



**MTBO
2024**

Australian Mountain Bike Orienteering | Canberra
Carnival and Championships | ACT

HOW TO REGISTER AT EVENTOR

Dear Participant!

A warm welcome to a vibrant celebration of Australian Mountain Bike Orienteering - **The Australian MTBO Carnival and Championships 2024, 17-20 October in Canberra!**

Please read carefully all instructions on how to register for MTBO Carnival.

We are running the **MTBO Carnival** and **MTBO Championships together** to make an exciting event that is inclusive for all!

- **MTBO Carnival** warmly welcomes all Beginners, all Families and less competitive, more adventurous riders and social riders. If you have never tried MTBO – then now is your chance! Read here for a quick overview of MTBO:
<https://orienteering.asn.au/what-is-mountain-bike-orienteering>
- **MTBO Championships** warmly welcomes competitive and experienced participants, but also those who are less experienced in MTBO who want to take on a challenge and compete with more experienced MTBOers on more navigationally technical courses.

MTBO CARNIVAL & CHAMPIONSHIP EVENTS:

We have 5 events over 4 days (17th; 18th; 19th; 20th OCTOBER):

- One Warm-Up event and four Championship/Carnival events.
- You can register for all 5 events or for any one or several events.
- You can enter the same Class for all 5 events.
- Or you can enter different Classes for each Day.
- Results don't sum up.
- Each day we will have a separate Prize Giving Ceremony for each of the Championship and Carnival classes.

MTBO CARNIVAL CLASSES:

Our MTBO Carnival is very Beginner and Family friendly. We have 8 MTBO Carnival Classes – they are designed for all Beginners. If you are doing Foot Orienteering, Rogaining, Adventure Racing, Bushwalking, MTB, Cycling, Kayaking, Skiing etc., but have never tried MTBO or only a couple of times, these Carnival Classes are designed for you. They are also adventurous, but with easier navigation and easier trails that you will enjoy more.

We have **4 CARNIVAL COURSES** and **8 CARNIVAL CLASSES**:

Australian MTBO Carnival Classes (8 Classes)

CARNIVAL CLASSES are easier and open for all Beginners and Newcomers!

You can participate as an individual or as a team! In the latter case, each team member has to be registered through Eventor (see below). Bring your Family and Friends along and encourage them to give MTBO a try!

Beginner W (short)
Explorer W (middle)
Adventurer W (long)
Score W (solo, pairs)

Beginner M (short)
Explorer M (middle)
Adventurer M (long)
Score M (solo, pairs)

BEGINNER, EXPLORER, ADVENTURER classes have a **LINE COURSE format**, which means you have to collect each of the controls in a given order.

SCORE Class has a **SCORE / ROGAINE format**, which means you can collect controls in any order as long as you get to the finish under the given time limit.

Different people enjoy different formats more, so choose the most enjoyable class and format for you.

MTBO CHAMPIONSHIPS CLASSES:

We will have **22 CHAMPIONSHIPS AGE CLASSES**.

M12/W12 – for kids under 12

M14/W14 – for teenagers 13-14

M16/W16 – for teenagers 15-16

M20/W20 – for teenagers 17-20

M21/W21 Elite – for Elite athletes (from about 16 until 40+, who aim to compete in the strongest male/female category)

M40/W40 – for adults 40-49

M50/W50 – for adults 50-59

M60/W60 – for adults 60-69

M70/W70 – for adults 70-79

M80/W80 – for adults 80-89

M e-Bike/W e-Bike – for teenagers and adults of any age with e-Bike

Registration and Entry

Registration is open at Eventor and closes on October 13th (SUNDAY) 23:59

Link to enter the event	
E0: Social Warm-Up SCORE MTBO, Bruce Ridge Thursday, 17 October, 2024, starts from 5pm https://eventor.orienteering.asn.au/Events/Show/19686	 (click)
E1: Australian MASS Championships, West Stromlo Friday, 18 October, 2024, starts from 4.30pm https://eventor.orienteering.asn.au/Events/Show/19100	 (click)
E2: Australian MIDDLE Championships, Stringybark Hill Saturday, 19 October, 2024, starts from 8.30am till 10am https://eventor.orienteering.asn.au/Events/Show/19101	 (click)
E3: Australian SPRINT Championships, Sutton Road Training Centre Saturday, 19 October, 2024, starts from 2pm till 3pm https://eventor.orienteering.asn.au/Events/Show/19102	 (click)
ED: Australian Carnival & Championships Presentations DINNER Saturday, 19 October, 2024 at 6pm for 6.30pm start Presentations Ceremony will start at 7.30pm https://eventor.orienteering.asn.au/Events/Show/19687	 (click)
E4: Australian LONG Championships, Kowen Homestead Sunday, 20 October, 2024, starts from 9am till 10am https://eventor.orienteering.asn.au/Events/Show/19103	 (click)

 [click for all events on a single Eventor page](#)

Standard Entry will close 10 September 2024 23:59 AEST. Late Entry will close 13 October 2024 23:59 AEST. There will be a limited number of “Enter on the Day” courses available at each Event. To enter on the day, go to the Registration Tent at each day’s arena. But we highly encourage pre-entry in every case where possible.

