

ENTRY INFORMATION

Location:

St Virgil's College, 195 Main Road, Austins Ferry

Date:

11 June 2018 (Monday, Queen's Birthday Public Holiday)

Event Category:

Southern Local

Event Series Information:

This is a Southern Local event to compliment OST 8 and OST 9 on the Monday which is a public holiday.

About This Event:

The courses are predominantly around St Virgil's College with the map recently updated. There hasn't been an event at St Virgil's for a number of years, with the longer courses extending out into suburbia. Orienteers from the North and North West are encouraged to participate after competing in OST 8 and OST 9 with the course open in the morning.

Where is the Start?

The start is inside the grounds at St Virgil's College, 195 Main Road, Austins Ferry. It is adjacent to the southern sports oval, follow the signs.

When Can I Start?

You can start anytime between 9:30am and 11am. Starting as early as possible gives you more time to complete the course.

When Do I Have To Finish?

You need to finish before the course is closed at 12pm. If you will not be able to complete your course in time you will need to abandon it and head back to the assembly area to arrive by course closure time. Whether or not you have completed your course, you must download your SI at the computer, so that we know you have returned safely, and don't organise a search party for you. Also be aware that as soon as the course is closed, the organisers start bringing in controls.

What Are The Courses?

Course	Approx. Length	Controls	Navigation Difficulty
Novice	1.2km	10	Easy
Short	1.8km	11	Easy
Medium	3km	15	Moderate
Long	4km	18	Moderate/Hard

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. P-cards can be used on any of these courses as none have more than 18 controls.

How Do I Enter?

Enter on the Day.

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
Local event	\$12	\$8	\$6	\$4	\$30	\$20

Contact Information

Ainsley Scott, 0430 912477. Email: ainsley4@live.com.au

Who are the Course Planners and Course Controllers?

Planner and Controller: Ainsley and James Scott

On the day helpers: Terry Cavanagh and Rosie Rutledge

Which Map Is Being Used?

Poimena Reserve Map 1:5000 with a contour interval of 2.5m.

Information for Newcomers

New comers are welcome at this event.

- Wear casual running/walking gear.
- When you arrive at the event you can look at the courses on offer – there will be courses suitable for newcomers.
- Help on how to orienteer is available
- Compasses will be available to hire for \$4, or to purchase for \$50. Compasses are not required, but do make it easier
- General information for newcomers is available on the website under Get Involved

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.