

Control Freak

The newsletter of the Bendigo Orienteers

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July 2011

Coming events: Local event start times 1230-1400 unless otherwise stated.

9 July 2011

Start: 9 July 2011 Mass start at 13:00:00

Organiser: Narissa Leung

Map: Norfolk Hero

Directions: From Bendigo: Head out to Spring Gully road. Continue past Spring Gully Primary school and the One Tree Hill Pub and turn right into Koolamurt Scout Camp. Melbourne: Take the Calder Hwy to Hattam St Kangaroo Flat turn right into Hattam St then turn right into Houston St, at the roundabout turn right into Carpenter St then left into Spring Gully Rd continue to Spring Gully to the Scout Camp on you right, watch out for O signs.

10 July 2011

Event: MTBO SS

Start: 10 July 2011 1030-1300

Organiser: Peter Hill

Map: Hills Upsan Downs

Directions: From the Calder Hwy from Melbourne take the Harcourt exit on the A300 and head towards Castlemaine, go past the Little Red Apple Shop on your right and take the next turn to your right which is the Barkers Creek School Rd which is bitumum, it then turns into gravel and changes it's name to Congdon Rd, continue up Congdon Rd at the top of the road on your left is Ray and Jacqueie Sheldons place, parking will be there, watch out for O signs on the Midland Hwy A300. From Bendigo turn off at the Harcourt exit and follow the above information. From Castlemaine take the A300 towards Harcourt and look out for O signs on the A300 as above. For further information contact Judy Hill 5474 2884 or 0418 938 459

Entry: Pre entry required

16 July 2011

Event: Bush Classic 7

Organiser: Warwick Williams

Map: Smiths Reef

Directions: From Bendigo travel to Maldon and turn left immediately after the railway crossing at the start of town.

From Melbourne or Ballarat travel to Maldon and then head towards Bendigo. Turn right immediately before the railway crossing at the end of town.

Follow orienteering signs to the assembly area.

23 July 2011

Event: Bendigo Rocks 2

Organiser: James Robertson

Map: Mount Tarrengower

Directions: TBA

23 July 2011

Hell & High Water Rogaine at Eildon

8hr & GPS 6hr Rogaine

10:00 am Start.

See VRA website for details

Pre-entry required.

30 July 2011

Event: Bendigo Bush Classic 8

Organiser: Peter Forbes

Map: Ironstone Hill

Directions: From Bendigo Fountain drive 3.5 k on the Midland Hwy towards Huntly. Turn left into Plumridge Street at the White Hills shops. After 850 m turn right at St Killians St. After 350 m turn left into Backhaus St. After 800 m cross Watson Street and continue along Callaghan Rd (dirt).

31 July 2011

State Series 6 - Woodlands start: 1000-1300

Directions: Travel towards Melbourne Airport. Exit at Mickleham Rd and head north. After 4.5km turn left into Swain St. to Woodlands Historic Park /Gellibrand Hill Park.

Mosquito Creek 4th June 2011

1 Course (1): 11 KP 6.9 km ^

# NR	Name	Club	Result
1.	0 Chris Naunton	BGV	00:43:34
2.	0 Geoff Lawford	EUV	00:48:11
3.	0 Laurina Neumann	BGV	00:51:34
4.	0 Craig Feuerherdt	BGV	00:52:02
5.	0 Paul Elam	TKV	01:01:41
6.	0 Neil Barr	BGV	01:04:34
7.	0 Colin Walker	BGV	01:09:22
8.	0 Paul Leicester	BGV	01:10:39
9.	0 Matthew Browne	BGV	01:11:33
10.	0 Christopher Creely	BGV	01:27:04
11.	0 Warwick Davis	TKV	01:27:05
	0 David Jones	BGV	DNF
	0 Derek Morris	BGV	DNF
	0 Julie Flynn	BGV	No Start
	0 Bryan Keely	BGV	MP
	0 Ian Collins	BKV	DNF
	0 Warwick Williams	BGV	Injured

