



Map Mates registration:

Cost per child* is \$90.

This entitles you to:

- * The four competition events (including weekly coaching sessions, event maps and fun-fact sheets).
- * FREE Season Pass to all ACT Twilight Series Events between Oct 2018 and March 2019 (approximately 15* events).
- * End of competition PRIZES for all participants.
- * Discounted SI-Stick



For more information, exact locations and to register visit

<http://act.orienteering.asn.au>

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Registration closes 21 October 2018

* Please indicate if you do NOT want your photo to appear on our website.

* 15 events - This is an approximate number. 15 events, including the Welcomes Event, have been scheduled. No refund will be possible if an event is cancelled due to weather, Government regulations, Landowner issues or other unforeseen circumstances.

It's on again! The 15th season of this popular team based, adventure series for kids.

Entry includes a FREE Twilight Series Season pass and a generous e-stick discount



Wednesday Afternoon Orienteering 2018

Follow a map to find flags in the safety of urban parks, schools and bushland



Five Wednesday afternoons

Starting on 17 October with a FREE Come and try event at Weston Park, Yarralumla

Followed by four complimentary months of Wednesday orienteering events!

Open to anyone under 13 years. Teams of between two and four participants





Fun and new locations around Canberra each week

Map Mates	When	Where	Activity timings
Welcome / Come and try	17 Oct 2018	Weston Park	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• 4:45 pm - optional fun coaching session• 5 pm - courses open• 7:30 pm - courses close
Event 1	24 Oct 2018	The Pinnacle, Weetangera	
Event 2	31 Oct 2018	Campbell Park	
Event 3	7 Nov 2018	Mt Taylor, Pearce	
Event 4	14 Nov 2018	Remembrance Park, Campbell	
	Oct through to March 2019		Twilight series continues throughout Summer Free entry included

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Rules of Competition:

- * Minimum of 2 and a maximum of 4 competitors per team
- * Not all team members must attend every event, but for points to be counted at least 2 competitors must compete together.
- * Teams can choose to navigate Blue (very easy), Green (easy) or Orange (moderate) courses depending on their level of experience.
- * Points are awarded for performance at your level and to teams that demonstrate improved skills.
- * Points are awarded for the best team name - so start thinking about a cool or funky name now!
- * Points are awarded for completing the weekly 'fun fact' sheets and wearing team colours/uniform.

The emphasis is on fun and adventure, while learning to orienteer.





Map Mates is a program that consists of a free Welcome Event and a series of 4 weeks for the **Map Mates** competition.

Teams of 2 - 4 children navigate around an easy safe orienteering course. Parents are welcome to take part, either with their child/children or chose a course of their choice. Each event is preceded by an optional 20 minutes fun filled activity session that teaches a different map reading skill each week. A compass is not required.

Parents receive four weekly emails that include coaching tips, hints and optional "fun fact" map activities for the children. Prizes are awarded to each competitor.

After the program we encourage the children to continue to orienteer at the subsequent Saturday events, either in their original teams, in new teams or individually. **Map Mates** is the perfect way to transition from school-based orienteering to classic bush orienteering.

