



2018 ACT Long Distance Championships

Sunday 16 September 2018

Classic Orienteering at a Classic Location

Brought to you by the Red Roos courtesy of course planner Hugh Moore

The 2018 ACT Long Distance Championships return to northern end of The Sandhills for the first time in a number of years.

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Entries via Eventor at <https://eventor.orienteering.asn.au/Events/Show/6128>

Organiser: Stephen Goggs
Course Planner: Hugh Moore
Controller: Darryl Erbacher

Venue: The Sandhills.

Event Format: This event is classic Long Distance orienteering. Courses have been set to achieve winning times as per the Orienteering Australia Competition Rules for Foot Orienteering.

Map/Terrain:

Original maps were The Sandhills 1:15000 (1983), Birkenburn 1:15000 (1992), The Sandhills 1:15000 (1997), and since 1997 various version at 1:15000 and 1:10000 scales. For this event there is likely to be two scales, with the longer courses at 1:15000 and the shorter courses at 1:10000. Full details will be in the event program.

The competition area is typical Australian eucalypt, gully/spur terrain, which varies from relatively fast undulating areas to rocky areas with some fallen timber. Longer courses will also encounter some steeper slopes.

Entry Fees: Senior (>20) \$30, Junior (<21) \$18. Family maximum will be calculated by Eventor on the basis of two adult fees and the junior fee. EOD fees will Senior (>20) \$15, Junior (<21) \$10, which is the standard ACT League fees plus the OA levy for State Long Distance Championships.

Entries will close on Eventor at 11:59pm on Sunday 9 September 2018

Enter on the day: A limited number of entries will be available on three courses – Hard (Course 6), Moderate (Course 8) and Easy (Course 10). Entries will be unofficial with one class per course and the full entry fee paid. EOD competitors will start after all official competitors. Details of the first available start time and registration procedure will be available in the Final Information available on Eventor 11:59 pm on Tuesday 11 September. EOD competitors will not score any ACT League points.

Classes:

Championship Classes

Men: M21A, M10, M12A, M14A, M16A, M20A, M35A, M40A, M45A, M50A, M55A, M60A, M65A, M70A, M75A, M80A, M85A, M90A

Women: W21A, W10, W12A, W14A, W16A, W20A, W35A, W40A, W45A, W50A, W55A, W60A, W65A, W70A, W75A, W80A, W85A, W90A

Non-Championship Classes

M21AS, M35AS, M45AS, M55AS, M65AS, MJuniorB, MOpenB, M45B, W21AS, W35AS, W45AS, W55AS, W65AS, WJuniorB, WOpenB, M/WOpen Easy, M/WOpen Very Easy, plus all Enter-on-the-day (EOD) classes.

Course/Class Detail

Course	Navigation	Distance (approx km)	Classes
Course 1	Hard	12.0	M21A
Course 2	Hard	8.0	M20A, M35A, M40A, W21A
Course 3	Hard	6.5	M45A, M50A, W35A, W40A
Course 4	Hard	5.5	M16A, M55A, M60A, M21AS, W20A,
Course 5	Hard	4.5	M65A, M70A, M35AS, M45AS, W16A, W45A, W50A
Course 6	Hard	3.5	M75A, M80A, M55AS, W55A, W60A, W65A, W35AS, W45AS
Course 7	Hard	2.0	M85A, M90A, M65AS, W70A, W75A, W80A, W85A, W90A, W55AS, W65AS
Course 8	Moderate	4.5	M14A, MJuniorB, MOpenB, OrangeEOD
Course 9	Moderate	3.5	W14A, WJuniorB, WOpenB
Course 10	Easy	2.5	M12A, W12A, M/WOpen Easy, GreenEOD
Course 11	Very Easy	1.5	M10, W10, M/WOpen Very Easy

Start Times:

Start times will be from 10:00 am with some members of the organising club having earlier start times and others starting at the end of other competitors. Split start times may be arranged by contacting the Organiser. Start times and Final event information will be posted on Eventor by 11:59 pm on Tuesday 11 September.

Awards:

ACT Championship awards will be made to placegetters in all Championship classes.