

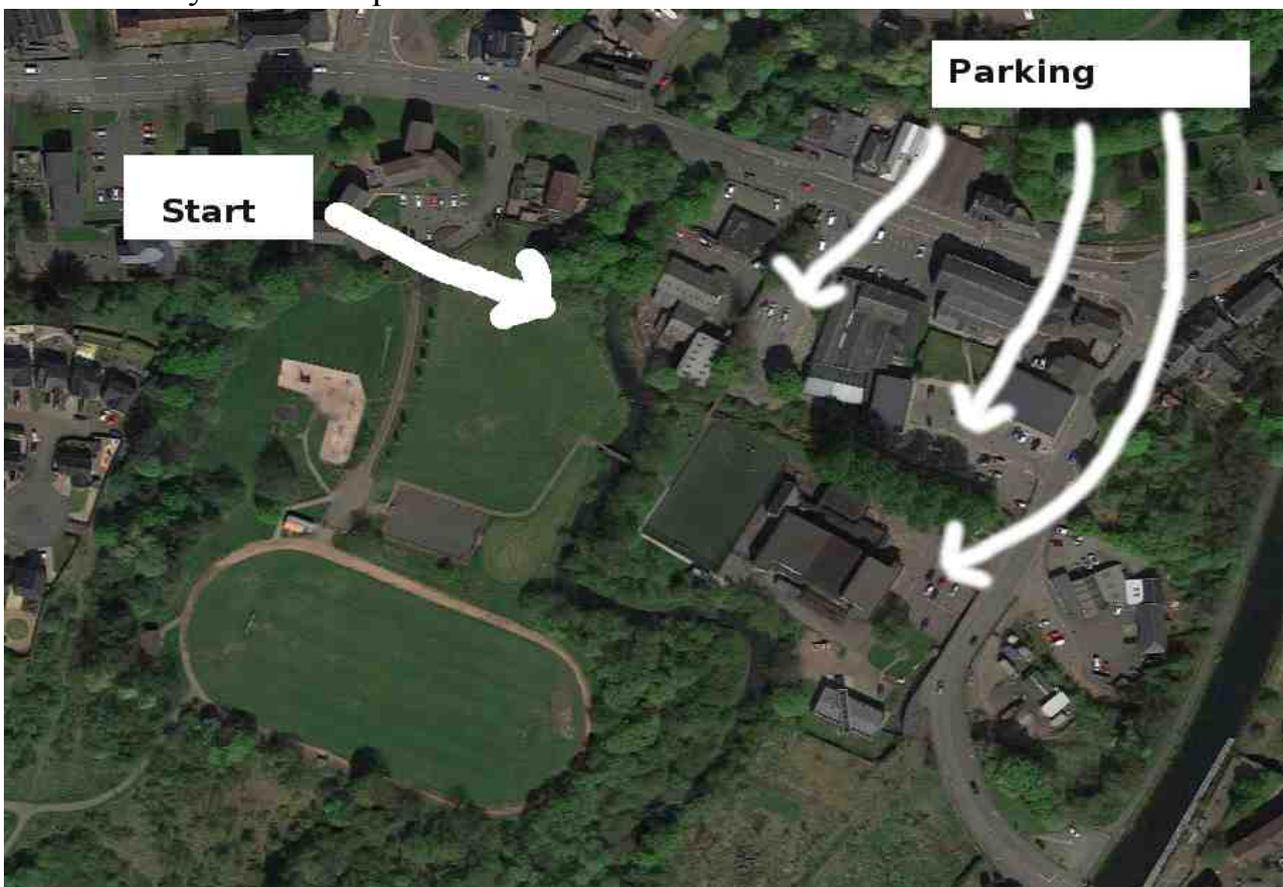
FINAL DETAILS

Important Covid Info:

1. If you're displaying one or more Covid-19 symptoms you must not attend.
2. If you are in Covid-19 quarantine you must not attend.
3. People in higher risk categories as set out by the government should be aware that attending places you at increased risk.
4. The 2-metre rule applies at all times, including at controls, so please move away from controls as soon as you have punched. Please also maintain distancing on the route between parking and Start/Finish.
5. Please keep young children with you at all times.
6. You need to turn up for your starts on time. There is minimal room for rescheduling late starters, and you may have to wait to get an available start slot.
7. Please do not congregate at the start/finish/car park. 8. By taking part you agree to British Orienteering code of conduct (see https://www.britishorienteering.org.uk/COVID19_Safe_Orienteering)

Parking:

The event will run from Anderson Park (Jenny's Park), Bonnybridge, Grid Ref NS 822803 / FK4 1AD / <https://what3words.com/carver.delighted.downhills>. There is some parking in the supermarket car parks here, but only for one hour duration, so you may need to be quick round your course. Alternatively, park in the library/community centre car park, or on one of the adjoining streets, - please leave time in case you have to park further afield.



Toilets:

There are no toilet facilities at the event, so please bear this in mind.

Start/Finish:

These are both very close to the event centre. Please avoid congregating around the start area and aim to arrive at the start no more than 5 minutes before your start time. Please always adhere to the 2m rule while waiting.

Terrain:

Former sand quarry, so nice and soft underfoot. There are a number of ponds and a river in the area, so keep small children (if you have them) close by. Mostly open and runnable, Yellow is entirely on tracks.

Map:

1:7,500, Contour interval 5m. Note that we are only using the nature reserve, even for the Green course, as we have had a number of U16 entrants who would have had to be shadowed were we to use the urban area as well.

Control descriptions:

These are printed on the front of the map. There will be no loose descriptions at the event, but you can download your descriptions from this page and print them off yourself.

Timing:

Sportident in Contactless mode (SIAC) but any version of Sportident dibber will work. Note that all dibbers, including SIAC, must be dibbed manually at the Start and the Finish.

Controls:

Please avoid putting your hands on any of the equipment.

Courses:

Yellow 2.1km +35m

Orange 2.5km +60m

Green 4.7km +110m (double-sided map)

Courses close:

at 8:00pm. If you are still out on the course at 8pm, please head directly to the finish!

Safety:

There will be other users in the woods, such as dog walkers, runners and cyclists. Please be considerate to other people using the area for recreation, bearing in mind the ongoing distancing rules. There is a flooded sand-pit in the area, but it is fenced off, signposted and marked as "out of bounds" on the map.

Covid-19 procedures:

A Covid officer will be present at the event, ensuring that we meet the guidelines; please do not be offended if you are asked to move to give someone else space, or move on after you have finished, or downloaded, etc.

About the area:

On 5 April 1820 a group of striking weavers were intercepted at Bonnyfield on the way to the Carron Ironworks, where they intended to steal a cannon. The men, who were protesting about the right to vote, were ambushed by an armed force on the muir. In the ensuing struggle, at least four of the weavers, a police lieutenant and sergeant were badly wounded. Three of the rebel leaders - Andrew Hardie, James Wilson and John Baird were arrested and later executed by beheading, the last such executions in Britain.

Bonnybridge is also famous for harbouring the Stone of Destiny after it was stolen from Westminster Abbey in 1950 by Scottish Nationalists. For some time after the event the Stone was hidden in the offices of Rollo Lathes in Bonnybridge by the founder John M. Rollo.