



2012 Saturday HALO League



There are seven Saturday Winter Events remaining in 2011/12.

Jan 7	Cleethorpes Country Park
Jan 28	East Park, Hull
Feb 11	Weelsby Woods, Grimsby
Feb 18	Beverley area (exact location to be confirmed)
Mar 10	Beverley Westwood (opposite the Racecourse Grandstand)
March 31	Oasis Academy, Wintringham, Grimsby
April 21	Humber Bridge Country Park

These events have starts from 1pm to 3pm, except East Park which is 10am to 12noon.

Results from the best four of these seven events will be used for the inaugural 2012 Saturday League. The league is open to all, members and non-members alike. Mementoes will be awarded for each of the four courses (White, Yellow, Orange and Technical) to the league winners who have taken part in at least four of these events. Only one memento per person.

Scoring

White, Yellow and Orange

50 points for the winner, 49 for second, etc.

Anyone mis-punching will score 1 point less than the last placed competitor with an additional 2 points deducted for each missed control.

For example

Five runners on a course with four completing the course correctly and one runner missing out two controls.

The scoring will be 50, 49, 48, 47, 42 (46-2x2).

Technical Course

Each competitor will be given a "mins/km" figure based on their 2011 Poacher Series performance. A predicted time can therefore be calculated for each event. The handicapped results will be based on the difference between actual and predicted times. Points will then be as the White, Yellow and Orange.

Non Poacher BOF runners will be given a "mins/km" figure based on their BOF Ranking Points (by comparison to Poacher runners)

Non Poacher, non BOF runners will be given a "mins/km" based on age and ability.

Multiple runs at the same event.

If a competitor runs both the White and Yellow course at an event, then only the first of these will be eligible for league points (even if they mis-punch). Similarly with the Orange and Technical courses. (This is to reflect the fact that these courses will share a significant number of controls and the second run should give an unfair advantage.)

Hence you can score a maximum of two sets of league points per event, one from White/Yellow and one from Orange/Technical

However the Organisers reserve the right to not award League points for experienced Orienteers running junior courses.

Event-specific details will be posted on the HALO website
(www.halo-orienteeing.org.uk).

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