2 Course (2): 8 KP 5.2 km ^

# NR	Name	Club	Result
1.	0 Peter Hill	BGV	00:49:05
2.	0 John Wilkinson	BGV	00:51:39
3.	0 Ray Sheldon	BGV	00:58:58
4.	0 Charles Brownridge	BGV	01:01:29
5.	0 Mark Hennessy	BGV	01:03:55
6.	0 Andrew Cameron	BGV	01:04:17
7.	0 Peter Galvin	BGV	01:10:09
8.	0 Peter Prime	TKV	01:17:18
8.	0 Stephen Bird	BGV	01:17:18
10.	0 Heather Jones	BGV	01:18:06
11.	0 Peter Forbes	BGV	01:18:17
12.	0 Louise Hall	BGV	01:25:14
13.	0 John Chellew	BGV	01:25:48
14.	0 Heather Bice		01:27:45
15.	0 Ken Dowling	BGV	01:29:24
16.	0 Richard Bice		01:51:37
	0 Anitra Dowling		MP
	0 Bob Leicester	BGV	DNF
	0 Stephen Smith	BGV	MP
	0 Suzanne O'Callaghan	BKV	DNF

3 Course (3): 7 KP 3.5 km ^

# NR	Name	Club	Result
1.	0 Nigel McGuckian	BGV	00:40:09
2.	0 Daryl Fleay	BGV	00:43:37
3.	0 Rob Clark	BGV	00:48:33
4.	0 James Lumsdon-Hill	BGV	00:50:47
5.	0 Dick Barker		01:00:10
6.	0 Geoff Byron	BGV	01:05:54
7.	0 Pam Prime		01:15:53
8.	0 Judy Hill	BGV	01:17:01
9.	0 Noel & Kath Shanahan	BGV	01:24:33
10.	0 Anne Jackman	BGV	01:27:33
11.	0 Dorothy Adrian		01:29:53
12.	0 Harm Van Rees	BGV	01:32:05
	0 Paul Adrian	BGV	DNF
	0 Jenny Ball	BGV	DNF
	0 Ian Johnson	BGV	DNF

4 Course (4): 6 KP 3.4 km ^

# NR	Name	Club	Result
1.	0 David & Rohan Lumsdon-...	BGV	00:40:52
2.	0 Tavish Eenjes	BGV	00:53:26
3.	0 Rowan Goffin	BGV	00:55:52
4.	0 Leisha Maggs	BGV	01:16:15
5.	0 Margaret Barker		01:16:54
6.	0 Roger Byron	BGV	01:34:33
7.	0 Michael Brench	BGV	01:46:26
8.	0 John & Dot Maguire	BGV	02:14:59
9.	0 Alison & Alana Byron	BGV	02:16:24
	0 Narissa Leung	BGV	DNF
	0 Steven Brench	BGV	DNF
	0 Jackie Shelton	x63	MP
	0 Louis & Reuben Cameron	BGV	DNF

5 Course (5): 7 KP 2.5 km ^

# NR	Name	Club	Result
1.	0 Jon Shanks	BGV	00:23:35
2.	0 Carol & J Coad	BGV	00:28:27
3.	0 Katie Wilson	BGV	00:30:51
4.	0 Amy Cripps	BGV	00:33:14
5.	0 John Steer	BGV	00:36:20
6.	0 Karina Cherry	BGV	00:36:21
7.	0 Caitlyn Steer	BGV	00:37:16
8.	0 Karen Fairbairn Rob Wi...	BGV	00:41:21
9.	0 Sarah & Adam Hill	BGV	00:43:20
10.	0 Alexandria Leicester	BGV	00:44:13
11.	0 Jimmy & Cameron	BGV	00:53:49
12.	0 Noel & Kath Shanahan	BGV	00:59:34
	0 Cory Wilson	BGV	MP
	0 Lachlan Cherry	BGV	MP

