

2024 Olivers Battery FUN Easter Egg Hunt - Easter Sunday 31st March - Start & Finish St Marks Hall

This is the 3rd Year of the OB Easter Egg Hunt and will be held between 12:30pm & 5pm. There is **NO** mass start - you can start when you and your family are ready. This will allow families to participate in more than one event if they wish. There are: Toddler, Infant, Junior, Urban, Urban & Rural plus Phone App based courses available.

All the routes are new for 2024!

There is an Entry Fee of £1/each for Infants & Juniors, £2/each for each of the SHORT & LONG Courses & also the main Phone App Courses.

CASH or CARD Entry Fee payments will be taken on the day. Please DO NOT send any monies with the ENTRY FORM.

There will also be 3 **FREE** courses - a Toddlers, a Junior Maze & a Taster Phone App based course. The Junior Maze is suitable & open to JUNIORS & **ALL Ages** above!.

All Fee paying Entrants will receive an 'Easter Egg' on Completion (subject to dietary requirements).

Paper Entry Forms can be returned to Alexandra Sports, New Forest Butchers or the Post Office. On-Line Forms can be completed via the QR code or via the EVENTS tab of oliversbattery.info. Cut off date for entries is Monday 25th March although a limited amount of entries on the day may still be possible.



There are 11 combinations of the available courses, simpler to do but a bit of a mouthful to explain!

- **Juniors MUST BE** accompanied by a responsible person because of the various road crossings involved.
- It is the **parents responsibility** to decide if their Y7-Y9 child need to be accompanied on any of the URBAN, RURAL or Phone App Courses.

Clue Locations:

For the Junior, Short & Long Courses, some of the Clues will be found in local residents front gardens and respect must be given at all times to residents property. No dogs to be taken into any residents gardens.

Why a Fee? Why an Entry Form? Why a cut off date?

The fee is to partially cover the cost of this event and the cut off will allow the appropriate resources to be purchased. For those who cannot eat chocolate, their stated dietary preference will be accommodated as far possible.

This is an ON FOOT FUN event. No assisted transportation unless the entrants mobility has these requirements. The Long Courses & Phone App based Courses are rural and rough under foot for approximately half of the course.

TROPHY PRESENTATION will be at 5.15pm on the day.

Any extra information required, please email oliversbatteryevents@gmail.com

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Note the JUNIOR A COURSE MAZE is suitable & open to JUNIORS & ALL ages above!!!

Toddlers & Infants (Y2 and below): These 2 courses will be on the Olivers Battery Green. A suggested time would be approx 30-40 minutes. Adult Supervision is required. Both Toddler & Infant Easter Egg Hunts will involve Shape & Colour recognition. The Toddler course is very simplified & age appropriate with FREE Entry.

Juniors (Y3 - Y6): There will be 2 Junior Courses available and Juniors can do either or both courses and the courses are independent of each other.

- **JUNIOR MAZE:** There will be a short electronic timed Maze on the Green, with FREE Entry.
- **JUNIOR B COURSE:** Its route will remain within 500-600m of Olivers Battery Green.

Approximate length 1.5km. This will involve a local map and finding & logging the clues found. There will be a Trophy for the fastest combined completion of the MAZE & JUNIOR B COURSES.

URBAN SHORT COURSE (Y7 and ALL ages above!): 2 Versions of this Course are available, both within the Olivers Battery Settlement. If you can *walk* from the top of Oliver's Battery to the bottom and back, this is for you. This will involve a local map and finding & logging the clues found & will have a more orienteering feel to it.

- **SHORT A COURSE:** All the locations of the all the clues are marked on the Map
- **SHORT B COURSE:** The first few clue locations will be found using a herringbone diagram * (please try it!!), the rest of the clue locations are marked on the map.

For those wishing a faster pace there will be a Trophy for the fastest completion of the OPEN SHORT B COURSE.

URBAN & RURAL LONG COURSE (Y7 and ALL ages above!): 2 Versions of this Course are available, both mostly within Olivers Battery Parish Boundary. If you can *walk* from the top of Oliver's Battery to Yew Hill and back, this is for you. This will involve a local map and finding & logging the clues found & will have a more orienteering feel to it.

- **LONG A COURSE:** All the locations of all the clues are marked on the Map
- **LONG B COURSE:** The first few clue locations will be found using a herringbone diagram* (please try it!!), the rest of the clue locations are marked on the map.

For those wishing a faster pace there will be a Trophy for the fastest completion of the OPEN LONG B COURSE.FUN

Phone App based Courses (using MapRun6 App). These 3 Courses are for *walkers* as well as those wanting to go a little faster.

- **TASTER Course:** (Free Entry) a short 6 control course close to St Marks Hall so you can get the feel of the App.

Both the next courses encompass the urban and rural parts of Olivers Battery.

- **FUN Course:** There is no time limit & you complete the course at your pace.
- **30 MINUTE Course:** How many controls/points can you get in just 30 minutes?

These 3 courses will involve the MapRun6 Phone App which would need to be installed before the event (or on the day if you need guidance) & will have a more orienteering feel to it.

There will be Trophies for the highest scoring completions for both FUN & 30 Minute Courses.

* herringbone diagram = the route instruction are shown in a line format. There will be further explanations on the day if needed!

& please enjoy our Olivers Battery neighbourhood as you walk round it!

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Name:

**Contact Telephone
Number:**

FREE Entry (Entrant Numbers):

TODDLERS

JUNIOR MAZE

TASTER Phone App
Course

£1/Each Entrant Entry Fee (Entrant Numbers):

INFANTS

JUNIOR
B COURSE

£2/Each Entrant Entry Fee (Entrant Numbers):

SHORT A COURSE

SHORT B COURSE

LONG A COURSE

LONG B COURSE

FUN Phone App
Course

30 MINUTE Phone
App Course

Please add any dietary requirements here:

Number of DAIRY EGGS or similar

Number of NON DAIRY EGGS or similar

Please detail any requirements here

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