

BARRWOOD - WEDNESDAY EVENING EVENT #2 12/04/2023 Final Details



Parking: As shown on the FVO event page – there is a small car park at NS795865. W3W - ///sunk.mountains.poets. Access from A872 (signposted Boards Quarry)

Toilets: There are no toilets at the event.

Enquiries/Start/Finish: Immediately adjacent to parking. Collection of hired dibbers and download will also be here.

Terrain:

Mix of open and semi-open moorland and runnable beech forest. Plenty of contour detail!

Map: 1:7,500, Contour interval 5m, drawn by GG Maps in 2016 and minor updates up until December 2022

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 email and print them 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 1.87k +55m

Orange 2.31k +75m

Green 4.48k +155m

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

Safety: Take care if arriving by foot or bike, as there are may be lorries using the road to the quarry. The Green course crosses a wall at one point, which has a barbed wire fence behind it. This has been marked on the map as a “Forbidden Route” for illustrative purposes; you may cross at any point, but the unmarked section has no barbed wire on it.

About the Area: The Barrwood was established as a Scout training ground in 1922 and was gifted, in trust, to the Stirlingshire Scout Association in 1946 by Sir Ian Bolton of Auchenbowie, Lord Lieutenant of Stirlingshire.

Barrwood is the jewel in the crown of our smaller local areas, and has been used many times for racing, including the Middle race at the 2008 World Schools Championships (which was won by a certain Kris Jones)