



Chichester Urban SEOUL Event

Saturday 11th October 2025

FINAL DETAILS

Before travelling check www.southdowns-orienteers.org.uk for any last-minute changes

Safety

- Safety Bearing: Head towards the cathedral spire and ask for directions to Chichester College.
- Exercise caution when crossing roads, exiting alleyways and rounding blind corners. Due to ever expanding fences and building work around the college, those walking to and from the car park to the event centre will potentially share the path with runners on their courses. Please take care as there is one pinch point where the path is only wide enough for one person and be aware of other pedestrians.
- Competitors must use bridges when crossing railway lines. All level crossings and some roads are marked as out of bounds.
- Courses 1-6 may visit a multistorey car park that is marked as out of bounds. Competitors must run around the outside of the car park. Not through it.
- High visibility or bright clothing is strongly recommended for all competitors and is compulsory for competitors under 16 years.
- Competitors are permitted to run in shorts.
- Competitors under 12 years may only run on Course 7. They can run unaccompanied if normally able to complete a yellow course. Part of course 7 leaves the college grounds to travel alongside a quiet road.
- Competitors under 16 years (age on day of race) may run on Course 6. They can run unaccompanied if normally able to complete a light green course.
- Competitors under 16 years (age on day of race) wishing to run on courses 1-5 **must be accompanied by an adult**.
- Please make yourself aware of and abide by the [British Orienteering Participant Code of Conduct](#)

Travel

What3words: [mining.structure.secret](#)

Post Code: PO19 3JT (Tesco Superstore)

Grid Reference: SU850046

From the A27 Fishbourne roundabout follow the A259 into Chichester. Chichester College student car park opens 0900hrs - 1600hrs. Signed off the A259. Please park within marked bays. There is no charge for parking. ANPR cameras will be switched off for the duration of the event.

Chichester train and bus stations are 800m walk from Chichester College.

Event centre

Registration, download, toilets will be in Chichester College sports centre main hall. 100m walk from the eastern edge of the student car park. Follow red/white tape streamers.

Dogs

Dogs in car park only, please keep on a lead at all times and obviously clean up any mess.

First aid

First aid cover will be provided by Pulse South Coast Ltd.

Timings

- Car park opens: 09:00
- Registration opens: 09:30
- Starts: 10:30 - 12:30
- Courses close: 14:30

Entries

Enter via Racesignup, no entry on the day.

- £14.00 BOF Senior/£6.00 BOF Junior up to 9th October 2025 (subject to map availability)
- £2 non-member supplement (Seniors only)
- SO juniors free (use code SOjuniors)
- Standard Dibber Hire: £1.00 Senior/£0.50 Junior
- SIAC Hire: £2.00 Senior/£1.00 Junior

Course information

Course	Length	Controls	Scale	Size	Start
Course 1 - Men Open	11.6km	24	1:4000	A3 Double sided	Far
Course 2 - Veteran Men (40+), Women Open	10.3km	20	1:4000	A3 Double sided	Far
Course 3 - Super Veteran Men (M55+), Veteran Women (W40)	7.9km	23	1:4000	A3 Double sided	Far
Course 4 - Ultra Veteran Men (M65+), Super Veteran Women (W55+)	6.4km	16	1:4000	A3	Far
Course 5 - Hyper Veteran Men (M75+), Ultra Veteran Women (W65+), Hyper Veteran Women (W75+)	5.4km	17	1:4000	A3	Far
Course 6 - Junior Men (M16-), Junior Women (W16-)	4.8km	21	1:4000	A4 Double sided	Near
Course 7 - Young Junior Men (M12-), Young Junior Women (W12-)	2.1km	17	1:4000	A4	Near

NB: There is negligible climb on any of the courses.

Clothing dump

There will **not** be a clothing dump, but competitors may, at their own risk, leave clothing at their respective start provided they return to collect it after they have run.

Starts

Courses 1-5 (far) start is a 1.4km (20 minute) walk from the event centre, follow red/white tapes.

Courses 6-7 (near) start is a 100m walk from event centre, follows signs.

Courses 3, 4 & 5 have a timed-out road crossing (60 seconds).

There are no allocated start times. Call up -3.

Punching

Punching start and finish. All other controls will be SIAC enabled.

Control descriptions

Courses 1-6 will have pictorial descriptions. Course 7 will have written descriptions. Loose descriptions will be available at the pre-start.

Finish/Download

Adjacent to event centre.

Map

Surveyed and drawn by Euan Marsh 2025. Unless there is late information to impart, blank maps will not be displayed in the start lane. A previous edition of the map can be viewed [here](#).

Results

Live results will be available at the event centre. Final results will be available on the [Southdowns Orienteers](#) website in the evening.

Officials

- Planner: Euan Marsh
- Organiser: Steve Blount
- Controller: Sue Crickmore (SO)

Acknowledgements

Thank you to Chichester District Council and Chichester College.

Personal data

When participating in Southdowns Orienteers events/activities your name may appear in the results section of this website or in newspaper reports. [Read our data protection page](#) to see how we look after your personal data.

Event cancellation

In the event of cancellation some or all of your entry fee may be retained to cover costs incurred.

Risk assessment

A comprehensive risk assessment has been carried out by the organiser. Participants take part at their own risk and are responsible for their own safety during the event.

Specific information for parents/guardians of juniors

Parents and Guardians are responsible for their children, or children in their charge, at all events. Advice is available from the Event Organiser regarding courses that are suitable for the participation of children. If you wish to know more about child safety in Orienteering, please refer to the safety page on the SO website.

- Under 12's may only run course 7 - M/W12. They can run unaccompanied if normally able to complete a yellow course.
- Under 16's (age on day of race) may run course 6 - M/W16. They can run unaccompanied if normally able to complete a light green course.
- Under 16's (age on day of race) **may not** run any of the adult courses (1-5) unaccompanied.
- Unaccompanied juniors must wear high visibility or bright clothing.
- Unaccompanied juniors are encouraged to run with a mobile phone for emergency use.
- Parents are responsible for ensuring their children are briefed with safety information as follows:
 - Take care crossing roads, even very quiet ones within the College grounds.
 - Be courteous of other people in the area and be particularly careful when rounding corners or exiting alleys.
 - If lost, phone the number on the map and say which buildings/shops you are close to, and someone will come to find you.
 - Don't talk to strangers.