



Event Information – Coningham - Southern Local #1

Location	Event Date	Region	Type
Coningham Beach	Sun 21 st Feb	Southern	Local

COVID-19 Compliance

To comply with government regulations there are changes to the way orienteeing in Tasmania takes place:

- It is greatly preferred that you enter using the online entry system [Eventor](#) several days prior to the event.
- There will be limited entry or payment on the day.
- Before you come, read the [COVIDSAFE Participant checklist](#).
- Bring your own water – no water will be available on the course or at the assembly area.
- Social distancing and a range of hygiene measures will be enforced.

If you have COVID-19 symptoms, have been in recent contact with a COVID-19 case, or have travelled overseas recently please stay home.

About This Event

Come and enjoy the first southern local event for 2021 at Coningham. Parking is available at the Coningham Beach car park and also along the road behind the beach.

The event makes use of the Coningham map at 1:10000 scale. There are 4 courses to choose from, ranging from long (hard) down to novice (very easy).

- The hard, medium and short courses involve moving through the bush so gaiters or long pants are recommended. A compass is also recommended for these courses.
- The novice course is set on nearby tracks and will not need any special equipment or clothing.

The event is being conducted on a Parks and Wildlife Reserve and we thank them for allowing us access to the reserve and to the new toilet facilities provided at the western end of the Coningham Beach car park.

Where is the Start?

The start is at the eastern end of Coningham Beach

When Can I Start?

You can start anytime between 10am and 12pm. Starting as early as possible gives you more time to complete the course.

When do I Have to Finish?

You need to finish before the course is closed at 1pm. If you cannot complete your course in time you will need to abandon it and head back to the assembly area to arrive by course closure time.

Whether or not you have completed your course, you must download at the computer, so that we know you have returned safely, and don't organise a search party for you. Also be aware that as soon as the course is closed, the organisers start bringing in controls.

Which Map is Being Used?

Map: Coningham

Scale: 1:10000

Contour Interval: 5m

What are the Courses?

Novice, Short, Medium and Long distance courses are available. The Novice course is suitable for newcomers. The short course is suitable for people with limited orienteering experience.

Course	Navigation	Distance (Approx)
Long	Hard	5.3 km (160 m of climb)
Medium	Moderate/Hard	4.2 km (125 m of climb)
Short	Easy	2.0 km (60 m of climb)
Novice	Very easy	1.4 km (35 m of climb)

Do I Need an SI Stick or P Card?

All Tasmanian Orienteering clubs use the SportIdent (SI) electronic timing system so an SI-stick or a P card is required at all events. **Due to COVID-19 we are no longer offering SI-stick hire. Thanks to a Government Grant we are currently offering P cards for \$10 (half-price). This will be the last event to offer this discounted price.**

P-cards are suitable for all local events, but for bush events it is preferable to have an SI-stick – they are faster to use and register more controls.

You can buy a P-card for \$10 when you enter online. When entering an event by Eventor choose 'Purchase of P card' from the drop-down menu in 'Available Services' and click the green Add button to make the purchase. For your first event we will lend you an SI-stick for free.

If you would like to buy an SI-stick (from \$60), some clubs may have them for sale (ask at an event) or see aussieogear.com

How do I Enter?

Enter online by **midnight on Wednesday 17th February**. Limited entry on the day is available on some courses and costs \$2 extra for adults and \$1 extra per child.

- Enter using [Eventor](#) – the online orienteering entry system. Direct link to this event is: <https://eventor.orienteering.asn.au/Events/Show/15348>
- If you need help to enter, follow the [How to Enter guide](#).
- There will be limited entry on the day for an extra charge of \$2 (adults) and \$1 (junior). It cannot be guaranteed that a map for your preferred course will be available. Payment at the event is by card only.
- To enter online you need to [register and join an orienteering club or casuals group](#). Casual membership is free.
- Complete newcomers may enter on the day at a local event (first event free)

Information for Newcomers

Newcomers are welcome at all events. Wear comfortable clothing and foot wear suitable for walking or running; bring warm clothes and wet weather gear in case the weather is inclement. Long pants are a good idea if you plan on doing a course that takes you off tracks and through the bush.

Your first orienteering event will be free of charge (including loan of SI-stick) and you do not need to pre-enter. When you arrive at the event come to the registration desk and let the organisers know you are new; an experienced member will help you through the registration, start and event procedure.

How Much Does it Cost to Enter?

If it's your first local event, it's free (including free loan of SI-Stick)!

Limited entry on the day will be available for an extra charge of \$2 per adult and \$1 per child.

FEES	Members			Non-members (casuals)		
	Adult	Youth or Concession	Family	Adult	Youth or Concession	Family
Weekly Twilight or Local event	\$8	\$4	\$20	\$12	\$6	\$30

- **Adult** is 21 years and over at 31 December of the current year
Youth is under 21 years at 31 December of the current year
Concession is Pensioner Concession Card Holders or a full-time student
Family is 2 adults and any number of juniors who are part of a family (enter all in one session to get the discount)

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- Children 10 years and under completing a course as a member of a group in the company of adults or older children, participate free of charge - only one adult in the group needs to register, unless you want more than one map for the group .
 - A child completing a course as an individual with a parent shadowing (following) them only pays the relevant child entry fee. That is, the parent shadowing does so free of any charge. Only the child needs to register.
 - Refund policy for withdrawals: 100% refund for COVID-related absence; 100% refund if you withdraw before entry closing date (email the event organiser and the OT treasurer); 75% refund any other reason (email the OT treasurer within 24 hrs of the start of the event)

Contact Information

To contact the organisers for this event, email simon.louis@gmail.com or ian.rathbone@orienteeing.asn.au

Course Planners and Course Controllers

Course Planner: Simon Louis

Course Controller: Ian Rathbone

Where can I find results?

Results from an event are presented in four different places on our website in slightly different ways.

- **Live Results** are available as competitors download during some events. Go to [Results/Live Results](#) and choose the club that organised the event.
- **WinSplits** shows everyone's times for each leg, and is usually available the evening after the event. Go to [Results/Recent Results](#) and click [Tasmania Results in Winsplits](#) at the top.
- **Eventor** shows overall results for each course or class, and will be available the evening after the event. Go to [Results/Recent Results](#) and click on results for that event.
- **Livelox** shows the routes people have taken on the course (if they have used a GPS and uploaded the data). Go to the Eventor results and then click on Livelox either in the top bar or for each class/course.

What Else do I Need to Know?

As Orienteering Tasmania events are often conducted on private property we have a blanket policy of not permitting dogs at our events. Please leave your dog at home if going orienteering.