

News

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Next NOC Event:

Silverhill Wood 5th March

Is this the highest point in Nottinghamshire?

March Event:

The next NOC hosted event is on 5th March at Silverhill Wood. It's part of the East Midlands League but there will be courses to suit newcomers and experienced orienteers alike.

With Ant Squire as Planner, there are sure to be some great courses to tackle.

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New Members:

This month we warmly welcome the Rosewell family. Neil, Lizzie, Issac and Emma are keen orienteers and have joined us from Suffolk Orienteering Club. We look forward to meeting you all at an event soon.

Member Achievements:

British Night Championships:

Richard Robinson (M40) put in an excellent performance to win the Elite M21L British Night Championship by nearly three minutes. Also successful was Michael Napier who won the M70L class. Mick Lucking was 5th in the M65L class, missing out on a podium place by just 46 seconds. Congratulations to all three for such impressive showings.



Take a look at the GPS tracks for all three NOC participants on Routegadget.

East Midlands League:

Ten members took part in the Chambers Wood event hosted by LOG. Top ten finishes for Hilary & John Palmer and Andrew Ridgway.

CompassSport Trophy:

The NOC team for this year's heat consisted of 34 members. Hosts LEI won the heat but there were a number of strong performances from NOC members worth mentioning.

Richard Robinson, Ant Squire and Michael Napier all won their classes and Dave Schorah secured a podium place too. Top ten finishes were achieved by Rosemary Schorah, Kevin Lomas, Helen Parkinson, Paul Morris and Team Captain Mick Lucking.



Discussing route choices after the CST run!

Event Control Collectors:

Whilst we are always seeking new Mappers, Organisers, Planners, Controllers and members to support the various event teams (Start, Finish, Parking, etc), we also want to identify members who are prepared to help collect-in controls and control site tags at the end of each NOC hosted event.

You will be provided with a map to go and collect perhaps four or five control stakes/SI boxes/kites/tags and return them to the Download area once all runners have been accounted for. This typically takes about 20 minutes but can be a bit longer or shorter depending on the terrain involved.

If you would like to help out with this role once in a while please email Pauline Olivant in the first instance at Membership@noc-uk.org. Pauline is also the person to contact if you would like to support the club on any of the other volunteering roles. Without you, we would never be able to put events on, so thank you!

EMOA Newsletter 286 - Feb' 23:

The latest version of the newsletter includes league results and fixtures, feedback and reports from various conferences and training events and some brain teasers! View the newsletter by visiting the NEWS section of the NOC website.