



Informal Orienteering Event

Saturday 8th April 2017

Darley Park, Derby

(Derby – 1.5 Miles from the Pentagon Island – A52 into Derby)

Part of the Derby 5 Parks Challenge

Courses suitable for novices and experienced orienteers with help and advice available

Terrain	Mainly flat parkland with steep woodland on the west side of the park	
Car parking	Parking is free and is at the Darley Street car park at the North end of Darley Park (opposite The Abbey Pub) Registration will be outside the Darley Park Tea Rooms – about 100m from the car park. There will be signs out to direct you from the car park.	
Post Code	DE22 1DX	
Grid Ref	SK 353385 (OS Explorer Map 259) (Long, Lat 52.941392, -1.476220)	
Courses	For complete beginners and novices, there will be coaching available. Please let the Organiser know if you wish to receive some coaching when you arrive at Registration. Short Course: 2km White standard Medium Course: 3km Yellow standard Long course: 4-5km Light Green standard Technical course: 45 mins score event with a difference. For experienced orienteers We are also trialling iOrienteering which is a QR Code Internet based Orienteering system. You will need to download onto your Smartphone the iOrienteering app, and have it active when you start your course. Check the DVO Website for further details closer to the event date.	
Entries	Entry on the day only	
Fees	Adults £4.00 Children and Students £2.00	
Timing	The event will use Sportident electronic punching. If you do not have a Sportident card, you can borrow one free at Registration.	
Registration	1pm to 3pm, on the day only	
Start	Next to Registration. Start times from 1pm to 3pm.	
Finish	Next to Registration. Courses close at 4pm. You must report to Download even if you do not finish your course to avoid a needless search.	
Toilets	Toilets can be found at the adjacent to the park tea rooms near Registration.	
Map	1:6,000 with 5m contours	
Dogs	Dogs are welcome but we ask that owners keep a close control and that they should clean up any mess. Dogs are not allowed on the courses.	
Safety	BOF rules state that long trousers must be worn – sorry, no shorts. The River Derwent flows on the East side of the area and can be dangerous. No courses will require competitors to access the bank but some controls maybe near the bank. Competitors take part at their own risk. Whistles are advised.	
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