



NORTHERN NAVIGATORS

Colour Coded event at
Broomleyfell Plantation
Sunday, 11th April 1993

YELLOW – 2.1km, 25m, 8 controls

1. M.Halliday	W13	ind	20.18
2. H.Eastley	W35	CLOK	21.50
3. S.Stamp+1	W7	NN	28.43
4. E.Strickland	W10	ind	30.49
5. C.Greene+2	M14	KHS	32.28
6. I.Gibson+1	M17	NATO	33.06
7. E.Billingham	W7	ind	34.15

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8. A.Craig+1	M35	NN	34.35
9. S.Crawford-Smith	W4	CLOK	38.24
10. M.Underwood	M10	BL	40.41
11. T.Grainger	M40	NN	53.34
12. L.Castling	W8	NN	56.23

Retired / disqualified

J.Pain+2	M35	ind	retired
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NEOA Colour Award Scheme

Members of NEOA may purchase the relevant colour badge on completion of three events, finishing above the colour line. For further details, contact Margaret Crosby (0191 2685449)

LONG Score – 40 minutes, 16 controls, max 310 points

1. N.Stainton	M21	UDOC	490	50.08
2. G.Crawford-Smith	M45	CLOK	490	53.18
3. J.Dixon	M45	UNOC	490	58.30
4. D.Brook	M50	NN	490	59.01
5. R.Whitworth	M50	BL	460	
6. G.Scott	M45	NATO	450	
D.Allison	M55	CLOK	450	
7. S.Eastley	M35	CLOK	440	
B.Mitchell	M17	BL	440	
8. P.Lappin	M17	NATO	430	
D.Raymond	M21	NATO	430	
D.Henderson	M40	RR	430	
M.Brook	M15	NN	430	
J.Warren	M21	NN	430	
P.Smith	M45	EBOR	430	
K.Bibby	M50	CLOK	430	
9. B.Harrison	M50	CLOK	420	
G.Rose	M40	NN	420	
10. A.Stainton	M17	ABEROC	410	
P.Moran	M21	ind	410	
I.Robinson	M21	ind	410	
R.Gray	M45	NATO	410	
11. R.Pain	M35	CLOK	390	
S.Eastley	M17	CLOK	390	
R.Peel	M35	ind	390	(40)
12. R.Cooper	M45	NN	360	
I.Dooley	M35	NATO	360	
D.Hitchen	M40	NATO	360	
13. V.parkins	W60	WCOC	350	
A.Whyte	M35	NN	350	
14. D.Thompson	M21	ind	340	
15. P.Parkins	M60	WCOC	330	
L.Dupras	W21	CLOK	330	(40)
16. M.Ireland	W21	ind	320	
D.Warren	W21	NN	320	
17. W.Crawford-Smith	W45	CLOK	310	
18. I.Scott	M21	ind	290	
I.Munro	W60	LOC	290	
C.Carter	M17	NATO	290	
19. G.Harden	M21	NATO	270	
G.Segal	M45	NATO	270	
B.Pope	M45	SYO	270	(80)
20. P.Waterhouse	M16	WHS	260	
T.Adey	M16	WHS	260	
21. P.MacKay	M40	ind	250	(60)
D.Hoey	M15	WHS	240	
R.Rose	W40	NN	240	
C.Degnan	M16	WHS	240	
M.Pope	W45	SYO	240	
L.Smith+1	W35	EBOR	240	
22. Smith family	ind	ind	230	(40)
23. K.Frankish	M50	NN	200	
24. C.Pain	W21	CLOK	150	(60)
25. Thompson family	CLOK	CLOK	140	(20)
26. C.Smith	M12	EBOR	50	

SHORT Score – 40 minutes, 16 controls, max 310 points

1. R.Johnson	M45	NN	310	33.12
2. T.Mitchell	M15	BL	310	34.06
3. P.Slater	M40	ind	250	
4. S.Matthews	W21	ind	230	
5. M.Slater	M13	ind	220	
P.Underwood+2	M40	BL	220	
M.Halliday	W13	ind	220	(20)
6. J.Buchanan	W35	NATO	210	
7. D.Mitchell	M45	BL	200	(60)
8. C.Hitchen	W15	NATO	190	
M.Bradley	M35	DEE	190	(40)
9. J.Sheill	M13	DABS	170	
J.Sheill	M45	ind	170	
10. C.Henderson	W13	RR	140	
E.Gray	W45	NATO	140	
11. Sloan	W35	NN	130	(80)
12. J.Slater+1	M10	ind	40	(140)
13. J.Bowker+1	M21	ind	30	(60)
14. M.Carter	M15	NATO	-30	(120)

Non-competitive

L.Johnson+1	W50	NN	200	in 85 mins
W.Campbell	M45	ind	310	in 112 mins

Organisers comments – Maurice Swales

Estimating probable numbers was our most difficult task. Despite sending off forms by mid February the event was not listed in BOF news or CompassSport. When seeking helpers a week before the event I felt that the JK and Easter would result in very few participants. The 89 control cards issued was quite satisfactory, perhaps 20/30 less than I felt after telephone enquiries just prior to the event. I enjoyed seeing so many different clubs represented.

I trust you all enjoyed the event. Opencast mining has reduced the reas value for orienteering, only for a few years I hope, making it difficult to accomodate accomplished orienteers wanting a longer run – thus a score event seemed more appropriate.

I was surprised more people opted for the longer course, at Christmas the numbers are usually similar.

Checking the results was interesting, the punching was generally good, very few in the wrong box. Most returned within the time allowed, some with perhaps too much time in hand – but this is the nature of a score event. Several people scored 430 on the Long, omitting controls 20 and 21. Well done those six who visited all controls in the time allowed, it looks as though Nick got it about right.

Our thanks to Nick and Don Smith for all their work in planning and controlling the event as well as those members of NN who helped run the event so smoothly.

Also sincere thanks to Mr.J.Warde-Aldam for allowing us to use the area and to his head forester, Mr.T.McDonough for keeping the area so runnable.

Planners comments – Nicholas Barrett

The mapped area at Broomley Fell contains a wealth of variety for orienteering; hillside, water features and very pleasant runnable forest. Unfortunately the large area of 'out of bounds' removed all but the latter and this was further reduced by the recent coal extraction, although it was comforting to see the care being taken in re-instating this fenced off area. After deduction of 'OOB' planning a long and short score event was by no means easy as the courses had to be suitably different yet of sufficient length so as not to be too easy.

With JK attracting the majority of competitive runners away from the region, comments from those completing the score courses showed that length / time was about right with most entrants having to miss one or two controls to get back in time. Under normal circumstances the courses may have been a little short. Well done to all those who managed all controls within time.

Entrants on the yellow course should also have experienced a 'flavour' of Broomley Fell as the course through a section of the remaining runnable forest is very pleasant.

Finally, 'an enjoyable run' summarises many of the comments made at the finish. The courses I planned, but the invigorating fresh air was arranged by someone else!

p.s. Apologies to those who had difficulty in reading the small print on the control descriptions, next time I'll use a low technology typewriter.

Controller – Don Smith (NN)