

COVID-19:

This event has been organised and planned in compliance with British Orienteering's Operational Guidance for the Resumption of the Sport in England and its associated Participant Code of Conduct. As a result, the event officials have taken certain control measures and requirements which appear below. Other measures are contained or referred to in these Details, on-line entry forms, notices or announcements at the event (including any Safety Briefing), and practical arrangements at the event.

Competitors should note that satisfying British Orienteering COVID Guidelines is ultimately a responsibility of not only CLARO but all competitors.

Claro Covid Secure Entries:

In accordance with the guidelines produced by British Orienteering for the resumption of orienteering in England all events are to be preregistration only, with no entries taken on the day. This will allow Claro to manage the number of participants, in order to comply with restrictions on the size of gatherings, avoid queues of people on the day, and minimise the need for face-to-face interactions.

All participants taking part in orienteering must use the above pre-registration system which records specific details about competitors. This will allow Claro to share information with NHS Test & Trace should it be required. This information will be retained for 21 days, unless it is necessary to retain it for longer for another purpose. By entering this event competitors acknowledge that they must not attend if they or a member of their household has COVID-19 symptoms, or if they have been asked to isolate by NHS Test and Trace, and that they will abide by the Participant Code of Conduct at all times.

SI cards must be hired prior to the event, as part of the pre-registration process. Cards will be cleaned and individually bagged prior to issue at the event. Entries and SI card-hire fees should be paid before the event by bank transfer to the club account. Claro will provide a full refund to anyone who needs to withdraw their entry because they or a member of their household has COVID-19 symptoms, or because they have been asked to isolate by NHS Test and Trace. If the event has to be cancelled or postponed at short notice, including as a result of a change in local or national restrictions we will refund entry fees, less any administration costs, or credit the fee towards the next Claro event.

Start Windows and Queues:

Government guidelines state that no more than thirty people, including any officials, must be present in the immediate start area at any one time. However, we feel it would be prudent to maintain any queues (Starts and Download) to 6.

Social distancing must be maintained between people from different households. Therefore competitors will be allocated a fifteen-minute start window. No more than twenty entries will

be allowed to start in any fifteen-minute window and they must start at least one minute apart, regardless of whether or not they are on the same course, unless they are in the same household (or support bubble).

We will ensure that there are some free slots in the start list so that people who miss their allocated slot do not need to wait at the start area for a long period. We will try to allocate each entry their requested time slot but if full we will allocate the nearest one available.

Safety and Responsibility:

Comprehensive general and COVID-19 Risk Assessments will be carried out. However, competitors take part at their own risk and are responsible for their own safety and comply with the Highway Code whenever the public highway needs to be used.

All competitors who start must report to Download even if they retire.

We will not be collecting car keys so please wear a zippable pocket and carry your keys with You.