

# SALTBUSH MEMORIES FROM 1975

The first event for the year was at **“The Tanks”** organised by Iain Dobbie and Murray Young, it was a Score Event with twenty controls. These were ice cream containers, painted with the red orienteering triangle, suspended upside down, each with a coloured crayon attached by string.

The second was a Cross Country organised by Iain Dobbie, starting at **“The Car Wreck”** east of Mt. Laura.

An event advertised in the **Adelaide Orienteering Newsletter** held at Whyalla on the 17<sup>th</sup> August at 1:00pm attracted twenty entries for a Score Event organised by Dave Baron. A quote from the Newsletter states “All in all, Whyalla showed us just what can be done in the relatively open, salt bush area only a few kilometres N.W. of the town. Even the water courses and the tracks, all accurately mapped from aerial photographs for the event, were not readily visible until you were surprisingly close to them, thereby making careful navigation all the more essential.”