Mt Tarrengower 11th June 2011**1 Course (1): 14 KP 5.12 km ^**

# NR	Name	Club	Result
1.	0 Max Neve	MFV	00:28:53
2.	0 David Brownridge	BGV	00:29:43
3.	0 James Robertson	BGV	00:33:41
4.	0 Laurina Neumann	BGV	00:37:09
5.	0 Aislinn Prendergast	EUV	00:37:11
6.	0 Roch Prendergast	EUV	00:38:40
7.	0 Matthew Browne	BGV	00:41:08
8.	0 Clare Brownridge	BGV	00:43:25
9.	0 David Jaffe	MFR	00:50:04
10.	0 Ted Van Geldermalsen	YVV	00:53:21
11.	0 Julie Flynn	BGV	00:55:33
12.	0 Christopher Creely	BGV	01:00:26
13.	0 David Jones	BGV	01:06:28
14.	0 Terry Gavaghan	TKV	01:12:17
15.	0 Geoff Hudson	NEV	01:21:26
16.	0 Shelia Colls	YVV	01:35:46
	0 Derek Morris	BGV	DQ

2 Course (2): 13 KP 4.3 km ^

# NR	Name	Club	Result
1.	0 Shayne Hill	BGV	00:35:09
2.	0 Andrew Cameron	BGV	00:38:55
3.	0 Peter Hill	BGV	00:41:09
4.	0 Paul Elam	TKV	00:45:09
5.	0 Sue Key	MFR	00:47:03
6.	0 Peter Prime	TKV	00:48:39
7.	0 Charles Brownridge	BGV	00:50:56
8.	0 Mark Hennessy	BGV	00:51:48
9.	0 Harm Van Rees	BGV	00:51:55
10.	0 Julie Sunley	TKV	00:53:44
11.	0 Jasmine Sunley	TKV	00:54:04
12.	0 Alan Watts	NEV	00:56:43
13.	0 Peter Forbes	BGV	00:57:16
14.	0 Steve Peacock	BKV	00:59:10
15.	0 John Carberry	NEV	01:01:27
16.	0 Heather Jones	BGV	01:02:32
17.	0 Sean Sunley	TKV	01:04:29
18.	0 Don Fell	NEV	01:04:48
19.	0 Chris Morris	BGV	01:20:10
20.	0 Anne Garvey	TKV	01:23:37
21.	0 Anne Jackman	BGV	01:25:45
22.	0 John Colls	INVOC	01:30:21
	0 Bryan Macsen	BGV	DQ

3 Course (3): 10 KP 3.1 km ^

# NR	Name	Club	Result
1.	0 Greg Cates	YVV	00:27:06
2.	0 Ian Mack	BKV	00:27:14
3.	0 Susannah King	MFR	00:33:18
4.	0 Kathryn Tarr	YVV	00:37:02
5.	0 Neil Barr	BGV	00:42:22
6.	0 Louis Cameron	BGV	00:45:51
7.	0 Geoff Byron	BGV	00:49:55
8.	0 Gillian Hume	BGV	00:53:32

9.	0 Judy Prendergast	EUV	00:55:04
10.	0 Pam Prime	TKV	00:56:52
11.	0 Belinda Dale	YVV	00:57:52
12.	0 Judy Hill	BGV	01:00:15
13.	0 Dorothy Adrian	NEV	01:05:52
14.	0 Dick Barker	TKV	01:05:53
15.	0 Ian Johnson	BGV	01:09:32
16.	0 Whitney Kennedy	BGV	01:16:06
16.	0 Bob Cameron	BGV	01:16:06
18.	0 Louine Terpstra	BGV	01:16:12
19.	0 Rhiannon Leahy	BGV	01:16:44

