



# NORTHERN NAVIGATORS

Badge event at  
**Chopwell Wood**  
17<sup>th</sup> April 1988

**Note** – classes marked # have been given set marker times

## W10A – 1.7km, 45m (course A) #

1. H.SNAITH	CLOK	35.13
----- GOLD 37.30 -----		
----- SILVER 45.00 -----		
----- BRONZE 60.00 -----		

2. H.DIXON	NO	73.30
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## W13A – 2.5km, 65m (course B)

1. K.SNAITH	CLOK	24.20
----- GOLD 30.25 -----		
2. C.SNOWDON	NO	35.46
----- SILVER 36.30 -----		

## W15A – 3.7km, 80m (course C)

1. N.CROSBY	NO	49.30
2. A.WATSON	NN	61.50
----- GOLD 62.52 -----		
----- SILVER 74.25 -----		
3. J.COCK	NN	84.57
----- BRONZE 99.00 -----		

## W17A – 5.2km, 180m (course D)

1. C.WHITWORTH	BL	53.06
----- GOLD 66.22 -----		

## W17B – 3.7km, 80m (course C) #

1. A.WILSON	LEI	80.05
----- SILVER 87.30 -----		

## W19A – 5.7km, 220m (course J)

1. K.SAMPSON	UNOC	71.20
2. K.CROSBY	NO	85.52
----- GOLD 89.10 -----		

*Non-competitive*

P.MALLEY	NN	126.11
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## W21A – 7.6km, 260m (course I) #

1. A.McKEAN	RAFO	89.45
----- GOLD 93.45 -----		
2. C.BOAD	JHAC	111.31
----- SILVER 112.30 -----		

## W21B – 5.3km, 165m, (course K) #

----- SILVER 75.00 -----		
1. M.PEEL	ind	79.34
----- BRONZE 90.00 -----		
2. S.HILL	NEOA	99.54
<i>disqualified</i>		
L.STEPHENSON	ind	m9,11

## W35A – 5.7km, 220m (course J) #

1. K.DIXON	NO	79.44
2. H.SNOWBALL	BL	84.35
3. L.WILSON	BL	86.45
----- GOLD 87.30 -----		

*disqualified*

D.JONES	ind	m9,10,13,14
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## W35B – 4.0km, 130m (course L)

1. D.ELDER	CLOK	63.35
----- SILVER 75.00 -----		

## W40A – 5.3km, 165m (course K) #

1. W.CRAWFORD-SMITH	CLOK	76.30
2. M.KNIGHT	NN	76.43
3. K.BLACKBURN	BL	84.14
----- GOLD 87.30 -----		

## W40B – 4.0km, 130m (course L) #

----- SILVER 81.15 -----		
1. C.FIRTH	TYNE	86.43
2. P.ROBINSON	CLOK	96.57
----- BRONZE 97.30 -----		

## W45A – 5.3km, 165m (course K) #

1. J.ROBB	CLOK	87.14
----- GOLD 87.30 -----		
2. I.MUNRO	LOC	87.40
3. A.WHITWORTH	BL	94.12
4. A.KITCHIN	BL	99.54
----- SILVER 105.00 -----		
5. I.WRIGHT	NO	106.34
----- BRONZE 140.00 -----		

*Disqualified / retired*

L.JOHNSON	NN	retired
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## W50 – 4.0km, 130m (course 1L)

1. G.HARDY	CLOK	48.47
2. C.WELLS	EBOR	54.53
3. E.HALE	NN	56.53
----- GOLD 60.59 -----		
----- SILVER 73.10 -----		
4. P.MALLEY	NN	84.32
5. M.ELLIS	NO	91.48
----- BRONZE 97.34 -----		
6. N.SMALL	AIRE	95.59
7. B.WILSON	LEI	121.56

## W55 – 4.0km, 130m (course L) #

----- GOLD 75.00 -----		
----- SILVER 90.00 -----		
1. E.BEDWELL	CLOK	93.22
----- BRONZE 120.00 -----		

## M10 – 1.7km, 45m (course A) #

----- GOLD 37.30 -----		
1. S.BROND	TYNE	40.57
----- SILVER 45.00 -----		

## M11 – 2.5km, 65m (course B)

1. D.MOORE	NRGS	21.35
2. S.CROSS	NN	23.31
----- GOLD 26.59 -----		
3. M.SWALES	NN	29.29
----- SILVER 32.22 -----		
4. M.FIRTH	TYNE	37.55
5. A.NICOLL	NO	39.43
----- BRONZE 43.10 -----		

