

Winter 2022

Orienteering

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 **ORIENTEERING
VICTORIA**

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Orienteering Clubs

Regular participants are strongly encouraged to join a club, and hence become a member of Orienteering Victoria. There are many benefits for full members, eg eligibility to buy season tickets for significant savings. Park and street orienteering in and near Melbourne is organised by the Melbourne-based clubs:



Events in other locations are organised by the regional clubs:



Find out more about clubs at www.vicorienteering.asn.au/get-involved/clubs/

Orienteering Victoria Membership Fees

Annual fees: senior: \$35, junior/student: \$6, in addition to the club membership fee (varies depending on club). New memberships taken out after 1 October will be valid until 31 December the following year.

Find out more about OV membership at: www.vicorienteering.asn.au/get-involved/join

Eventor

Orienteering events are held year-round, all over Melbourne and regional Victoria. **Eventor** is the national orienteering calendar and entry system. Once registered, you can quickly find all types of events, and enter those that have pre-entry.

Go to <http://eventor.orienteering.asn.au/Events>

O-News Weekly e-Bulletin

Sign up to have Victoria's weekly e-bulletin, O-News, delivered to your inbox every Tuesday. Keep up to date with coming events, news, and last minute changes. Contact editor@vicorienteering.asn.au to be added to the mailing list.

COVID Safe Plan

All orienteering events are held in accordance with the OV COVID Safe Plan, which meets all government health directives and restrictions.

Visit www.vicorienteering.asn.au/orienteering-victoria-covid-19

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PARK & STREET ORIENTEERING IN AND NEAR MELBOURNE

Get some fresh air and a fresh perspective by exploring your local parks and streets with a map. Give your mind and body a great workout. Walk or run; be competitive or casual. Anyone of any age and ability can take part. Groups welcome.

Events are on weeknights and Saturdays from April to September. Each event has two running courses of 45 minutes and 60 minutes, and a 65 minute power walking course. Bring a watch or device to track the time, and a torch for night events. You don't need a compass or know how to read a map to get started.

HOW TO ENTER: Register and pay at the event. Adults \$5.00, Juniors \$3.00

Season and Multi Passes available during weeks 1–3. Pay by card, cash or bank transfer. Season Passes save up to 30%, and are valid for the entire nominated series. Renewable MultiPasses cost \$50 for any 10 events – quicker and easier than paying as you go.

Find out more at www.vicorienteering.asn.au/parkstreet

BUSH AND MTB ORIENTEERING IN MELBOURNE AND VICTORIA

Head off road and into the forest. Using a map, navigate across country on foot, or ride tracks and trails on your bike. Bush and mountain bike orienteering events are held near Melbourne, and further afield in Victoria, on weekends from March until October. Newcomers are welcome at all events, with a range of courses to suit everyone. Assistance is provided to help you get started.

HOW TO ENTER: Use Eventor to pre-enter and pay online, for all bush and MTBO events. Find out how to register, and enter events, at:

www.vicorienteering.asn.au/events/eventor

Find out more at www.vicorienteering.asn.au/bush
and www.vicorienteering.asn.au/mtbo

Find an event: <http://eventor.orienteering.asn.au/events>

Monday Night Series 1

2022

#	Date	Map	Start Location/Notes	Suburb	Melway
1	4 Apr	Ashwood South	Ashwood Reserve, off Winbirra Parade	Ashwood	60 J11
2	11 Apr	Balwyn North	Car park between Tannock and Sylvander Streets	Balwyn North	46 G2
3	18 Apr	Blackburn Creeklands	Car park rear of shops, South Parade	Blackburn	47 K10
4	25 Apr	Clarinda	Clarinda Library car park, Viney Street	Clarinda	78 J7
5	2 May	Colchester	Canterbury Gardens, Allambanan Drive	Bayswater North	65 B1
6	9 May	Doncaster Heights	Rieschiecks Reserve, George Street	Doncaster	33 J11
7	16 May	Heaney Park	Liberty Avenue Reserve, Liberty Avenue	Rowville	82 A4
8	23 May	Mitcham	Mitcham Station car park, Brunswick Street	Mitcham	48 K9
9	30 May	Mulgrave	Southern Reserve, enter from Rupert Drive	Mulgrave	80 F5
10	6 Jun	Rowville Lakes	Park Ridge Reserve, Dandelion Drive	Rowville	73 F12
11	13 Jun	Tally Ho	David Crawford Reserve, Orchard Street	Glen Waverley	62 A10
12	20 Jun	The Glen	Pinewood Tennis Club, cnr Herriotts Boulevard and Baker Avenue	Glen Waverley	70 K6
13	27 Jun	Wattle View	Fairpark Reserve, Park Boulevard off Manuka Drive	Boronia	64 F11

