

#	Date	Map	Club	Start Location / Notes	Suburb	Melway
1	31 Mar	Kensington	BK	West side of Kensington Station	Kensington	42 K2
2	7 Apr	Williamstown Strand	BK	Car park at the northern end of Bath Place Dinner at Bettenay's	Williamstown	56 C8
3	14 Apr	Moonee Ponds	BK	Rose Street, between Buckley Street and Miller Street	Essendon	28 G4
4	21 Apr	Newport	BK	Car park behind the Bowls Club - enter from Derwent Street	Newport	55 J4
5	28 Apr	Albert Park	BK	Corner of Bevan Street and Montague Street - park in St Vincent Place South Mid Season Dinner	Albert Park	57 F3
6	5 May	Yarraville Village	BK	South end of Woods Street (east of railway station) - park in Woods Street and at the northern end of the railway car park	Yarraville	42 A8
7	12 May	Kensington Sale Yards	BK	Hobsons Road Note: All courses will be offered two maps	Kensington	42 H3
8	19 May	Essendon	BK	Leake Street - park in Richardson Street Post Event Coffee and Cake	Essendon	28 F2
9	26 May	Ascot Vale	BK	Community Centre - Farnham Street	Flemington	28 K11
10	2 Jun	Old Williamstown	BK	Corner of Ferguson Street and Electra Street End of Series Dinner and Presentations	Williamstown	56 C8

COURSES AVAILABLE:

RUNNERS – A, B, C

WALKERS – PW

ALL COURSES ARE SCORE FORMAT – a watch is essential. Your best 5 scores will be used to calculate final placings.

ALL EVENTS START AT 7:00 PM SHARP. You need to arrive in time to register and prepare before the start.

FINISH TIMES:

A – 8:00 B – 7:50 C – 7:40 PW – 8:05 pm.

Courses are set to avoid parks and laneways where possible and mostly involve street running or walking. It is recommended, however, that you carry a torch.

Toilets are available at all western night events.

ENTRY FEES:

Adults - \$4.00

Juniors* - \$2.00



Western Night Series **SEASON TICKETS** are on sale at the first three events. Costs:

VOA members: \$24 for adults, \$12 for juniors*, \$60 per family*.

Non-members: \$30 for adults, \$15 for juniors*, \$75 per family*.

* Juniors: persons born after 31st Dec 1988. Family: two adults and any number of dependent juniors.

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1	11 Apr	Mullum Mullum	BK	Eastern car park at Peter Vergers Reserve, Maroondah Highway	Ringwood	B	50 D3
2	18 Apr	Eltham	NE	Car park in Eltham Lower Park, near Lenister Farm - enter from Main Road, via Hohnes Road	Eltham	D	21 H11
3	9 May	Malvern Star	BK	Ardrie Park, Howard Street - park in surrounding streets	Malvern East	A	68 H2
4	30 May	Greythorn	YV	Elgar Park - enter from Elgar Road	Mont Albert North	A	47 B4
5	13 Jun	Bundoora Parklands	NE	Bundoora Park - enter from Plenty Road	Bundoora	B	19 F4
6	27 Jun	Dandenong Creek	DR	Bayswater Park - enter from King Street	Bayswater	C	64 F3
7	11 Jul	Banyule / Viewbank	BK	Banyule Flats Reserve - enter from Somerset Drive	Viewbank	C	32 F2
8	18 Jul	Gilpin Park	BK	Car park west of Union Square Shopping Centre (near the corner of Grantham Street and Union Street)	Brunswick West	B	29 D9
9	25 Jul	Burnley Maze	BK	Park on Yarra Boulevard	Richmond	C	44 J11
10	15 Aug	Mill Park Lakes	YV	Mill Park Lakes Reserve - enter from The Lakes Boulevard	South Morang	A	183 B6
11	22 Aug	Abbey Walk	DR	Abbey Walk (south end of Heatherdale Road)	Vermont	C	63 D3
12	5 Sep	Glenfern Run	 DR	Knox Regional Netball Centre, Dempster Street	Ferntree Gully	C	73 J4
13	12 Sep	Bennettswood	NE	John Stubbs Reserve, Thomas Street	Box Hill South	B	61 C3
14	19 Sep	Brunswick	BK	Eastern end of Barkly Square Shopping Centre car park - enter from Barkly Street	Brunswick	A	29 H10
15	10 Oct	Blackburn Creeklands	DR	Car park behind South Parade shops	Blackburn	B	47 K10
16	17 Oct	Yarran Dheran	DR	Schwerkolt Cottage, Deep Creek Road Novelty Event and Presentations	Mitcham	B	49 D7

COURSES AVAILABLE:

RUNNERS – A, B, C

WALKERS – PW

ALL COURSES ARE SCORE FORMAT – a watch is essential. Your best 8 scores will be used to calculate final placings.