*disqualified*

D.COULSON	TYNE	m4
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## M13A – 3.7km, 80m (course C)

1. C.SWALES	NN	29.13
2. R.MOORE	NRGS	33.06
3. P.CRAWFORD-SMITH	CLOK	33.09
4. N.NICHOLSON	NN	35.41
----- GOLD 38.57 -----		
5. S.CARRICK	DAS	41.50
6. A.LACEY	NN	42.49
----- SILVER 46.44 -----		
7. M.ROSS	TYNE	57.49
8. J.WILKIE	NN	60.16
----- BRONZE 62.19 -----		
9. D.BOUND	TYNE	62.26
10. S.FIRTH	TYNE	67.15
11. I.McCOLE	NO	67.38

## M15A – 5.2km, 180m (course D)

1. G.CARRICK	NN	44.49
2. B.WHITWORTH	BL	46.43
3. N.LATHAM	NN	52.40
----- GOLD 56.01 -----		
4. R.LANT	NN	60.35
5. F.BIRNEY	NO	61.13
6. P.SNOWDON	NN	62.50
7. R.JONES	NRGS	65.38
----- SILVER 67.13 -----		
8. D.ROSS	TYNE	68.20
----- BRONZE 89.38 -----		

## M17A – 7.5km, 260m (course E) #

1. R.NICHOLSON	NRGS	83.47
----- GOLD 87.30 -----		
2. R.VASEY	CLOK	97.45
----- SILVER 105.00 -----		

**M17B** – 5.2km, 180m (course D)

1. A.GRIEVES	NN	58.27
2. T.LEADBITTER	NN	58.46

----- SILVER 73.04 -----

**M19A** – 9.4km, 275m (course F) #

----- GOLD 93.42 -----

1. J.KINGAN	UNOC	96.22
2. E.WRIGHT	UNOC	109.12

----- SILVER 112.30 -----

**M19B** – 6.5km, 215m (course H) #

1. R.CROSBY	NO	86.25
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----- SILVER 93.45 -----

**M21A** – 10.9km, 345m (course G)

1. K.BOAL	NN	83.33
2. J.COLLINGWOOD	CLOK	84.31
3. M.NIELD	NN	94.20
4. S.PATTINSON	NEOA	94.24

----- GOLD 104.26 -----

5. R.PEEL	ind	117.14
6. I.STEPHENSON	LOC	122.09

----- SILVER 125.19 -----

Disqualified / retired

A.CRAIG	NN	retired
M.PYLE	TYNE	retired

**M21B** – 7.6km, 260m (course I)

1. A.MANSON	TYNE	78.31
2. A.HARKER	CLOK	85.14
3. R.BAILEY	CLOK	85.29
4. P.SMYTH	ind	90.26
5. G.TWEDDLE	UNOC	93.33
6. C.PROUDFOOT	ind	95.32
7. A.WILSON-CRAW	NO	99.17
8. M.ROPER	NN	101.04
9. M.HEWSON	UNOC	102.16

----- SILVER 102.21 -----

10. P.MAIR	TYNE	103.17
11. I.HORSEMAN	ind	108.00
12. M.RICHARDSON	KNOB	111.36
13. I.DOOLEY	NO	112.13

----- BRONZE 122.49 -----

14. M.GRIFFITHS	ind	127.00
15. L.MARLOW	TYNE	134.06
16. A.LENNOX	ind	139.37

Disqualified / retired

I.WILSON	UNOC	w12
M.HASLAM	KNOB	m10-16
S.WATTS	UNOC	retired
T.TWEDDEL	JHAC	retired
P.METCALFE	KNOB	retired

