

## NOC Bassetlaw Spring Series

Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> March 2013

# Ollerton Pit Wood

### FINAL DETAILS

#### Travel

The entrance to Ollerton Pit Wood is off Newark Road, Ollerton. Newark Road is a minor road that runs from the A6075 in New Ollerton to the A616 at Wellow. From Boughton and New Ollerton follow signs to 'Crematorium' and 'Wellow'. The entrance is close to the railway bridge.

#### Parking

At grid reference SK668673. Nearby postcode for SatNav is NG22 9PZ.

The car park is small and can accommodate about 20 cars. Please park considerately. If the car park becomes full, nearby street parking is available. Do not park close to the railway bridge as driver visibility is already poor at this spot.

#### Terrain

Ollerton Pit Wood is a reclaimed colliery site. Central and southern parts are a mix of fast maturing woods and rough grassland. In the northern part there are steep hillsides under mature trees. There are areas of dense undergrowth in the western part but courses have been planned to avoid these.

#### Courses

Long : 5.3km, climb 185m.  
Medium : 3.3km, climb 65m.  
Short : 2.0km, climb 40m.

#### Event Times

Registration : 12:30 – 14:30.  
Course Starts : 13:00 – 15:00.

#### Course Information

There is a track on the course that has gates at each end that are normally open. These gates have been closed to allow the Hebridean sheep to graze the track verges. Access along and across the track is permitted. There are stiles adjacent to the gates. Competitors on the Long course will encounter this track and will also need to cross low fences to enter and leave an enclosure. All low fences are crossable by going over or under the top wire. The Short course is suitable for young juniors and newcomers.

#### Map

1:5000 with 5m contours. Updated December 2012 by Peter Hubberstey and David Olivant.  
Courses overprinted on waterproof paper.

#### Map and Control Description Symbols

On the map a black cross (x) is a seat, a green cross (x) is a distinct tree, and a small black circle (o) is a fenced sapling. In the control descriptions, a black cross (X) is a seat and a black circle (O) is a fenced sapling.

#### Safety

Competitors take part at their own risk. Once you have started a course it is a rule that you don't leave the event without reporting to a download official even if you retire.

#### Fees

Adults £3, Juniors £1, Family £7. SportIdent Hire £1, SportIdent Loss £30.

#### Officials

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#### NOC Bassetlaw Spring Series

Four events in and around Bassetlaw. Event 2 is at Worksop College on Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> March.