A maximum of 250 entries are allowed each day!

Entry Fees and Deadlines

Australian MTBO Carnival & Championships Entry Fees					
	E0: Warm-Up	E1: Mass	E2: Middle	E3: Sprint	E4: Long
EARLY ENTRY 1 January to 1 April 11:59 pm	\$10	\$30	\$30	\$30	\$30
STANDARD ENTRY 2 April to 10 September 11:59 pm	\$15	\$40	\$40	\$40	\$40
LATE ENTRY 11 September to 13 October 11:59 pm	\$20	\$50	\$50	\$50	\$50
Kids/teenagers under 20 and Masters 75 and above have a massive discount!	\$0	\$10	\$10	\$10	\$10

Additional resources on the Carnival are here:

Orienteering ACT MTBO Carnival page:

<https://act.orienteeing.asn.au/event-series/mountain-bike-orienteeing/2024-australian-mtbo-championships/>

Orienteering Australia MTBO Carnival website:

<https://ausmtbochamps2024.orienteeing.asn.au/>

Australian MTBO Carnival FB page, share with your outdoor Friends!

<https://fb.me/e/1eHAFbhdj>


Detailed Guide: HOW TO REGISTER AT EVENTOR

If you are already a member of Orienteering ACT or other club and have an account at Eventor, please proceed to step 1 below

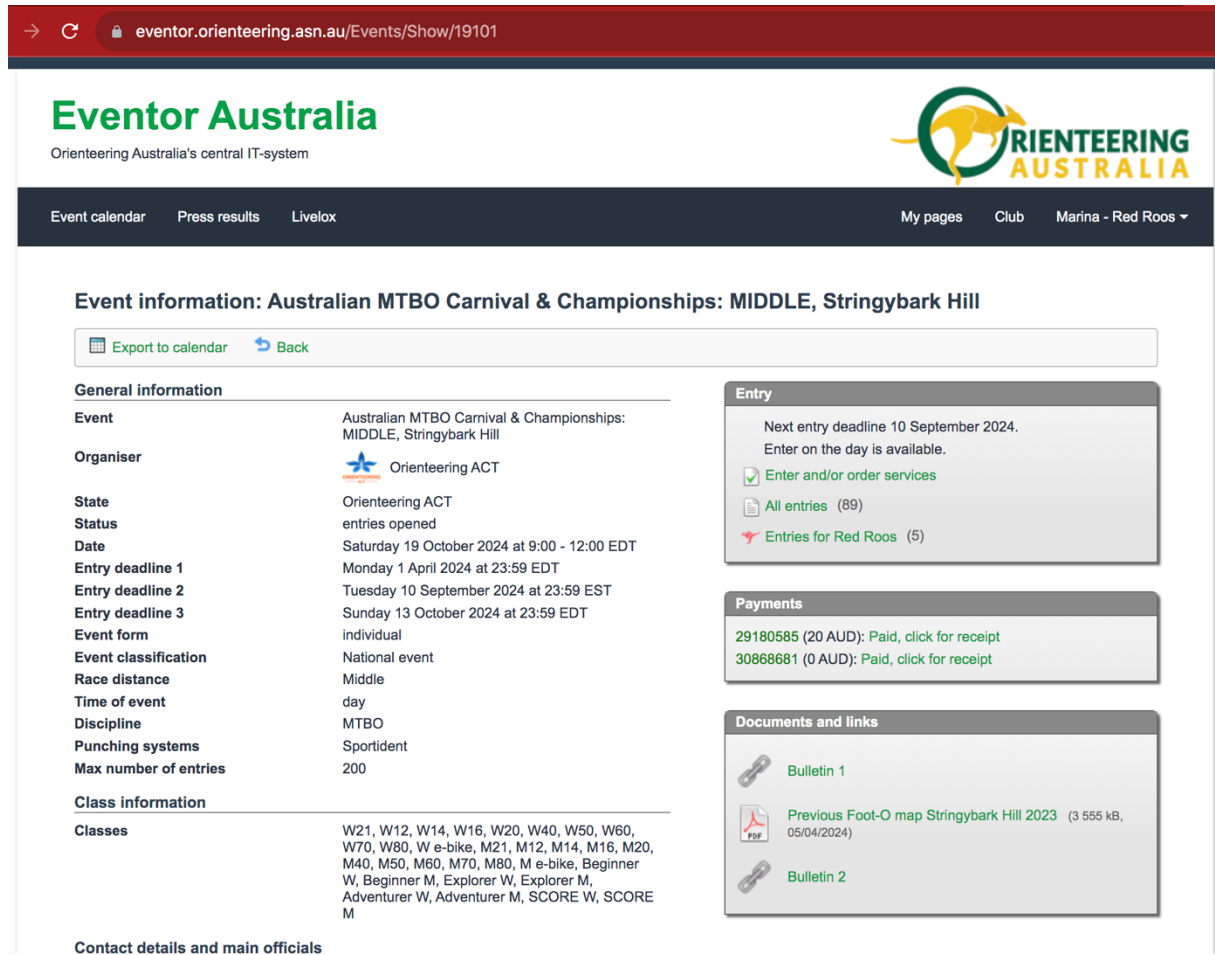
If you don't yet have an account at Eventor, before entering, please create your Eventor account – it defines your Name, Surname, Age, Gender, and orienteeing club membership status. When you reach the page titled 'Join an orienteeing club or casuals group' you may proceed to join an orienteeing club (costs apply), or you may now return to the event registration page to proceed with

