

The Peter Palmer Junior Relays 9-10 September 2017

Sutton Park Sutton Coldfield

The City of Birmingham Orienteering Club (COBOC) with the support of Octavian Droobers and Harlequins Orienteering Club welcomes you to this year's Peter Palmer Junior Relays.

COMPETITION FORMAT

1. The Peter Palmer Junior Team Relay is an orienteering relay competition for club teams of all standards in the M/W12 to M/W18 age classes
2. The race is run over 6 laps. Each team must have at least 2 laps run by boys and 2 laps run by girls. Each team has 6-8 runners, as Lap 5 may have up to three runners per team. All Lap 5 runners start together when their lap 4 runner finishes. The first Lap 5 runner to finish hands over to the Lap 6 runner.
3. The competition starts at around 4.45am in the morning on Sunday 10/9/17 in the dark, approximately 90 minutes before dawn. This means that the first and second leg runners are likely to be running in the dark for at least part of their run.

WHO CAN TAKE PART

1. Any club registered with British Orienteering can enter a team or teams
2. Competitors must either be members of British Orienteering or attend a school, college or University which has a formal association with the club.

ACCOMMODATION

Overnight accommodation is available in the Sports Hall of the Wyndley Leisure Centre Clifton Road Sutton Coldfield B73 6EN. It is a British Orienteering requirement that any club bringing a team have an adult male and female to supervise them.

TROPHIES

There are 3 trophies:

Peter Palmer Trophy : all team members from the same club

Joan George Trophy : as above but combined ages 90 years or less

Norwich Orienteering Club Anniversary Trophy – all team members are either from the same small club or 2 small clubs forming a combined team

ENTRIES Entries will be via Fabian4 from 30/6/17. Click on the following link

<http://www.fabian4.co.uk/default.aspx?EventID=1807> Fees –£110 per team (6-8 competitors + 1 male and 1 female supervisor) which includes food, accommodation and entry fees. Any additional supervisors will be charged £10 per person. If a supervisor is supervising more than 1 team they will receive a £10 rebate at the event for each additional team they are supervising. Closing Date for team entries 3/9/17. Team Declarations close on 7/9/17.

OFFICIALS

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Further details/updates will appear on www.coboc.org.uk at a later date