

## ENTRY INFORMATION

**Location:**

Spiky Beach, just south of Swansea

**Date:**

23rd March

**Event Category:**

Local

**About This Event:**

Kick off a weekend of East Coast orienteering with a delightful jaunt around the spectacular coastline. This event is the first use of the area mapped between the Great Eastern Drive and the sea, to the south of Spiky Bridge. This is a free training event.

**Where is the Start?**

The assembly area and parking is at the Spiky Beach car park. GPS Co-ordinates -42.184983, 148.066454

Please be very careful entering and exiting this road onto the Great Eastern Drive as cars travel very fast along this road.

**When Can I Start?**

You can start anytime between 3.30 and 4.30. 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 5:30pm. 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?**

There are 3 short courses to choose from.

Course	Distance
Long	2.6 km
Medium	2.3 km
Short	1.8 km

**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 via Eventor – Deadline for entries is midnight Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup>.

**How Much Does It Cost To Enter?**

Entry is free as this is a training event.

**Contact Information**

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

Planner - Zali McComb Controller – Cathy McComb

**Which Map Is Being Used?**

Kelvedon, 1: 7500, 5m contour interval.

**Information for Newcomers**

Due to the open terrain, all the courses are suitable for newcomers. 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?**

Sweeping views of Great Oyster Bay!

**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](mailto:communications@tasorienteeing.asn.au) before 8am on Tuesday before the event.