your event entry as a non-member. Create additional Eventor accounts to register each of your family members, the same email address may be used.


1. Choose the Event you would like to Enter, press the button (Click)

E2: Australian MIDDLE Championships, Stringybark Hill Saturday, 19 October, 2024, starts from 9am till 10am https://eventor.orienteering.asn.au/Events/Show/19101	 (click)
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2. You see this page:




The screenshot shows the Eventor Australia website interface. At the top, there is a navigation bar with 'Event calendar', 'Press results', 'LiveloX', 'My pages', 'Club', and 'Marina - Red Roos'. The main content area is titled 'Event information: Australian MTBO Carnival & Championships: MIDDLE, Stringybark Hill'. It includes a table for 'General information' and 'Class information', and three side panels: 'Entry', 'Payments', and 'Documents and links'. The 'Entry' panel is highlighted in the instructions.


General information	
Event	Australian MTBO Carnival & Championships: MIDDLE, Stringybark Hill
Organiser	 Orienteering ACT
State	Orienteering ACT
Status	entries opened
Date	Saturday 19 October 2024 at 9:00 - 12:00 EDT
Entry deadline 1	Monday 1 April 2024 at 23:59 EDT
Entry deadline 2	Tuesday 10 September 2024 at 23:59 EST
Entry deadline 3	Sunday 13 October 2024 at 23:59 EDT
Event form	individual
Event classification	National event
Race distance	Middle
Time of event	day
Discipline	MTBO
Punching systems	Sportident
Max number of entries	200


Class information	
Classes	W21, W12, W14, W16, W20, W40, W50, W60, W70, W80, W e-bike, M21, M12, M14, M16, M20, M40, M50, M60, M70, M80, M e-bike, Beginner W, Beginner M, Explorer W, Explorer M, Adventurer W, Adventurer M, SCORE W, SCORE M

Entry

Next entry deadline 10 September 2024.
Enter on the day is available.

 [Enter and/or order services](#)

 [All entries](#) (89)


 [Entries for Red Roos](#) (5)


Payments


29180585 (20 AUD): [Paid, click for receipt](#)

30868681 (0 AUD): [Paid, click for receipt](#)

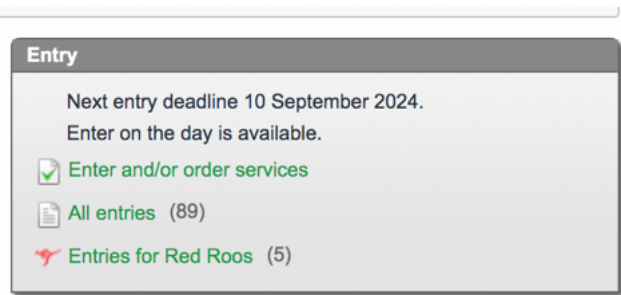
Documents and links

 [Bulletin 1](#)

 [Previous Foot-O map Stringybark Hill 2023](#) (3 555 kB, 05/04/2024)

 [Bulletin 2](#)

3. Press the green words **Enter and/or order services** in the block Entry



The close-up shows the 'Entry' block with the following text: 'Next entry deadline 10 September 2024. Enter on the day is available.' Below this are three green links: 'Enter and/or order services' (with a checkmark icon), 'All entries (89)' (with a document icon), and 'Entries for Red Roos (5)' (with a flag icon).

