

## ENTRY INFORMATION

### 1. Location:

Pittwater Dunes

### 2. Date:

12 March 2017

### 3. Event Category:

Statewide

### 4. Event Series Information:

OST 2 Long distance

### 5. About This Event:

This event will follow the NOL (National Orienteering League) one person relay. The relay sees Australia's best orienteers undertake 3 courses consecutively with a mass start for the M21E class at 9:00 and the other 3 classes at 5 minute intervals. On completing the first and second courses, competitors pick up a new map and head off again. With the start and finish, and a spectator control close to the assembly area there will be plenty of action for spectators particularly given the format where all competitors of a given class initially head off together. The OST courses will use many of the controls used during the NOL event.

### 6. Where Is The Start Area?

From Hobart Airport Follow the airport exit road (Holyman Avenue) to the Tasman Highway roundabout. At the roundabout, take the fourth exit on the Tasman Highway towards Sorell. After 1.7 km, turn right on Pittwater Road. Follow Pittwater Road for 2.7 km to Centre Road, and turn left along Centre Road. The competition parking is approximately 3.5 km along Centre Road. Parking will be off a signed side road with overflow parking along Centre Road.

There are two barrier gates on Centre Road. The first of these is approximately 0.9 km from the Centre Road and Pittwater Road intersection, and the second approximately 600 metres after the first gate. Please close the gates after passing through them. From Hobart Take the Tasman Highway to the airport roundabout, take the second exit from the roundabout, then as for the directions from the airport. There is a ten-minute walk from the car parking area to the event arena – longer if you are required to park on Centre Road. The start is at the event arena.

### 7. When Are Start Times?

First start for OST courses are 10:00 with punching start. Course closure will be 2:00pm

### 8. What Are The Courses?

COURSE	TARGET WINNING TIME (minutes)	NAVIGATION STANDARD	APPROXIMATE DISTANCE(+)	AGE GROUP CLASSES
1	55 – 60	Hard	7.6 km	M21
2	45 – 50	Hard	5.8 km	W21 M17-20, M35, M40
3	40 – 45	Hard	4.9 km	W17-20, W35 M16, M45, M50, M Open AS
4	40 – 45	Hard	3.9 km	W16, W40, W45, W50, W Open AS M35-50AS, M55, M60
5	35 – 40	Hard	2.8 km	W35-50AS, W55, W60, W65

				M65, M70
6	35 – 40	Hard	2.1 km	W70, W75, W80+ M75, M80 M/W Open A
7	25 – 35	Moderate	1.4 km	W14, W16+B M14, M16+B M/W Open B
8	20 – 25	Easy	1.4 km	W12, W14B M12, M14B M/W Open C
9	20 – 25	Very Easy	1.4 km	W10, W12B M10, M12B

### 9. Do I need an e-stick or P card?

All Tasmanian Orienteering clubs use the SportIdent (SI) electronic punching system so an e-stick or a P card is required at all events. If you do not own an e-stick or P card, you can hire one for \$4 at the event. These are also available for purchase at most events.

### 10. How Much Does It Cost To Enter?

Event Fees	Adult	Adult	Youth or Concession	Youth or Concession	Family	Family
	Casual Member	Full Member	Casual Member	Full Member	Casual Member	Full Member
Orienteering Series Tasmania (OST) event	\$16	\$10	\$8	\$5	\$40	\$25

### 11. How Do I Enter?

Click [here](#) to go to Eventor to enter these events. Normal entry in Eventor will require you to select up to the 3 events available on this weekend and then press the 'Enter selected events' button.

Very limited entry will be available on the day for courses 7 and 8.

Due to AGM & Awards Night Dinner arrangements, entry closes at midnight on Tuesday 7th March.

### 12. Contact Information

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### 13. Information for Newcomers

There will be courses suitable for newcomers at this orienteering event. Newcomers may enter on the day at the event, to do either course 7 (moderate navigation) or course 8 (easy navigation).

General information for newcomers is available on the website under [Get Involved](#)

### 14. Who are the Course Planners and Course Controllers?

Clare Hawthorn is the event planner and Lindsay Pender the event controller

### 15. Which Map Is Being Used?

Pittwater Dunes 1:7 500, 2.5 metres contour interval

### 16. What Else Do I Need To Know?

All participants in events conducted by Orienteering Tasmania and its affiliated clubs are required to

register. There are two categories of registration, either as a full member or as a casual member. Further details are available on our About Membership page.

As Orienteering Tasmania events are often conducted on private property we have blanket policy of not permitting dogs at our events. Please leave your dog at home if going orienteering.

### **17. Any Food, Entertainment, Coaching or Other Special Attractions?**

BBQ will be available.

#### **17.1 Orienteering Tasmania Annual General Meeting**

Date: Saturday 11th March 2016

Time: from 6:00pm

Place: Tasmania Golf Club

Presentation of Annual Report, Constitutional Amendment, Election of Board members, Appointment of Auditor etc

#### **17.2 OT Awards Night Dinner**

This will be held on Saturday 11th March at the Tasmania Golf Club following the AGM. A \$35 two course menu has been arranged and there are also an Under 12 menu available. Payment is on the night but numbers must be locked in by Tuesday 7th. You can register for the AGM and Awards Night Dinner by selecting 'Services' when entering this event in Eventor.