

## **NSL 24/25 event 2, Stourport; planners comments**

Twenty individuals and one pair, including four non-members two of whom were completely new to NSL, gathered on Thursday for the run round Stourport.

I was delighted to have found this location and thoroughly enjoyed planning the event. The terrain was as varied as I could possibly make it, with route options in parks, riverside, fields, towpaths, woodland and Hartlebury common, in addition to the usual streets and a fun cluster of controls around the historic canal basin. A couple of brave runners took a (successful) chance on a route through a long tunnel under the old Leapgate railway line, not marked on the map. Some others took routes that were marked OOB for safety reasons, which may have been due to the red print not showing up as well as it should have done on the map.

Pub of the night, The Old Beams, treated us very well taking the extra numbers in their stride and I'll be looking for an excuse to return there in future.