



North Wiltshire Orienteers

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Four Colour Local Event

Yellow, Orange, Green and Blue

Copse Wood (near Marlborough/Hungerford)

Saturday 2 February 2019



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Suitable for beginners. If you are new to orienteering just email the organiser 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 Hillbarn Estate

Venue / Parking: Copse Wood is located between Hungerford and Marlborough. It will be signed from the A338 between East Grafton and Shalbourne. Parking is at **Grid Reference SU 281 619**. The nearest postcode is **SN8 3SW**.

There will be a £1 charge per entry for parking. This will be matched by the landowner. All proceeds will go to Wiltshire Air Ambulance. Parking will be on hard standing but is limited. Please park sensibly and do not obstruct access. **Please car share where possible.**

Terrain/Hazards: Mature broad-leaved woodland with open areas and some conifer plantations. **Timber stacks are present and should not be climbed on.**

Maps: A4 landscape 1:10000 scale. Contours at 5m intervals.

Times: Registration from 10.30-11.30. Start Times 11.00-1200h. Courses close at 1400hrs.

Courses:	Course	Length	Control No	Technical Difficulty
	Yellow	2.4km	9	Quite easy – suitable for beginners.
	Orange	2.6km	9	Moderate
	Green	3.9km	11	Difficult
	Blue	6.4km	14	Difficult

Punching: EMIT. Card hire fee £1.50 per competitor. Lost card charge £47.

Fees: **Seniors** £7 £4 Senior novices (yellow, orange)
Juniors £2 on all courses **EMIT card hire** £1.50

Facilities: **No toilet facilities are provided.** First Aid kit available.

Safety: Car keys may be left at registration. If you are travelling alone you must leave your car keys at registration. All competitors MUST download even if you do not complete the course. The nearest A&E Hospital is at Swindon Great Western Hospital SN3 6BB. A minor injuries unit is available at West Berkshire Community Hospital RG18 3AS. Goggles may be compulsory if weather requires.

Officials: **Organiser:** Stephen Beal (NWO)
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Planner: Neil Fraser (NWO)
Controller: Ken Stimson (NWO)

Dogs: Dogs are not permitted at this event. NB: There have been reported cases of Alabama Rot in nearby woodlands. Therefore we advise that that all kit and equipment is washed and disinfected afterwards.

Results: Results will be available on the NWO website ASAP after the event. www.northwilts.org.uk

All competitors run at their own risk and must report to the download whether they finish or not.

Please note: NWO will make every effort to ensure the event goes ahead as planned. However, should the event be cancelled, NWO reserves the right to retain part of the advance entry fees to meet event costs already incurred or committed.