



Mole Valley Orienteering Club

(affiliated to British Orienteering)

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SUMMER EVENING SERIES

Event 3 – THE NOWER

Tuesday 27th July 2021

This is the 3rd of a series of 4 Summer evening Orienteering events MVOC are organising between May and August. Each event will be at a local venue within the Mole Valley area.

Continuing the format of the first 2 events, there will be two Score* courses available:

Course A: a 60 minute “Odds & Evens” with a switch control.

Course B: a 60 minute Score course using the same controls but without needing to switch.

Course A is aimed at regular orienteers and runners.

Course B is aimed at those requiring a shorter run, families and ideal for newcomers.

****The area is essentially traffic free except a very lightly used access road for a few residents and a fishery car park, which divides the area. Everyone, especially young children, should be aware of the occasional car when crossing these roads****

Entries via racesignup.co.uk closing date Friday 23rd July. No entries on the day

Fees: BOF seniors £3; non-BOF seniors £5; BOF juniors (under 16) £1; non-BOF juniors £2
MV members – 50% discount; Si Dibber hire £1

Map printed on waterproof paper. Scale is 1:5,000 with 5 metre contours.

SI controls will be used throughout and will be SIAC enabled other than the start and finish.

The Nower: on the west outskirts of Dorking, comprises around 40 acres of mixed woodland with a large open area on the east side of the map. It rises from North to South to a sandy ridge 500 metres long running East – West across the map. It contains an extensive path network with some intricate areas of contour detail. Summer vegetation growth, particularly ferns, is pronounced in some places but the control locations have avoided the worst.

Starts: 4.45pm – 7.15pm. Courses close at 8.15pm sharp.

Start/Parking location: Milton Heath car park at TQ 154487. This will be signed off the A25 approximately 800m to the west of Dorking at TQ 154489; nearest postcode RH4 3PU; what3words kicked.fonts.rises

Parking is quite restricted. Further parking information will be given in the **Final Details**

Public transport: it is recommended not to use public transport to reduce the risk of Covid transmission

Trains: nearest stations to the start: Dorking 2.5km; Dorking West 1.6km.

Buses: 32 Guildford – Dorking – Redhill via Dorking Stn, nearest stop ‘Sondes Place Drive’

Results: Will be available on the club web site as soon as possible after this event.

***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 exceed the time limit.

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