



Victorian Middle Distance Championships

Saturday 30 August 2014

FINAL INFORMATION

Organising Club: Eureka Orienteers & Bendigo Orienteers

Organiser: Geoff Lawford email: gjlawford2@bigpond.com

Controller: Jim Russell

Course Setter: Neil Barr

Venue: Kooyoora State Park, complex granite, 1985 World Championship terrain!

Map: Melville Caves Map, 1:10,000, 5 metre contours, mapped for 1985 World Orienteering Championships and 2002 World Masters Orienteering Championships

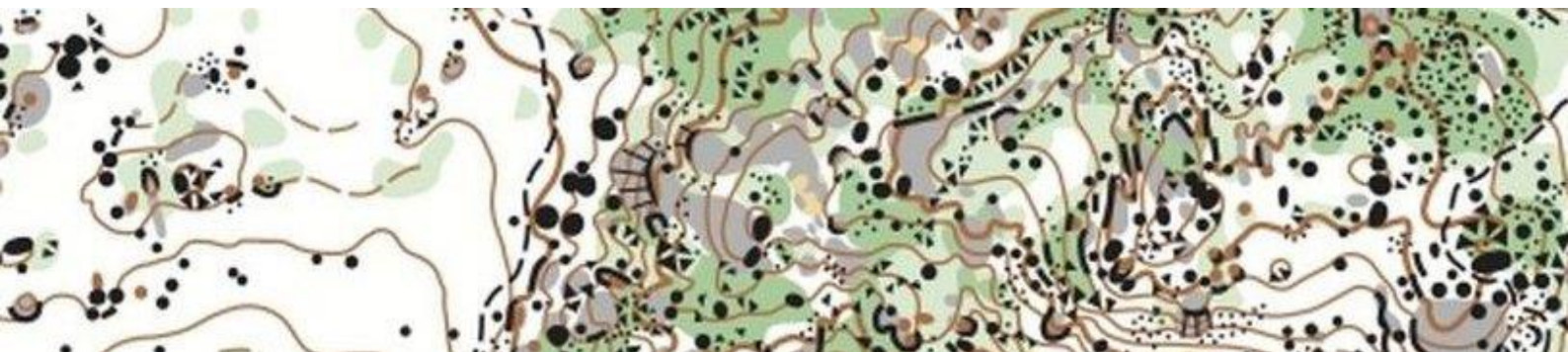
Terrain: Complex granite

Directions: The assembly area is the picnic ground below Melville Caves, on the Melville Caves road, Kooyoora. From Inglewood, travel west approximately 11 kilometres along the Inglewood-Rheola road until its junction with the Wehla-Kingower road (O sign). Veer right at this junction and travel approximately 4 kilometres to the junction with the Melville Caves road (O sign). Turn right at this junction onto the Melville Caves road. The assembly area is about 2 kilometres along the Melville Caves road on the right, and parking is a further 1 kilometre along the road past the assembly area. It is a 500 metre walk back to the assembly area along a walking track.

Assembly Area: The assembly area is the picnic ground below Melville Caves; it is a 500 metre walk back to the assembly area along a walking track (taped) from the parking area. You do not need to register on the Saturday – you can go directly from the car park to the start, which is adjacent to the car park.

Registration: There will be a registration tent at the assembly area – for help and advice, however there is no need to register.

Toilets: There will be toilets in the car park (permanent and temporary toilets, close to the start) and also toilets in the assembly (both permanent and temporary).



Catering: Wedderburn Lions Club will be providing hot food (barbeque), salad rolls, cakes, and soft drinks. An Espresso coffee van will be providing coffee/hot drinks.

Classes and Courses:

Course	Classes	Length (km)
Course 1	M21E	5.0
Course 2	M35A, M17-20E	4.6
Course 3	W21E	4.0
Course 4	W17-20E, W35A, M40A, M45A	4.0
Course 5	M16A, M50A, M55A, W40A, W45A	3.5
Course 6	W50A, W55A, M60A	2.9
Course 7	M65A, M70A, M75A, W60A, W65A	2.4
Course 8	W70A, W75A, W80A, M80A	1.9
Course 9	M14A, W14A, Long Open B, Short Open B	3.7
Course 10	W12A, M12A	3.0
Course 11	W10A	1.8

Start: The start area is adjacent to the car park. From the assembly area follow the track (taped) back up the hill towards the car park, about 500 metres.

Start Procedure: At the pre-start there will be a clock showing O-time plus 6 minutes (i.e. running 6 minutes fast). When this clock shows your allocated start time enter the start chute. Two minutes later step forward and take a control description sheet. Two minutes after this step forward again, stand in front of your map box (and pray). When the clock at the start (running at correct O time) shows your start time take your map and start. It is not a punching start.

Late Starts: See the late start official at the start. Your actual start time will be noted, however you will be deemed to have started at your allocated start time, unless the organiser is at fault.

Enter on the day: Two courses of 1.9km (very easy), 3.7km (moderate) are available. Start between 1pm and 2pm. Cost \$10. Register at the registration tent at the assembly area.

Prize giving: About 3 pm or as soon as possible after results are decided

Prizes: Awards will be given to placegetters in all classes.