COURSES AVAILABLE: Runners 45 min (**Run45**); Runners 60 min (**Run60**); Power Walkers 65 min (**PW65**)

Courses are 25 control **score** format. Use the **MapRun** smartphone app, or card and (BYO) pen. Your best 7 scores in each Monday series will be used to calculate final placings.

Register, pay and start any time between 6.30pm and 7.00pm.

COURSE CLOSURE: all competitors must return by 8.05pm. Late penalties apply; please wear a watch.

Courses are set to avoid parks and laneways where possible, and mostly involve street running or walking. Carrying a torch is strongly recommended. All punching is contactless; there are no physical markers.

For further information about this series, call Michael Stillwell – 0418 650 350

Monday Night Series 2

2022

#	Date	Map	Start Location/Notes	Suburb	Melway
1	4 Jul	Ashwood North	Gardiners Reserve, Sixth Street	Burwood	60 J8
2	11 Jul	Bennettswood	Family Centre, Rotary Court, off Thomas Street	Box Hill South	61 C3
3	18 Jul	Bentleigh	Hodgson Reserve, Higgins Road	Bentleigh	77 F2
4	25 Jul	Blackburn North	Koonung Reserve, Heppner Street	Blackburn North	47 K7
5	1 Aug	Forest Chase	Forest Chase shopping centre car park se cnr, east side Mahoneys Road	Forest Hill	62 C2
6	8 Aug	Gardiners Bend	Car park between Highgate Grove and Lexia Street	Ashburton	60 D10
7	15 Aug	MitchelHill	Fleigner Hall car park, Highland Avenue	Oakleigh East	70 C8
8	22 Aug	Mont Albert	Balwyn Community Centre, 412 Whitehorse Road	Surrey Hills	46 F8
9	29 Aug	Rooks Run	Trade Place	Vermont	62 H2
10	5 Sep	Trinity Triangle	Morris Williams Reserve, Doyle Street/Gympie Street	Bulleen	32 G9
11	12 Sep	Tunstall Junction	DISC Sports Centre car park, Astelot Drive off Springvale Road	Donvale	48 F4
12	19 Sep	Wantima South	Car park off Darryl Street, west of Lynton Place	Scoresby	72 H7
13	26 Sep	Waverley Parklands	Chelsea Avenue	Mulgrave	80 K5

Refer to previous page for information about Monday Night events

VICTORIAN CHAMPIONSHIP **DOUBLE** May 28–29 2022 **HEADER**

Escape to El Dorado, for the Victorian Championship Weekend!
Experience the north east, on two superb granite maps.

Saturday Victorian Middle Distance Championship 2021,
Little Kangaroo Crossing

Sunday Victorian Long Distance Championship 2022,
Kangaroo Crossing

*Brought to you by Albury–Wodonga, Bayside Kangaroos,
and Yarra Valley Orienteering Clubs*



