MelBushO on Sunday March 28 at Maroondah Reservoir.

Autumn is the season to come to an orienteering event at historic Maroondah Reservoir Park, visit Healesville for the day or the weekend. The town is about 60km from Melbourne. From Eltham the road provides views over the Yarra Valley as you come into Yarra Glen. Wineries abound in the area. Healesville has a plethora of cafes and eateries or bring your own picnic (no barbecues available) to eat under the ancient trees in the Park.

Terrain: Park with mature exotic trees near the Maroondah Reservoir wall. Courses 1-4 will cross the wall and go up the hill through eucalypt forest. Most legs will be on tracks. Courses 1 and 2 will go up to the aqueduct out of the Reservoir. Not too technical but beautiful.

Pre-entry

We request/urge you to pre-enter and pre-pay online, using Eventor, to help us comply with our Covid safe plan. There will be very limited enter on the day opportunities, with priority given to newcomers, so please secure yourself a map, and minimise queuing time, by entering online. ENTRY CLOSES NEXT THURSDAY MARCH 25, 11:59pm

Info and online entry

At the event

Please check in at Registration, even if you have pre-entered. You'll collect your map here, and an SI stick if you don't have your own. Controls will be in SI Air mode for contactless punching.

- 10am-11.30am pre-entered participants may check in, collect their map, and start any time
- 10am-11am newcomers who have not pre-entered may register, pay, and start, subject to map availability. Payment can be made by card or cash in the correct amount. You must provide your contact phone number as a condition of entry.
- 11am-11.30am on the day entries for non-newcomers will not be accepted before 11am. Last starts are at 11.30am
- 1.00pm all courses close; please choose a course that you can complete before then.

Courses: Choose any of Course 1 (Long Hard - 6 km); Course 2 (Medium Hard - 4.5 km); Course 3 (Short Hard 3.4 km); Course 4 (Moderate - 3.4 km) or Course 5 (Easy - 2.7 km). Coaching, equipment loan and assistance is available for newcomers.

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