

NWO Informal picture based score event

('Summer Sizzler' by intent but the weather refused to oblige...)

Saturday 21 June 2008, Lydiard Park, Swindon

Competitor	Score
Michael Reynolds	400
Dave Roberts	380
John Orton	370
Martin Light	330
Doug Stimson	330
Ken Stimson	310
Jones family	310
Nina Stimson	140

Planner/organiser's comments

The event required competitors to find up to 24 locations spread over the whole of the new extended map of Lydiard Park and Shaw Ridge. They then had to identify the location from a set of 24 photographs. The event lasted an hour and there was a modest penalty for late return. (Control flags were not provided, though some common controls with a 'Try O' non-competitive event had one.)

All but one of the competitors made at least one error in identifying the correct photograph related to a location.

The task proved to be more difficult than I had envisaged and this is reflected in the maximum score being 400 from a possible 550. However all the participants were enthusiastic in their response to the event and had really enjoyed themselves.

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