

West Cumberland Orienteering Club

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<u>Caer Mote</u> - Thanks to Rob Stein for last week's event. Winner on the Long course was Jamie Rennie, ahead of Joe Sunley in 2nd, James Chapman (BL) 3rd, Simon Hunter 4th, Emma Stuart 5th (1st female), Dan Roach 6th, Dan Parker 7th, Mike Harrison 8th, Caitlin Pearson 9th (2nd female) and Keith Tonkin 10th. Daisy Rennie was 3rd female. On the Short course, Roger Thomas took the win, with Emma Craw-

ford 2nd, Mike Billinghurst 3rd, Roger Jackson 4th, Sam McLoughlin 5th, Margaret MacKenzie 6th, Sophie Crawford 7th, Deborah Goodwin 8th, Alex Crawford 9th and Anna Taylor-Brown 10th. On the Novice course, Lily Clarkson took the win, with Sola Holmes 2nd and Kyra Green 3rd. (Full results can be viewed on the website).

This week's event is at Elva Hill and you have until 23:59 tonight to enter via Racesignup.

Christmas Events-



Sunday 19th December - 10am -11am. Harris Park and Rubbybanks (<u>not</u> Cockermouth School as previously advertised). Courses - 2 junior courses in Harris Park, plus a Short and Long for all abilities in the wider area. There will be cakes and hot drinks for sale. Funds raised will be used for junior activities - Please support. Online entry via Racesignup is FREE to reserve a map. Donations can then be made in cash on the day or to the junior club a/c -see website.



LOC - Turkey Race 1 - Torver Low Common -Sun 26 December 2021- Entries now open on SiEntries. Entries close 20th December 2021. Full details are available on the LOC website.



BL-Whittas Park Charity Event - 29th December 2021 - Entries open on SiEntries. Full details on BL website. (Social in Bothel Village Hall after. There will be soup, cakes and hot drinks-all welcome).

Mawbray Dunes, Festive Fun- 1st January 2022 - Further Details to follow. (And don't forget there is another Night Series Event before Christmas - Stoneywath - 23th December 2021)......and there's more!

Northern Fells Xmas Tree challenge

Thanks to my nifty Xmas Elves the Northern Fells Xmas Tree challenge is ready for your orienteering and fell running pleasure. There are small 6 Xmas trees placed out on the fells at the grid references shown. You must visit each tree (in any order) and complete a circuit from your car parking start point. You can choose to start from wherever you wish, but you must complete a circuit back to your car. You may run the route with others or alone. Remember to take with you enough gear to keep yourself safe in the fells, weather can change rapidly in winter, and you do the challenge at your own risk. To prove you have been to each location you must provide a photo of each tree. Submit your time or strava route to <u>natalie@razzetti.com</u> or on messenger/ facebook. The fastest circuit will be awarded a small prize.

Partridge in a Pear Tree 355 305 Large Stone

Two Turtle Doves 302 360 Shaft entrance

Three French Hens 336 312 Large boulders/crags

Four Calling Birds 312 337 Lingy Hut

Five Golden Rings 339 305 Wall of shelter

Six Geese a-Laying 295 341 Cairn

For those wanting an extra twist you can do the challenge in the dark, some of the trees have little lights. (But please turn them off before you leave).

You may also do either a long or a short circuit. The long is all six. The short circuit is the following four only:

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	Natalie
	Happy days mapping and route finding. The route will be out until mid January.
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