

Event Information V1 as of 6th Jul 2020

Harlequins Orienteering Club

Virtual orienteering at Billesley

in Birmingham



Orienteering in Worcester, Hereford, South Shropshire, Black Country and Birmingham.

Venue & Travel

Car park at the Billesley Indoor Tennis Centre & Gym, Wheeler's Lane, Billesley, Birmingham

B13 OST.

Web site: https://www.birminghamleisure.com/billesley-tennis-fitness-centre

Terrain:

Urban orienteering and map running with options to run along streets, urban parks and common

land.

MapRun details:

Prior to travelling the map can be found on the MapRun app by navigating to: Select event - UK - West Midlands - Birmingham - Billesley PXAS Score N60

No PIN required.

If you are at the location it can be found by using the "Events near me" button on the Maprun

app.

It is possible to use the map available on the app to do the course, however, it is recommended to print a version before travelling to the event. A pdf of the course with control descriptions

are available on the HOC website or via email (VOCs@harlequins.org.uk).

Map:

Scale 1:10,000 open orienteering map

Courses:

One hour score course using MapRun. 27 controls, numbers 11-19 worth 10 points, 20 - 29 worth 20 points each and 30 - 36 worth 30 points each. Penalty of 10 points a minute for late finish. See the instructions on the HOC website on how to use the MapRun app. If you don't have the app the course can be recorded on a GPS watch and can be sent to the MapRun admin to

upload.

Planner: John Leeson

Start/Finish:

West corner of tennis centre car park

Facilities:

No toilets at venue.

Safety:

Competitors take part at their own risk. These courses are not covered by British Orienteering insurance, so are at your own risk as if you were going out training on your own. Neither British Orienteering or Harlequins accepts any liability for your use of the course or map. Please use them safely looking out for yourself and other members of the public who may be in the area. Also please follow the latest government advice on social distancing.

No roads out of bounds but care must be taken when crossing all roads. There are some water features on the map but there should be no need to cross them apart from on bridges which are marked on the map.