

## SAXONS ORIENTEERING CLUB Invites you to the KENT NIGHT CUP [Round 3]



At Blean Woods near Faversham on Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> October 2014

**Directions** Explorer 149 TR 072 605 Nearest postcode **ME13 9LB** 

From the south leave the M2 at Brenchley Corner where it becomes the A299. Continuing north towards Whitstable take the first left, then left again which will take you back over the A299 and at the next junction turn right towards Staplestreet. Turn left in the middle of the village and reach Hernhill after ½ mile. Turn right by the Red Lion Pub along Crockham Lane and after 300 yds a sharp left will bring you to Crockham Road. Park along this fairly narrow road and register near the footpath which leads to the woods.

**Course** A 60 minute score event suitable for all abilities. 21 controls will be available and the rules for the event will be explained in detail at the start

**Map and terrain**. 1:7500 map with 5 metre contours. Waterproof paper will be used for the map of the area which shows a variety of features including a stream running south to north dividing the area into two distinct sections.

**Coming along?** This is a popular area for experienced night orienteers and for newcomers a lovely place to experience the fun which can be had at night in the woods. If Night Orienteering is new to you and you'd like some help and guidance email the organiser in advance and make yourself known on the night. Maps will be printed for those who are competing so **please email the organiser and let him know that you are coming.** 

**Registration** 19:00 to 19:15. Please don't be late as the mass start is at 19:30 and we have a short walk from registration to the woods

**Equipment** SPORTIDENT dibbers to hire if you don't have one. A reliable torch is essential plus a backup/reserve. Carrying a whistle is mandatory – as a casualty you should blow six short blasts, wait a minute and repeat.

Cost Seniors £4 Juniors £1. Dibber hire £1

**Apres 'O'** After the event join in the chatter and good humour loosely based on the highs and

lows of the hour in Blean Woods at the Red Lion Inn **ME13 9JR** (<u>www.theredlion.org</u>) back at the junction in Hernhill where prizes of monetary and sentimental value will be

awarded. Orders for food will be taken before the event at registration.

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Updates and results on www.saxons-oc.org

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