Tuesday Western Night Series

2022

#	Date	Map	Club	Start Location/Notes	Suburb	Melway
1	15 Mar	Travancore	MF	Essendon Hockey Centre, Hockey Lane	Travancore	29 A10
2	22 Mar	Whitten Oval	BK	Whitten Avenue	West Footscray	41 K4
3	29 Mar	Central Williamstown	BK	Car park, north end of Bath Place, off Ferguson Street	Williamstown	56 C8
4	5 Apr	Camp One	TK	Napier Street south of Raleigh Street (park in Raleigh Street)	Essendon	28 G4
5	12 Apr	Yarraville	BK	Corner of York and Stephen Streets	Yarraville	42 B9
	19 Apr			NO EVENT – EASTER		
6	26 Apr	Keilor East	TK	The Centreway	Keilor East	15 F10
7	3 May	Moonee Ponds	BK	Gladstone Street, opposite the car park	Moonee Ponds	28 H8
8	10 May	Ascot Vale	BK	Western corner of St Leonards and Union Roads	Ascot Vale	28 G9
9	17 May	Newport	BK	Newport Library car park, off Derwent Street	Newport	55 J4
10	24 May	Essendon	MF	Corner of Richardson and Leake Streets	Essendon	28 F2

Sunday Mornington Peninsula Series

2022

#	Date	Map	Club	Start Location/Notes	Suburb	Melway
1	10 Apr	Dromana	BK	Dromana Recreation Reserve, Pier Street	Dromana	159 J6
2	22 May	Sorrento	BK	Tuckey Track Reserve, 2 Lady Nelson Drive	Sorrento	157 D10
3	26 Jun	Safety Beach	BK	Dusky Drive Reserve, Dusky Drive	Safety Beach	160 E1
4	24 Jul	Rye	BK	French St Reserve, 73 Francis Street	Rye	168 B8
5	28 Aug	Blairstown	BK	Stringer Reserve, Stringer Road	Blairstown	167 C2
6	18 Sep	St Andrews Beach	BK	St Andrews Beach Recreation Reserve, Bass Meadows Boulevard	St Andrews Beach	251 K6

COURSES AVAILABLE: Runners 45 min (**Run45**); Runners 60 min (**Run60**); Power Walkers 65 min (**PW65**)

Courses are **score** format. Use the **MapRun** smartphone app. Your best 6 scores in the Tuesday series will be used to calculate final placings.

Register, pay and start any time between 6.30pm and 7.00pm on Tuesdays. Register from 10.45am for a 11.00am start on Sundays.

COURSE CLOSURE: All competitors must return by 8.05pm on Tuesdays, and by 12.05pm on Sundays. Late penalties apply; please wear a watch.

Night time courses are set to avoid parks and laneways where possible, and mostly involve street running or walking. Carrying a torch is strongly recommended. All punching is contactless; there are no physical markers.

For further information about the Tuesday Western Night series, call Ken Moore – 9337 5417

For further information about the Sunday Mornington Peninsula Series, call Mel Smith – 0427 180 082

Wednesday Autumn Classic Series

2022

#	Date	Map	Club	Start Location/Notes	Suburb	Melway
1	6 Apr	Cavills Corner	DR	Milpera Reserve, Milpera Crescent	Wantirna	63 E9
2	13 Apr	Deepdene	BK	Deepdene Park, Parkside Avenue	Deepdene	46 A8
3	20 Apr	Hawthorn East	NE	Anderson Park, Widford Street	Hawthorn East	59 G3
4	27 Apr	Koonung Crossing	DR	Timber Ridge Reserve, Anthony Avenue	Doncaster	32 K9
5	4 May	Blackburn South	BK	Eley Park, Eley Road	Blackburn South	61 H5
6	11 May	Templestowe Heights	AR	Ted Ajani Reserve, Thompsons Road	Templestowe Lower	32 K7
7	18 May	Oakleigh NEW MAP	DR	Jack Edwards Reserve, Edwards Street/ Parkside Avenue	Oakleigh	69 J9
8	25 May	Glen Iris	BK	Hartwell Sports Ground, Beryl Street	Glen Iris	60 E7
9	1 Jun	Camelot Rise	NE	Capital Reserve, Capital Avenue	Glen Waverley	62 G12
10	8 Jun	Waverley Woods	DR	Essex Heights Reserve, Outlook Road	Mt Waverley	61 B10
11	15 Jun	Beverley Hills	BK	Doncaster Reserve, Doncaster Road	Doncaster East	47 K1
12	22 Jun	Kerrimuir	YV	Springfield Park, Dorking Road	Box Hill North	47 F7
13	29 Jun	Bayswater	NE	Pine Road carpark between High and Station Streets	Bayswater	64 F4

COURSES AVAILABLE: Runners 45 min (Run45); Runners 60 min (Run60); Power Walkers 65 min (PW65)

Courses are 20 control **score** format. Use the **MapRun** smartphone app, or card and (BYO) pen. Your best 7 scores in each Wednesday series will be used to calculate final placings.

