



North Wiltshire Orienteers

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Four colour local event

Cherhill Down, near Calne

Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> November 2021



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**Acknowledgements:** Access is by kind permission of the National Trust.

**Travel Restrictions:** Competitors must abide by any Government restrictions in force at the time of the event.

**Venue / Parking:** Cherhill Down is between Calne and Marlborough and will be signposted from the A4 between Beckhampton and Cherhill villages. Grid Ref SU046701, Postcode SN11 8XY. A narrow lane leads from the A4 to the parking area which is on grass adjacent to a fenced enclosure. Traffic on the A4 can be fast, take care leaving or joining the main road. Please park sensibly and do not obstruct the track.

**Other users:** The area is well used by the public so please be considerate to other users.

**Terrain/Hazards:** Open downland with some copses and scattered trees, hillfort and prominent monument. **Fences must only be crossed at marked points.**

**Maps:** A4 landscape 1:10,000 scale. Contours at 5m intervals.

**Times:** Start Times 1100-1200 hrs. Courses close at 1400hrs.

Courses (TBC):	LENGTH	ASCENT	TECHNICAL DIFFICULTY
Yellow	2.1km	50m	Quite easy – suitable for beginners
Orange	2.6km	70m	Moderate
Green	3.9km	130m	Difficult
Blue	6.6km	290m	Difficult

**Punching:** EMIT. Card hire fee £1.50 per competitor. Lost card charge £50. Pre-booked EMIT cards will be available at the event assembly area.

**Start & Finish:** There will be an approximately 700m uphill walk to the start and downhill from the finish to download and car parking area.

**Entries and Fees:** Online via <http://www.fabian4.co.uk> only. Advance entry closes 2359 Sunday 14 November. Late entries may be available while map stocks last up to 2359 on Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> November No entry on the day.

Individual Seniors £8	Senior novices (yellow, orange) £4
Juniors (all courses) £2	Family Groups Pay fee for 1 senior on chosen course

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

**Dogs:** Dogs are permitted on leads.

**Safety:** **All competitors must download, even if they do not complete the course.**  
Every effort will be made to ensure the event is safe for competitors, volunteers and the public. We ask that at all times you adhere to the government's guidance on social distancing and follow the British Orienteering's Code of Conduct which can be found at: [https://www.britishorienteering.org.uk/COVID19\\_Safe\\_Orienteering](https://www.britishorienteering.org.uk/COVID19_Safe_Orienteering)  
Prior to the event, if you display symptoms of COVID-19, are required to self-isolate or are otherwise feeling unwell then you must not attend. Refunds will be given to those unable to attend for this reason.

Participants to bring their own water and ensure adequate hydration pre and post event. Hand sanitisers will be available; however, we encourage participants to bring their own.

The organiser and the landowner reserve the right to refuse entry to any participants who in their opinion may increase the risk to themselves or others of contracting COVID-19.

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

All runners to wear leg covering.

Drivers to be alert to members of public on track leading to parking.

Whistles are compulsory for lone juniors and recommended for all. Cagoules may be made compulsory in adverse weather.

**Officials:** **Organiser:** Andrew Law (NWO)  
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**Controller:** Doug Stimson (NWO)

**Results:** Results will be available on the NWO website ASAP after the event.  
[www.northwilts.org.uk](http://www.northwilts.org.uk)

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

The personal data given at Registration will be used by the event organisers and their agents but only for the purpose of processing/publishing entries/results, conducting safety checks and as required by our insurers to validate our cover; and, managed iaw the General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR). Please note: NWO will make every effort to ensure the event goes ahead as planned. However, should the event be cancelled, NOW reserves the right to retain part of the advance entry fees to meet costs already incurred or committed.