

## **League Event 7, Parkend, 21st April 2007**

### **Organisers Notes**

The beautiful sunny weather and lovely spring forest meant perfect conditions for orienteering. I was disappointed to see an unusually large number of retirements on the Blue course, I now fear that the course was perhaps too challenging either physically or technically. Please let me have your feedback on this, so that I might incorporate any recommendations into planning courses in the future.

The Forestry Commission notified us about 3 weeks before the event that a large part of the area had become out of bounds due to bird-nesting. This meant I had to re-plan all the courses, and squeeze them into a much smaller area. However, I hope the end result was satisfactory, none-the-less.

My thanks are due to various helpers on the day, particularly Mike Mooney, Carol Stewart, John Fallows, Pat Macleod and Bob Teed. Thanks also to the Bramleys for help with collecting in controls and for taking the kit off my hands ready for next weekend's event.

There were a couple of items of lost property still to be claimed: a folded £5 note found a registration and a whistle found in the forest.

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