

North Wiltshire Orienteers (NWO)

Four Colour Local Event: Yellow – Orange – Green – Blue Savernake Forest (near Marlborough) Sunday 22nd April 2018



Please email the organisers to say if you (and others) intend to come with your names, club, class age, EMIT card number (if you have one) and choice of courses, at least five days in advance. This is not a commitment but gives us an estimate of how many maps to print.

Suitable for beginners. If you are new to orienteering just email the organisers to say you would like to come and we will advise you and get you started when you arrive.

Acknowledgements Access is by kind permission of the Savernake Estate and The Forestry Commission. The forest is used

by the public; please be courteous to them.

Venue & Parking Savernake Forest is located SE of Marlborough and will be signed off the A346 at GR SU 211 663. Near

Postcode SN8 4NE. There will be a one way system in place and you will exit onto the A4. Note there is

no entry to the car parking via A4/Grand Avenue. Please car share where possible.

Maps & Terrain Map scale 1:10,000. Contours at 5m intervals. Updated spring 2017

Mainly mature woodland most of which is classified as a Special Site of Scientific Interest (SSSI) as well

as being registered as an important historic park.

Times Registration from 10:30 to 11:15. Start times 11:00 – 12:00. Courses close at 14:00

Climb Courses Course Length Yellow 2.1km 30m Orange 3.2km 55m Green 4.0km 70m 100m Blue 7.1km

Punching EMIT.

Fees Seniors £7 Seniors Novices (yellow & orange courses) £4

Juniors £2 (all courses) EMITCard hire fee £1.50 per competitor. Lost card charge £47

Facilities No toilet facilities are provided. First aid kit available.

Safety ALL competitors MUST download even if they do not complete the course.

Car keys may be left at registration. If you are travelling alone then you must leave your car keys at

registration.

The nearest A&E hospital is at Swindon Great Western Hospital SN3 6BB.

Savernake is a working forest – competitors must avoid any machinery and not climb on log stacks. All competitors are recommended to carry whistles and to wear full leg covering. Cagoules may be compulsory in adverse weather. Please check yourself after the event for ticks which may be present in

the forest.

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Dogs Dogs are allowed, but should be on a lead

Results Results will be available on the NWO website as soon as practicable after the event:

www.northwilts.org.uk

Please note: All competitors run at their own risk and must report to download, whether they finish or not.