**M35A** – 9.4km, 275m (course F) #

1. P.HAWTHORN	NO	82.55
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----- GOLD 93.45 -----

2. A.WANLESS	NEOA	104.31
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----- SILVER 112.30 -----

3. R.RICHARDSON	BL	138.24
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----- BRONZE 150.00 -----

4. M.KNIGHT	NN	163.19
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Disqualified / retired

D.REAY	NN	retired
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**M35B** – 6.5km, 215m (course H)

1. J.ELDER	CLOK	73.54
2. D.PALFRAMAN	AIRE	77.09
3. M.SIMS	CLOK	77.30
4. L.FRASER	SOLWAY	81.55
5. N.GLOVER	NN	83.14

----- SILVER 92.22 -----

6. G.HARRISON	CLOK	92.50
7. R.BROWN	NO	97.25
8. A.STAPLEY	TYNE	98.07
9. J.TRIGG	CLOK	99.37

----- BRONZE 110.51 -----

**M40A** – 7.6km, 260m (course I)

1. L.SNOWBALL	BL	70.35
2. D.NOBLE	CLOK	72.31
3. P.TAYLOR	CLOK	72.58
4. M.SWALES	NN	77.38
5. M.VASEY	CLOK	77.59
6. G.CRAWFORD-SMITH	CLOK	78.18
7. P.ROBINSON	CLOK	83.36
8. B.JOHNSON	NN	87.00

----- GOLD 89.26 -----

9. F.MAJOR	NN	89.42
10. G.KITCHIN	BL	92.49
11. R.SNAITH	CLOK	93.09
12. J.DIXON	UNOC	93.39
13. D.HARRISON	BL	99.42
14. J.MOORE	NRGS	99.44

----- SILVER 107.10 -----

15. A.LACEY	NN	113.44
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----- BRONZE 143.06 -----

**M40B** – 5.7km, 220m (course J)

1. J.SHAW		69.32
2. A.BAILES	SCS	71.23
3. R.SNOWDON	NN	79.10

----- SILVER 86.55 -----

4. E.FORSTER	NO	91.15
5. G.SEGAL	NO	92.28

----- BRONZE 104.18 -----

**M45A** – 6.5km, 215m (course H)

1. D.CAUDWELL	NN	56.48
2. M.ADAMSON	CLOK	67.51
3. A.JONES	TYNE	74.20
4. A.GENT	CLOK	75.05
5. K.BIBBY	CLOK	77.15
6. D.WHITWORTH	BL	77.17

----- GOLD 77.54 -----

7. G.WILSON	BL	86.04
8. A.NICOLL	NO	89.14
9. P.PARTINGTON	CLOK	91.45

----- SILVER 93.29 -----

10. R.I.ROBB	CLOK	96.57
11. M.GREEN	TYNE	109.41

----- BRONZE 124.39 -----

12. G.HARDY	ind	128.41
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**M45B** – 5.3km, 165m (course K)

1. T.HUTTON	SOLWAY	61.49
2. J.MAGUIRE	TYNE	72.47

----- SILVER 77.16 -----

3. C.ROSS	TYNE	80.27
4. N.McCOLE	NO	82.37
5. K.FRANKISH	NN	86.49
6. T.BERNEY	NO	92.38

----- BRONZE 92.43 -----

7. G.POWELL	ind	118.28
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**M50A** – 6.5km, 215m (course 1H)

1. D.HALE	NN	71.25
2. P.WELLS	EBOR	72.10
3. J.PRESTON	NN	79.19
4. M.HARDY	CLOK	82.43

----- GOLD 89.16 -----

5. P.SMITH	NN	89.47
6. W.WRIGHT	NO	98.43

----- SILVER 107.07 -----

**M55** – 5.7km, 220m (course J) #

1. J.BEDWELL	CLOK	76.42
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----- GOLD 87.30 -----

----- SILVER 105.00 -----

2. M.GREY	TYNE	112.39
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----- BRONZE 140.00 -----

**M60** – 4.0km, 130m (course L) #

1. A.FOSTER	EBOR	79.02
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----- GOLD 87.30 -----

2. T.TAYLOR	SROC	100.23
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----- SILVER 105.00 -----

**Yellow** – 1.7km, 45m

1. A.Seed	W10	ind	25.45
2. J.Kay	M10	BL	25.59
3. Archer	W11	ind	27.44
4. I.Nicholson+2		NN	30.20
5. A.Elder	M6	CLOK	31.04
A.Kay	W10	BL	31.04
6. R.Elder	W8	CLOK	31.57
7. Turnbull		DUM	34.14
8. D.Segal	M6	ind	34.59
9. G.Stapley	W10	TYNE	35.47
10. R.Watson		ind	36.29
11. A+J.Lord		NN	38.26
12. Fraser		DUM	41.29

