

## COMPASS SPORT CUP – 8 MAY 2005 –CROPTON SOUTH

### FINAL DETAILS

#### Travel & location

The event will be signposted from the A170 west of Pickering at the village of Wrelton. The competition will take place in the forest surrounding Forest Enterprise's Spiers House campsite (grid ref. 758918). Since the event was postponed from the 27 February the campsite has opened and Registration, Download and the Information Point have had to be re-located in the forest at grid ref. 764923.

#### Parking

Linear parking on forest roads up to 15 minutes slow adult walk from Registration. There will be a one-way system for traffic exiting past Registration. The route for vehicles passes through the competition area going in and out so please drive carefully.

#### Courses

There are eight Compass Sport Cup courses plus Yellow and White courses as follows:

Course	Cup Class	Controls	Climb	Length
1.Brown	Men Open	19	230m	7.7K
2.Blue Women	Women open	15	200m	6.6K
3.Blue Men	M45+ M20-	17	205m	6.6K
4.Green Women	W45+ W20-	14	105m	4.6K
5.Green Men	M60+	14	130m	4.7K
6.Short Green Veterans	M75+ W60+	12	90m	3.5K
7.Light Green Juniors	M/W18-	13	95m	3.4K
8.Orange	M/W14-	8	50m	2.6K
Yellow		10	45m	2.1K
White		8	40m	1.7K

There will be a string course for the very young approximately 200m from Registration.

## **Registration and fees**

Registration will be open from 10.00 to 12.00. Pre-entered competitors have no need to visit Registration unless they need to collect a hired SI card. Compass Sport Cup courses are open for entry on the day to members of non-competing clubs and to members of competing clubs who wish to run either competitively or non-competitively.

Fees for entries on the day for the Cup courses are £5 for Seniors and £2 for Juniors (U21s) and Students and £1 for the Yellow and White courses. SI card hire is £1 for Seniors and 20p for Juniors and Students. A charge of £20 will be made for lost SI cards.

## **Starts**

The Start is about 15 minutes slow adult walk from Registration ; the Finish is passed on the way to the Start about 10 minutes walk from Registration. For those first ten minutes the route passes through the competition area so the adjoining forest is strictly OUT OF BOUNDS.

Start times are from 10.30 to 12.30. Although the Start is a punching start it is necessary, in order to meet BOF's requirements for Cup matches as to the start intervals between members of the same club on the same course, to ensure that competitors start at their designated start times. Competitors will therefore be called forward at the appropriate time and in the case of Cup competitors their SI number will be checked. However as it is punching start it may be possible to accommodate late starters provided a vacant start time is available which does not infringe BOF's requirements.

Yellow and White course competitors will not have designated start times and will start when indicated by the start officials.

## **Map and Terrain**

Scale 1:10000, 5m contours updated by Peter and Christine Roberts in 2005. All courses will be over-printed. Maps for the Yellow and White courses will be handed out at Registration.

Typical North Yorkshire Forest Enterprise woodland with some recent storm damage which should not significantly impede progress. There are several temporary hides in the forest which have not been mapped. Two electric fences may be seen on the longer courses. They are not switched on but there should be no need to touch or cross them.

## **Control descriptions**

Owing to a lack of space control descriptions are not printed on the map. Loose control descriptions will be available at the pre-start. Control descriptions for the Yellow and White courses will be handed out at Registration.

## **Results**

Will be displayed near to Registration and posted on the Ebor website, [www.eborienteers.org.uk](http://www.eborienteers.org.uk) . Please leave a 9" x 6" SAE in the box next to Registration if you want a printed copy of the results.

## **Dogs**

On a lead and outside the competition area only.

## **The Compass Sport Cup**

This event is a Qualifying round to determine who will go through to the Final. If the winning team were in the previous year's Final then the second placed team will also go through. Aire were in the Final last year. If therefore they win this Qualifying round the second placed team will also go through to the Final.

The Cup courses are divided into 'large' courses (courses 1 & 3) and 'small' courses (courses 2,4,5,6,7 & 8). The winners of both large and small courses score 100 points. Subsequent finishers on large courses score 99,98,97,96 points etc whilst subsequent finishers on small courses score 98,96,94,92 points etc.

Each competing club's best 25 scores are then added together with a maximum of 6 counters from any one large course and a maximum of 4 counters from any one small course. If there is a tie then the score of the next best eligible counter from each club is added and so on until the tie is broken.

Complaints and protests should in accordance with BOF's Rules be made to the Organiser who will make a decision. Any protest against the Organiser's decision should be made in writing to the Controller with a fee of £5 which will be returned if the protest is upheld. A Jury will be appointed to consider the protest.

## **Contact**

Any queries please contact the Organiser, Richard Clark, on 01751 473171 or e-mail [clark@23burgate.freeserve.co.uk](mailto:clark@23burgate.freeserve.co.uk)