

Mole Valley Orienteering Club

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WINTER STREET O SERIES 2021/22 CHEAM VILLAGE TUESDAY 18 JANUARY 2022

This is the 4th event of a series of 8 winter evening Street Orienteering events MVOC are organising on a monthly basis from October to May. Each event will be a 1-hour score event and a league table will be compiled from the results of each event as they proceed. The best 5 results from the 8 events will determine the final league positions. There will be a trophy for the first male competitor and The Lois Exell trophy will be presented to the first female competitor at or soon after the final event.

To take part in this event: Pre-enter at www.racesignup.co.uk Please, if possible, use a smartphone and ensure you have latest version of MapRun (MapRun6) installed and the course is downloaded to your phone before you arrive. Details of how to obtain a copy of the app and how it works can be found here

Download the course onto the app by clicking on 'Select Event, and following the menu path **UK > Mole Valley > StreetO 21/22 Winter Series**. The course will not be visible on your phone until you receive the PIN number at Registration on the night. There are no written answers required with MapRun and your result will be automatically downloaded when you finish. The full procedure will be explained at Registration.

If you are really unable to use MapRun, you are still welcome to take part by completing the control sheet with pen or pencil but this is a much slower method. With this approach, timing will be by SI Start/Finish units – timing device supplied if you do not have your own. The procedure will again be explained at Registration.

Registration/ Start location: Ye Olde Red Lion, 17 Park Road, Cheam, SM3 8QB

Parking: There is a Pay and Display car park opposite the entrance to the pub.

Public transport: Cheam Rail Station is about 500m to the south of the pub. Southbound trains arrive roughly every half hour, northbound trains arrive roughly every 1 hour. Bus routes serving Cheam are the 151, 213, and 470.

Map: produced from OpenOrienteeringMap (<u>oomap</u>) at 1;10,000 scale and printed on waterproof paper.

Equipment required: Smartphone if possible, with MapRun6 installed and course downloaded in advance (see above) otherwise pen or pencil; watch or timepiece; torch or head torch; whistle in case of an emergency/injury. High visibility clothing.

Entry Fee: £3 to all BOF members, £5 to non-BOF members. Juniors under 16 are welcome but must be accompanied by an adult and the pairing will be charged the appropriate adult fee (above). Free to Mole Valley OC members and 'Supporters'.

Starts: Starts between 6.30pm and 7.30pm (no need to book an exact start time).

Score Event: "Score" just means that there is no set course. Your map will show a number of controls, but you don't have to visit them all. You get points for each control you do visit and lose points if you take more than an hour.

Last minute changes: Please visit the MV Web site before travelling to check for last minute changes www.mvoc.org

Results: provisional live on the app and final version on the club web site as soon as possible.

Covid 19: We shall be following all the current government and British Orienteering advice on Covid safety. **PLEASE DO NOT ATTEND IF:**

- · you have symptoms of COVID-19; have been asked to isolate by NHS Test and Trace;
- are living in a household with someone who has a possible or confirmed COVID-19 infection; or
- have received a positive COVID-19 positive test in the previous 10 days.

Full refunds of your entry fee will be given if you need to withdraw for any of the above reasons.

This event is planned and organised by Steve Carle - if you have any questions contact clerk@mvoc.org

You are responsible for your own safety and you take part in this event at your own risk.