenience.