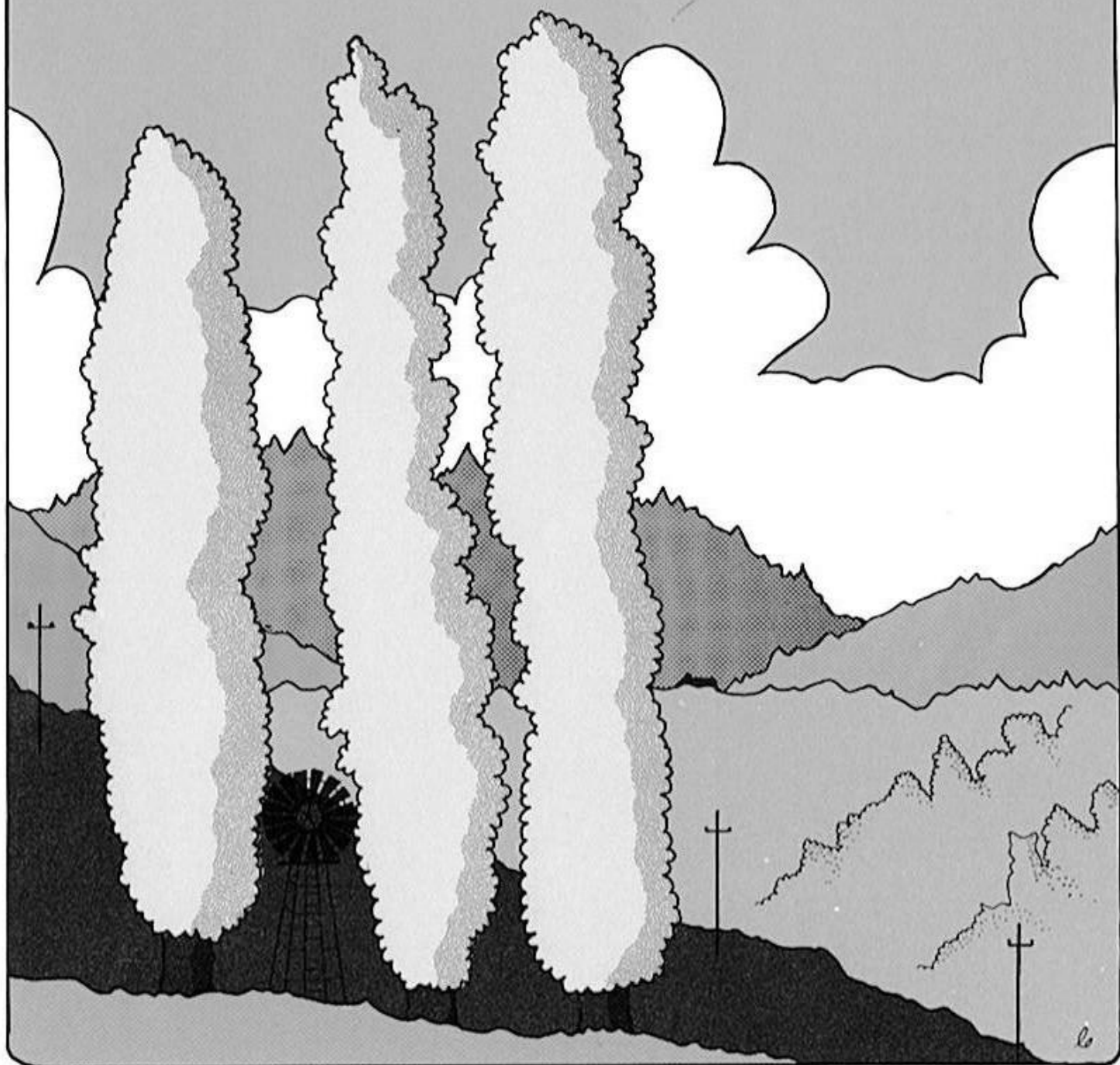


COMPASS POINTS



EDITORIAL

So not its my turn is it? Thanks to all those who contributed material. There is some interesting reading in the O.Y. points updates.

There are still some important dates to note for this year. Our A G M is on Tuesday 20th November and entries for the Pukenui Mini-Mountain-Marathon are due to Bruce Perry by November 15th. Both of these events are outlined in detail elsewhere in this newsletter.

We also have a centre-fold for you, especially our newer and less experienced orienteers. Perhaps we all need to revise the International Orienteering Federation symbols from time to time.

Welcome to our new members (apologies to any who are not on this list):

Karen Artemier
Tim and Chris Barnsley & Family
Pim De Monchy
Mark and Philipa Ferris & Family
Peter Hill
Karen and Steven Mulcahy
David and Lynne Robertson
Sheridan Thorne

We look forward to reading your pen-portraits in future editions of COMPASS POINTS. Feel free to write these any time and pass on to Caroline Watson and Bruce Perry. Good luck with your future orienteering.

Rosalie (Ed)

I N V I T A T I O N

I O O U R

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

To be held in the Staff Room at the Hastings Girls' High School on Tuesday 20th November starting at 7:30pm.

Compared with other codes our sport is unusual in that those taking part often never see other club members who are at the same event.

The Annual General Meeting is different. It is one of our social occasions. We are all together in one room at the same time, wearing clean clothes, and smelling nice. We get to see the opposition as they are called forward to receive the "ORIENTEER OF THE YEAR" or the Club Champion Certificates and Trophies.

There is also an appetising supper afterwards because we've all provided a "PLATE" for the occasion.

This year Maurice and Linda will open the meeting with a talk on their recent trip to Australia for the New Zealand Challenge and related Orienteering events.

Dear Ms Editor..

As Newsletter Convenors, Bruce Perry and I thank you for compiling and distributing this edition of Compass Points.

As your fellow competitor I heartily congratulate you on 'thrashing' me at OY5, Seafield Road (just in case you don't mention it yourself!). A good win and well deserved. I have absolutely no excuses!

The magazine has become even more important as a club media as our numbers have soared this year and it is a means of keeping in touch with all our new members.

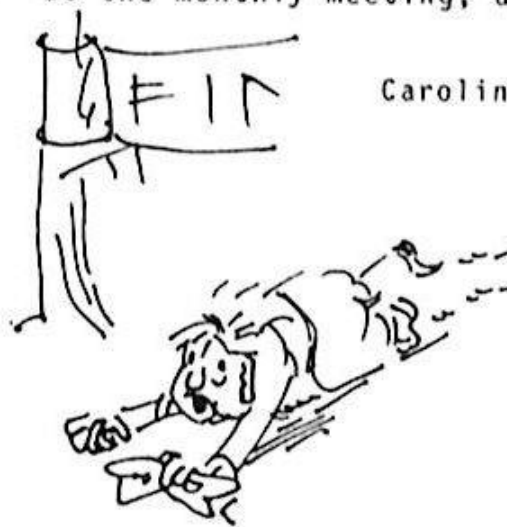
After this issue, the AGM and the xmas event, Sharon Mardon will be compiling an issue which will be posted or delivered to everyone and which will give you 1991's list of events among other things, so that you don't lose touch with what's happening over the xmas break. Thank you Sharon.

Welcome all new members this year. We look forward to seeing you at events next year, helping you learn all about orienteering (just let any club member know you'd like some help or perhaps coaching - Peter Watson is the club's 'official' coach and could help you too. There are lots of people willing and able..?) and to see the 'grin' of satisfaction on your face as you find each and every one of those elusive controls.

The committee, by the way, is not the 'be all and end all' of club policy and action. If you have a new concept or idea, it may be just the thing we need or something we hadn't thought of. An avenue, for whatever reason also, is to write to the committee and then it can be heard 'first hand' at the monthly meeting, and actioned accordingly.



MY ORIENTEERING AT
THE MOMENT...FROM
THE FRYING PAN INTO
THE FIRE!



Caroline Watson

.. CLUB NEWS ..

★ THIS NEEDS IMMEDIATE ACTION ★

1. NOMINATIONS FOR THE CHARLES DOOK MERIT AWARD ←

Written nominations are invited for the Dook Cup which is presented at the AGM to the club member who has contributed most to the club over the past year. The recipient will be decided at the committee meeting held on 13 November, so if you wish to make a nomination, PLEASE PUT PEN TO PAPER TODAY.

Past recipients include: Brian Crawford, Stewart Hyslop, Caroline Watson, Sharon Mardon, Ted Sapsford and Peter Watson.

2. COMPASS AWARD

HB is in line to win the annual Ampro Award of 20 Silva compasses which is awarded to the club which has the greatest percentage increase in membership over the year.

No club having won it once is eligible to win it a second time but this rule must be due to change as the award has been running for about 10 years. Needless to say HB has never won it!

After many year of static membership our current 75 members is a 34% increase on last year and contrary to the trends in other clubs this year.

3. REMINDER JUNIOR CAMP

Details were published in the last issue but just a reminder to any interested juniors 13-16 years - Iwitahi Camp 20km east of Taupo, 16-22 December.

Adults or older juniors are required to help run the camp. If there happens to be anyone interested in helping, Les Warren, 4/42 Queens Ave, Hamilton, phone 391214 (home) 436144 (work) (though these phone numbers will have changed slightly) is the man to get hold of.

4. The overseas' travellers return:

Maurice and Linda Lloyd back from Australia

Philip Allerby back from North America

Although we are unlikely to see Philip who has odd days off from his job as a swimming pool attendant.

Dave Fisher due back from Nepal with his bags of litter on the 2nd November.

5 QUEEN'S BIRTHDAY 1991

Hawkes Bay is hosting a national badge event next year, at Queen's Birthday, 1-3 June 1991.

Our newer members won't have experienced a national event but this is definitely not one to miss. Right on your doorstep.

National events are pre-entry (12 courses), selecting your age grade (if you want to compete in your grade or otherwise any course) and also your grade difficulty. There WILL be a course to suit you. You get a pre-drawn map (just a matter of turning up at the start area at the correct time - which you will learn from the programme sent to you before the event) and then you experience orienteering with people going 'every which way'. It's great. Take it from the stalwarts - MARK YOUR CALENDAR. DON'T MISS IT.

Also to be mentioned here is the fact that we will need all the help we can get to execute a well-run event. Organisation for a national event has to begin well in advance and some jobs have already been filled.

That is only the beginning, however, and it is quite likely you will be approached to see if you are able to lend a hand. Even the kids help at these events. No ability or experience required. Stewart Hyslop is the man to see, or avoid, depending on which way you look at it!

You can help at the event and compete on a course as well.

This is the heirachy to date:

Co-ordinators:	Robin Nairn & Stewart Hyslop
Controller:	Ray Nicholson, Wairarapa Club
Entries secretary:	Sharon Mardon
Programme editor:	Dave Fisher
Results editor:	Dave Fisher
Publicity:	
Setter Day 1:	Bruce Perry
Vetter Day 1 & 3:	Brian Crawford
Setter Day 3:	Peter Watson
Setter Day 2:	Maurice Lloyd
Vetter Day 2:	Eric Dunbar
Equipment:	Bill Walch
Social:	Catherine Lee

6 MAPsport magazine

Issue 14 of MAPsport is now out and you should claim your copy with this edition of Compass Points. There will be a pile somewhere. Look on the back for your named copy.

7 STARTING PROCEDURE AT EVENTS

With the volume of members at club events now, we have instigated a new starting procedure (used by most clubs in NZ) to take the 'crush' off at the caravan with everyone wanting to get organised at the same time. It also takes the pressure off the person in the caravan who is trying to take finishing times and do that end of things as well.

It goes something like this:

1. Fill out a clipcard with name and course.
2. Register at the caravan and collect a map and control descriptions for your course.
3. Chose a start time and fill in your name to correspond with the time and in the correct course column. i.e. Six people can all start at 10:45, but they will be on six different courses. On the page provided.

Write your start time on the two sections of the clipcard alongside START as illustrated:

	HOURS	MINUTES	SECS
* YOUR START TIME	FINISH		
	START	*	00
	TIME		

4. Turn up at the designated start area BEFORE your start time.

The 'starter' will check your clipcard, rip off the 'tear off' section of the card and set you off at your designated time.

SIMPLE!

Finish procedure is usually just a matter of arriving at the caravan and making the person there aware that you are finishing. The finish is sometimes located elsewhere too, to make things easier.

	A	B	C	D	E	
10:30						
10:35						
10:40						
10:45						
10:50						
10:55						

START TIME PAGE

Event ResultsORIENTEERING: RESULTS AT GWAVAS FOREST

The fourth event in the series of six events to determine the ORIENTEER OF THE YEAR was held amongst the Douglas Fir trees of Gwavas on 2/9/90. The course setters Doug Matheson and Brian Crawford offered a choice of five. A pleasing number of visitors and club members took up the challenge.

A	Course	4.5km	Time	OYpoints	OYgrade
1	Peter	Watson	61.27	25.00	M17-39
2	Bruce	Perry	77.05	19.92	M17-39
3	David	Fisher	111.13	13.81	M17-39
4	Eric	Dunbar	201.21	10.00	M17-39
B	Course	2.9km			
1	Philip	Mardon	82.04	25.00	M40+
2	Dave	Smith	104.44	19.58	M40+
3	Ted	Sapsford	117.04	17.53	M40+
4	Paul	Jarvis	120.47	16.98	M40+
5	Nigel	Brown	126.09	16.26	M40+
	Mac&Ngair	Fisher	dnf		m3
	Carla&Sarena		dnf		m5
	Bill	Walch	dnf		1w,m2
10.00					M40+
C	Course	1.45km			
1	Caroline	Watson	27.58	25.00	W17-39
2	Anne	Sapsford	45.24	25.00	W40+
3	Sharon	Mardon	46.41	14.36	W17-39
4	Yvonne	McKelvie	57.20	19.79	W40+
5	Family	Robertson	71.25		
6	Heather	Mardon	80.15	10.00	W17-39
7	Simon	Hansen	80.43		
8	Max	McEwen	84.43		
8	Ted	Nielsen	84.43		
10	Diane	Lucas	85.10	10.00	W17-39
11	Paul	McKelvie	118.20	25.00	M12
12	Family	Cook	123.56		
D	Course	1.0km			
1	James	Watson	48.57	25.00	M12
2	Ricketts,	Gilcrest	60.09		
3	Cathy	Smith	67.24	25.00	W13
E	Course	0.9km			
1	MAnderson,	SHansen	28.09		
2	GF	Marsh	36.00		
2	M	Strong	36.00		
4	Corrine	Walker, friends	36.37		
5	Family	Cook	39.23		
6	R&D	Ricketts	39.56		
6	M&T	Gilcrest	39.56		
8	Geoffrey	Lucas	92.52	25.00	M12

The next club event will be held at Bluff Hill, Napier on 16 Sept.

Rosalie has requested I pen a few words on the Central Districts Orienteering Association Champs and so here it is.

The Rotorua Club provided a great map "Crater Block" which is an 11.5 square km area of grazed pine forest on the lower slopes of Mt Tarawera. Their organisation was excellent and I thank them for the time they put into the event.

The map was cut into two pieces (very economical) with separate pieces used on each day but with similar start/finish areas.

The first day was a total disaster with the first five controls completed with my eyes closed due to the pollen clouds. To show you the difference between a hack' like me and a 'gun' like Alistair Landels, I have listed our respective split times from the first day:

	<u>Alistair</u>	<u>Peter</u>		<u>Alistair</u>	<u>Peter</u>
1	1.31	1.31	12	1.41	6.22
2	3.13	4.46	13	3.32	6.07
3	3.30	8.02	14	3.34	6.16
4	3.10	3.45	15	1.47	5.29
5	1.36	4.20	16	1.37	4.07
6	2.29	7.51	17	6.02	15.27
7	2.34	3.34	18	3.29	10.34
8	1.19	1.17	19	.59	2.09
9	3.45	8.47	20	1.04	1.53
10	4.14	5.18	21	.41	.54
11	3.59	9.09	Finish	.09	.12
				<u>56.04</u>	<u>116.33</u>

Studying the map after the event I noticed the symmetric ride pattern (everyone else noticed while they were on the map) and intended to use it the next day.

The first control on the second day was straight down a ride - did I use it? - no, and suffered a seven minute error on the first control. From that moment on I slowly but surely nailed every control to improve from 18th on the first day to 11th on the second.

I feel the ride system was too helpful and had significantly reduced the technical difficulty of the map.

Hawkes Bay competitors were: Maurice Lloyd, Brian Crawford, Sharon Mardon, Diane Lucas and myself but I won't embarrass anyone by listing the times.

Peter Watson

**ORIENTEERING REPORT : BLUFF HILL COURSE -
SEPTEMBER 15**

With the expectation that almost all of our competition orienteers would be away at a Central North Island event, I put together 4 run plus one cycle course; aimed at the recreational set.

The Historical and Cultural Tour of Scenic SCINDE ISLAND took in as many historic sites and scenic view points as I could manage. This was promoted at five schools and at other sports gathering points. Consequently several new faces arrived. In future I would make the promotion more directed at scouting and guiding groups.

My one "faux pas" was to call a 'Mission Style Building' Art Deco. Thanks to Max for the correction.

Most competitors returned with favourable comments, discovering sites of interest, they had previously been unaware of; for that I felt it was all worthwhile.

Our thanks to Port School and Bayswater Restaurant. Everybody who enjoyed their course WAS A WINNER.

Alan Burke

HE ORIENTEERING

The Bluff Hill Napier event 16/9/98 was set by Alan Burke.
Several family groups tried the courses offered.

RESULTS:

A Course

a	Dave	Fisher	91.00
a	Bill	Walch	120.00
a	Leigh	Clark	120.00 ml
a	Wayne.Family	Lee	158.00
a	Family	Hill	194.00
a	Family	Cooke	198.00
aa	Yvonne	McKilviednf	

B Course

b	Doug	Matheson	79.19
b	Family	Ferris	91.00
b	Paul	Jarvis	100.48
b	Brad:	Nathan	111.00
b	Family	Barnsley	120.00
b	Margot	Young	125.30
b	Max	McLachlan	125.38
b	Family	Ramage	129.00

C Course

c	Heather.Harry:	Family	55.30
c	Tracy.Sue	Perry	53.30
c	Family	Ramage	65.00
c	Robertson	184	74.00
c	Sue:Family	Stove	81.00
c	Family	Coe	127.00

C Course (cycles)

cb	Stewart	Hyclop	37.00
cb	Robertson	182	79.00
cbd	Jacob.Sam:	Robbie	dnf

D Course

d	Dave	Smith	34.57
d	D	Ferris	40.00
d	Family	Barnsley	44.00
d	Family	Prinz	50.00

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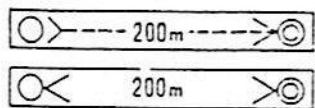
lay-out of clue sheet:

class	length	climb
A, B, C	D, E, F	G, H
2		
3		

- A control number
- B control code
- C which feature
- D the control feature
- E details of appearance
- F dimensions
- G location of the marker
- H other information

example:

	W21A	8.7km	210m	
1	AA			Rocky spur, lower part
2	AB			Gully junction, manned
3	BB			Deep pit, south edge (Danger)
4	BC		3.0	Native tree, 3.0m
5	CC		1.5 2.0	Between the boulders, 1.5, 2.0m, drinks
6	CD		1.5	South-eastern mound, 1.5m, east side
7	DD		1.8	Northern embankment, 1.8m, west foot
8	DE			Track and watercourse crossing
9	EE			Dam, south-west edge, radio control



column C

- southern
- north-eastern
- upper
- lower
- middle
- between

column D

- embankment
- earth wall
- terrace, spur shoulder
- spur
- narrow spur
- gully, reentrant
- erosion gully
- dry ditch
- knoll
- small knoll, mound
- saddle
- depression
- small depression
- pit
- cliff
- bare rock
- mine entrance, cave
- boulder
- boulder field
- rocky ground
- cairn
- lake, large dam
- dam, pond
- small waterhole
- watercourse

column D (cont.)

- minor watercourse
- marsh
- small marsh
- well, water tank
- open land
- semi-open land
- clearing
- thicket
- felled area
- vegetation boundary
- copse
- road
- track, path
- narrow ride
- stone wall
- fence
- bridge
- building
- ruin
- tower
- rock pillar
- single tree
- tree root mound
- termite mound
- broken ground
- special feature
- special feature

column E

- crossing
- junction
- bend
- end

column E (cont.)

- shallow
- deep
- overgrown
- open
- rocky
- marshy
- sandy
- water-filled
- pine tree
- native tree

column F

- height in metres
- length width in metres
- danger — very deep

column G

- north side
- north-west edge
- east corner (inside)
- south-west corner
- south tip
- west part
- upper part (head)
- lower part
- on the top of
- south foot
- at the foot

column H

- drinks
- radio control
- manned control
- first aid
- drinks and radio control

O.Y. POINTS UPDATE

<u>O.Y. POINTS</u>	GRANULES	SMEDLEY	McNEIL	GWAVAS	SEAFIELD	TOTAL	BEST 4
	O.Y. 1	O.Y. 2	O.Y. 3	O.Y. 4	O.Y. 5		
M 17 - 39							
Peter Watson	24.00	25.00	22.41	25.00	25.00	121.41	99.00
Bruce Perry	10.00	25.00	25.00	19.93	25.00	104.93	94.93
Stewart Hyslop	17.03	15.45	25.00	0.00	25.00	92.48	82.48
Maurice Lloyd	25.00	0.00	22.85	0.00	21.65	69.50	69.50
Eric Dunbar	16.03	25.00	14.40	10.00	13.55	78.98	68.98
David Fisher	14.57	13.53	25.00	13.81	0.00	66.91	66.91
Gavin Shing	10.00	13.96	15.13	0.00	17.63	56.72	56.72
Wayne Lee	12.34	10.00	11.76	0.00	12.62	46.72	46.72
Doug Matheson	0.00	13.48	0.00	25.00	0.00	38.48	38.48
Tim Barnsley	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	10.00	10.00	10.00
Peter Hill	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	10.00	10.00	10.00
M 40+							
Brian Crawford	25.00	25.00	24.50	25.00	23.16	122.66	99.50
Philip Mardon	23.06	21.18	0.00	25.00	24.89	94.13	94.13
Paul Jarvis	25.00	23.42	25.00	16.99	19.25	109.66	92.67
Ted Sapsford	25.00	0.00	18.19	17.53	19.75	80.47	80.47
Dave Smith	18.62	16.89	19.12	19.59	18.10	92.32	75.43
Martin Pike	17.79	20.84	0.00	0.00	20.31	58.94	58.94
Nigel Brown	0.00	14.53	0.00	16.26	24.86	55.65	55.65
Alan Burke	10.00	0.00	19.29	0.00	10.00	39.29	39.29
Bill Walch	0.00	0.00	0.00	10.00	10.00	20.00	20.00
W 17 - 39							
Caroline Watson	22.67	25.00	23.05	25.00	21.78	117.50	95.72
Catherine Lee	15.34	23.97	24.86	0.00	23.23	87.40	87.40
Rosalie Adlam	19.24	18.28	22.95	0.00	25.00	85.47	85.47
Sharon Mardon	25.00	23.01	0.00	14.36	21.14	83.51	83.51
Diane Lucas	12.12	10.00	11.66	10.00	18.40	62.18	52.18
Linda Lloyd	24.51	0.00	25.00	0.00	0.00	49.51	49.51
Sue Pike	17.14	15.91	0.00	0.00	0.00	33.05	33.05
Fiona Sapsford	0.00	17.91	0.00	0.00	0.00	17.91	17.91
Chris Barnsley	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	10.00	10.00	10.00
W 40 +							
Anne Sapsford	24.16	25.00	25.00	25.00	25.00	124.16	100.00
Lois Nairn	25.00	16.33	0.00	0.00	18.51	59.84	59.84
Diane Kyle	0.00	18.96	24.74	0.00	0.00	43.70	43.70
Yvonne McKelvie	0.00	0.00	0.00	19.80	22.19	41.99	41.99
Leigh Clark	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	10.00	10.00	10.00
M 13 - 16							
Peter Smith	25.00	25.00	25.00	0.00	0.00	75.00	75.00
Garth Robertson	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	25.00	25.00	25.00
Brian Nairn	0.00	10.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	10.00	10.00
W 13 - 16							
Cathy Smith	0.00	0.00	25.00	25.00	25.00	75.00	75.00
M 12							
Carlos Burke	25.00	25.00	25.00	0.00	18.65	93.65	93.65
Geoffrey Lucas	13.27	17.60	13.88	25.00	17.87	87.62	74.35
James Watson	21.79	24.90	0.00	25.00	0.00	71.69	71.69
Paul McKelvie	0.00	0.00	10.00	25.00	25.00	60.00	60.00
Andre Burke	0.00	24.90	0.00	0.00	0.00	24.90	24.90
W 12							
Amy Lee	22.49	25.00	25.00	0.00	21.30	93.79	93.79
Anita Lloyd	25.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	25.00	50.00	50.00
Michelle Barnsley	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	18.98	18.98	18.98
Amy Robertson	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	10.00	10.00	10.00

O.Y. HANDICAP POINTS UPDATE

<u>HANDICAP POINTS</u>	TOTAL 1	TOTAL2	TOTAL3	TOTAL4	NEW TOTAL	BEST 3 OF 4
M 17 - 39						
Bruce Perry	25.00	26.00	19.93	28.00	98.93	79.00
Peter Watson	26.00	23.41	27.00	25.00	101.41	78.00
Eric Dunbar	25.00	23.40	20.00	27.55	95.95	75.95
Gavin Shing	21.96	26.13	0.00	27.63	75.72	75.72
David Fisher	24.53	25.00	25.81	0.00	75.34	75.34
Wayne Lee	23.00	24.76	0.00	25.62	73.38	73.38
Stewart Hyslop	23.45	25.00	0.00	22.44	70.89	70.89
Doug Matheson	24.48	0.00	25.00	0.00	49.48	49.48
Maurice Lloyd	0.00	22.85	0.00	22.65	45.50	45.50
Tim Barnsley	0.00	0.00	0.00	25.00	25.00	25.00
Peter Hill	0.00	0.00	0.00	25.00	25.00	25.00
M 40+						
Nigel Brown	22.53	0.00	25.26	33.86	81.65	81.65
Philip Mardon	23.18	0.00	28.00	26.89	78.07	78.07
Dave Smith	23.89	27.12	26.59	24.10	101.70	77.81
Ted Sapsford	0.00	25.19	24.53	26.75	76.47	76.47
Brian Crawford	25.00	24.50	25.00	23.16	97.66	74.50
Paul Jarvis	24.42	26.00	16.99	23.25	90.66	73.67
Martin Pike	28.84	0.00	0.00	26.31	55.15	55.15
Alan Burke	0.00	31.29	0.00	19.00	50.29	50.29
Bill Walch	0.00	0.00	25.00	25.00	50.00	50.00
W 17 - 39						
Catherine Lee	33.97	31.86	0.00	27.23	93.06	93.06
Rosalie Adlam	24.28	29.95	0.00	30.00	84.23	84.23
Caroline Watson	28.00	26.05	28.00	24.78	106.83	82.05
Diane Lucas	23.00	24.66	23.00	33.40	104.06	81.06
Sharon Mardon	23.01	0.00	16.36	28.14	67.51	67.51
Linda Lloyd	0.00	26.00	0.00	0.00	26.00	26.00
Fiona Sapsford	25.91	0.00	0.00	0.00	25.91	25.91
Chris Barnsley	0.00	0.00	0.00	25.00	25.00	25.00
Sue Pike	23.91	0.00	0.00	0.00	23.91	23.91
W 40 +						
Anne Sapsford	26.00	25.00	25.00	25.00	101.00	76.00
Diane Kyle	25.96	31.74	0.00	0.00	57.70	57.70
Yvonne McKelvie	0.00	0.00	25.80	28.19	53.99	53.99
Lois Nairn	16.33	0.00	0.00	22.51	38.84	38.84
Leigh Clark	0.00	0.00	0.00	25.00	25.00	25.00
M 13 -16						
Peter Smith	25.00	25.00	0.00	0.00	50.00	50.00
Garth Robertson	0.00	0.00	0.00	40.00	40.00	40.00
Brian Nairn	25.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	25.00	25.00
W 13 - 16						
Cathy Smith	0.00	25.00	25.00	25.00	75.00	75.00
M 12						
Paul McKelvie	0.00	25.00	40.00	40.00	105.00	105.00
Geoffrey Lucas	29.60	23.88	36.00	26.87	116.35	92.47
Carlos Burke	25.00	25.00	0.00	18.65	68.65	68.65
James Watson	28.90	0.00	27.00	0.00	55.90	55.90
Andre Burke	25.90	0.00	0.00	0.00	25.90	25.90
W 12						
Amy Lee	28.00	28.00	0.00	24.30	80.30	80.30
Michelle Barnsley	0.00	0.00	0.00	33.98	33.98	33.98
Anita Lloyd	0.00	0.00	0.00	25.00	25.00	25.00
Amy Robertson	0.00	0.00	0.00	25.00	25.00	25.00

NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS ET AL
OCTOBER 20 - 22 1990

Hawkes Bay entries for the Labour Weekend events were down on previous years with only Maurice and Linda Lloyd and myself entering all events, and Brian Crawford and Dave Smith just entering the National Championships.

The first day was a family relay cum warm-up with Anita Lloyd running her first away event. The family relays were won by Bill, Bryan and Graham Teahan despite a 37 minute handicap.

The National Championships were run on 'Mamaku' in the Mamaku Forest which incorporated part of the old Perimeter Road South map. The forest was all 23-29 year old Douglas Fir trees and makes our Gwavas map look positively simple.

Despite my course being 9.8kms with 425 metres climb and making at least four by 10 minute errors I thoroughly enjoyed the challenge.

Brian Crawford had our best result with the rest of us taking our usual place at the bottom of the results.

The final day at 'Crater Block' (same map as used for the CDOA Champs) was run as the National Club Relays.

Linda ran our first short leg and had a good run with Maurice taking over to run the medium leg in a fast time of 37.46 minutes for 5.5kms. I started the long leg four minutes down on the third placegetter and after 80% of the course had closed the gap to two minutes.

Unfortunately at the second to last control I made a 17 minute error and we had to settle for a fortuitous fourth, 19 minutes down on the third placegetters but six minutes ahead of fifth.

Peter Watson

SEAFIELD ROAD OY5
RED KIWIS INTERCLUB CHALLENGE
SUNDAY 14th OCTOBER 1990

The first priority for this event was to find a new start area from the woolshed area which had been over-used. The pond area at the NW edge of the map proved ideal.

The courses were based on OY lengths approved in April 1988, with the exception of the A Course which was shortened to 65 minutes from 80 minutes.

For the benefit of our newer members these were:-

<u>Course</u>	<u>OY Grade</u>	<u>Estimated Winning Time</u>	<u>Technical Difficulty</u>
A	M17-39	65	Hard
B	M40+	50	Hard
C	W17-39	40	Hard
D	M13-16	35	Medium
E	W13-16	30	Medium
F	M12, W12	20	Easy

For the first time in three years HB won the Interclub Challenge thanks to the willingness of our members to run their correct course (except for Linda Lloyd who must have had a sex change operation in Australia) and the lack of turnout by the Red Kiwis.

I was particularly impressed with Bill Walch, Tim Barnsley and Peter Hill who persevered for 3½ hours on courses that they had not run on before.

A lot of competitors on the A Course missed the contour route through the trees for their long leg and came back complaining about the climb on their course.

I tried to cut the climb down at the expense of contouring but I think most people would have preferred more climb and less contouring.

A good win to Rosalie Adlam in the Womens' 17-39 grade, which has become very competitive with only 20 minutes separating the first five places.

Even though this was only the 5th in a series of six events all the orienteer of the year grades have been decided with the confirmed placings as follows:-

M17-39	1. Peter Watson	W17-39	1. Caroline Watson
	2. Bruce Perry		
	3. Maurice Lloyd		
M40+	1. Brian Crawford	W40+	1. Anne Sapsford
M13-16	1. Peter Smith	W13-16	1. Cathy Smith
M12	1. Geoffrey Lucas	W12	1. Amy Lee
	2. Carlos Burke		2. Anita Lloyd

The other places will be decided at OY6 which doubles as the Club Champs to be held at Esk Forest.

