NOC News - September 2022

NOC club news this month covers the **NOC Club Championship**, the launch of the **MapActive** coaching programme and the upcoming **Score Course and AGM** where your input is required.

NOC AGM - 9 October - Response Required Please!



Formal Notice: Annual General Meeting of Nottinghamshire Orienteering Club - Sunday October 9th at 12.30.

The AGM will take place after the 45 minute Score Course that Hilary has planned at *Rushcliffe Country Park*. The course promises to have a 'twist' to it so it should be good fun.

Please sign-up as soon as possible via <u>The Start Kite</u> so we can get a feel for the number of people who will be attending.

If you do not plan on taking part in the Score Course but would still like to attend the AGM, please send an email to Pauline Olivant at P.Olivant@btinternet.com.

Food arrangements need to be finalised in the next few days. If you have any specific dietary requirements, please notify Pauline by Monday 3rd October using the email address above.

Minutes from last year's meeting on the <u>NOC website</u>. Several posts are becoming vacant:

Chairman
Secretary
Mapping Coordinator
Volunteer Coordinator
SI Coordinator
Publicity Officer

This is a good opportunity to become more involved in the running of the club. If you are interested and want to know more about any position, please contact the existing post holder via the NOC website.

Minutes from last year's meeting are on the NOC website.

The AGM Agenda will be:

- 1. Apologies for absence
- 2. Minutes of 2021 AGM (Published on website)
- 3. Matters arising from the minutes
- 4. Chairman's report
- 5. Treasurer's report
- 6. Election of Auditor for 2022/23
- 7. Elections of Officers & Life Members
- 8. Any Other Business
- 9. Closure of Formal Meeting
- 10. Open Forum

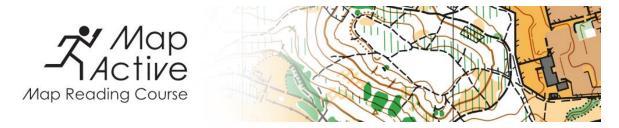
NOC Club Champions:

The NOC Club Championships were held at Calke Park on 25th September during the event hosted by DVO. Once all the results were adjusted for age class and course length, Hilary Palmer was declared the overall club champion, closely followed by Paul Morris and Jane Booker. The individual age class winners on the day are shown in the following table:

Class	NOC Champion 2022
W35	Amy Ransley
W60	Angela Lucking
W65	Jane Booker
W75	Hilary Palmer
M45	David Sissons
M50	Gary Peet
M55	Steve Schofield
M60	Andrew Ridgway
M65	Paul Morris
M75	John Palmer
M80	John Woodall

Congratulations to this year's Champions and indeed to all who took part.

MapActive entries are now open:



Stage 1 of the MapActive map reading and coaching programme will commence on Saturday 15 October at Bridgford Park and culminate with the event at Shirebook Wood on 20th November. Stage 2 will commence immediately afterwards focussing on more advanced skills. The whole course concludes at our December 18 event at Walesby Forest Activity Centre.

If you know of anyone who would like to master core map-reading and orienteering skills then prompt them to sign-up to Stage 1 of the course. Stage 2 is more suited to those who have previous orienteering experience but would like to refresh their relocation strategies, pacing and fine compass skills, and contour based navigation.

For more details, download the <u>MapActive Course Brochure</u>. You can now sign-up at <u>The StartKite</u>. Places will be assigned on a first come, first served basis and are limited to just 16 places.

Future Events:

Date	Event
9 October	Rushcliffe Country Park (NOC) - Score Course and AGM
15 October	Bridgford Park - MapActive Session #1
16 October	Stamford (LOG) - East Midlands Urban League
19 October	Online midweek MapActive Review
22 October	Rushcliffe Country Park - MapActive Session #2
23 October	Bagworth Woods & Common (LEI) - East Midlands League