4. It will bring you to this page: CLUB, HIRE SERVICES, SportIdent

Please check your club (or casual), check your class (you can adjust class) and enter your **SportIdent** number if you have it, or leave blank if you don't have SportIdent stick.

See the button – available services – you can opt to hire a Map Board (for your map) and/or SI-AIR (SportIdent stick – a chip to register your attendance at all controls and to record your time). One Map Board and one SI-AIR stick cost \$5 each per day and can be collected at the REGO tent before the start. This event is operated with SI-AIR sticks only, previous older versions of SI-sticks (with no Air option) will not be accepted at the event. Please pre-purchase or hire at the event.

Entry

Australian MTBO Carnival & Championships: MIDDLE, Stringybark Hill

🌟 Orienteering ACT, Saturday 19 October 2024
Entry deadlines: Monday 1 April 2024, Tuesday 10 September 2024, Sunday 13 October 2024

i Participation in this event requires in some cases that you pay the entry fee when making the entry. More information will be provided in the last entry step.

Name	Club	Class	SportIdent
Marina Iskhakova	Red Roos	W40 (40 AUD)	8670914

Available services

✓ MAP BOARD + Add
SI-AIR

Ordered services

No services have been ordered.

[Order services](#) | Sum: 40 AUD | [Delete](#)

Entry terms and conditions

I accept the General Risk Warning and Risk Waiver: <https://act.orienteering.asn.au/resources/event-management/risk-statement/>

[Enter, cancel or change entry for another member](#)
[Enter, cancel or change entries for multiple members](#)

SI-AIR (SIAC) SportIdent stick looks like below, and should have an ID number starting with 8... (7 digits).



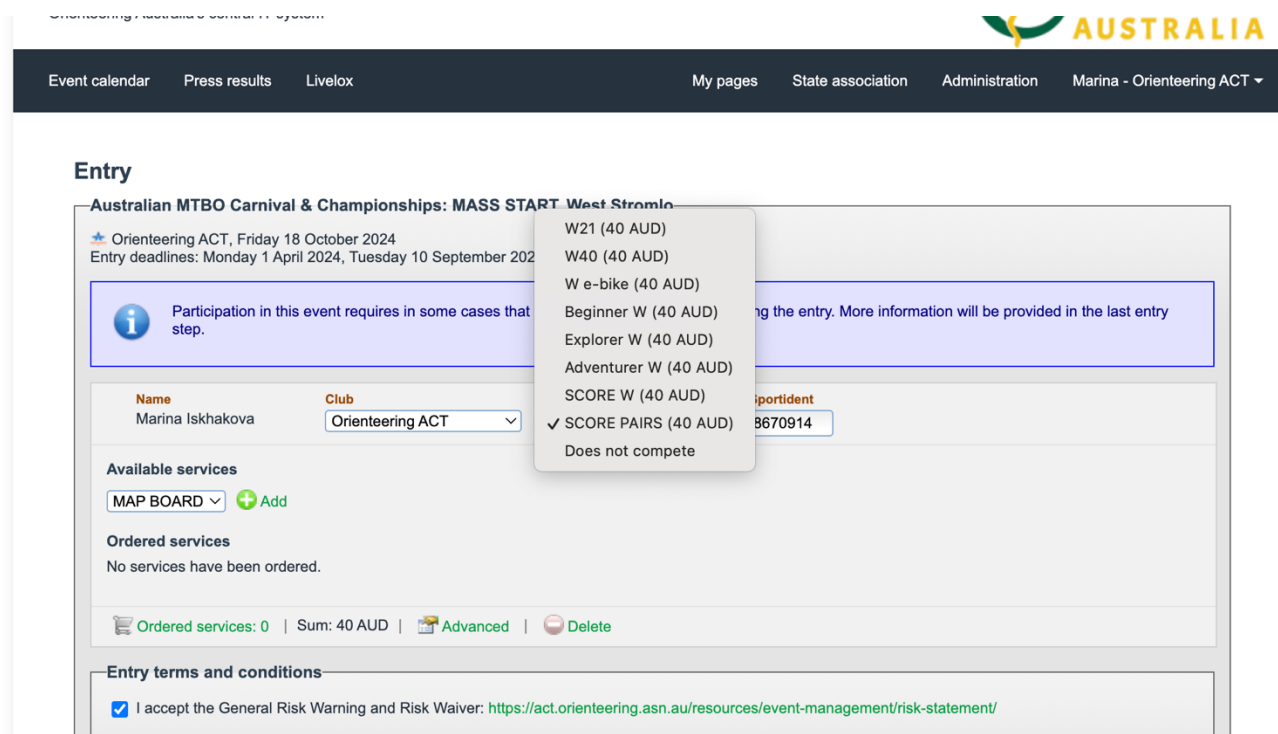
A Map Board is highly recommended for MTBO events. You can pre-purchase it – see Bulletin 2 & 3 for the Companies that sell them in NSW/VIC/QLD or you can Hire them at the event (please choose SERVICE HIRE during registration).