Register, pay and start any time between 6.30pm and 7.00pm.

COURSE CLOSURE: all competitors must return by 8.05pm. Late penalties apply; please wear a watch.

Courses are set to avoid parks and laneways where possible, and mostly involve street running or walking. Carrying a torch is strongly recommended. All punching is contactless; there are no physical markers.

For further information about this series, call David Prentice – 0434 320 845

Wednesday Spring Carnival Series

2022

#	Date	Map	Club	Start Location/Notes	Suburb	Melway
1	6 Jul	Mullauna	DR	Mitcham shopping centre car park, Victoria Avenue	Mitcham	48 J8
2	13 Jul	Bulleen Ups and Downs	BK	Sheahans Reserve, Sheahans Road	Bulleen	32 G5
3	20 Jul	BoulderDash	NE	Car park north end of Brevington Way (adjacent to All Nations Park)	Northcote	30 F7
4	27 Jul	Wheelers Hill	DR	Brandon Park Shopping Centre se cnr, Magid Avenue	Wheelers Hill	71 C9
5	3 Aug	Highbury Hill	BK	Tally Ho Reserve, Bennett Avenue	Mount Waverley	61 J9
6	10 Aug	Academy Hill	AR	Brentwood Reserve, Maylands Crescent	Glen Waverley	71 E8
7	17 Aug	Moorabbin	DR	Highett Reserve, off Turner Road	Highett	77 J9
8	24 Aug	Canterbury Trails	BK	Carpark between Bryson Street and Wattle Valley Road	Canterbury	46 E11
9	31 Aug	Dandenong Creek	NE	Heathmont shops SE end, off Canterbury Road	Heathmont	50 A12
10	7 Sep	Blind Creek	DR	Studfield Shopping Centre, Somerset Street	Studfield	63 K8
11	14 Sep	Heidelberg Central	BK	Carpark off Cartmell Street	Heidelberg	32 A4
12	21 Sep	Koonung Heights	YV	Mont Albert Reserve, Dunloe Avenue	Mont Albert North	47 A7
13	28 Sep	Glen Eira East	NE	Mackie Reserve, Mackie Road	Bentleigh East	69 C12

Refer to previous page for information about Wednesday Night events

VICTORIAN MTBO CHAMPIONSHIP TRIPLE TREAT May 14–15 2022

Head to Ballarat for the Victorian MTBO weekend! Test your skills on two wheels, on three top quality gold mining maps.

Saturday Victorian Sprint Championship, Brown Hill
Victorian Middle Distance Championship, Nerrina

Sunday Victorian Long Distance Championship, Nerrina



Brought to you by Bayside Kangaroos, Eureka Orienteers, and Yarra Valley Orienteering Clubs



