

## **Mole Valley Orienteering Club**

(affiliated to British Orienteering)

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## SUMMER EVENING SERIES Event 1 - NONSUCH PARK Tuesday 25th May 2021

This is the 1st of a series of Summer evening Orienteering events MVOC are organising between May and August. The first will be at Nonsuch Park, Cheam, with the remainder at local venues within the Mole valley area.

There will be two Score\* courses available:

**Course A:** a 60 minute "Odds & Evens" with a switch control.

**Course B:** a 60 minute Score course using the same controls but without needing to switch.

Course A is aimed at regular orienteers and runners.

Course B is aimed at those requiring a shorter run, families and newcomers.

\*\*The park is essentially traffic free, apart from park staff and visiting vehicles, so children under 16 may take part without adult supervision.\*\*

Entries via racesignup closing date Friday 21st May. There will be no EOD

**Fees:** BOF seniors £3; non-BOF seniors £5; BOF juniors (under 16) £1; non-BOF juniors £2 MV members – 50% discount – email membership@mvoc.org for code; Si Dibber hire £1

**Map** printed on waterproof paper. Scale is 1:10,000 with 5 metre contours.

SI controls will be used throughout and will be SIAC enabled.

**Terrain:** Apart from a small elevation in the east of the area, the Park is relatively flat grassland with areas of woodland dividing the open areas and around its perimeter. The large areas of open parkland contain small copses, thickets, scattered trees, ponds and accessible fenced enclosures. The whole area, including the woodland, contains an extensive path network and is generally very runnable.

**Starts:** 5.00 – 7.15pm. Courses close at 8.15pm sharp.

**Start location:** The start location will be in the Park at TQ 236634 close to the west end of the car park to the south of the entrance road accessed via Cheam Gate park entrance – nearest Postcode SM3 8AJ, what3words look.enhancement.city. Note: Cheam Gate will be closed at 8.30pm. There is also a public car park off the A232 at TQ241634, what3words rang.trio.wounds that is free after 6.00pm

Public transport: it is recommended not to use public transport to reduce the risk of Covid transmission

Trains: Cheam Station approx. 600m; West Sutton Station approx. 1Km

Buses: 151 from Wallington or Worcester Park; 213 from Kingston or Sutton; 470

from Colliers Wood or Epsom

**Results:** Will be available on the club web site as soon as possible after this event.

\*Score Event: "Score" just means that there is no set course. Your map will show a number of controls, but you don't have to visit them all. You get points for each control you do visit, and lose points if you take more than an hour.

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