Map Board looks like below (on the left). Some people have successfully produced hand-made Map Boards, see below (on the right).

Or if you have time, please learn from 14 min video: [How to build a quality MTB map board](#)



5. Then you have to choose a Class under a drop-down menu:



Event calendar Press results LiveloX My pages State association Administration Marina - Orienteering ACT

Entry

Australian MTBO Carnival & Championships: MASS START West Strathfield
Orienteering ACT, Friday 18 October 2024
Entry deadlines: Monday 1 April 2024, Tuesday 10 September 2024

Participation in this event requires in some cases that you complete a certain step.

Name: Marina Iskhakova Club: Orienteering ACT

Available services: MAP BOARD + Add

Ordered services: No services have been ordered.

Ordered services: 0 | Sum: 40 AUD | Advanced | Delete

Entry terms and conditions: I accept the General Risk Warning and Risk Waiver: <https://act.orienteing.asn.au/resources/event-management/risk-statement/>

Class selection dropdown menu:
W21 (40 AUD)
W40 (40 AUD)
W e-bike (40 AUD)
Beginner W (40 AUD)
Explorer W (40 AUD)
Adventurer W (40 AUD)
SCORE W (40 AUD)
 SCORE PAIRS (40 AUD)
Does not compete

Based on your age and gender, all CLASSES that are suitable for you will be suggested. Please choose the most suitable class for you:

HOW CHOOSE A CLASS?

Example 1: You are a 46 year old female who has some biking, rogaining or adventure racing experience but have never tried MTBO

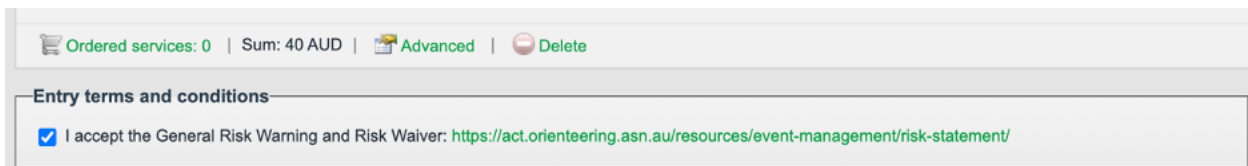
Then you can register in one of:

- 1) the **W21** – Elite Class
- 2) the **W40** – for women 40-49 years old, but also welcomes older women 50-90, who are fit and keen for a tougher course
- 3) the **W e-bike class** – no age limits and compete with other women on e-Bikes
- 4) the **Beginner W** class – for all newcomers, no age limit, no experience required, it can be your first attempt
- 5) the **Explorer W** class – for more experienced newcomers and people with some biking/navigation experience
- 6) the **Adventurer W** class – for adventurous people with more endurance who want a bigger challenge and have some prior experience of biking, orienteering, adventure racing or rogaining
- 7) Or the **SCORE W** class (to do the course individually) or enter **SCORE PAIRS** class (to do the course as a pair, each person enters individually, but rides as a Pair). SCORE class means you collect as many controls in a specified limited time (full details and time limits in the Bulletin 2 and 3).

We would recommend to this 46 year old female to register in either W e-Bike, Explorer W, Adventurer W, or SCORE W classes. You can enter a different class for each event.

6. Then you have to tick acceptance of all Entry terms and conditions:

See a picture below:



7. Then please proceed to secured payment facilitated by PayPal.

If you experience problems, please contact office Orienteering ACT office@act.orienteering.asn.au and they will assist you with the problems.

We wish you a smooth and fast registration and can't wait to welcome you at the MTBO Championships & MTBO Carnival!