







2019 ACT Orienteering Championships

31 August – 1 September 2019 Preliminary Event Information

The 2019 ACT Middle Distance and Long Distance Championships will be staged over the weekend of 31 August – 1 September. Preliminary information about the event on each day is provided below.

Website: http://act.orienteering.asn.au/events/

Saturday 31 August: Karst Cup ACT Middle Distance Championships. 2019 ACT League #10, NSW State League #12

Organising Club: Bushflyers Event Controller: David Hogg (PO)
Organisers: Peter Miller and Alison Inglis Courser Planner: Darryl Erbacher (PO)

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Venue: Careys Cave, Wee Jasper. The event area is located about 90 km north-west of Canberra and about 60 km south-west of Yass. This is a new map with karst terrain rarely seen in Australian orienteering. It is open and runnable but will provide challenges to even the best navigators!

Starts: Championship starts will be from 1 pm with pre-entry on Eventor. There will be a limited range of enter-on-the-day courses.

Map: Careys Cave. 1:7,500, 5m contours. This is a new map and the area has not previously been used for orienteering.

Courses/Classes

Course	Classes	Indicative	Difficulty
		length (km)	
1	M21A, M35A, M20A	5.8	Hard
2	M40A, M45A, W21A	4.8	Hard
3	M16A, M50A, M55A, W35A	4.4	Hard
4	M60A, W20A, W40A, M21AS, M35AS	4.0	Hard
5	M65A, W16A, W45A, W50A,M45AS	3.6	Hard
6	M70A, M75A, W55A, W60A, M55AS, W21AS, W35AS	3.1	Hard
7	M80A, W65A, W70A, M65AS, W45AS, W55AS	2.5	Hard
8	M85A, W75A, W80A, W65AS	1.5	Hard
9	M90A, M95A, W85A, W90A	1.1	Hard
10	M14A, MJuniorB, MOpenB	3.0	Moderate
11	W14A, WJuniorB, WOpenB	2.5	Moderate
12	M12A, W12A, M/WJuniorEasy, M/WOpenEasy	1.6	Easy
13	M10A, W10A, M/W10Novice, M/WJunior VeryEasy	1.3	Very easy

Entry fees (GST included): Adults (21 years and older) \$21. Junior (20 years old and younger) \$12. Family fees are based on the three most expensive entry fees in an eligible family and Eventor works this out.

Awards: ACT Championship awards will be made to placegetters in all Championship (A) classes.

Careys Cave tour: Careys Cave, which is within the event area, operates as a tourist cave. A public cave tour will operate at 3.00 pm on the day of the event and orienteers are welcome to join it. Further information: www.weejaspercaves.com. (There are earlier tours at 12.00 and 1:30, but these will clash with the event and are within the competition area and hence out of bounds to competitors prior to the event).

Sunday 1 September: ACT Long Distance Championships. 2019 ACT League #11, NSW State League #13

Organising Club: Parawanga Orienteers Event Controller: Keith Fifield (RR)

Course Planner: Rohan Hyslop Enquiries: <u>rohan.hyslop@iinet.net.au</u>, 0407 904 012

Venue: Slap Up Creek, Jerangle. The event area is located about 110 km south of Canberra via either Bredbo or Captains Flat. The terrain is a granite plateau with lightly timbered farmland and runnable forest. The area was previously used for the 2013 Australian Long Distance Championships.

Starts: Championship starts will be from 10 am with pre-entry on Eventor only. There will be a limited range of enter-on-the-day courses.

Courses/Classes

Course	Classes	Indicative length (km)	Difficulty
1	M21A	11.5	Hard
2	M20A, M35A	8.7	Hard
3	M40A, M45A, W21A	7.5	Hard
4	M16A, M50A, W35A	5.8	Hard
5	M55A, M60A, W20A, W40A, W45A, M21AS	5.2	Hard
6	M65A, M70A, W50A,W55A, M35AS, M45AS, W21AS	4.0	Hard
7	M75A, W16A, W60A, W65A, M55AS, W35AS	3.6	Hard
8	M80A, M85A, W70A, W75A, W80A, M65AS, W45AS, W55AS	2.9	Hard
9	M90A, M95A, W85A, W90A, W65AS	1.7	Hard
10	M14A, MJuniorB, MOpenB	4.2	Moderate
11	W14A, WJuniorB, WOpenB	2.7	Moderate
12	M12A, W12A, M/WJuniorEasy, M/WOpenEasy	3.0	Easy
13	M10, W10A, M/W10Novice, M/WJuniorVeryEasy	2.3	Very easy

Entry fees (GST included): Adults (21 years and older) \$30. Junior (20 years old and younger) \$18. Family fees are based on the three most expensive entry fees in an eligible family and Eventor works this out.

Awards: ACT Championship awards will be made to placegetters in all Championship (A) classes.

Closing date for entries: Entries and changes to entries for both events will close on Eventor at 11:59 pm on Sunday 25 August 2019.