# **ENTRY INFORMATION**

### Location:

Risdon Brook Dam

### Date:

Sunday, July 15

# **Event Category:**

Southern Region

#### **Event Series Information:**

This is the third event in the Southern Region Sunday Series

# **About This Event:**

This event should appeal to many. It is in an enjoyable family friendly area and has good parking and toilet facilities. For the inexperienced the dam provides a good reference point for navigation.

There are four courses to suit all ages and fitness levels.

### Where is the Start?

The assembly area is adjacent to the Risdon Dam carpark. The Start is only a few minutes NE from the assembly area.

# When Can I Start?

You can start anytime between 10am and 12 noon. 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 2pm. 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?

Long – 4.3 km – hard navigation Medium – 2.9km – moderate/hard navigation

Short – 2.2km – easy navigation Novice – 1.9km – very easy navigation

### 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. Please note that P-cards are not

suitable for courses with more than 19 controls, so talk to the registration team if you have this problem.

# **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**

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

Jim Laver and Barbara Tassell with 'Helpers on the Day' Janet Bush, Robyn Chapman and Ros Watson

# Which Map Is Being Used?

Risdon Brook Dam, 1:10 000, contour interval 5m

# **Information for Newcomers**

There are courses suitable for newcomers at all orienteering events. Risdon Brook offers a good track network and gentle terrain in the area used for newcomers. An added advantage is its close proximity to the city.

You will need clothes suitable for walking/running in the bush and durable footwear suitable for some muddy areas.

When you arrive, go to the brightly coloured Australoper trailer in the carpark to register and ask for novice assistance if required.

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. As well, please leave gates closed or open as you find them.