

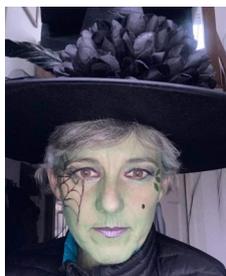


Spook-O 2021

Well it was touch and go whether the event would go ahead given the flooding in the area but a hardy bunch of orienteers decided that the show must go on and thankfully the rain stopped long enough for about 65 people to head round the spooky course at Whinlatter. Well done to everyone involved but especially those who braved the inclement weather to set up and run the event on the ground. The event raised over £90 for junior fundraising and there was some brilliant feedback from participants, as can be seen below.

'Thank you to all involved for a great, entertaining and spooky event. We were surprised it was still going ahead as the weather had been appalling. All the more impressive as the OMM had been cancelled!

We enjoyed a very sheltered and rain free walk. The cakes were excellent too!'



WCOOC Events

04/11/2021 - Slate Fell (Night series - enter on Racesignup. Details on the website. Entries close Tues 23:59),

07/11/2021 - Whinlatter Galoppen (CANCELLED)

11/11/2021 - Bleach Green

18/11/2021 - Powter How

BL -Eycott Hill- 6th November 2021 - Entries open on SiEntries and close on **2nd November 2021**. More details can be found on the BL website.

SROC - Tim Watkins -Blodslitet 2021 - 14th November 2021. Long O - Hutton Roof, Burton in Kendal. Enter on SiEntries. Entries close on **7th November 2021**. More details on SROC website.

LOC Cumbrian Galoppen- Great Tower - 21st November 2021

Entries now open on SiEntries & they close on **17th November**. More details can be found on the LOC website.

Twitter: You can follow @WCOOC2014 and on the website-www.wcoc.co.uk

Also on FB—public and members' page.



### Last Call for Orienteering Foundation Coaching Day - Sat 20th November

Last chance if you want to take part as an individual. Here is the link for information-<https://www.orienteeringfoundation.org.uk/coaching-day-nov-2021>.

Payment must be made by 7th November 2021 at the latest so get in touch quickly if you want to take part.

### Talent Squads (North, South and Scotland) 2021-22 Announced

Well done to 3 Club juniors who have been selected as members of the British Talent Squad (North). Congratulations to Daisy Rennie, Emma Crawford and Issy Sunley on their selections,



**Programme Manager, Paul Murgatroyd, said about the new squads:** "I would firstly like to offer my congratulations to all those who have earned selection to these new-look groups. These three squads include a mix of athletes who have been in the GB Talent squad previously, along with a number of newcomers in the 15-17 year age group, and it will be fascinating to see how all of these young orienteers develop over the coming months. The new management team is working hard on putting together an exciting programme of camps and opportunities for the squads and I wish them all well with their winter training plans!"



**Orienteering England**

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Congrats to everyone selected to run for England at the Veterans Home International match near Dorking on 4th/5th December! 🇬🇧 🏃🏻‍♂️ 🏃🏻‍♀️ 🇬🇧

### **England VHI 2021**



Congratulations to Susan Skinner on her selection for the England Team taking part in the Veterans' Home International in December. Good luck Susan!



### Cheshire Urban Weekend

Well done to Daisy Rennie and Phil Winskill who took wins over two sprint courses in Macclesfield to become the North-West sprint champions in their respective classes. Congratulations to both!

Both Helen and Jamie Rennie were third overall in their respective classes.

Phil and Daisy also won their classes on day 2 in Knutsford, with Helen taking 3rd again.



### Night Series

Just a reminder that the upcoming Thursday night events will be in the dark so you need to bring a decent head torch (and maybe a spare) and make sure to dress appropriately for the weather.

The first series of events tend to be on easier areas so are suitable for those trying night orienteering for the first time. Younger and/or inexperienced orienteers should be accompanied.