

MILITARY LEAGUE (SOUTH)

Blandford Camp for the MLS

HOSTED BY Royal Signals

WEDNESDAY 30 Apr 25

Travel Directions:	Event will be signposted from the main entrance to Blandford Camp at the end of Black Lane DT11 8AA. What3words – outlined.accordion.acting. You will be booked onto camp using the entry list taken from RSU and so you will need photo ID for access. Remain on the same road through camp, Nelson Rd and turn right to the Mess Hill car park when directed by staff. Registration is in the main gym to the south of Mess Hill car park. Please allow time for the scheduled construction work at the front gate on entry and exit.				
Terrain:	Mix of rural and urban terrain using the woods and buildings around the Garrison grounds with a variety of tracks and some open grassy areas. Please remember this is a training establishment with teaching going on in some bldgs so please respect this as you run past windows etc.				
Mapping:	1:5000 overprinted on A3 waterproof paper. The map has been updated for the event to better reflect vegetation density. Loose control description provided at the start.				
Pre-entry:	Opens 18:00hrs, 23 Apr 25 at <u>racesignup.co.uk.</u>				
Results System:	Standard emit controls, for use with ecards, will be used. The results will be live on www.race-results.info and then later displayed on www.baoc.info .				
	1030 – 1355 hours. No EOD as access requires you to be on the pre-entered listing. If you have non-runners with you then email details to the organiser.				
Start / Cses:	1100 – 1400 h	ours. Cses	close at 1500hrs	sharp, from when controls will be taken in.	
All runners	must download	d by course	closure time; eve	en if you do not finish the course.	
Courses:		Distance	Controls/Climb	Remarks	
	Brown	10.7 km	32 Cntrls/ 180m	Experienced orienteers only	
	Blue	7.9 km	25 Cntrls/ 115m	Experienced orienteers only	
	Light Green	5.2 km	22 Cntrls/ 70m	Developing orienteers	
	S Green	3.7 km	16 Cntrls/ 60m	Experienced orienteers only	
	V S Green	3.0 km	15 Cntrls/ 55m	Experienced orienteers only	
	Long Orange	5.1 km	15 Cntrls/70m	Suitable for beginners	
	Score	1 Hour	23 Cntrls	All 10 pts - Does not count for MLS	
	Short Score	45 mins	18 Cntrls	For R Sigs trainees only- non MLS	
Dress:	Mainly Rural event so long trousers/sleeved tops are recommended. Vest and shorts not advisable. Studded shoes are allowed, but no spikes/metal studs .				
Other Instructions:	Tobacco and Vaping is banned on all Military establishments and training areas. Whistles are compulsory. Place £1 in the charity box at registration and you will be given a whistle. Please bring photo ID with you in order to gain access to the Camp. Please do not enter into any SLA buildings, or the areas around them which are across from the gym. These are soldiers living quarters.				
Costs:	Military - £4.25p Military Veterans - £5.50p				
DSDFD & DS only	Senior Civilians (M/W 21 and above) - £8.00p				
EOD: £1.50 extra	Junior Civilians (M/W 20 and below) - £5.50p				
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Organiser:	SSgt Justin Aspland-Monger (R Sigs) Justin.Aspland-Monger326@mod.gov.uk/			
Planner/Controller	Chris Branford (Wim) / Vicky McCreadie (R Sigs)			
Facilities:	Toilets in Main Gym building next to the car park. There is a shop and also the museum café which is a tourist attraction plus the RV café which is open until 1345hrs in the central space (which most will run through during the event!)			
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 2020 and land booked iaw the AOA DIO License 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.				