 - A RadiO course will be available in conjunction with this event - refer to the ARDF website www.ardf.org.au for start times and other details closer to the event date.

ALL EVENTS START AT 2:00 PM SHARP. You need to arrive in time to register and prepare before the start.

FINISH TIMES:

A – 3:00 B – 2:50 C – 2:40 PW – 3:05 pm.

Refreshments are available after all events. Please stay for a while and bring a plate of food to share.

Do not rely on public toilets being available or accessible near start locations on Saturdays.

ENTRY FEES:

Adults - \$4.00

Juniors* - \$2.00

* Juniors: persons born after 31st Dec 1988.

*** Season tickets are NOT available for the Saturday Series. ***



Guide to Wheelchair/Pram Accessibility

A – Good

Sealed footpaths, reasonably level gradients, no barriers to wheelchairs/prams.

B – Fair

Some rougher tracks, small hills or other impediments to wheelchair/pram progress.

C – Poor

Barriers on some routes, steeper gradients, some pathways not suited to wheelchairs/prams.

D – Unsuitable

Extremely poor access: rough tracks, steep gradients, fences, steps or other barriers.



For further information about the Saturday Series, call Barry Giles, Ph 9889 5173.

Wednesday

AUTUMN NIGHT SERIES

2009

#	Date	Map	Club	Start Location / Notes	Suburb	Melway
1	1 Apr	Camberwell	BK	Car park east of Cooloongatta Road	Camberwell	60 C2
2	8 Apr	Cathies Corner	DR	Templeton Reserve, Templeton Street	Wantirna	63 G9
3	15 Apr	Kerrimuir	YV	Springfield Park, Dorking Road	Box Hill North	47 F7
4	22 Apr	Notting Hill	DR	Reg Harris Reserve, Carmichael Road	Oakleigh East	70 A7
5	29 Apr	Rosanna Parklands	AR	Macleod Park, Birdwood Avenue	Macleod	20 B8
6	6 May	Highbury Hill	BK	Car park behind Burwood Heights Shopping Centre - corner of Burwood Highway and Middleborough Road	Burwood East	61 F7
7	13 May	Croydon	BK	Town Park, rear of Arndale Civic Service Centre - enter from Mount Dandenong Road	Croydon	50 K5
8	20 May	Rowville Lakes	DR	Eildon Park – enter from Tyers Crescent	Rowville	73 C12
9	27 May	Smiths Dell	NE	Eastern side of Anderson Park, Widford Street	Hawthorn East	59 G3
10	3 Jun	Bulleen / Balwyn North	BK	Rear of shops between Tannock Street and Sylvander Street	Balwyn North	46 G2

Wednesday

ICEBERG NIGHT SERIES

2009

#	Date	Map	Club	Start Location / Notes	Suburb	Melway
1	10 Jun	Bellbird Dell	DR	Scout Hall, Sapphire Street Autumn Series Presentations	Forest Hill	62 F2
2	17 Jun	Greenslopes	BK	Outlook Village Shopping Centre, Outlook Drive	Dandenong North	81 E9
3	24 Jun	Warralong Heights	BK	Diamond Village Shopping Centre car park, corner of Nepean Street and Medbury Avenue	Watsonia	20 G4
4	1 Jul	Glen Iris	BK	Car park west of Marquis Street	Ashburton	60 D9
5	8 Jul	Ringwood Wilds	DR	Heathmont Station car park (west of railway line), Heathmont Road	Heathmont	50 A12
6	15 Jul	Waverley Woods	AR	Essex Heights Reserve - enter from Outlook Road	Mount Waverley	61 B10
7	22 Jul	Mont Albert	BK	Car park behind shops, Weir Street	Balwyn	46 E8
8	29 Jul	Colchester	NE	Community House, Allamban Drive - park in surrounding streets	Bayswater North	65 B1
9	5 Aug	Templestowe Heights	YV	Aquarena Aquatic Centre car park, Williamsons Road	Templestowe Lower	33 D9
10	12 Aug	Glenhuntly Gallop	DR	Princes Park - enter from Dover Street	Caulfield South	68 B6

