

Dinton Pastures Country Park Permanent Orienteering Course



THE MAP

This map has been specially drawn for orienteering to a large scale and using internationally recognised symbols. Before you start your course, you are recommended to look carefully at the map and understand it.

THE COURSE

The centres of the red circles indicate the positions of controls and the control number is printed next to each circle. The control descriptions (see below) tell what the feature at the centre of the circle is and the control will be near this feature.

HOW TO COMPLETE THE COURSE

Before you start, choose which controls you wish to visit. A number of suggested courses suitable for beginners are given below. The idea is to go around the course, visiting the controls in the correct order. At each control site there will be a post with the number of the control and a letter. Mark the letter in the correct box on your map.

CONTROL DESCRIPTIONS

1.	FENCE CORNER	11. HILL, SOUTH WEST FOOT	21.BENCH
2.	COPSE	12. GATE	22.HEDGELINE
3.	BRIDGE	13. HILL TOP, WEST END	23.BRIDGE
4.	PATH BEND	14. PATH JUNCTION	24.S. OF COPSE
5.	BRIDGE	15. PATH JUNCTION	25.BRIDGE
6.	PATH CROSSING	16. PATH JUNCTION	26. HILL, N. END
7.	BRIDGE	17. COPSE, WEST TIP	27.TREELINE, S.END
8.	VIEW POINT	18. THICKET, NORTH TIP	28. HILLTOP TREES
9.	PATH BEND	19. THICKET, WEST SIDE	29.POOL
10	PATH JUNCTION	20. THICKET, NORTH TIP	30.KNOLL

SUGGESTED COURSES

Red/White

Short (2.5km) - 1, 12, 10, 7, 9, 11, 1 Round The Lakes (3.5km) - 1, 2, 3, 5, 6, 14, 13, 11, 1

Long Navigator (5.3km) - 1, 2, 3, 5, 6, 14, 17, 18, 19, 20, 15, 13, 11, 1 Waterside Free - 30, 29, 28, 27, 21, 26, 25, 24, 23, 22, 30

You can of course visit any of the controls in whatever order you wish.

Blue/Yellow

This is all on hard standing and is wheelchair accessible. All Access trail (1.0km) Markers 1-9.



If you have enjoyed this course and want more details about orienteering in Berkshire, you can contact Berkshire Orienteers at www.bko.org.uk or email webmaster@bko.org.uk If you would like details of clubs outside Berkshire contact the British Orienteering Federation on 01629 734042 or in writing to BOF Riversdale, Dale Road North, Darley Dale, Matlock, Derbyshire, DE4 2HX. www.britishorienteering.org.uk or email info@britishorienteering.org.uk