4 Course (4): 10 KP 2.6 km ^

# NR	Name	Club	Result
1.	0 Lachlan Cherry	BGV	00:26:46
2.	0 Tavish Eenjes	BGV	00:33:14
3.	0 Peter Trounson	BGV	00:33:23
4.	0 James Brown	BGV	00:33:29
5.	0 Margaret Barker	TKV	00:36:52
6.	0 Thomas Duke	BGV	00:38:53
7.	0 Michael Brench	BGV	00:42:21
8.	0 Fiona Fell	NEV	00:43:59
9.	0 Stephen Smith	BGV	00:56:23
10.	0 Steven Brench	BGV	00:56:24
11.	0 Ashleigh Trounson	BGV	00:59:07
12.	0 Fiona Fell	NEV	01:03:41
13.	0 Bill Grant	BGV	01:28:00
14.	0 Niamh & Oliver	BGV	01:29:44
15.	0 Paul Adrian	NEV	01:40:39
16.	0 Thurston	BGV	01:41:59
	0 K Albrecht	BGV	DQ
	0 Jo, Lynda, Susie	BGV	DQ
	0 Mai Wagima	BGV	DQ
	0 Noel & Kath Shanahan	BGV	DQ

5 Course (5): 7 KP 2.3 km ^

# NR	Name	Club	Result
1.	0 Rebecca Jaffa	MFR	00:18:32
2.	0 Jon Shanks	BGV	00:24:18
3.	0 Thomas Wigney	BGV	00:29:53
4.	0 Jack Wigney	BGV	00:34:49
5.	0 Gillian Hume	BGV	00:35:21
6.	0 Juniper	BGV	00:40:46
7.	0 Caitlyn Steer	BGV	00:45:59
8.	0 Frances Fleet	BGV	00:49:33
9.	0 Thea Fleet	BGV	00:49:39
10.	0 Addy Collins	BGV	00:50:32
11.	0 Ian Collins	BKV	00:57:05
12.	0 Lachlan Trounson	BGV	00:59:52
13.	0 Rick Duke	BGV	00:27:27

Kangaroo Gully 18/06/2011

1 Course (1): 16 KP 7.2 km ^

# NR	Name	Club	Result
1.	0 Craig Feuerherdt	BGV	00:52:36
2.	0 James Robertson	BGV	00:56:36
3.	0 Laurina Neumann	BGV	01:03:30
4.	0 Neil Barr	BGV	01:06:31
5.	0 Warwick Davis	TKV	01:10:54
6.	0 Roch Prendergast	EUV	01:12:33
7.	0 Colin Walker	BGV	01:13:31
8.	0 Matthew Browne	BGV	01:14:22
9.	0 Christopher Creely	BGV	01:14:47
10.	0 Derek Morris	BGV	01:17:44
11.	0 Paul Elam	TKV	01:21:03
12.	0 Julie Flynn	BGV	01:34:04
13.	0 Charles Brownridge	BGV	01:36:38
14.	0 Louise Hall	BGV	01:37:14

2 Course (2): 13 KP 5.3 km ^

# NR	Name	Club	Result
1.	0 John Wilkinson	BGV	00:50:17
2.	0 Andrew Cameron	BGV	00:57:00
3.	0 Mark Hennessy	BGV	00:58:27
4.	0 Ken Dowling	BGV	01:17:45
5.	0 Peter Forbes	BGV	01:18:30
6.	0 Anitra Dowling	BGV	01:19:08
7.	0 Jenny Ball	BGV	01:24:28
8.	0 Shelia Colls	YVV	01:44:00
9.	0 Gillian Hume	BGV	01:48:00
10.	0 John Colls	INVOC	02:22:12
11.	0 Peter Ross	BGV	02:27:22
12.	0 Bob Leicester	BKV	02:46:55
	0 Katrien Janssen???	BGV	DQ

3 Course (3): 10 KP 3.3 km ^

# NR	Name	Club	Result
1.	0 James Lumsdon-Hill	BGV	00:44:27
2.	0 Geoff Byron	BGV	00:58:45
3.	0 Noel Shanahan	BGV	01:12:24
4.	0 Ian Johnson	BGV	01:26:18
5.	0 Louis Cameron	BGV	01:28:48
6.	0 Bob Cameron	BGV	01:34:39
7.	0 Judy Prendergast	EUV	01:40:11
8.	0 James Brown	BGV	01:41:00
9.	0 Bob&Heather Roberts	BGV	01:55:10

