



ACT Classic Series, ACT RELAYS
Sunday March 24th, 2024
Stromlo West

Organising Club	Abominable O-men
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Organiser	Ann Scown

EVENT INFORMATION

This Event is brought to you by the same crowd as last year. Only the venue has changed and hopefully the weather.

Same format, same rules.

An exciting event for everyone, old or young, fit or just out there to enjoy yourself.

Event Format:

Just like last year, the event will be a **RELAY** comprising four (4) legs.

There will be a mass start of first leg runners at 10:00. Subsequent runners will not start until the previous runner has returned. There will be a mass start at 1130 for anyone who has not left the arena. Courses close at 13:00 (1:00 pm).

Each leg is 2.3 – 2.4 km of **MODERATE** standard navigation (Courses A, B, C, D).

Teams can be of one (1) to four (4) members, running 1 to 4 legs each.

- 1 person team will run all 4 legs
- 2 person team – 2 legs each or 3 legs and 1 leg each
- 3 person team – 2 run 1 leg and 1 does 2 legs
- 4 person team – each run 1 leg.

There will be individual Easy and Very Easy courses available (starts 10:15 am to 11:30).

Entry Procedure:

There will be NO Enter-on-the-day available.

Please enter via Eventor at <https://eventor.orienteering.asn.au/Events/Show/19542>

STANDARD ENTRY FEES APPLY. Each competitor must enter and pay the same individual fee regardless of how many legs they are running. Everyone must do an individual entry by midnight, Wednesday March 20th.

ENTRY PROCEDURE:

- One **CONTACT** from each team **must** email the Organiser, Ann Scown, at scown@light.net.au, with the names of team members and number of legs each will run and the order in which you wish to run.
- If you are running all four legs, please email the organiser.
- If you wish to run in a team but are unable to find team members, the Organiser will randomly create teams. Please advise the Organiser how many legs you wish to run.
- ***Please communicate all the above information by COB Wednesday March 20th.***
- Team leg orders (courses A, B, C, D) will be communicated at the event, before the mass start and possibly the night before on Eventor.
- There will be a relay briefing at 9:45 am, and a Le Mans start at 10:00 am.

PROCEDURE ON THE DAY (THIS IS THE SAME AS 2023 – One SI chip per Team):

- The registered SI stick for the first leg runner will be the relay baton and will be used by the whole team. If your team does not wish to share an SI stick, you may revert to using a shared punch card!!
- When you change runners at the end of your course, pass your SI stick (or control card) on to the next runner.
- **Do not punch the finish control until you have finished the whole relay (all four legs).**
- Once the SI stick has done all four legs and punched the finish download your results. If using a control card, every effort will be made to register your team's finish time.
- In other words, the computer system will be programmed to have all four legs of the relay on the first runner's SI stick. If using a control card, your finish time will be entered manually.

Course Planners Notes:

- Full leg protection is recommended for the relay courses because of low scattered blackberries, which are not mapped, but which do not impede route choice.
- Check your control numbers because there may be controls close by on other courses.