
	MILITARY LEAGUE(SOUTH)				
	THE NICK BATESON TROPHY (LONG O)				
	HOSTED BY BAOC				
	LONG VALLEY NORTH				
WEDNESDAY 31 DECEMBER 2025					
Travel Directions:		Entry point what3words fall.names.crowned SU8936254886 Post Code GU16 6DD. Parking what3words soup.talkative.bandstand in the middle of the area.			
Terrain:		The area is undulating mixed woodland area with rough open intricate areas and a good network of tracks and a wide variety of terrain.			
Mapping:		Updated map in 2024. Scale 1:10,000 overprinted on A4 waterproof paper. Loose control description will be provided at the start. There will be limited maps for course change on race day.			
Pre-entry:		Open at 20:00 10 Dec 2025 at racesignup.co.uk .			
Results System:		EMIT Results http://www.baoc.info/			
Registration:		0945 – 1245 hours.			
Starts:		1000 – 1300 hours Note the start time window			
Course Closes:		1500 hours. Controls will be taken in at 1500hrs			
The Nick Bateson Trophy will be presented to the Winner of the Brown course					
All runners must download by course closure time; even if you do not finish the course.					
Courses:	Colour	Distance	Climb	Remarks	
All courses are 25% above normal	Brown	12.5km	315m	Experienced orienteers only	
	Blue	9.3km	260m	Experienced orienteers only	
	Sh Green	4.6km	125m	Experienced orienteers only	
	V Short Green	2.5km	75m	Experienced orienteers only	
	Lt Green	6.1km	185m	Experienced orienteers only.	
	Lg Orange	5.5km	165m	Novice Orienteers	
	Score	90 mins	30 Controls	All controls worth 10 points	
Dress:		Full leg and arm cover are mandatory; that means no shorts or vests.			
Other Instructions:		All SP must be in-date and have completed Heat Illness Prevention Module 1 prior to taking part in MLS event. Tobacco & vaping is banned on all Trg Areas. Whistles are compulsory. Place £1 at registration and you will be given a whistle. Dogs in car park only.			
Costs:		Military - £4.25			
EOD £1.50 extra		Military Veterans - £5.50			
		Senior Civilians (M/W 21 and above) - £8.00			
		Junior Civilians (M/W 20 and below) - £5.50			
		EMIT Hire (if required) - £2.00			
SRO:		WO1 Des Dickinson – Artillery Centre			
Organiser:		Maj (Retd) Colin Dickson BAOC			
Planner:		Mark Thompson TVOC			
Controller:		Peter Riches TVOCWO2 Jason Edwards BAOC			
Contact Details:		dicksonc44@hotmail.com Mobile 07905050129			
Facilities:		Toilets, Food Wagon TBC			
Insurance		For civilians participating in Army orienteering, Public Liability Insurance is provided by Towergate; individuals are advised to have their own private accident insurance. This event is conducted iaw British Orienteering Rules 2025 and land booked iaw the AOA DIO Licence and JSP907			
Orienteering in the Army is classed as individual military training. Competitors are responsible for their own personal safety and for assessing their own abilities to complete the course.					

The personal data you give at Registration will be used by the event organisers and their agents but only for the purpose of processing/publishing entries/results, conducting safety checks and as required by our insurers to validate our cover; and, managed iaw the General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR)

Have fun and enjoy this new fast area.