4 Course (4): 7 KP 2.5 km ^

# NR	Name	Club	Result
1.	0 Tavish Eenjes	BGV	00:35:25
2.	0 Sarah & Rowan Hill	BGV	00:39:58
3.	0 Tony Ridley	BGV	00:47:56
4.	0 Rowan Goffin	BGV	01:05:36
5.	0 Deb & Riss	BGV	01:05:40
6.	0 Michael Brench	BGV	01:10:07

7.	0 John & Dot Maguire	BGV	01:10:21
8.	0 Steven Brench	BGV	01:13:19
9.	0 Jimmy Cameron	BGV	01:16:32
10.	0 Michael ?	BGV	01:20:00
11.	0 Alison Byron	BGV	01:21:52
12.	0 Leisha Maggs	BGV	01:24:54
13.	0 Stephen Smith	BGV	01:25:25
14.	0 Peter Wardell	BGV	01:25:41
15.	0 J.Mummery M.Nolton	BGV	01:52:09
	0 Deb Thurston	BGV	DNF
	0 Rob Clark	BGV	DNF

5 Course (5): 8 KP 2.2 km ^

# NR	Name	Club	Result
1.	0 Glenn James	BGV	00:20:37
2.	0 Caitlyn Steer	BGV	00:31:58
3.	0 Corey Wilson	BGV	00:34:25
4.	0 Katie Wilson	BGV	00:36:42
5.	0 Karen Fairbairn	BGV	00:44:28
6.	0 John Steer	BGV	00:53:44
	0 Michael Loughnan	BGV	MP

Brown's Reef 25th June 2011

Course 1

7.1 Km

Bryan K 37.05
Jasmine Neve 42.50
Vanessa Round 43.08
Laurina Neumann 48.11
Rob Lewis 49.52
C Feuerherdt 50.11
Neil Barr 52.54
Warwick Davis 55.00
Matthew Browne 60.53
David Knight 62.36
Phil Poulton 65.48
Steve Leicester 66.00
Clare Brownridge 68.41
P Forbes 75.02
David Jones 77.01
Julie Flynn 78.38
Bob Leicester DNF
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Course 2

5.2Km

Andrew Cameron 35.45
S Bird 37.23
John Wilkinson 40.57
Peter Hill 42.24
Terry Davidson 49.12
John Chellew 50.22
Louise Hall 54.20
Harm Van Rees 55.48
Heather Jones 59.42
Jenny Ball 68.49



Course 3

3.7Km

Peter Searle 34.48
Bob Cameron 44.49
N&K Shanahan 46.08
Peter Trounson 68.32
Geoff Byron 48.47
Sue Davidson 50.13
Judy Prendergast 56.46
Louis Cameron 58.51
Ashleigh Trounson 62.15
Judy Hill 62.55
Anne Jackman 63.11
Ian Johnson 63.56
Stephen Smith 65.52
Bob & Heather Roberts 92.22
Rob Clark DNF

Course 4

3.7Km

Tavish 40.30
Mai Wagima 44.43
Lachlan Cherry 45.48
Glenn James 45.50
Leisha Maggs 46.34
C James 54.13
D Searle 57.24
Katherine Mc Millan 57.58
Rowan G 60.20

Michael Brench 67.25
M Thurston 72.25
Jimmy & Jane Cameron 72.34
Steven Brench 74.25
Alison & Alana Byron 85.32
Nola Juniper 98.14
D Thurston DNF
Jayden Black DNF

Course 5

2.4Km

Caitlyn Steer 21.15
Corey Wilson 21.42
Amy Cripps 22.44
Katie Wilson 22.58
Andrea Toze 30.37
Karen Fairbairn & Rob Wilson 30.39
Alexandra 34.18
Lachlan Trounson 35.16
John Steer 42.59
Eleanor Williams 70.00

Scatter Course

Paul Leicester 74.04



Some more Black Crow nominations.

What car?

It could be said that sometimes we get so carried away with the bigger issues of life that we forget the smaller details.

