## OY 9 Priest Gully 1st September 2024

Held on a brand-new map (1:10,000) by Geoff Peck, this site offers new challenges but with similar enjoyable running conditions to Stockyard Creek, just across the road.

Setter: Nic Burridge

Controller: Wendy Read

**Organiser:** Mark Crowe

PC: Tony Bryant

**Date:** Sunday September 1st; starts 9:00am to 10:00am. Course Close **STRICTLY Midday**.



### Setter's notes:

A few of the scariest things for many orienteers are Grass seeds, Hills and Lantana. This map will have none of those! The terrain is mostly fast with lots of detail in the creeks which proves to be a perfect environment for a cheeky course setter such as myself. The recent

rain has certainly complicated creek crossings, however, courses have been set so that the best crossings fall upon the optimal routes so staying dry will be easy.

I was keen to put some controls on boulders, but the biggest piece of stone in the area was a pebble in one of the creeks which I couldn't find on my second time around so if you see the pebble out there, please let me know! There is exciting wildlife out there as well! Even a few friendly camels which hopefully a few lucky runners will come across.

In summary: great running, gaiters optional, and boat shoes if you're feeling adventurous! Get keen and good luck.



#### **Distances and courses:**

Course distances updated 26/8/24. Don't be deterred by the longer distances – conditions are fast and flat, and winning times are expected to be within 35 minutes.

Course	Distance (km)
H1	6.0
H2	5.1
H3	4.6
H4	3.8

H5	2.5
M1	3.2
M2	2.6
Е	2.8
VE	2.1

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Entries close strictly 11:59pm on the Thursday prior to the event – 29th August.

Enter here: <a href="https://eventor.orienteering.asn.au/Events/Show/19864">https://eventor.orienteering.asn.au/Events/Show/19864</a>

**Parking:** Please park on the sides of the access road (https://maps.app.goo.gl/QYvJoK77R5myqBti7) and walk down to the assembly area:

**Toilets** are available at Brisbane Koala Bushlands, the other side of Alperton Road (10 mins walk/2 min drive). Please take care crossing this busy road.

## Post event training

All members of the Schools team attending ASOC (including reserves) are encourage to join Ryan Gray for some post event training. Please make sure you have downloaded first.

