



SOA Newsletter 3 (08) – April

Courses – dates for your diary

- OCAD, Condes, SI & Emit workshop weekend 12-13 July (date change) – top quality tutors for as much hands-on O-computing as you want.
- Improvers' Coaching weekend 4-5 May – for adults of (approx.) Light Green standard and above.

Please use form on NatCen website to book your place on either of the above courses:
<http://www.scottish-orienteering.org/documents/natcen/natcen-booking-form.doc>

- LAST CALL for the PLANNERS' COURSE in Banchory on Saturday 12th April.
- Level 1/2 Coach course 7-8 June, probably on Deeside

Please contact Hilary to book on this (see contact info below).

Regular Orienteering Map Programme (formerly map of the month)

- Lossie Forest until the end of April
- Glen Gynack for April and May

Train with the stars!

The GB Squad will be training at Roseisle on Friday 18th April, and invite anyone to join them. Details on <http://www.scottish-orienteering.org/index/soa/page/boc-training/>

SOA AGM

The SOA AGM is to be held on Saturday 14th June 2008, at Stirling University. It will start at 5p.m., with various relevant activities and discussion sessions on offer beforehand. Full details will be on the website soon.

Start Clocks

Start clocks are now available on free loan to SOA clubs. Details on www.finchhouse.org

Changes to British Orienteering Coaching Qualifications

Details of recent changes are on the SOA website:

www.scottish-orienteering.org/index/soa/page/british-orienteering-coaching-scheme/

Local courses for tutors are being arranged.

Contact details

1. All SOA Board members are now using generic e-mails rather than personal ones, eg. president@scottish-orienteering.org, communications@.... etc. Please change your address book!

2. Hilary Quick (Assistant Professional Officer) is about to move house and will be "of no fixed abode" from 15 April until 30 May. Depending on level of urgency, please contact via mobile phone, e-mail or at the National Orienteering Centre:

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