I have it on good authority that one of our members headed off to work the other day in her car; a normal busy day at work and she was happy to knock off and walk home, looking forward to a relaxing weekend - it was Friday when this happened. Anyway, she arrives home and, lo and behold -- her car's not there. Momentary puzzlement and then it dawns - the car's at work! Well, as Julie says, it gave her a walk home and a good run back to collect the car.

What control?

It may seem a bit of a coincidence that this next incident follows on from Julie leaving her car at work - almost as if the same person was involved! Could it be?

At the Skins on Diamond Hill the other day, some competitors just back from one of the races were standing around comparing their split times.

"How did you do from 2 to 3?"

A series of replies went around the group, some loud and happy, some quiet and a little embarrassed.

"How about 5 to 6?" -- more replies and discussion.

"And what about 8 to 9 (last control)?" Responses from around the circle, except for one person, rather puzzled and subdued - "Was there a 9?"

Oh dear, missed the last control and didn't realise it until then!

Diamond Hill sprint event 2nd July 2011

1.1 Course (1): 8 KP 2.3 km ^

#	NR	Name	Club	Result
1.	0	Evan Barr	BGV	00:13:01
2.	0	David Brownridge	BGV	00:13:40
3.	0	James Robertson	BGV	00:14:43
4.	0	Unknown	x5	00:14:51
5.	0	Chris Naunton	BGV	00:15:34
6.	0	Matthew Browne	BGV	00:15:50
7.	0	Unknown	x6	00:15:57
8.	0	Christopher Creely	BGV	00:21:48
9.	0	Neil Barr	BGV	00:22:06
		0 Bob Leicester		DQ
		0 Colin Walker	BGV	DQ

1.2 Course (2): 9 KP 2.0 km ^

#	NR	Name	Club	Result
1.	0	Chris Naunton	BGV	00:10:48
2.	0	Evan Barr	BGV	00:10:55
3.	0	David Brownridge	BGV	00:11:03
4.	0	James Robertson	BGV	00:12:52
5.	0	Unknown	x29	00:14:00
6.	0	Matthew Browne	BGV	00:15:03
7.	0	Unknown	x33	00:15:18
8.	0	Neil Barr	BGV	00:15:32
9.	0	Colin Walker	BGV	00:16:48
		0 Christopher Creely	BGV	DQ

1 FINAL Course (3): 11 KP 2.9 km ^

#	NR	Name	Club	Result
1.	0	Evan Barr	BGV	00:15:52
2.	0	David Brownridge	BGV	00:17:09
3.	0	James Robertson	BGV	00:20:21
4.	0	Unknown	x45	00:20:34
5.	0	Matthew Browne	BGV	00:20:53
6.	0	Rob Lewis	BKV	00:22:14
7.	0	Unknown	x61	00:22:28
8.	0	Neil Barr	BGV	00:22:38
9.	0	Christopher Creely	BGV	00:26:09
10.	0	Colin Walker	BGV	00:26:19
11.	0	Paul Leicester		00:30:04
12.	0	Judy Prendergast		00:54:22
		0 Chris Naunton	BGV	DQ

2.1 Course (4): 7 KP 1.6 km ^

#	NR	Name	Club	Result
1.	0	David Jones	BGV	00:17:44
2.	0	Andrew Cameron	BGV	00:17:48
3.	0	Harm Van Rees	BGV	00:17:53
4.	0	Catherine Creely	BGV	00:19:11
5.	0	John Chellew	BGV	00:19:17
6.	0	Peter Forbes	BGV	00:19:22
7.	0	Peter Galvin	BGV	00:19:25
8.	0	Julie Flynn	BGV	00:24:35

2.2 Course (5): 6 KP 1.6 km ^

#	NR	Name	Club	Result
1.	0	Andrew Cameron	BGV	00:13:41
2.	0	Paul Elam	TKV	00:13:50
3.	0	David Jones	BGV	00:14:13
4.	0	Julie Flynn	BGV	00:14:14
5.	0	Peter Galvin	BGV	00:14:30
6.	0	Catherine Creely	BGV	00:17:47
7.	0	Peter Forbes	BGV	00:19:13
8.	0	John Chellew	BGV	00:24:45
		0 Harm Van Rees	BGV	DQ

