

Event Information – Spring Twilight 1

| Location | Event Date | Region | Series |
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| Windsor Precinct | 21/10/2020 | Northern | Twilight |

COVID-19 Compliance

To comply with government regulations there are changes to the way orienteering in Tasmania takes place:

- You must enter using the online entry system <u>Eventor</u> several days prior to the event.
- There will be no entry or payment on the day. If you turn up without pre-entering you will not be allowed to participate.
- Before you come, read the <u>COVIDSAFE Participant checklist.</u>
- Bring your own water no water will be available on the course or at the assembly area.
- Social distancing and a range of hygiene measures will be enforced.

If you have COVID-19 symptoms, have been in recent contact with a COVID-19 case, or have travelled overseas recently please stay home.

About This Event

This is the first event of the Launceston Spring Twilight series for 2020. This event will be using the Windsor Community Precinct map which is a beautiful flat wetlands area with fast running. There will be four courses available – Long, Medium, Short and Walkers. The coursers are organised to suit the difficulty.

Where is the Start?

The start is located at the orienteering shed next to the football oval

When Can I Start?

You can start anytime between 4pm to 6pm. 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 6.30pm If you cannot 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.

Which Map is Being Used?

Map: Windsor Community Precinct

Scale: 1:5000

Contour Interval: 5m

What are the Courses?

Short, Medium, Long and walkers distance courses are available. The short course is suitable for newcomers.

| Course | Navigation | Distance (Approx) | | |
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| Long | Hard | 4 km | | |
| Medium | Moderate/Hard | 3.5 km | | |
| Short | Easy | 1.6 km | | |
| Walkers | Moderate | 2.7 km | | |

Do I Need an SI Stick or P Card?

All Tasmanian Orienteering clubs use the SportIdent (SI) electronic timing system so an SI-stick or a P card is required at all events. Thanks to a Government Grant we are now able to offer P cards for \$10 (half-price). There are also SI sticks for sale for \$70

P-cards are suitable for all local events, but for bush events it is preferable to have an SI-stick – they are faster to use and register more controls.

You can buy a P-card for \$10, or SI Stick for \$70 when you enter online via Eventor when entering an event. Choose 'Purchase of P card' or 'Purchase of SI Stick' from the drop-down menu in 'Available Services' and click the green Add button to purchase. For your first event we will lend you an SI-stick for free.

How do I Enter?

To comply with COVID-19 regulations you must enter online by midnight on 21/10/2020 before the event.

- If you are a newcomer, see Information for Newcomers below
- Enter using <u>Eventor</u> the online orienteering entry system.

- If you need help to enter, follow the <u>How to Enter guide.</u>
- There will be no entry or payment on the day.
- To enter online you need to be <u>registered as a casual or full member of Orienteering Tasmania</u>. Casual membership is free!

Information for Newcomers

When you arrive at the event come to the registration desk and let the organisers know you are new; an experienced member will help you through the registration, start and event procedure.

Your first orienteering event will be free of charge (including loan of SI-stick). Our online entry system is not set up to allow free entry, so if you are a newcomer please <u>register as a casual or full member of</u> <u>Orienteering Tasmania</u> and then email <u>sportident@tasorienteering.asn.au</u>. Let them know who will be attending and the course each person would like to do.

How Much Does it Cost to Enter?

| Event Fees | First Event? | Adult | Adult | Youth or Concession | Youth or Concession | Family | Family |
|-------------|-----------------|------------------|----------------|------------------------|------------------------|------------------|----------------|
| | | Casual Member | Full Member | Casual Member | Full Member | Casual Member | Full Member |
| Local event | Free! | \$12 | \$8 | \$6 | \$4 | \$30 | \$20 |

If it's your first local event, it's free (including free loan of SI-Stick)!

 Adult is 21 years and over at 31 December of the current year Youth is under 21 years at 31 December of the current year Concession is Commonwealth Card Holders (pension or health care card) or a full-time student Family is 2 adults and any number of juniors who are part of a family (enter all in one session to get the discount)

- 2. Children 10 years and under completing a course as a member of a group in the company of adults or older children, participate free of charge only one adult in the group needs to register, unless you want more than one map for the group .
- 3. A child completing a course as an individual with a parent shadowing (following) them only pays the relevant child entry fee. That is, the parent shadowing does so free of any charge. Only the child needs to register.

Contact Information

To contact the organiser for this event, email Bayley@sail.net.au

For Northern Tasmanian orienteering information, email evoc@tasorienteering.asn.au

Course Planners and Course Controllers

Course Planner: Bayley Fisher

Where can I find results?

Results from an event are presented in four different places on our website in slightly different ways.

- Live Results are available as competitors download during some events. Go to Results/Live Results and choose the club that organised the event.
- **WinSplits** shows everyones' times for each leg, and is usually available the evening after the event. Go to Results/Recent Results and click Tasmania Results in Winsplits at the top.
- **Eventor** shows overall results for each course or class, and will be available the evening after the event. Go to Results/Recent Results and click on results for that event.
- **Livelox** shows the routes people have taken on the course (if they have used a GPS and uploaded the data). Go to the Eventor results and then click on Livelox either in the top bar or for each class/course.

What Else do I Need to Know?

As Orienteering Tasmania events are often conducted on private property we have a 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.