Saturday Urban Series

2022

#	Date	Map	Club	Start Location/Notes	Suburb	Melway
1	2 Apr	Tarralla NEW MAP	DR	Gracedale Park, Gracedale Avenue	Ringwood East	50 E10
2	9 Apr	Coburg Lake	NE	PARK Basketball Stadium car park, Outlook Road	Coburg North	18 A10
3	23 Apr	Valley Reserve	BK	Valley Reserve car park, Wills Avenue	Mount Waverley	70 G2
4	30 Apr	Abbey Walk	DR	PARK Abbey Walk Reserve, Heatherdale Road	Vermont	63 D3
5	7 May	Endeavour Greens	AR	Waratah South Reserve, enter from Frawley Road + RadiO Event	Eumemmering	91 A9
6	14 May	Birralee	YV	Park & Ride car park, Doncaster Road	Doncaster	46 K1
7	21 May	Banyule	BK	PARK Heidelberg Park, Beverley Road	Heidelberg	32 B4
8	4 Jun	Brunswick	BK	EndurO Gilpin Park, Albert Street	Brunswick	29 E8
9	11 Jun	St Helena	YV	Glendale Reserve, Brixton Avenue	Eltham North	11 G12
10	18 Jun	Boeing Reserve	TK	PARK Adelaide Boulevard	Gowanbrae	16 D2
11	25 Jun	Eel Race NEW MAP	NE	EndurO Riviera Reserve, off Eel Race Road	Seaford	97 F10
12	2 Jul	Chirnside Park	DR	Goldentree Drive Reserve	Chirnside Park	37 D5
13	9 Jul	Darebin Parklands	BK	PARK Darebin Parklands, east end of Separation Street	Alphington	31 C9
14	16 Jul	Berwick Springs	DR	The Esplanade	Narre Warren South	130 J4
15	23 Jul	Fabulous Fitzroy	NE	Edinburgh Gardens, Alfred Crescent, opposite Rowe Street	North Fitzroy	44 C1
16	30 Jul	Westerfolds Park	YV	PARK Ridge picnic area car parks, off Fitzsimons Lane	Templestowe	33 F1
17	6 Aug	Donvale Pines	BK	Learning Centre car park, north west of The Pines Shopping Centre	Doncaster East	34 D5
18	13 Aug	Bellbird Dell	AR	Terrara Park, Terrara Road + RadiO Event	Vermont South	62 J7
19	20 Aug	Wattle Park	NE	Chalet carpark, enter from Riversdale Road	Burwood	60 K3
20	27 Aug	Lilydale Lake	DR	PARK Lilydale Tennis Club car park, off Hardy Street	Lilydale	38 F6
21	3 Sep	Montgomery Park	BK	Montgomery Park, Hilda Street	Moonee Ponds	28 K4
22	10 Sep	Eltham Parklands	NE	Eltham Central Park, Main Road	Eltham	21 J5
23	17 Sep	Nortons Park	DR	PARK Napier Park, off High Street Road	Wantirna South	71 J2

The 2022 Saturday Series has 8 **Park** events, 13 **Regular** events, and 2 **EndurO** events. Your best 12 scores are used to calculate the placings. Saturday Season Passes and Multi Passes are valid at all 23 events.

All courses are **score** format. Use the **MapRun** smartphone app, or card and (BYO) pen. **All events:** Register, pay and start any time between 1.30pm and 2.00pm.

Park events feature colour maps and most controls in parkland. At **Regular** events, 20 controls are placed in streets and parks. There are no physical markers, as all punching is contactless. **EndurO** events are 120 min or 90 min long, with 40 controls on a larger map.

COURSES AVAILABLE: Runners 45 min (**Run45**); Runners 60 min (**Run60**); Power Walkers 65 min (**PW65**). Course lengths for EndurOs are **Run90**; **Run120**; **PW120**.

For further information about this series, call Peter Yeates – 0407 345 368

MelBushO Sunday Events

2022

#	Date	Map	Club	Start Location/Notes	Suburb	Melway
1	3 Apr	Candlebark Park	NE	Enter Westerfolds Park from by turning west off Fitzsimons Lane, then following orienteering signs north to parking. Do not park on the eastern side of Fitzsimons Lane.	Templestowe	33 F1
2	24 Apr	Tikalara Park	NE	Websters Road	Templestowe	34 C2
3	15 May	Banksia Park	MF	Enter from Templestowe Road and follow orienteering signs to parking	Bulleen	32 E5
4	12 Jun	Wellington Chase	DR	Birdsland Environment Centre, off Mt Moreton Road	Belgrave Heights	84 A2
5	3 Jul	Yellow Gum Park	YV	Turn onto Memorial Drive from Yan Yean Road. Turn south at Goldsworthy Lane and follow orienteering signs to parking	Yan Yean	10 F5
6	17 Jul	Jells Park	DR	Enter from Waverley Road and park in the main car park	Wheelers Hill	71 K6
7	7 Aug	Yanakie Block	YV	Turn into Henley Road from Eltham-Yarra Glen Road, and follow orienteering signs	Kangaroo Ground	272 F10
8	21 Aug	Hawkestone Park	BK	Enter Plenty Gorge Park from Gordons Road and follow orienteering signs to parking + RadiO Event	South Morang	183 H8
9	4 Sep	Woodlands Historic Park	TK	Enter from Somerton Road	Greenvale	178 B6

