

Stourbridge Night Street Event - Results

It was gratifying to have a good turnout on a very wet evening. For the first time, I abandoned using fire hydrants as controls, and switched to lamp posts. The resulting flexibility enabled me to plan courses with more route choice, and I was pleased to listen to the comments of the participants as they compared their solutions to the decision problems I had cunningly set. It made it all worth while. Also, it was good to see several newer names amongst the NSL fraternity making their first appearances in Stourbridge.

Geoffrey Foster demonstrated his prowess as current Short Course champion by winning that course. The Medium Course attracted 5 runners, and old hand Russ Fauset romped to victory. Closest finish was on the Long Course, with the customary battle between Chris Embrey and his dad: Chris scraped into first place by 34 seconds (bet he'll regret that when the question of his allowance is next due for discussion!)

Long 8.0 km

1. Chris Embrey	63.41	10 pts
2. John Embrey	64.17	9
3. Rachel White	82.06	8
4. Brian Hughes	82.59	7

Medium 5.7 km

1. Russ Fauset	54.20	10 pts
2. Neil MacKenzie	58.47	9
3. Peter Langmaid	60.03	8
4. Bob Schofield	63.23	7
5. Colin Spears	73.12	6

Short 3.1 km

1. Geoffrey Foster	43.49	10 pts
2. Bill and Joe Nock	47.03	9
3. Alison Sloman	50.04	8

Organiser: Robert Vickers 10 pts