

Abernethy Highland Games 2017

Eleven heavies competed in four events. Six competitors fought it out in the local heavy events with Conan Quinn (Nethy Bridge) taking overall first, J. D. Macleod (Newtonmore) came second and Scott Simon (Aviemore) third.

Sarah Cavill was the only lady to take part in the girls junior heavy 17-19 age class event. George Evans (Inverness) won the junior heavy 17-19 age category and Daniel Wilby (Inverness) was second. George broke two games records, the first was putting the shot where he broke the record he set at last year's games. The second record which George broke was a massive throw of 18'6" for the 44lb weight over the bar. The previous record was set in 2011 by another outstanding junior heavy (Kyle Randals) with a throw of 17'3".

The open heavy competition was won by Jamie Gunn (Halkirk) with Jason Young (Ross-shire) and Craig Sinclair (Banchory) coming in equal second place and James Dawkins (Aboyne) in fourth. There was a good field in the athletics competition with fifty seven entrants. The younger age categories continue to be popular but there were fewer middle and senior entrants this year.

RESULTS

Heavies Results

Putting the shot (local)

- 1 Conan Quinn 11.80
- 2 Scott Simon 10.56
- 3 J. D. Macleod 10.54
- 4 Harry Hancock 8.96
- 5 Brian Harrold 8.87

28lb weight for distance (local)

- 1 Conan Quinn 13.92
- 2 J. D. Macleod 13.59
3. Scott Simon 12.16
- 4 Harry Hancock 11.83
- 5 Brian Harrold 11.81

Scots hammer (local)

- 1 Conan Quinn 30.09
- 2 J. D. Macleod 25.26
- 3 Brian Harrold 24.72
- 4 Harry Hancock 23.41
- 5 Scott Simon 20.30

56lb Weight over the bar (local)

- 1 Scott Simon 14'6"
- 2 J. D. Macleod 13'6"
- 3 Conan Quinn 13'0"
- 4 Harry Hancock 11'0"
- 5= Brian Harrold 10'3"
- 5= Dave Garman 10'3"

Tossing the caber (local)

- 1 Conan Quinn 1159
- 2 Brian Harrold 1156
- 3 J. D. Macleod 89
- 4 Harry Hancock 75
- 5 Dave Garman 55

Putting the shot (junior heavy boys 17-19)

- 1 George Evans 16.41
- 2 Daniel Wilby 9.94

Putting the shot (junior heavy girls 17-19)

- 1 Sarah Cavill 8.21

Putting the shot (open)

- 1 Jamie Gunn 14.10
- 2 Craig Sinclair 13.93
- 3 Jason Young 13.77
- 4 James Dawkins 11.58
- 5 Conan Quinn 11.52

22lb weight for distance (junior heavy boys 17-19)

- 1 George Evans 21.30
- 2 Daniel Wilby 13.87

22lb weight for distance (junior heavy girls 17-19)

- 1 Sarah Cavill 10.23

28lb weight for distance (open)

- 1 Craig Sinclair 22.23
- 2 Jason Young 19.25
- 3 Jamie Gunn 15.21
- 4 James Dawkins 14.77
- 5 Conan Quinn 13.16

Scots hammer (junior heavy boys 17-19)

- 1 George Evans 37.66
- 2 Daniel Wilby 26.00

Scots hammer (junior heavy girls 17-19)

- 1 Sarah Cavill 21.05

Scots hammer (open)

- 1 Jamie Gunn 37.66
- 2 James Dawkins 36.80
- 3 Craig Sinclair 36.70
- 4 Jason Young 34.29
- 5 Conan Quinn 29.34

44lb weight over the bar (junior heavy boys 17-19)

- 1 George Evans 18'
- 2 Daniel Wilby 13.0

44lb weight over the bar (junior heavy girls 17-19)

- 1 Sarah Cavill (awarded)

56lb weight over the bar (open)

- 1 Jason Young 14'0"
- 2= Jamie Gunn 13'0"

2= Craig Sinclair 13'0"
4 James Dawkins 11'0"
5 J. D. Macleod 10'3"

Tossing the caber (junior heavy boys 17-19)

1 George Evans 1200
2 Daniel Wilby 70

Tossing the caber (junior heavy girls 17-19)

1 Sarah Cavill 30

Tossing the caber (open)

1 Jason Young 1200
2 Craig Sinclair 1200
3 Jamie Gunn 1159
4 James Dawkins 70
5 Harry Hancock 50