



Informal Orienteering Event

Saturday 14th July 2018

Staunton Harold

(10 miles south of Derby)

Summer Orienteering in South Derbyshire

Courses suitable for novices and experienced orienteers with help and advice available

- Terrain** Open grassland with small areas of woodland
- Car parking** Staunton Harold Reservoir - Signposted off B587 south of Melbourne. Pay & display
- Post Code** DE73 8DL
- Grid Ref** SK 377 245
- Courses** For complete beginners and novices, there will be coaching available. Orienteering Coaches from DVO will be at the event to help you as a beginner or improver:
- Short/ yellow:** 1.7 km White standard
Medium/ orange : 2.4 km Yellow standard
Long: 30 minutes score challenge
- Fees** Entry on the Day only.
Individual Adults, Family Groups (One map) and Accompanied Children £5.00
Children and Students £2.00 (doing a course unaccompanied by an adult)
Then just 50p for a second map or if you want to try another course.
- Timing** The event will use Sportident electronic punching. If you do not have a Sportident Electronic Dibber, you can borrow one, free, at Registration.
- Registration** 1pm to 3pm, on the day only. Alongside the car park.
- Start** Next to the car park near the cafe. Start times from 1pm to 3pm.
- Finish** Will be adjacent to car park. Courses close at 4pm. You must report to Download even if you do not finish your course to avoid a needless search.
- Facilities** There are toilets and a National Trust café adjacent to the car park.
- Map** 1:5000 with 5m contours
- Dogs** Dogs are **not** allowed on the courses. Dogs are welcome in the area but we ask that owners keep a close control and that they should clean up any mess.
- Safety** There are nettles and brambles at this time of year, and full leg cover is required under British Orienteering Rules – sorry, no shorts. Competitors take part at their own risk. Whistles are advised. A waterproof jacket may be required if the weather is bad.
- Badges** 5 to 18 year olds can collect controls towards the BSOA Explorer Awards at this and other DVO events this year. (see www.dvo.org.uk for details).
- Membership** Non-members are welcome to run at this event, but please note that British Orienteering public liability insurance covers you for three events only (as a non-member). Ask at Registration or Download for information on joining and other membership benefits. Only £4.50 for a Junior. (see www.britishorienteering)
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