



Regional (Level C) Orienteering Event

1st January 2018

Buxton Urban

(An event in the 2018 East Midlands Urban League)

Note – although a mass start this is not a Score Event.

Presentation of EMUL 2017 trophies at 11am

Terrain: Urban and parkland

Car parking and Assembly: Pavilion Gardens, Buxton

Getting There: Once in Buxton, follow the brown tourist signs for “Pavilion Gardens” and Parking. The car park is at the corner of St John’s Road and Burlington Road.

Nearest Post Code: SK17 9AR
Lat: 53.257112 Long: -1.920575
Grid Reference: SK053733

Courses: (subject to final controlling)
You may run any course you wish competitively but will only score points in the East Midlands Urban League if you run the correct course or longer for your age class.

Course	Ages	Length	Climb
1	Men's Open (MO)	7.9km	105m
2	M40+ / Women's Open (MV, WO)	6.8 km	95m
3	M55+ / W40+(MSV, WV)	5.8km	70m
4	M65+ / W55+(MUV, WSV)	4.0km	60m
5	W65+(WUV)	3.7km	50m
6	M16- / W16- (MJ, WJ)	3.8km	35m
7	M12- / W12- (MYJ, WYJ)	2.4km	15m

Please note that competitors aged 16 and under can only compete on courses 6&7 due to road crossings.

Entries and fees: Entry on the day only.

Adults: £7 (members of British Orienteering); £9 (non-members)

Students: £3.50

Juniors: £3.50 for courses 1-5 and £2.00 for courses 6&7.

Sorry, **NO Mini Maze** – the grass is too wet.

Family: £17.50 (members of British Orienteering); £21.50 (non-members)

Please include your British Orienteering membership number on your registration form.

Timing: The event will use Sportident electronic punching. Both SI contactless and contact punching is possible. If you do not have a Sportident card, you can hire one at Registration. Contact SI cards are £1 for Adults, free for Juniors & Students to hire. Contactless SI cards are also available to hire at £2 each on a first come first served basis due to limited numbers.

Registration on the day only: 10.30 am until 11:15.

Start Times: Mass Start at 11:30 for courses 1-5 and 11:35 for courses 6 & 7. The start and finish are within 100m from assembly

Courses close at 13:30 and controls will start to be collected. Please report to Download even if you retire. You must still report to the finish and download even if you miss the cut-off time to avoid a search being instigated.

Toilets: There are toilets in the car park.

Refreshments: Café should be open subject to severe weather conditions.

Parking: Pavilion Gardens car park. Pay and display £1.80 for 2 hours, £3.20 for 4 hours. Or free Burlington Road.

Map: By Michelle Riley, updated by Mike Godfree Autumn 2017, scale 1:5000 and 5m contour intervals

Dogs: Dogs are not allowed on courses, they are permitted in car park/assembly but must be on a lead and any mess removed.

Safety: Care must be taken around the lakes and crossing roads. Both the urban and non-urban elements of the courses have areas that become slippery after rain. Please choose your footwear with care. Competitors are responsible for their own personal safety and for assessing their own abilities to complete the course. However, we have addressed possible risks through the Risk Assessment, planning of the courses and the information we provide to competitors.

Organiser: Ann-Marie Duckworth

Planner: Ranald Macdonald, **Controller:** Mike Godfree