

Mole Valley Orienteering Club

(affiliated to British Orienteering) www.mvoc.org

BALCOMBE ESTATE Sunday 6th April 2014

Level C national ranking event

Event centre and Car Parking: At the Balcombe Estate Forestry and Sawmill, Haywards Heath Road, Haywards Heath, West Sussex (GR TQ317296 Post Code RH17 6QH). Event will be signed from the B2036 at GR TQ307307

Car parking is limited so please share if possible. Toilets in the car park. No charge for car parking Public transport to Balcombe Railway Station which is approx 1.5km from the event.

Registration: Online entry preferred via http://www.fabian4.co.uk/. Or by post to Michael White, 19 Sheephouse Green, Wotton, Dorking, RH5 6QW. There will be limited entry on the day from 9.45 until 11.30, subject to map availability.

Entry fee £7 with a £2 deduction for British Orienteering members. £3 for under 21s and full time students. Students entering online to pay the full fee and claim the £2 fee reduction at registration on production of a student card. Entries on the day +£1

SI electronic punching will be used. SI dibbers available for hire at £1

Map: 1:10000 scale. Maps will be waterproof and bags will not be provided. Please take care crossing the road. There are some steep descents which could be slippery. Control descriptions will be on the map. Loose descriptions will be available at the start.

Courses: Brown, Blue, Green, Light Green, Orange and Yellow.

Starts: From 10.00 until 12.00. Courses close at 14.00. Start and finishes are adjacent to the registration and car parking. Starts will be in allocated start blocks.

Safety: There will be a first aid kit at registration. Nearest A & E. Princess Royal Hospital, Lewes Road, Haywards Heath, West Sussex, RH16 4EX. No water will be provided by the event. The car park is in a working sawmill. Please do not allow children to climb either on the log piles or on the machinery.

Courtesy to others: There are a number of footpaths in the area. Please show consideration to walkers, horse riders and mountain bikers

Dogs: Dogs are allowed on a lead in the car park but not on the area.

Event Officials: Organiser: Michael White (MV) mandj@white1966.freeserve.co.uk Telephone 01306

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Planner: Bill Alexander (MV) Controller: Steve Jarvis (SO)

General information: info@mvoc.org

Acknowledgments: The estate is privately owned and we would like to particularly thank the landowner Simon Greenwood (Saxons) and also Tom Hyde (the sub agent of the estate) and other estate employees for their advice and assistance.

You are responsible for your own safety and you take part in this event at your own risk