







# 2017 ACT Autumn Classics

The ACT Autumn Classics will be staged over the weekend of 25-26 March 2017. The details of the events on each day are set out in the following paragraphs.

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# Saturday 25 March ACT Sprint Distance Championships

2017 ACT Sprint Distance Championships 2017 National Orienteering League # 3 2017 Australian University Championships 2017 ACT League # 1

Organising Club: Parawanga Event Controller: Grant McDonald Organiser: Natalie Smith Course Planner: Andy Hogg

**Venues:** Heats: Red Hill; Finals: Canberra Girls Grammar School, Forrest. The Assembly area will be at the School and National League competitors will have a 20 minute walk to the Start for the heats. NOL competitors will also need to allow 10 minutes for registration and collection of their competitor's bib.

**Starts:** National League: Heats: From 12:00 pm and Finals: After the other classes for which the first Start will be 1.00 pm. There will be two heats each for Men and Women, and the qualifiers for the A finals will be less than half the total number of competitors. Split start times for child-minding purposes may not be available because of the specific rules that will apply to this event.

### Maps/Terrain:

**Red Hill 2017**: 1:5,000, 2.5m contours. The vegetation is eucalypt woodland on a moderately sloped ridge with some steeper areas. The forest runnability varies from very fast to slow in areas of denser growth. There are scattered termite mounds and rock features and an area of numerous watercourses. This will be the first time a Sprint Distance event has been staged on Red Hill.

**Canberra Girls Grammar School 2017**: 1:3,000, 2.5m contours. The competition area will be mainly the School campus, which is predominantly buildings, pathways, roads, car parks and associated vegetation, with some changes of level requiring careful route choice. This event will be the first use of a new area.

#### Classes:

#### **Championship Classes**

National League: Men: M21E, M20E: Women: W21E, W20E.

**Men:** M10, M12A, M14A, M16A, M35A, M40A, M45A, M50A, M55A, M60A, M65A, M70A, M75A, M80A, M85A, M90A; **Women:** W10, W12A, W14A, W16A, W35A, W40A, W45A, W50A, W55A, W60A, W65A, W70A, W75A, W80A, W85A.

#### **Non-Championship Classes**

M20A, M21A, MJuniorB, MOpenB, W20A, W21A, WJuniorB, WOpenB, M/WJunEasy, M/WOpenEasy. No Enter-on-the-day.

**Australian University Championships**. Competitors wishing to participate in the Australian University Championships will have to enter one of the elite classes, pay a \$10 extra entry fee through the Eventor Services function and submit their student details to Ian Prosser, <a href="mailto:ian.prosser11@gmail.com">ian.prosser11@gmail.com</a>; more information will available be on Eventor.

# Sunday 26 March ACT Middle Distance Championships

2017 ACT Middle Distance Championships 2017 National Orienteering League # 4 2017 ACT League # 2

Organising Club: Red Roos Event Controller: Bill Jones
Organiser: Allison Jones Course Planner: Rob Walter

Venue: Isaacs Ridge, Isaacs ACT, 17 km south-east of Canberra GPO. The venue has been used previously for the 2014 ACT League #5, 2016 Australian 3-Days – Day 1 and 2016 ACT League

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**Starts:** From 9:45 am for other than National League competitors and from 10.00 am progressively for National League competitors. The junior National League classes will start before the senior classes. Split start times for child-minding purposes will be available upon request to <a href="mailto:oact.online@work.netspeed.com.au">oact.online@work.netspeed.com.au</a>

**Map/Terrain:** Isaacs Ridge 2016, 1:10,000, 5m contours. An intriguing mix of pine and eucalypt forest. The ridge and northern part of the map has open areas of faster running. Undulating to steep areas with some granite outcrops. A track network exists in the pine areas. Optional fence crossings are marked on the map. There will be a spectator control on Courses 1 and 2.

#### Classes:

National League: Men: M21E, M20E: Women: W21E, W20E.

**Men:** M10, M12A, M14A, M16A, M35A, M40A, M45A, M50A, M55A, M60A, M65A, M70A, M75A, M80A, M85A, M90A; **Women:** W10, W12A, W14A, W16A, W35A, W40A, W45A, W50A, W55A, W60A, W65A, W70A, W75A, W80A, W85A.

### **Non-Championship Classes**

M20A, M21A, M35AS, MJuniorB, MOpenB, W20A, W21A, W35AS, WJuniorB, WOpenB, M/WJunEasy, M/WOpenEasy, M/WJunVeryEasy, M/W10Novice, plus RedEOD, OrangeEOD, GreenEOD for Enter-on-the-day competitors.

Entry Fees (GST included):	Senior (>20)	Junior (<21)	Family max (1)
Sprint Distance Champ: Elite classes (2)	\$26.00	\$18.00	
Middle Distance Champ: Elite classes (2)	\$26.00	\$16.00	
Sprint Distance Champ: Other classes	\$18.00	\$10.00	
Middle Distance Champ: Other classes	\$24.00	\$14.00	

#### Notes

- 1: The Family maximum will be calculated by Eventor on the basis of two adult fees and the lowest junior fee.
- 2. The Elite (National League) entry fees include the cost of OA NOL levies and an extra map for the Sprint Distance Championships, ie heats and finals.
- 3. Entrants in the Australian University Championships will be required to pay a \$10 extra entry fee through the Eventor Services function.

### Entries will close on Eventor at 11.59 pm on Tuesday 14 March 2017

Late Entries will only be accepted at the discretion of the organisers.

**Enter-on-the-day** entries will only be accepted for the Middle Distance Championships on three courses [Hard (Red) 6, Moderate (Orange) 2, Easy (Green)] on the basis that the entries are unofficial, with only one class per course, and full entry fee is paid. EOD competitors will start after all official competitors, and if no pre-marked maps are available EOD competitors will draw their course within their competition time. No EOD entries will be accepted after 10.30 am Sunday (Middle Distance).

Start Times and Final Event Information will be posted on Eventor by 11.59 pm Sunday 19 March.