Areas/Start Venues

Exact venues/locations will be released 1 month before each event – full details will be on the D&W website look out for yellow/black directional road signs at all events. NB: SOME OF THE CAR PARKS MAY BE PAY & DISPLAY.

Maps

A bagged, colour 1:50000 OS map (approx size A4), pre-marked with all controls, will be provided on the start line. One map per entrant is included in the entry fee. Enlarged maps for greater clarity available approx size A3 (£3.00 each). An area Master Map can be viewed pre-start.

The Challenge

Within the time allowed (3 hours), visit controls and collect as many points as possible - route planning is as important as fitness. Lateness penalties as per standard BMBO rules. Control sites will be identified by bright coloured tape on an obvious feature to which a SPORTident box will be attached. "Dib" in the *SPORTident* box at the Start, Finish, all controls visited and THE DOWNLOAD BOX at the end! You must use a *SPORTident* dibber to take part in these events; you may use your own dibber if you have one (please fill in its number on the entry form). If you don't have a dibber we will rent you one automatically. Teams please note: both members must carry and use a dibber.

The Start/Finish

Start anytime between 8.30 & 9.30am. Try to arrive at least 30 minutes before your intended start to give time to register/prepare. At the start line you will be handed a map and a control description sheet. All courses close 13.30hrs. Hot drinks, orange juice and biscuits will be available at the finish.

Entry & Results

NO FINAL DETAILS WILL BE SENT OUT. If you wish to have confirmation of entry please email us or enclose an sae with your postal entry. Event numbers will be limited so if entering late check the website for availability or text 07970 278085/email info@darkandwhite.co.uk Provisional results will be displayed on the day; full results will be on the Dark & White website after each event.

Equipment

A roadworthy mountain bike, helmet (ANSI or BSI only – not climbing, caving or canoeing types), watch, relevant map, first aid kit, money for phone calls or a mobile phone, substantial clothing including quality waterproofs are compulsory for these events. Spot checks may be carried out to ensure you comply with these requirements. Bring food/drink sufficient for the duration of the event.

Prizes/Class Awards

There will be a prize giving at each event at approx 1.00pm - class winners and runners up will win prizes from a combination of D&W, Purple Harry's, Vertebrate Publishing, Alpkit/Sondor and Igloo Cycles (Chesterfield). NB - classes may be merged if entries are low. Once the league is finished class winners and runners up will win trophies based on a minimum of three events being completed as either a solo or as a pair/team but not as a combination of both. Again classes may be merged if entries are low.

Rapid Registration

If you have your own SI card and have pre-entered, just turn up, check the dibber number is correct and sign in. No need to stand about.

******Tie breaks**: In the event of two competitors in the same class gaining the same score the following tie break rules will decide the winner:

- 1. The competitor(s) visiting the greatest number of high scoring controls (the greatest and second greatest value controls)
- The competitor(s) who has/have visited the most checkpoints (and back within the time limit)
 Earliest starter(s)

If two competitors have the same score at the end of the league the winner will be the one who performs best at the last event.

Enter on-line or post to: Dark & White Events	(Cheques to "Dark & White Events Ltd"). Closing date for entries:- when the event is full or 5 days
c/o 10 Buscott Drive	before the event (which ever is earliest)
Ashbourne,	If you enter close to the event you must ring first, on 01335
Derbyshire	348603, to check map availability. There is a £3 charge for a late
DE6 1JY	entry. Early entry saves money!!!







The 18th Winter Mountain Bike Orienteering Series 2016/2017

4th December 2016 | 8th January 2017 12th February 2017 | 12th March 2017

- Four x 3 hour Mountain Bike orienteering/navigational events in the Peak District National Park
- Best 3 results count towards a final league score
- Suitable for beginners as well as challenging for the experienced
- Enter as solos or pairs; various age categories
- Pre-marked, bagged, colour OS map sections provided; post event hot drinks/snacks
- Prizes by D&W, Purple Harry, Igloo Cycles Chesterfield, Vertebrate Publishing, Alpkit/Sondor Bikes.
- Entry can be made on-line or by post
- **NEW for this series: Revised start times between 8.30 & 9.30am; Prize Giving after each event at 1.00pm; Waterproof maps. Buy One Get One Free bring a 'newbie' rider along and get a free entry Email us at info@darkandwhite.co.uk.

For all information and enquiries: e-mail: info@darkandwhite.co.uk

Website: www.darkwhitecycling.co.uk



Important Information regarding BMBO fees

You must be a member of British Mountain Bike Orienteering (BMBO) to take part in these events – it's quick and easy to register by using the link below. **Full Member** – annual cost $\pounds 6 \mid$ **Day Rider** – free BMBO membership but events are $\pounds 1$ extra to enter over and above Full Members | **Under 21's** – free membership/pay for events the same as Full Members.

For all details see <u>www.bmbo.org.uk</u> Email: <u>membership@bmbo.org.uk</u>

Or send an SAE to: BMBO Membership Secretary, 101 Barkbeth Road, Huyton, Kirby L36 3TU

	Rider 1	Rider 2				
Full Name						
BMBO Number						
SI Dibber Number	(if you own one if not hire one for £2 each)	(if you own one if not hire one for £2 each)				
Address						
Post Code						
Date of Birth						
Email Address						
Mobile Phone Number						
Emergency Contact Name						
Emergency Contact Number						
I/WE agree to abide by the BMBO Rules, and that I / WE enter this event at MY / OUR own risk. Please sign below. (Parent/Guardian if under 18)						
Sign						

Age Class based on oldest rider (please tick)

Men (Solo/Pair)		Women (Solo/Pair)				
A = Men (17-39)	\checkmark	B = Women (17-39)	\checkmark			
C = VMen (40-49)	\checkmark	D = VWomen (40-49)	\checkmark			
E = SV Men (50-59)		F = SV Women (50-59)				
J = 60+ Men (60+)	\checkmark	K = 60+ Women (60+)				
Mixed Pairs		Other Pairs				
X = Mixed (17-39)		G = Generation (youth 12-16 & Adult 18+)				
Q = Mixed (40-49)		T = Tandem (any age combination)				
Z = Mixed (50-59)						
L = Mixed (60+)	\checkmark					

Entry Fees (see notes below ref entry discount)

	Solo Fee		Dibber Hire		Team Fee		Dibber Hire		
11/12/2016	1	£16		£2		£29		£4	
08/01/2017	1	£16		£2		£29		£4	
12/02/17	1	£16		£2		£29		£4	
12/3/17	√	£16		£2		£29		£4	
Wholes Series		£55		£8		£105		£16	
Late Entry		£3	Contact us first!						
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Total Fee	£								

** FULL BMBO MEMBERS ENTRY DISCOUNT – if you are a full member and have paid your annual membership fees you qualify for a discount on your event entry (£1 per event). To make our online system and admin easier from now on we will pay you back any discount in cash at event registration on production of your current BMBO membership card**