



SAXONS ORIENTEERING CLUB

invites you to the
KENT NIGHT CUP # 14

at

Hargate Forest (nr Royal Tunbridge Wells)

THURSDAY 18 DECEMBER 2014



Directions

Nearest Post code: **TN2 5PE**. From Central Tunbridge Wells take the A26 SW towards Eridge turning left into Broadwater Down on the edge of town. Park on this hill. Entrance to Forest on the south side of the road. Alternatively approach from the A267 end of Broadwater Down (Frant Road) (**TQ 571375**). Nearest railway station Tunbridge Wells (2km).

Courses

60 minute score suitable for all abilities. Visit as many controls as you can. 90s and 100s. Start with either 90s or 100s, then change to the other set via punching at 111 by the start/finish. (No #110. Only punch #111 once. No going back to other sets once changed.)

Xmas Bonus! Each control will have a sweet stuck to it. The first person to visit the control can take it. **BUT, only one per person** so ignore it if you already have a sweet. There will be 21 sweets out there. Eating during the run is fine, just don't drop the wrapper!

Map and Terrain

1:7,500 scale map with 5m contours, odd updates from the planner December 2014. Maps will be printed on A4 waterproof paper. Mixed forest with some contours. Used for both KNCs, Saturday and Sunday series events. Wild Unicorns live in the area. They are shy and will run away if they see or hear you. But you might just be lucky and see one ;-)

Coming?

Please email the organiser if you intend coming so we know how many maps to print. If you are new to Night Orienteering and would like someone to help you get started please email the organiser or make yourself known on the night.

Registration

19:00 to 19:15 (please don't be late).

Start

Walk to start in the middle of the map at 1920. Start and briefing at 1930 prompt.

Equipment

SPORT IDENT dibbers to hire if you don't have one. Some sort of torch essential plus a small backup/reserve. Carrying a whistle is mandatory (as a casualty, blow six short blasts, wait 1 min, repeat).

Cost

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

Après-O

Nevill Crest & Gun (www.nevillcrestandgun.co.uk), Eridge Road, Eridge Green Tunbridge Wells, East Sussex, TN3 9JR. Left out of Broadwater Down south 2km. We should pre-order from the menu before running.
<http://www.brunningandprice.co.uk/downloads/nevillcrestandgun/nevillcrestandgun-daily-menu.pdf>

Prizes

Prize giving will take place in the pub afterwards. As it is Xmas this will be a Secret Santa! Please bring a wrapped present, £2-£4 roughly in value.

Organisers

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Updates and results on www.saxons-oc.org

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