

Orienteering on Cannock Chase



Badgerslade

WMOA League Event

Sunday 13th December 2015

Directions to the event: On the A34 South of Brocton turn East into Camp Road. After 3km car parking is on the left, signposted from the turn off at the A34. The car park grid reference: SJ 982 158

Parking: The entrance will be via Aspen Car Park, with additional parking beyond the established car park. A one-way system will be enforced with the exit 400m south of the entrance. Charge £1.

Map: 1:10,000

Courses: White, Yellow, Orange, Light Green, Short Green, Green, Blue & Brown

Registration: 10.00am to 12.00pm

Start: 10.30am to 12.30pm (punching start)

Entry Fees: Seniors £8 (BOF Members) £10 (non BOF Members) Juniors £3
Entry on day only.

Punching: (SI) Sport-Ident Electronic, to hire a SI card Juniors 50p and Seniors £1

Terrain: Badgerslade marks the western limit of Cannock Chase. The land falls to the west in a collection of small irregular valleys. Mostly covered in forestry plantations with numerous woodland rides. About ½ the area is open and runnable, while the remainder presents a range of difficulties.

Toilets & Traders: toilets and catering are at the assembly area.

Dogs: Dogs are allowed on a lead.

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Planner: James Bennett

Controller: Mike Callow

Safety: Competitors take part at their own risk and must carry a whistle. Out of bounds areas must be avoided. In the past there has been coal mining below the area. It is possible but unlikely that fissures could appear suddenly on the area. Runners should avoid any area that shows signs of fresh deposits of soil or sand.

Please note that the area is frequently used by horse riders, dog walkers and bike riders. Please respect their right to be there. Footbaths are being used.