

ENTRY INFORMATION

Location:

Uplands Farm, approx. 10km SE of Deddington

Date:

Sunday August 12th 2018

Event Category:

Statewide event

Event Series Information:

Orienteering Series Tasmania No. 12

About This Event:

- This is the twelfth OST event and the Northern Classic Badge event. It is a long distance event
- The area is a combination of pine plantation, eucalypt plantation and farmland interspersed with remnant native forest.
- See how many different forms of wildlife you can see out in the forest. There may also be some snow to find!

Where is the Start?

From Hobart: follow the Midland highway north until the Glen Esk Rd (C416) at Conara (approx.146kms). Turn right onto C416 and travel north for 45.8kms to reach the Deddington Rd (420). Turn right onto the C420 and continue through Deddington to Uplands Rd on the right. Follow Uplands Rd for approx. 9kms then follow the direction signs to the start, remembering to leave all gates as you found them.

From Launceston: travel to Evandale, and on to the Nile Rd (C416). Travel south for 5km to C419. Turn left onto C419 and travel until the road meets the C420 at a T intersection. Turn left and travel through Deddington to Uplands Rd on the right. Follow Uplands Rd for approx. 9kms then follow the direction signs to the start, remembering to leave all gates as you found them.

There is a 600m walk to the start with very little climb. The climb is all on the course!

GPS coordinates of assembly venue S41 66.238, E147 49.306

GPS coordinates of entry gate S41 65.186, E147 51.763

When Can I Start?

You can start anytime between 10am and 12. 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?

Course	Approx. Run Time	Navigation Standard	Climb	Distance	Age Group Class
1	80 – 90	Hard	400m	11 km	M21
2	65 – 75	Hard	285m	8.8 km	W21 M17-20, M35, M40
3	55 – 65	Hard	225m	6.3 km	W17-20, W35 M16, M45, M50, M Open AS
4	55 – 60	Hard	195	5.2 km	W16, W40, W45, W50, W Open AS M35-50AS, M55, M60
5	50 – 55	Hard	125	4.4 km	W35-50AS, W55, W60, W65 M65, M70
6	45 – 50	Hard	80	2.8 km	W70, W75, W80+ M75, M80+ M/W Open A
7	30 – 40	Moderate	95	3.4 km	W14, W16+B M14, M16+B M/W Open B
8	25 – 30	Easy	85	2.7 km	W12, W14B M12, M14B M/W Open C
9	20 – 25	Very Easy	60	1.9 km	W10, W12B M10, M12B

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?

Pre-entry is via Eventor – Deadline for entries is Wed 8th August. Newcomers may enter course 7 or 8 on the day of the event.

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

Contact Information

Donelda Niles Phone 0419358385 or email kamdon@bigpond.com

Who are the Course Planners and Course Controllers?

Course Planner Donelda Niles

Course Controller Paul Paque

Which Map Is Being Used?

Uplands Map

Scale 1:15000 Contour Interval 5m for Courses 1 and 2, and Scale 1:10000 Contour Interval 5m for Courses 3-9

Information for Newcomers

For OST events newcomers may enter on the day at the event, to do either course 7 (moderate navigation) or course 8 (easy navigation). If you enter via Eventor enter class M/W Open B for course 7 or class M/W Open C for course 8

Remember to bring your P card or SI stick if you have one. These are available to hire on the day, too. Wear running shoes and comfortable clothing. Uplands is close to Ben Lomond and shares a lot of the weather patterns. Bring plenty of warm clothing to put on after the event.

If you are new to orienteering please come to the admin trailer before you start and we will be happy to explain how the event works and what to do.

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.

Any Food, Entertainment, Coaching or Other Special Attractions?

The Junior Tasmanian team will be running a fundraising BBQ and cake stall at the event. Please bring lots of change to spend and support our up and coming juniors.

Carpooling Rendezvous Details for OST Events?

Please place a free advertisement in the weekly bulletin if you are looking to car pool. Email your

advertisement to communications@tasorienteeing.asn.au before 8am on Tuesday before the event.

Or, alternatively, you can post an item on the local club orienteeing pages.