

Claro Orienteering Club

Jacob Smith Park, Knaresborough Wednesday 12th August 2020



Covid-19 Awareness

In line with BOF guidelines and common sense, please do not attend this event if you or anyone in your bubble are exhibiting any of the symptoms known to be related to Covid-19 or if you are in a period of quarantine. If requested, your entry fee will be refunded.

During the event, try to minimise contact with people outside your 'bubble' and resist that urge to socialise.

Please Help the Event Along

Welcome to Claro's first event since being allowed to restart orienteering. We are trying to operate within the BOF guidelines, these are new to us all and your help in participating accordingly would be gratefully appreciated.

Event Location:

The entrance to the park is at: Grid ref: SE349581

What3words: disprove.curve.uniforms

Post Code: HG5 9EJ

The event is can be found just inside the park entrance around to the left. The Claro feather will be easily identifiable.

Registration and Entries:

In line with current guidance there will be no entry on the day and no registration. You must pre-enter the event by emailing to :

treasurer@claro-orienteering.org.uk

The following information for each competitor:

* Full Name

* Contact phone number

Club

Age Class

SI Card No

BO Membership No

Course entered: Long/Short

SI Card hire required? Yes/No

Start window requested

Entry Fees

Include the total entry fee paid for the group and the date of the bank transfer to aid identification of your payment.

* This information may be shared with NHS Test & Trace.

Please pay your entry fee by bank transfer to the following account:

Account Name: Claro Orienteering Club BIA

Sort code: 30 93 91

Account No: 00419604

Reference: Surname and club of lead competitor

Pre-entry only by midnight Monday before the event 10/08/20

Start Time windows from 1800 to 1915 as follows:

1800 – 1815, 1815 -1830, 1830 – 1845, 1845 – 1900, 1900 – 1915,

We can add an extra 15 minutes if demand merits

Entry Fees: £4.00 per adult; £2.00 juniors; Families £10.00; SI card hire £1.00

Toilets: There are no toilets at the event on in the park. There are four public toilets in Knaresborough, unhelpfully they will close between 5pm and 6pm on that day.

Parking: Please park sensibly in the streets surrounding the park.

Event Site: Please enter the park through the gates and head around to the left in the open area. The Claro feather banner and tent will be immediately obvious. The start will be 50m beyond the tent, easily identified by the start banner.

Courses and Terrain;

Two courses are on offer:

Short, 2.2km 30m climb. Scale 1:2500 5m contours. This course is of an orange technical standard and remains entirely within the boundaries of the park. It is suitable for juniors to undertake unaccompanied.

Long, 4.1km 70m climb. Scale 1:4200, 5m contours. This course is of a light green technical standard and covers an area both inside and outside the park. While outside the park, the course requires the crossing of urban roads where suitable care needs to be taken. It is not suitable for juniors under the age of 16 to undertake without direct adult supervision. When exiting and re-entering the park, please respect the distance to other park users and competitors.

Within the park there is the usual summer growth, the courses have been planned and the controls sited so that you should not need to get in amongst the prickly or stinging variety.

The ponds marked on the map have nearly entirely dried up, their location is still obvious on the ground.

Courses close at 8:15pm unless start times have been extended due to demand. Please report to download even if you retire.

Event Procedure:

Please arrive at the start at the time you chose on entry. Keep a safe distance from any other competitors waiting and follow the instructions of the start official who will set you off according to the BOF Covid Guidelines. There should be no more than 6 people in the start area at any one time, if you see that there are already that number of people, please move away until some have started.

Both the start and finish will need to be manually dibbed, all controls on the course will have SIAC enabled for those who have the necessary dibber, otherwise manually dib as usual. When at a control please respect distance to other competitors. If there is a queue, please dib and quickly move away from the control.

At the finish, dib the finish control and when composed proceed to download. Try not to touch the download station or splits printer. Then move away from download.

Results will be published on the club website soon after the event.

Planner: Quentin Harding, Claro

Organiser: Liz Potterton & the Claro Committee