2 FINAL Course (6): 9 KP 1.6 km ^

#	NR	Name	Club	Result
1.	0	Andrew Cameron	BGV	00:20:25
2.	0	Paul Elam	TKV	00:20:54
3.	0	Peter Galvin	BGV	00:21:23
4.	0	David Jones	BGV	00:21:36
5.	0	Catherine Creely	BGV	00:22:17
6.	0	John Chellew	BGV	00:24:50
7.	0	Peter Forbes	BGV	00:26:29
8.	0	Harm Van Rees	BGV	00:26:40
		0 Julie Flynn	BGV	DQ

COURSE 4

Kate Wall 32:52
Derek Morris 41:07
Tavish Eenjes 47:10
Rowan Goffin 52:59
Rob Clark 56:48
Mark Webster 57:52
Bob Cameron 58:13
Anne Jackman 62:53
N&K Shanahan 66:20
A Hill 66:20
Michael Brench 67:25
John & Dot 68:21
Louis Cameron 72:37
Bob&Heather Rob. 88:00
Megan Wardell 103:11
Mummery&Nolton DNF
Judy Prendergast DNF

COURSE 5

Leisha Maggs 15:09
Andrea Tozer 40:35
Lachlan Feuerherdt 46:53
Luke Feuerherdt 47:11
Corey Wilson 48:42
Katie Wilson: 48:42

Paul Leicester All Controls



State series 5 Kimbolton North 3rd July 2011

And a very wet and cold event it was! And with the undergrowth having grown furiously over the last year or so, the navigation was quite tricky. Despite this, there were some good results from Bendigo club members, perhaps it was the practice we had at Phil Robertson's event on Mosquito Creek recently which provided similar terrain, though as I recall the weather was a whole lot better at Phil's event!

M Open A, 10.3 km

2David Brownridge BGV 70.52

3Bryan Keely BGV 71.42

M Over45 A, 8.3 km

4Chris Creely BGV 78.14

M Over65 A, 5.7 km

1Daryl Fleay BGV 56.55

2JOHN CHELLEW BGV 66.16

4Peter Searle BGV 72.10

6Peter Galvin BGV 76.57

W Over35 A, 8.3 km

1Laurina Neumann BGV 64.41

W Over45 A, 5.7 km

1Catherine Creely BGV 59.16

M Open AS, 8.3 km

1Matthew Browne BGV 64.19

M Over55 AS, 4.3 km

1John Wilkinson BGV 36.34

W Over45 AS, 4.3 km

2Jenny Ball BGV 76.39

Course 7, 5.1 km

1Dianne Searle BGV 79.37



Not Kimbolton, but he finish chute at the World Masters in Hungary

World Masters Orienteering Championships

<http://wmoc2011.hu/koszonto/eng>

These are in being held in Pec , Hungary and Jim Russell is competing. Jim has previously won a bronze medal in the world masters a few years ago.

Sprint

13 50723 Jim Russell 61 AUS Bendigo 14:21

The winners time was 13.19 and Jim was unlucky to make a mistake towards the end of the event which cost him 50 seconds and 10 places.

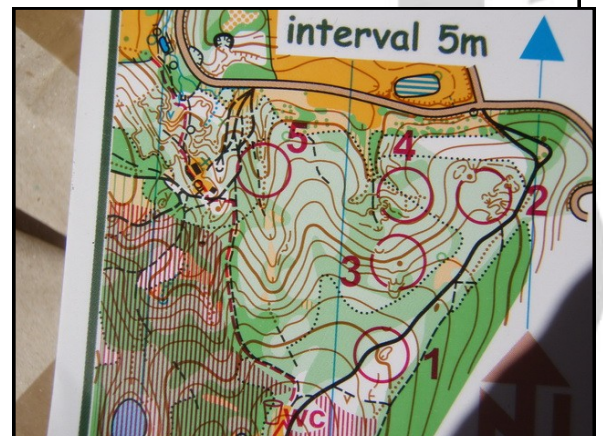
Long distance

Qualification:

Jim qualified overall in 3rd place, winning his first race and coming third in the second.