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**Orange** – 3.7km, 80m

1. C.Manson	W21	ind	52.37
2. S.Aynsley		ind	53.07
3. K.Revely	M21	ind	58.26
4. A.Christian	W15	NN	59.13
5. Lawson+1	M11	RS	65.40
6. A.Harrison+1	W11	BL	66.56
7. S.Walker	M15	NN	69.27
8. R.Laverick	M55	ind	75.41
9. L.Christian	M50	ind	77.51
10. B.Young		ind	77.52
11. K.Francis+1	W21	ind	78.26

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12. W.Revely	M21	ind	100.18
13. Palframan		AIRE	103.35
14. Corley		ind	104.41
15. D.Ray+2		ind	116.59
16. Smailes+1	M11	RS	183.06

*Disqualified / retired*

Parker+1	M11	RS	m9
A.Wilkie	M45	ind	retired

**Red** – 5.2km, 180m

1. T.Archer	M35	JHAC	49.25
2. A.Clarke	M21	NO	67.04
3. J.Hurst	M21	ind	67.31
4. Chappell+Robinson	W35	ind	67.56
5. T.Beck	M50	SCS	72.58
6. J+P.Carrick	M/W35	ind	75.19
7. M.Seed+1	M21	ind	75.23

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8. Smart+1	W21	ind	78.33
9. Nesbit+Jenkins	M40	ind	81.41
10. P.Fenwick	M19	ind	84.12
11. A.Bradley	M35	ind	101.44
12. A.Archer	W35	ind	111.49
13. A.Whyte	M21	ind	116.39
14. Wilkes+2	W21	ind	131.01

*Disqualified / retired*

R.Nicol	M21	ind	retired
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**KEY** : m – missed, w – wrong, f – controls found**Organisers comments**

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TSB and Derwentside Foods for map sponsorship.

Jay Bee Plastics Ltd. for donating all the map bags.

The North Eastern Co-op for donating all the cartons of juice.

The Forestry Commission for allowing us the use of the wood.

All NN members who helped on the day.

**Planners comments** – *Nick Lord*

Although this was the first time I had planned a badge event I did not expect too many problems as I felt I knew Chopwell pretty well (so do a great many others unfortunately!). There were still some corrections needed even to the latest revision of the map; rather too many line features for technically difficult courses; a fair amount of bramble (we had no snow this winter to squash them down); and above all vandals who wished to increase their collection of NN punches. On the whole I received a good number of favourable comments about the courses and very few complaints which makes it all worthwhile.

I must thank Tricia Davies for her hard work – assistant planners are a boon in an event of this complexity and John Crosby for his calm approach to all the headaches that cropped up.

**Assistant planners comments** – *Tricia davies*

This was my first attempt at planning a 'real' event and I found the experience both interesting and most enjoyable. In planning the junior and colour coded courses, I hope I managed to get the right balance – making them interesting enough without being too difficult. Most people I spoke to seemed to enjoy themselves.

One small controversy did arise over the yellow course. Before the event it was suggested that it might be too easy, but we let it stand as I think the main aim is for younger children (and newcomers) to complete the course and feel they have achieved something by doing so. On the day, however, some felt that the course was too difficult! May I point out that the yellow course was also the M10, W10 and W11 course – a common combination at badge events. I question, therefore, whether children younger than this should be doing such a course completely on their own.

I would like to thank Nick for his help and advice, as well as all the people who collected the controls after the event, making our job much easier at the end.

**Controllers comments** – *John Crosby*

The only comment I would like to make is about control 78. There were doubts in my mind from the start but the feature checked out in relation to features to the north east. It was not until the final check on Sunday morning that I realised that the fence to the south was 100m out. I hope it did not spoil your runs too much and hope that most of you copied the correction down.