MelBushO events, held on Sunday mornings, are the perfect way to get started in bush orienteering without travelling far from Melbourne. Choose any of the five courses – all abilities catered for. We provide coaching, advice, and equipment loan. Please pre-enter and pay online using Eventor. All MelbushO events use Sportident in AIR mode.

**For more information contact Ruth Goddard – 0474 130 828
or visit www.vicorienteering.asn.au/melbusho**



**SATURDAY SPRINT DOUBLE – Melbourne's South East
SUNDAY CITY RACE – Iconic Williamstown**

The perfect add-on to your AusChamps holiday!

Head off road and into the forest, and explore Victoria. Using a map, navigate across country on foot, or ride tracks and trails. Newcomers are always welcome, with a range of courses to suit everyone. Look for details and entry instructions on Eventor, on the Orienteering Victoria website, and in the weekly O-News Bulletin.

Date	Event	Club	Location/More Information
VIC AUTUMN SERIES			
20 Mar	Vic Autumn 1	NE	Lauder Mine, Newstead
10 Apr	Vic Autumn 2	EU	Enfield State Forest, Enfield
1 May	Vic Autumn 3	BK	Sailors Diggings, Daylesford
22 May	Vic Autumn 4	CH	Glenlyon Forest, Glenlyon
VIC SPRING EVENTS			
31 Jul	Vic Spring 1	BK	Deadmans Flat, Fryerstown
14 Aug	Vic Spring 2	DR	Kimbolton, Eppalock
28 Aug	Vic Spring 3	NE	Crocodile Reservoir, Fryerstown
10 & 11 Sep	Vic Spring 4 & 5	BG / YV	Mt Tarrengower, Maldon
VIC MTBO SERIES			
24 Apr	Vic MTBO 1	EU	Creswick Forest, Creswick
8 May	Vic MTBO 2	DR	Mt Robertson, Kinglake
19 Jun	Vic MTBO 3	BK	Walmer State Forest, Castlemaine
17 Jul	Vic MTBO 4	EU	Woowookarung, Ballarat
7 Aug	Vic MTBO 5	NE	Saigari, Newstead
4 Sep	Vic MTBO 6	AW	El Dorado
6 Nov	Vic MTBO 7	BK	Eumeralla, Anglesea
VICTORIAN CHAMPIONSHIPS			
14 & 15 May	Vic MTBO Champs Weekend – Sprint, Middle & Long	BK / EU / YV	Brown Hill and Nerrina, Ballarat
28 & 29 May	Vic Champs Weekend – Middle & Long	AW / BK / YV	Kangaroo Crossing, El Dorado
23 Oct	Vic Relay Championships	BG	Argyle, Heathcote
LOCAL SERIES			
Mar–Sep	Albury-Wodonga Interclub Events (Sunday mornings)	AW	awoc.org.au
Jun–Jul	Ballarat Winter Series (Sunday mornings)	EU	eurekaorienteers.org.au
Apr–Oct	Bendigo Bush Series (Saturday afternoons)	BG	bendigo-orienteers.com.au



At Vic Autumn Series, Vic Spring events, and Vic MTBO events, you choose the course length and difficulty that suits you. Please pre-enter and pay online, using Eventor. Sportident punching in AIR (contactless) mode will be used.

Victorian Championships are the premiere events of the season; however they are open to all, and newcomers are welcome. You will need to enter a course applicable to your age group. Pre-entry and payment online is required.

**Find out more at www.vicorienteering.asn.au/bush and www.vicorienteering.asn.au/mtbo
Enter online with Eventor: <http://eventor.orienteering.asn.au/events>**



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VICTORIA 2022



24 September - 2 October
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