For those of you who didn't understand the greek hyroglyphics on your control descriptions, Rosalie will publish the international control descriptions if she has room.

With the increase in club membership we hope to introduce a self-starting system which I used with only a few problems.

HAWKES BAY - RED KIWIS INTERCLUB CHALLENGE - SEAFIELD ROAD OCTOBER 1990

	<u>Grade</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>OY Points</u>	<u>HB Points</u>	<u>RK Points</u>
<u>A Course 6.0 kms, 330 metres climb</u>					
1.	Bruce Perry	M21	1.14.55	25.00	1000.00
2.	Graham Teahan	M35	1.23.46		1000.00
3.	Maurice Lloyd	M35	1.26.30	21.65	968.40
4.	Barry Eccles	M35	1.31.10		
5.	Rex Humphrey	M35	1.35.42		
6.	Gavin Shing	M21	1.46.13	17.63	705.32
7.	Ross Berry		2.08.43		
8.	Eric Dunbar	M35	2.18.11	13.55	606.20
9.	Wayne Lee	M35	2.28.24	12.62	564.47
10.	Tim Barnsley	M35	3.38.24	10.00	(missed one)
11.	Peter Hill	M35	3.28.25	10.00	(missed three)
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				3844.39	2794.13
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B Course 3.8 kms, 160 metres climb

1.	Kevin Pearce	M45	1.06.26		1000.00
2.	John Doolan	M40	1.09.52		1000.00
3.	Stewart Hyslop	M50	1.28.14	25.00	1000.00
4.	Philip Mardon	M50	1.28.38	24.89	995.49
5.	Nigel Brown	M40	1.28.43	24.86	787.53
6.	Linda Lloyd	W35	1.33.04		
7.	Brian Crawford	M60	1.35.15	23.16	1000.00
8.	Martin Pike	M35	1.48.37		
9.	Ted Sapsford	M50	1.51.42	19.75	789.91
10.	Paul Jarvis	M45	1.54.34	19.25	579.87
11.	Dave Smith	M50	2.01.54	18.10	723.82
12.	Graeme Flyger	M40	2.03.47		564.43
13.	Bill Walch	M50	3.48.34	10.00	386.03
14.	Alan Burke	M40	DNF		
15.	Rob Stephens	M50	DNF		
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				6262.65	2564.43
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C Course 2.3 kms, 140 metres climb

1.	Anne Humphrey	W35	48.04		1000.00
2.	Rosalie Adlam	W35	56.28	25.00	851.24
3.	Catherine Lee	W35	1.00.46	23.23	791.00
4.	Caroline Watson	W21	1.04.49	21.78	1000.00
5.	Sharon Mardon	W45	1.06.46	21.14	1000.00
6.	Diane Lucas	W21	1.16.44	18.40	844.70
7.	Jenny Teahan	W40	1.31.47		
8.	Anne Sapsford	W55	1.31.52	25.00	1000.00
9.	Carole Flyger	W21	1.36.56		668.67
10.	Yvonne McKelvie	W40	1.43.31	22.19	886.65
11.	Mac Fisher	M70	1.43.34		1000.00
12.	Lois Nairn	W45	2.04.05	18.51	538.08
13.	Leigh Clark	W40	2.14.55	10.00	(missed one)
14.	Chris Barnsley	W35	DNF		
15.	Woodward Group		DNF		
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				7911.67	2668.67
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	<u>Grade</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>OY Points</u>	<u>HB Points</u>	<u>RK Points</u>
<u>D Course 1.5 kms, 80 metres climb</u>					
1.	Garth Robertson	M13	26.02	25.00	1000.00
2.	Jeffrey Teahan	M15	38.30		1000.00
3.	Dave Robertson		47.09		
4.	Glen Lavin	M15	52.27		734.03
5.	Lynne Robertson		57.09		
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				1000.00	1734.03
<u>E Course 1.0 km, 40 metres climb</u>					
1.	Fiona Humphrey	W15	18.17		1000.00
2.	Kathy Smith	W13	52.38	25.00	1000.00
3.	Ferris Group		1.36.26		
4.	Pike Family		1.54.02		
5.	Garth Robertson (2nd course)		16.33		
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				1000.00	1000.00
<u>F Course 800 metres, 20 metres climb</u>					
1.	Rowena Humphrey	W12	7.50		1000.00
2.	Anthony Lloyd	M12	11.15		
3.	Anita Lloyd	W12	11.30	25.00	681.16
4.	Amy Lee	W12	13.30	21.30	580.25
5.	Michelle Barnsley	W12	15.09	18.98	517.05
6.	James Watson	M12	18.14		
7.	Paul McKelvie	M12	20.54	25.00	1000.00
8.	Carlos Burke	M12	28.01	18.65	745.98
9.	Geoffrey Lucas	M12	29.14	17.87	714.94
10.	Amy Robertson	W12	40.00	10.00	195.83
11.	Barnsley Group (2nd course)		9.02		
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				4435.21	1000.00
			<u>Total Points</u>	24453.92	11761.26
			<u>Number of Members</u>	75	47
			<u>Average</u>	326.05	250.24

Thanks to:- Neil Lawrence who helped me vette the courses and set up the event.

:- Caroline Watson, Diane Lucas and Brian Crawford who looked after the finish.

:- Brian Crawford, Bruce Perry, Paul Jarvis, Stewart Hyslop and Leigh Clark who collected controls that I would have probably left there if I had had to collect them all.

