

## The Belstone Blast - Two Days of Long - O Orienteering 8/9 October 2016



Devon and Quantock Orienteering Clubs again combine to produce a two day event. The open moorland of North Dartmoor provides the location with a variety of courses to suit a range of competitors. The event centre for both days is Belstone Village Hall near Okehampton. Grid Ref: SX621938.

**Day 1 Saturday** - A technical score event. Starts 11:00-12.00. Choose short, medium or long. Map 1:15.000. Blue and Green type linear alternatives also available for those who do not enjoy score classes.

**Day 2 Sunday** - A more "mountain marathon" experience with longer courses providing plenty of route choice. Course lengths short 8km, medium 14km and long 21km (provisional lengths subject to final planning). Start times 9.30-11.00.

**Day 2 entry includes the traditional home-made soup, bread, cake and hot drinks.**

### Entry Fees

**Day 1:** £10 (£8 with BO discount). Juniors £5 (£3 with BO discount)

**Day 2:** £14 (£12 with BO discount) on medium and long courses.

£11 (£9 with BO discount) on the short course. Juniors £8 (£6 with BO discount)

EPS type SI - dibber hire included

Entries include a contribution of £1 to Dartmoor National Park

The event should appeal to competitors wishing to test themselves over longer courses but also aims to attract those who enjoy a shorter outing. Different course lengths can be combined over the two days. The long course is unsuitable for novices. Experienced juniors may enter at the discretion of the organiser and may be restricted to the short courses – please contact to discuss. Participants may run as a pair. Camping, YHA and other accommodation is easily accessible for those wishing to stay in the area. Dogs – Dartmoor National Park request that only dogs who have been wormed within the previous 3 months use the moor. Sheep graze much of the area.

Entries may be made through Fabian4

Closing date: 4 October

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