

# **EVENT INFORMATION**

EVENT: Dwellingup MTB Orienteering 3 hour score event

DATE: SUNDAY MAY 29, 2022

START TIMES: 9.30 AM mass start

COURSES CLOSE: 12:30 PM

You will start loosing ponts after this time, and disqualified if

you come back later than 12:45 PM.

# **COURSES AVAILABLE:**

# unique 3 hours score

# **COURSE NOTES:**

This is a score event, you will have 3 hours to visit as many controls as you like on WA's largest orienteering map.

From the visitor centre in Dwellingup, you can either go out for the full 3 hours, or come back for a recharge and enjoy the cafe!

There will be lots of controls within a 3km radius of the start, so the event is well suited to beginners, families, and even walkers/runners (enter foot class). E-bikes welcome - enter the E-Bike class!

No bike, no problem! You can hire a mountain bike or e-bike right from the start location for \$35 (bookings at <a href="https://dwellingupadventures.com.au/bike-hire/">https://dwellingupadventures.com.au/bike-hire/</a>).

Newcomer guidance from 8.30 am, mandatory briefing at 9.15am, mass start at 9.30am, and everybody should be back 3 hours later at 12.30pm.

The cafe is open 8am-5pm, and visitor centre 9am-4pm.

# **PUNCHING**

We will be using MapRun6 app to record your visit to the control sites. There will be no conventional flags and SI bricks at control sites, but most will have some orange tape so you know you are in the right spot if the app doesn't register it.

You will still have a paper map.

## **MAPRUN6 INSTRUCTIONS**

- Download the MapRun6 app on your phone AHEAD OF TIME (search from "Maprun6" on your Google Store or App Store).
- Open the app and enter your details: use the same name as you used for registering on Eventor.
- Instructions on how to access the specific MapRun6 event will be given at the briefing.
- Controls will change to green on your phone as you visit them during the event. Your







phone will beep when this happens. So make sure your phone is on max volume, especially if in your bag.

- If you get lost during the event, you can ask the app on the phone to show you your position on the map up to 3 times, this will not count negatively towards your points.
- Punching is automated when you are at the control site. As long as you hear the beep, you are good to go to the next one!
- If your phone doesn't beep at a control: (1) Make sure you are at the right location as shown on the paper map. (2) Look at your phone to see if you have punched the control but you didn't hear the beep. (3) Move on to the rest of the course, and immediately after you finish let an official know which control(s) failed. It should be verifiable using the GPS trace that MapRun6 records, and in this case we will add the missing points to the final results.
- Teams can carry one or multiple Maprun devices if they like.
- Make sure you fully charge your phone before the event.
- If you are having trouble sourcing a phone: send a message to the contact email on this page.
- If you are having trouble installing MapRun6 on your phone: get to the event early (8.30am) so we can help you.

Controls vary in value from 20-60 points

Control number	Control value
20-29	20 points
30-39	30 points
40-49	40 points
50-59	50 points
60-69	60 points

Late returners will be penalised by 30 points per minute or part thereof, and disqualified if more than 15 minutes late.

#### **SAFETY and OUT OF BOUNDS AREAS**

You will likely need to cross Pinjarra Williams Rd and Dell Park Rd close to town in a 50 or 80 kph zone. Plan your course to minimise crossing these roads. Part of Pinjarra Williams Rd south east of town is marked forbidden route, you may not ride along or cross at these sections. You may want to cross the railway, be aware the train does run on Sunday, most of the railway is bounded by 'Area not to be entered' (Olive Green), again you cannot cross these sections. There are allowed crossing points mapped.

#### **ENTRY**

Pre-entry is encouraged, but on the day entry is possible (before 9.00am, otherwise after the 9.30am mass start).

Newcomers get a free entry for the next event.

#### **MAP BOARDS**

A limited number of map boards are available on loan, make sure you arrive early so you have time to affix it to your bike.







# **DIRECTIONS**

**Dwellingup Trails and Visitor Centre** 

# **THINGS TO BRING**

Mountain or gravel bike, helmet, water bottle, map board if you have one.