Peter Watson

THE PLASTIC SCOREBOARD

- Material: (Like the land-agents use) 2 phase corrugated white plastic approximately 3mm thick Korflute.
- Size: Cut from 1800 x 1200mm sheet into 300 max. 50mm slats. (long grain)
- Quantity: 144 out of 1 sheet.
- Cost: Mine bought from Graphic Display/Screen Printer \$15.00
- Further Processing: Top and Bottom raw edge has to be bisected with a sharp knife/craft tool.
- Joining up: Less clumsy looking if the slat below overlaps its top edge "over" the one above it. ("over" means to the front of in this perspective i.e. onlookers')
- Side View
- Writing On: It becomes obvious if lots of different people are to operate the scoreboard - a practice run before the event would be advantageous, and also light lines could be drawn on the pieces (or the total board, or part of) before cutting - otherwise all sorts of positions are used and uniformity flies out the window.
- Delicate Technique: A single cut down "dead centre" is achievable and is very necessary to avoid jamming when joining. I found that by shortening the sliding blade to "barely exposed" and using the supports either side of the blade as guiding runners it seemed to go the best of a variety of methods tried. A mechanical solution may cut out the human error though. Any suggestions? The wobbly nature of the material is part of the problem. Perhaps a scalpel sharpened to one edge of blade may be preferable to the two sides ground usually offered.
- Pens: Fine or chiselled type felt pen with PERMANENT ink is necessary in outdoor situations.
- Reusable?: The other side of each slat could be used at a later less important event.
- Other sorts of material! It may be preferable to use the grade thicker than 3mm from a cutting and slotting in speed improvement point of view. This however would obviously take up more bulk, but would not be too serious.
- Mounting: Forrest, provided 2 close enough trees to stretch a star card from which clothes pegs (spring variety) held the working slats.
- Weight: Absolutely super - almost weightless (carried to and from Redwoods)
- Compact: Very! (Once cut to size and then joined into ready made pages) into shopping bags.

- Origin: C D O A used this system recently. Peter Watson brought the idea to H.B.O.C. committee.
- Future Use: Probably the February MacPac event, and also the QB3 (or name to be coined yet?). But indeed any event where a large number are attending the crowding around the little slips is too congested.
- Height: Any scoreboard is less obscured if operated from an elevated area.
- Wind: Despite bitter, strong winds, but admittedly sheltered in the Redwoods, our board was set up side on to the wind, and was no problem, only problem was pegs were too heavy for the first slat but once more were added. It stayed up the correct way on the string.
- Photostat: What an advantage to be able to do this in 2 x "50%" setting jumps it can show up as 2 columns on a vertical A4.
- Recommended: "Definitely" by Dave Smith.
- Since Seen: Nationals used 100mm wide by 70mm deep approximately.
- Header Card: (For age grade) Attached with the string through the uppermost corrugation. Big needle perhaps to go through the width?
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SPRINGTIME FESTIVAL:

Brian Crawford provides the wheels, and he and I manned the caravan at Fantasyland on the morning of the 7th October. A large number of citizens attended, but we were just off the beaten path with a half a dozen other strange sporting codes. I guess we fielded ten enquiries in the time we were there.

However, we did meet the Mayor, and shook Brett Fairweather's hand (OUCH!) so when we ask for money it might stand us in good stead.

STEWART

"PUKENUI" - MINI MOUNTAIN MARATHON

NOVEMBER 25TH, 1990. PUKENUI STATION (30 minutes from Waipukurau)

Come on, all you reluctant people. Don't be put off by the title for this event. Just think of it as two consecutive club events run together - if you run twice as fast as you normally do, you won't take any longer. Take a friend if you like! Take your lunch!

To help you decide what course to run on, read on...



The A course is designed to test the navigational skills and fitness of the more experienced, masochistically keen orienteers / trampers. Not a course to be taken lightly!

The B course caters for all other orienteers, except those very new to the sport. Good navigational skills and reasonable fitness are necessary to complete this course.

The C course is there to allow recent newcomers and less fit orienteers to try out a larger scale map.

Come and enjoy the native bush, the babbling brooks, the views from Pukeruaea - fill out an entry form now.

(Entry forms elsewhere in this mag.)





HAWKES BAY ORIENTEERING CLUB

"PUKENUI" - MINI MOUNTAIN MARATHON

NOVEMBER 25TH, 1990. PUKENUI STATION (30 minutes from Waipukurau)

MAP: ONGA ONGA (NZMS 260 SHEET U22) SCALE: 1:50000 20m contours

TERRAIN: Farmland, including scrub-covered high country & steep gorges.

Course details:

Course	Estimated Winning Time	Difficulty
A	150 - 170 mins	Hard
B	110 - 125 mins	Medium/Hard
C	60 - 80 mins	Medium/Easy

Registration: from 9.00am
 Event briefing: 9.50am
 Mass start: 10.00am
 Course closure: 4.00pm



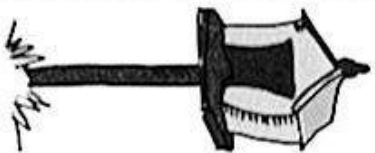
Event Fee: \$14.00 (includes map at \$9.00)
 Cheques payable to HBOC
 \$6.00 (if you supply the map.)

Those competitors supplying their own map should report to registration early to allow for pre-marking of their course.

Closing date for entries: November 15th, 1990
 Entries should be sent to Bruce Perry, 12 Johnson St, Waipawa.

Name	Address	Course	Fee

Total:



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