



Day 3- The Clay Pan

Saturday 29th December

Map: The Clay Pan, **Scale:** 1:7500, **Contour Interval:** 4m

Setter: Alastair George, **Controller:** Toby Wilson, **Organiser:** Michele Dawson

Location: Red Hill Reserve, off Lady Penrhyn Drive, Beacon Hill

Car Parking: Unmetered street parking is available along Lady Penrhyn Drive and neighboring streets (Guardian Parade, Golden Grove). Those who require priority parking should ensure they arrive early.

Public Transport: Buses 136 and 172 from Chatswood stop approximately 1km from the assembly area. It is an uphill walk. Check your journey on [NSW Trip Planner](#)

Facilities: There will be 3 port-a-loos available in the assembly area. Due to a large number of entries we recommend stopping at the public toilets at Caltex or McDonalds on Warringah Road en route. From these public toilets, turn left onto Willandra Road to reach the event.

Courses:

Hard 1- Moderate courses will follow a mass start score format. Each course will have a separate mass start. Competitors aim to visit as many controls as possible within their course's allocated time limit. See table below.

All controls are of equal value (10 pts). A time penalty will be imposed for each minute or part thereof a competitor returns after the time limit for their course (-5pts).

The Easy course is a line course.

Start Time	Course	Class	Time Limit
Anytime using punch start	Easy	Combined	
9.00	Moderate	ME/WD	30 minutes
9.05	Hard 4	MD/WC	35 minutes
9.10	Hard 3	MC/WB	40 minutes
9.15	Hard 2	MB/WA	45 minutes
9.20	Hard 1	MA/WO	50 minutes

Controls are SIAC+ enabled. However, competitors will be required to punch the finish control as per usual.

Start Procedure:

The mass start procedure is as follows:

Time to Start	
-5 minutes	Competitors called to start line
-2 minutes	Maps handed to competitors Maps are rolled and secured with a rubber band
-1 minute	Competitors may open maps Planning time begins
0	Mass start begins There is <u>NO punching start</u>

Competitors are responsible for clear & check and collecting control descriptions prior to the -5minute call-up. Both of these can be found in the assembly area.

Those on the easy course are free to start at any time at 1 minute intervals using the punching start.

Competitors who require split start times are free to start from 8.30am with a punching start.

Enter on the Day:

Individuals who wish to enter on the day can do so at the registration table for \$20.
Starts for EOD will be from 9.30 onwards. Course closure is 11.00.

EoD Courses on offer are:

EOD Course	Equivalent	Time Limit
Hard Long	Hard 2	45 minutes
Hard Short	Hard 4	35 minutes
Moderate	Moderate	30 minutes
Easy	Easy	Line Course

Course Setter Notes:

The terrain is typical Sydney sandstone combined with areas of complex track network. Recent fires in the area have increased runability in certain areas, however, where not burnt, runability is slow. Competitors can expect fast paced racing suitable for all ages. Full body cover is recommended.