

Great Birmingham Run - Selly Park - Sunday 23rd October 2011



1. Preparations outside Christ Church, Pershore Road



2. Live bands entertained runners and spectators



3. Race leaders former World and Olympic Champion Haile Gebrselassie (Ethiopia) and Essa Rashed (Qatar)



4. Haile Gebrselassie (Ethiopia) went on to win the race and Essa Rashed (Qatar) came second



5. Leading woman Gemma Steel (Charnwood AC) who went on to win the Women's Elite race...



6. ... and only a few seconds behind Louise Damen who went on to take second place in the Women's Elite race



7. Bret Crossley who went on to take third place in the Wheelchair race



8. Spectators outside Christ Church



9. Spectators and runners exchange high fives



10. A young spectator enjoys the refreshments



11. Self-service refreshments for the spectators.....



12..... and waitress service for the runners!