#	Date	Map	Club	Start Location / Notes	Suburb	Melway
1	19 Aug	Forest Chase	DR	Mahoneys Reserve - enter from Mahoneys Road Iceberg Series Presentations	Forest Hill	62 C4
2	26 Aug	Heidelberg Central	BK	Car park - enter from Cartmell Street	Heidelberg	32 A4
3	2 Sep	Academy Hill	BK	Car park behind Brandon Office Park - corner Ferntree Gully Road and Springvale Road	Glen Waverley	71 C8
4	9 Sep	Hawthorn East	NE	Car park behind Hawthorn Town Hall, Oxley Road	Hawthorn	45 D11
5	16 Sep	Rooks Run	AR	Mitcham Station car park (south of railway), Calcutta Street	Mitcham	48 J9
6	23 Sep	Koolunga	DR	Ferntree Gully Station car park (east of railway line), Alpine Street	Ferntree Gully	74 C3
7	30 Sep	Belmore Parklands	BK	Car park east of Marwal Avenue	Balwyn North	46 B2
8	7 Oct	Whealers Hill	DR	Freeway Reserve - enter from Kernot Avenue	Mulgrave	71 D12
9	14 Oct	Wattle View	DR	Park Crescent, south of basketball stadium - enter from Dorset Road Final scoring event for Spring Series	Boronia	64 K10
10	21 Oct	Ruffey Creek	YV	Zerbes Reserve - enter from Blackburn Road Novelty event and Spring Series presentations	Doncaster East	34 B10

COURSES AVAILABLE:

RUNNERS – A, B, C

WALKERS – PW

ALL COURSES ARE SCORE FORMAT – a watch is essential. Your best 6 scores in the autumn and iceberg series, and your best 5 scores in the spring series will be used to calculate final placings.

ALL EVENTS START AT 7:00 PM SHARP. You need to arrive in time to register and prepare before the start.

FINISH TIMES:

A – 8:00 B – 7:50 C – 7:40 PW – 8:05 pm.

Courses are set to avoid parks and laneways where possible and mostly involve street running or walking. It is recommended, however, that you carry a torch.

Do not rely on public toilets always being available or accessible near start locations at Night Series events.

ENTRY FEES:

Adults - \$4.00

Juniors* - \$2.00

Eastern Night Series **SEASON TICKETS**, covering the Autumn, Iceberg and Spring Series, are on sale at the first three Autumn Series events. Costs:

VOA members: \$72 for adults, \$36 for juniors*, \$180 per family*.

Non-members: \$90 for adults, \$45 for juniors*, \$225 per family*.

*Juniors: persons born after 31st Dec 1988. Family: two adults and any number of dependent juniors.

Cheques should be made out to 'Dandenong Ranges Orienteering Club'.

#	Date	Map	Type	Club	Start Location / Notes	Suburb	Melway
1	15 Mar	Plenty River	Bush 	YV	Bush orienteering close to Melbourne. Yellow Gum Park, Goldsworthy Lane - enter via Memorial Drive. Start times: 10am - 12pm	Plenty	10 G4
2	29 Mar	Woodlands	Park 	TK	Come and try park orienteering. Woodlands Historic Park picnic area – enter from Somerton Road. Start times: 10am - 12pm	Greenvale	178 B6
3	26 Apr	Nortons Park	Park	DR	Multi-Loop handicap race. Napier Park – enter from High Street Road. Mass start: 10am	Glen Waverley	71 J2
4	3 May	Macedon	Bush	CH	Macedon Primary School, Smith Street. Start times: 10am - 12pm	Macedon	VR* 634 D8
5	17 May	Williamstown	EndurO	BK	EndurO #1 – Long distance score event. North end of The Strand. Courses available: Foot-O Score course - 3 hour, 2 hour or 1 hour. Bike-O Score course - 2 hour. The 1 hour foot event will be suitable for novices and families. Mass starts: 9am (3 hr foot), 9:30am (2 hr bike), 10am (2 hr foot), 10:45am (1 hr foot)	Newport	56 C4
6	24 May	Dale Creek	Bush 	TK	Take the Western Freeway past Bacchus Marsh, then take the Blackwood exit (Pikes Creek Reservoir). Follow the Myrniong-Greendale Road for 6 km. Turn right at Greendale and follow O signs (for approximately 10 km). Start times: 10am – 12pm	Dale Creek	909 E12*
7	21 Jun	Maribyrnong Valley	EndurO 	TK	JUNIOR SQUAD FUNDRAISER EndurO #2 – Long distance score event. Pipemakers Park, Van Ness Avenue. Mass starts: 10am (3 hr), 11am (2 hr), 12pm (1 hr)	Maribyrnong	28 B10
8	5 Jul	Monash University	Sprint 	DR	World Masters Warmup #1. Monash University Clayton Campus – use the main entrance from Wellington Road. Start times: 10am – 12pm	Clayton	70 G11
9	2 Aug	Berwick	EndurO	NE	JUNIOR SQUAD FUNDRAISER EndurO #3 – Long distance score event. Edwin Flack Reserve, Manuka Road. Mass start: 11am	Berwick	111 H7

