

Sunday 13th Sept 2020 Level C event



This event will be held subject to the latest Government and British Orienteering guidelines. Full specifics in the Final Details. To reduce the risk of Covid19 transmission, please use a SIAC dibber if you have one. ENTRY IN ADVANCE only - No entry on the day. All entrants must be members of British Orienteering.

This event is being offered to replace the cancelled London City race. Glovers Wood is one of the few areas in the South East that remains a runnable and enjoyable challenge in September. The area is compact with a long steeply sided valley with some small offshoots, which have many contour features. Most of the area is natural woodland and in the valleys trees are generally widely spaced. Runnability is generally good with little bracken or brambles.

COURSES: Yellow, Orange, Light Green, Short Green, Green, Short Blue, Blue & Brown.

CAR PARKING and LOGISTICS

In a large level field, also used by SIAC hire and Download. The parking charge is included in the entry fee. Starts and Finish are close to the car park. Dogs permitted in the car park, on a lead and under control.

Due to Covid-19, British Orienteering rules only permit 10 starters every 15 minutes for each start. Start times will be in allocated blocks between 10.00am and 1.00pm, allowing for maximum of 240 entries, with a possible extension until a later time if all start slots are used. Enter early to avoid disappointment.

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PARTICIPANT CODE OF CONDUCT

Everyone taking part must follow the British Orienteering Participant Code of Conduct at all times. The Code of Conduct can be found here, and copied below.

ENTRY IN ADVANCE ONLY; via https://www.sientries.co.uk/ only To assist with Covid-19 precautions there will be **no entries on the day.**

Standard Entry Fee; received by 9.00am Monday 7th September Seniors £9 Juniors £4

Late entries; up to 9.00am Sat 12th Sept, subject to map availability Seniors £11 Juniors £5

SPORTident timer SIAC hire Seniors £2 Juniors Free

Lost SPORTident SIAC timer fee: £60

The Brown & Blue courses are expected to have over 30 controls, please ensure your dibber has sufficient capacity

MAP scale 1:7500, 5m contours. Surveyed summer 2020 by Charlie Turner, using LIDAR data

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ORIENTEERING IS AN ADVENTURE SPORT.

A comprehensive risk assessment for the event has been prepared and identified risks mitigated, however participants take part at their own risk and are responsible for their own safety during the event. Parents are responsible for their children and advice is available on request about what courses may be suitable.

PERSONAL DATA

The personal data you give will be used by the event organisers and their agents only for the purpose of processing and publishing the event entries and results, for conducting safety checks and to validate insurance cover.

REFUND POLICY

SLOW will offer a full refund to anyone who needs to withdraw their entry because they or a member of their household has COVID-19 symptoms, or because they have been asked to isolate by NHS Test and Trace. If SLOW needs to cancel the event it will offer a refund of the entry fee, less the admin charge imposed by the entry system provider.

CANCELLATION OR LAST MINUTE CHANGES Check website www.slow.org.uk prior to travelling in case of any last minute changes.

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- Acting as an ambassador for the sport of orienteering at all times and considering how their actions may appear in the eyes of landowners or members of the public.
- Observing social distancing at all times, including keeping their distance from other participants, volunteers and members of the public.
- Using hand sanitizer on arrival and departure.

Anyone who has symptoms of COVID-19, who is living in a household with someone who has a possible or confirmed COVID-19 infection, or who has been asked to isolate by NHS Test and Trace should remain at home. People who are classified as clinically extremely vulnerable can now consider taking safe exercise outdoors and meeting up with one person outside their household; however, it is unlikely that they would be able to safely take part in an organised orienteering event or activity.