



MILITARY LEAGUE SOUTH

ORIENTEERING EVENT

Queen Elizabeth Country Park, Nr Petersfield

HOSTED BY



Date: **Wednesday 26 September 2018**

Location: QECP, OS Landranger Map 186. Come off the A3 just south of Petersfield at SU719181 It is signed into QECP. Once through the electronic parking barriers drive to the top of the main hill for car parking, which means drive down past the Centre building and stay on the main road as it winds up to the very top of the hill.

Terrain: The map is heavily wooded with very deep valleys and high spurs to the north, the southern area is less steep but has some felled areas which are marked on the map, water features minimal at this time of the year. The courses all start at the top of the hill to minimise the climb. Dogs permitted out on the courses.

Registration : 1100 – 1400 hrs. EMIT Touch-free system being used.

Starts: 1105 – 1415 hrs **Courses Close:** 1530 hrs

<u>Courses:</u>	Brown Course	7.9 km	240m Climb	
	Blue Course	5.8 km	185m Climb	
	Light Green Course	4.7 km	160m Climb	For improving orienteers
	Short Green Course	3.2 km	90m Climb	
	Orange Course	3.1 km	80m Climb	Suitable for novices
	MTBO Course	10.5 km	260m Climb	(Also shortened version)
	Score course	60 mins	25 controls	

Cost: Military: £3.50 plus £1.50 for EMIT if required.
Civilian: £6.00 plus £1.50 for EMIT if required.

Map: Map updated 2018. 1:10,000. Contour Interval 5mtrs. Courses overprinted on waterproof paper, if numbers are high we will recycle and give out paper maps.

Facilities: Toilets in car park area and in the main park centre, there is also a café kiosk at the top by the toilets, as well as main café and shop in the main park centre.

Organiser/Planner: Maj (Retd) Allan Farrington (BAOC) - 07747 446600

Controller Kieran Devine (SOC)

Parking **QECP now has an automatic barrier entry system.** All day normally £5, but a special rate of £2 all day, has been negotiated, please have correct change ready to put in the parking bucket on arrival.

ORIENTEERING IN THE ARMY IS CLASSED AS MILITARY TRAINING BUT MTBO IS NOT.

For civilians participating in Army orienteering, Public Liability Insurance is provided by Towergate; individuals are advised to have their own private accident insurance. This event is conducted iaw British Orienteering Rules 2018 (v3.7). Orienteering in the Army is classed as individual military training, but MTBO is not. This event is on Forestry Commission land, so dogs are allowed.