Final:

Is on Friday night (our time), and there is live web coverage and live multilingual audio streaming.



Junior Development Fund

I would like to let people know that I will be putting a proposal to the club at the next meeting (August) to establish a fund to assist with the development of the sub juniors we have now, and those who will be attracted to orienteering in the future.

The J Squad. At present there are about 20 kids who come out regularly to our Bush-O events; just under half of these are in the 8 to 10 years old bracket and have come mainly from Space Racing. This age group is a lot younger than the sport usually deals with as a squad - indeed younger than Bendigo has ever had to cater for, and because of that I feel the situation needs special treatment. In most cases, our present Victorian elite juniors were born into orienteering families, they attend their first events in prams and pushers and are doing string courses as toddlers long before they move into M/W10 and onwards; they have a long history and very solid family support in orienteering. Compare that to our kids, they come to us at age 8, 9, 10, their first experience of orienteering, in most cases, is Space Racing; their families maybe have heard of orienteering but almost none have actually experienced it up until now. They are really newcomers in every sense of the word!

So why not spend some money on setting up a support program that will help the kids - surely we can afford it! Anyway, if done properly it won't cost much and we can look at it as a financial investment, although priority must be given to the kid's personal development and keeping faith with their orienteering expectations, rather than run the risk of looking at them purely as 'financial investment' opportunities.

Maybe there's not a lot of interest in the promotion of orienteering generally, but I feel that we need to support these kids. At this stage of their development they are much more interested in getting around their course without too many errors than they are in reaching elite levels, but the enthusiasm is there, as is the potential. Surely, as a club we have an obligation to help develop that potential. Sadly, to date I see the enthusiasm of the kids to do better seemingly far outreaches our enthusiasm as a club to support them

Peter Creely



Way back to the 2002 ironman/woman held in the bush near Eaglehawk. A prospective ironman is just heading off with the others waiting their turn.



Kanga Banga

When we run around looking for controls we know we can get hurt: twist an ankle, fall over, scratches, tears -- getting spiked by an errant branch; we are also aware of the natural hazards of the Australian bush, snakes in the summer months, wild pigs in some areas, rampaging wombats, kangaroos --, kangaroos? These lovely creatures are usually seen heading in the other direction, trying to avoid us, but out at Mosquito Creek the other day this wasn't the case.

We don't usually use someone's injury as a trigger for a Black Crow nomination although there is a precedent: many years ago one of our members (since shifted away from Bendigo) suffered a broken leg in a questionable incident and was nominated. In this latest case one of our people who is a prominent club member was moving between controls when a startled kangaroo crashed into him (or did he crash into it?) causing him to twist an ankle and injure his back; it is believed that the poor old kanga didn't fare too well either. Anyway, whilst we sympathise with the nominee (and the kangaroo), we still see it as fitting to include the incident in our Black Crow list for 2011. (It has since been suggested that maybe it should be the kangaroo that is nominated?)

Who is it? Let's just say that he has truly earned the nickname 'RooBarr'.

Wrong car

This nomination came from a source close to Alison, who probably didn't realise that it would be included in the 2011 list.

The good news from Saturday's orienteering adventure at Kangaroo Gully was that there was no hint that a search crew need be launched to locate Alison and Alana; as distinct from Mosquito Creek. However, things went down hill once the aforementioned got back to the car-park.

Alison attempted to deposit her stuff in a white station wagon, rearranging the unfamiliar contents of the passenger seat. She then realised that this wasn't our 'WSW'. She tried again with a second 'WSW', with the same result. Third time she got lucky.

So, if anyone got back to their car at Kangaroo Gully and found their stuff rearranged, or if members reported suspicious characters lurking around 'WSW's' - you know who to blame.

