Bramshott JHI Spectator Race Sunday 10th October 2021

FINAL DETAILS (Version 1.1. 3/10/21)

READ THIS IF NOTHING ELSE

SI Punching

This event is using Mixed Punching, which means you can use your SIAC to register at the controls contactlessly, or your SI-Card to dib in the traditional way. The Brown course has 32 controls, which exceeds the capacity of version 5 or version 8 SI cards (see under COURSES below).

Water NOT provided on any day – bring your own please

Starts

- Start Times: 11:30-13:30
- Start and Finish are in the Assembly Area
- Course closing time: 15:00

YOU MUST DOWNLOAD AT ASSEMBLY, EVEN IF YOU ABANDON YOUR RACE

COMPETITORS TAKE PART AT THEIR OWN RISK AND ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR THEIR OWN SAFETY

SLOW is pleased to present this event on Bramshott Common on Sunday 10th October. Bramshott Common is mostly flat with a few steep slopes around the edges of the area. It is generally runnable with a mixture of lightly wooded sections and open grassy areas interspersed with trees. There are also areas of bracken at this time of year but courses have been planned to avoid the worst!

As part of this event, Southern Navigators (SN) are holding their Club Championships using the same start but with their own separate Handicap course. SN members wishing to enter their Club Championships should contact their club captain. SN members not wishing to enter their Club Championships may enter any other course via SiEntries.

SLOW is also organising the Junior Home International (JHI) Relays on the same area, but starting at 0930. The Spectator Race uses the same controls and will start after the relays have finished.

LATE ENTRIES AND ENTRY ON THE DAY

Entries are still open (subject to map availability for each course) and will close at 13:00 on 10th October (the day of the event). All late entries, including those on the day, should be made online through SiEntries at <u>https://www.sientries.co.uk/event.php?event_id=8738</u>

When you enter, please select a 15 minute start window, eg 11:45-12:00. A maximum of 15 entrants are allowed in each start window for each course.

TRAVEL

By car, approach from the northbound A3 about 1 Km north of the Liphook junction take the small (and tight) turnoff for Rectory Lane at W3W *deleting.pardon.overhear* - this is O signed. If travelling Southbound on the A3, use the B2131 exit for Liphook and double-back onto the Northbound A3, and then travel for 1km to the Rectory Lane turn-off. OS Grid Ref SU854334.

By Public Transport. The nearest railway station is Liphook, which is a 3-4Km walk from the Assembly area.

ASSEMBLY AREA AND CAR PARKING

Car parking is on a large flat grassy field.

There are toilets. Refreshments will be provided by Tom's catering.

The start and finish are in an adjacent field, a short distance from the car park – See diagram below.



START

Please try to arrive at the start within the time window you selected. It is a punching start.

There is a separate Start Lane for the SN Handicap race.

FINISH

There is one Finish for all courses. Punch (SI card) or swipe (SIAC card) at the Finish control to record your finish time and then punch at the additional control after the finish for a safety check on all competitors. Then proceed straight to Download. If you have hired an SI card, please return it here. There will be a charge of £30 if you lose a hired SI card or £60 if you lose a hired SIAC card.

COURSES

The following courses are offered:

Colour	Approx Length	Climb
Brown*	8.5km	180m
Blue	7.6km	135m
Short Blue	6.0km	110m
Green	4.8km	75m
Short Green	3.5km	70m
Orange	3.0km	40m
Yellow	2.5km	75m
SN Handicap	4.6Km	75m

* The Brown course has 32 controls. If you intend to use a version 5 (1 to 499999) or 8 (2000000 to 2999999) SI card, these only accept 30 punches. If necessary, visit SI Hire to hire a card with greater capacity.

MAPS

We are using a brand-new map produced by Tom Edelsten using LIDAR data. Scale 1:10,000.

CONTROL DESCRIPTIONS

Printed on the map for all courses. The Yellow course will have both IOF and English text descriptions, all other courses will have IOF description only. Loose control description sheets printed on waterproof paper will be available in the Start lanes for all courses.

SAFETY

A first-aid kit is available in the Download tent.

The nearest hospital is Petersfield Minor Injuries Unit, GU32 3LB.

There is a larger A&E section at the Royal Surrey County Hospital in Guildford GU2 7XX.

The longer courses extend both sides of the A3. **The tunnel under the A3 must be used.** The A3 itself is strictly out-of-bounds.

You are advised to carry a whistle.

You must download at the assembly, even if you abandon your race. This is a safety check to ensure that all competitors are back.

CLOTHING

Full arm and leg cover is required.

OFFICIALS

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Please check the website at <u>https://slow.org.uk/events/bramshott-jhi-spectator-race-sunday-10-october</u> for any last-minute news.

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