* The '909' Melway reference should be replaced by '609' in pre-2008 Melway editions. VR means Vic Roads.

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					Victorian Club Relays. Collendina Crescent.		
10	9 Aug	Plenty River	Relays	YV	Note: Pre-entry is required via your Club Secretary.	Greensborough	10 F10
					Mass start: 10am		
					Victorian Sprint Championships and World Masters Warmup #2		
11	30 Aug	Deakin University	Sprint 	DR	Deakin University Burwood Campus, Holland Avenue. Note: Pre-entry is required and you will be pre-allocated start times.	Burwood	61 B5
					Start times: 10am – 11am		
					Take the Hume Highway north past Wandong, then take the Clonbinane exit and follow O signs to Ridge Road. Turn onto Flowerdale Road and proceed to the assembly area at No. 1 Camp.		
12	11 Oct	Strath Creek	Bush	YV	Note: Due to the recent bushfires, there may be venue and/or direction changes for this event. Please check the VOA website closer to the date.	Mount Disappointment Forest	910 N9*
					Start times: 10am - 12pm		
					Braeside Park – enter from Lower Dandenong Road		
13	25 Oct	Braeside	Park 	BK		Braeside	88 E8
					Mass starts: 10:30am and 11am		


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EVENT DETAILS

Sunday Specials are all within easy driving distance of Melbourne, and provide a great introduction for newcomers to a wide range of orienteering events. They are suitable for all ages and abilities, including groups and families.

COURSES AVAILABLE:

Runners and Power Walkers. Course formats are Line unless noted above. All events use colour maps.

 - A RadiO Direction Finding course is available in conjunction with the event. Consult the ARDF website, www.ardf.org.au, for more details closer to the event date.

ENTRY FEES:

Entry fees vary, depending on map costs, park fees and related factors, but will generally range from \$6 to \$12 for VOA members, and \$8 to \$16 for non-VOA members. Special rates apply for juniors* and families*.

RadiO events typically cost the same as the orienteering event, or an extra \$3 to enter both events.

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For further details, check the Events Calendar on the Orienteering Victoria website:

<http://www.vicorienteering.asn.au/>



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Bayside Kangaroos	BK	Gwenyth	9898 4316	Tuckonic	TK	Peter	9379 3426
Dandenong Ranges	DR	Debbie	9878 9168	Yarra Valley	YV	John	9846 2874
Melbourne Forest Racers	MF	Dion	0419 449 309	Overall Coordinator		Ian Stirling	9876 3643

Regular participants are encouraged to join a club and/or Orienteering Victoria. While you do not need to be a member to take part in events, there are many benefits for members, including: Discounted season tickets and entry fees. Eligibility to enter Victorian and interstate Championship events. Annual subscriptions to *Orienteering Victoria* and *Australian Orienteer* magazines. A 10% discount at the Wilderness shop.

For further details, check the following websites:

<http://www.vicorienteering.asn.au/> and <http://street.orienteering.com.au>

Other Victorian Orienteering Events

Bush and Mountain Bike orienteering events are held in the autumn/winter/spring period. Bush events are generally conducted in western and north-western Victoria, such as the forests near Ballarat, Daylesford, Castlemaine and Bendigo.

Park and street orienteering events are also held most week nights in the Melbourne metropolitan area during the summer period. These events are run in daylight, so often feature more park running than the autumn/winter/spring street orienteering series.

Novices and non-members are welcome to **COME and LEARN** at any of these events.

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