

OCTAVIAN DROOBERS SCHOOLS ORIENTEERING CHAMPIONSHIPS 2020



For Coventry, Warwickshire and Solihull Schools*

Saturday 14 March, 2020

**Ryton Pools Country Park, Bubbenhall,
CV8 3BG**

10.30am until 12noon

All pupils are welcome from Year 5 up to Year 13. These championships are aimed at introducing children to the adventure sport and for our junior club members. Beginners are especially welcome as help is available to all participants.

Come along with your classmates and families; complete an entry form, with your name, school year and school name. There will be school team, individual boys and girls prizes and certificates to credit success.

Categories:

Primary - Years 5 and 6 (*pupils can run in pairs, NB junior club members in Years 4 and under can compete in this category*)

Lower Secondary – Years 7, 8 & 9

Upper Secondary - Years 10, 11, 12 & 13.

There will be 3 courses from approximately 1km to 3km: a very easy White, easy Yellow and a medium Orange. Full details on website. Entry is £1 plus £1 for hire of electronic timer.

Organised by Octavian Droobers Orienteering Club see www.octavian-droobers.org

** includes schools outside this area where pupils are members of OD*

NB Date for your diary

**W Midlands Schools Championships,
Saturday 16 May 2020, Hill Top, West Bromwich**

Organiser – www.coboc.org.uk (City of Birmingham Orienteering club)

Information and Rules

Please complete the entry form attached, and encourage pupils to run as individuals, however, pairs are permitted noting that they MUST finish together to count (mixed pairs will run in the Boys category). Each entrant will receive a map (including both members of each pair) and an EMIT electronic timer.

<u>Category</u>		<u>Course</u>	
Primary School*	Year 5	Girls	White 1.5km (approx)
“	Year 5	Boys	White 1.5km
“	Year 6	Girls	White 1.5km
“	Year 6	Boys	White 1.5km
Lower Secondary	Years 7, 8 & 9	Girls	Yellow 2km
“	Years 7, 8 & 9	Boys	Yellow 2km
Upper Secondary	Years 10, 11, 12 & 13	Girls	Orange 3km
“	Years 10, 11, 12 & 13	Boys	Orange 3km

*this can include experienced Year 4 and under pupils who are OD junior club members, who will run in the Year 5 category.

Cost: Entry fee £1 per pupil plus a hire cost of £1 for each electronic timer (EMIT)* to be paid on the morning of the championships. * Some junior OD club members do have their own, so hiring is not then required.

Prizes

Individual

There will be individual prizes for the winners of each Course (8 in total), plus runners up prizes. Each prize winner will receive a certificate as will all entrants.

School Team

A trophy will be awarded to the best Primary, Lower Secondary and Upper Secondary School Teams and certificates for 2nd and 3rd placed teams.

This will be calculated using the best 4 individual or pairs places from each of the above categories. If less than 4 in the team then the best 3 etc.

Should there be a tie then the winning team will be the one with the most 1st places overall.

Coaching and Instruction

To encourage new orienteers the club will have helpers to advise beginners on how to use the timer, read the map and use of a compass if necessary. Encouraging pupils to come along to one of our local events prior to the championships is a good idea.

See website for events: www.octavian-droobers.org.

Venue and Starts – Ryton Pools, postcode CV8 3 BG and follow brown tourist signs

Car park charges: up to 2 hours £3, 2 – 4 hours £4, over 4 hours £6

Starts are from 10.30 until 12noon. We recommend that pupils arrive before 10.30 and are ready to run from 10.30am. Starters will set off competitors at varied times to ensure the competition is fair.

**OCTAVIAN DROOBERS SCHOOLS ORIENTEERING SCHOOLS
CHAMPIONSHIPS 2020 - ENTRY FORM**
Saturday 14 March 2020 – Ryton Pools Country Park, Bubbenhall

Name of School

Address of School

Email.....

Person in Charge.....Tel Number.....

Email:

Our School normally enters orienteering and sporting events under these Initials: (e.g. PCS)

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I/we the Head Teacher/Governors give permission for OD to take photographs of competitors that may be used on British Orienteering / Octavian Droobers websites or for any promotional information

Head Teacher's Signature (confirming entry and photograph permission)

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Please complete this entry form with pupil details, use additional sheets if necessary.

Academic Year	Pupils names	<i>Please bracket pairs</i>	Total number of pupils	Please tick by each for Emit hire £1 per individual or £1 per pair	Please leave column blank
Year 5* Girls <i>If under Year 5 & OD member please state year.</i>					
Year 5* Boys <i>If under Year 5 & OD member please state year.</i>					
Year 6 Girls					
Year 6 Boys					

Academic Year	Pupils names	<i>Please bracket pairs</i>	Total number of pupils	Please tick by each for Emit hire £1 per individual or £1 per pair	Please leave column blank
Year 7,8 & 9 Girls					
Year 7,8 & 9 Boys					
Year 10,11,12,13 Girls					
Year 10,11,12,13 Boys					

Total Number of pupils entered..... @ £1entry fee + number of pupils hiring EMIT@ £1
= total £

Entry costs (£1 per pupil and £1 per EMIT hire*) to be paid on the day of the competition either in cash or by cheque payable to “Octavian Droobers”. *Some OD juniors own an EMIT so do not need to hire.

Entry Forms to be returned, postmarked no later than Friday 6th March 2020 to:

Karin Kirk, Hazelwood, Blacksmith Lane, Frankton, Warwickshire, CV23 9FZ or email to karinkirk29@gmail.com TEL: 01926 632189 .You will find it helpful to keep a photocopy of your completed entry form