


SOUTH AUSTRALIAN ORIENTEERING CHAMPIONSHIP 
- Sunday 27th August 2000

The South Australian Orienteering Championships proved to be a worthy challenge for our top Orienteers. Yalanga had found a beautiful area close to Adelaide that had never been used for Orienteering. Irena Palmer, who field-worked the entire mapr ensured that the longer courses had plenty of variety, from park-like mature pine forest to dense native scrub. Those that took a more leisurely pace may have enjoyed glimpses of the South Para reservoir and even Spider Orchids.

There was plenty of opportunity for route choice, especially to avoid some of the thickest vegetation, while some legs were designed to test our fitness. Some of the courses may have been a bit long for the runnability of some of the terrain, but the results were generally consistent with the present form of the competitors.

Despite thorough vetting by OASA Controller Rob Hillyard, a flag was 'stolen' from a control with suspicion falling on an emu that was spotted in the area, and an M/w1o control was found thrown into a bush and recovered by a persistent young competitor. Despite losing time through these incidents, those affected were generous enough not to lodge any formal protest.

It was disappointing that only 6 Victorians took part in the SA 'Vic Challenge' although the three elites (plus 1 from N.S.W) were welcome competition for our SA elites. The additional challenge inspired them to put in winning performances as can be seen by the results. The actual score was a tie in total, but as SA won both M21E and W21E classes it was decided under 'local' rules that SA should be awarded the Trophy.

Reuben Smith showed his continuing top form as Australian Champion to win M21E and Heather Smith is showing that she is serious about her come-back with a narrow win in w21E against an in-form Kathryn Ewels.

A big thank-you to the Kersbrook CFS for providing excellent-value catering. They also were delighted with the atmosphere of the event and the support they got. They are very willing to provide catering at any other events we may have in the area.

Despite our small membership, most Yalangans competed as well as helped at the event. This put some stress on the Finish processing, but somehow we managed. The thorough preparation by event secretary Ruth Nicolson made the work on the day much easier. A special thanks to Amber Tomas WA and Greg Potter TT who helped at the Finish; also to the Lyons who brought the Sun Smart tent to add to the festive atmosphere. Such help from outside the club helps make the event more enjoyable for everyone.

Peter Mayer

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[Enter on the Day](#)

M10 N/C - 1.9 km

1 Henry Hazel TT 26'38"

M10 - 1.9 km

1 Thomas Fotheringham YA 16'50"

2 Rory McComb OH 18'29"

3 Robert Hembrow TT 19'50"

Gold Cut-Off 22'04"

4 Toby Clark WA 24'27"

5 Tom Dose TT 24'51"

Silver Cut-Off 26'9"

6 Samuel Harris TT 35'12"

Bronze Cut-Off 35'79'

M12A - 2.9 km

1 Tristan Lee TJ 27'18"

2 Alexander Bird WA 31'02"

3 Mark Harris TJ 31'20"

Gold Cut-Off 36'27"

Silver Cut-Off 43'45'

4 Liam McComb OH 44'16"

5 James Bird WA 45'01"

6 Adam Kreminski WA 49'56"

Bronze CutOff 58'20"

M12B - 1.9 km

Bronze CutOff 38'13"

1 Matthew Harris TT 41'23"

M14A - 4.9 km

1 Simon Uppill	OH	51'19"
2 Jason Nicolson	YA	62'40"
3 Brett Merchant	TJ	62'57"
4 Andrew Slattery	TT	68'36"
Gold Cut-Off		71'14"
Silver Cut-Off		85'29"
Bronze Cut-Off		113 '59",
5 Linden Smith	YA	121'48"
6 Michael Kreminskj	WA	122'22"
7 Scott Jackson	TT	DNF
8 Thomas Frank	TT	DNF
9 Andrew Jackson	TT	DNF

M16A - 6.5 km

1 Lachlan Hallett	YA	62'50"
2 Michael Ashforth	WA	74'42"
Gold Cut-Off		75'32"
3 Gareth Williams	Ti	82'56"
4 Troy Merchant	Ti	83'42"
Silver Cut-Off		94'15"
5 Alexander Frank	TT	107'07"
Bronze Cutoff		125'40"

M16B 4.3 km

1 Paul Jackson	TT	DNF
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M18A - 8.7 km

1 Kerrin Rattray	OH	88'33"
2 Miguel Clark	WA	91'50"

GoldCut-Off		110'41"l
3 Chris Davill	TJ	130'03"
Silver Cut-Off		132'50"
Bronze Cut-Off		177'06"
4 Tyson Hillyard	TJ	DNF

M20A 8.7 km

1 John Nieuwerhoven	TT	162'47"
Gold Cut-Off		203'29"

M21B - 4.9 km

1 Graham Freak	TT	128'03"
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M21E - 13.6 km

1 Reuben Smith	TT	120'50"
2 Blair Trewin	W.V	134'08
3 Bruce Arthur	TT	136'33"
4 Jon Mccomb	BF.N	157'37"
5 Jim Russell	BG.V	159',21"
Gold CutOff		159 '27"
6 Michael White	CH	161'30"
Silver CutOff		197'31'
7 Jamie Potter	TT	DNF

M35A - 10.8 km

1 Stephen Dose	TT	105'08"
2 Steve Cooper	YA	106'01"
3 David Simmons	WA	112'40"
Gold Cut-Off		131'25"

M35-44A5 - 5.9 km

1 Steve Hicks	SE	65'50"
2 Robert Knesl	SE	76'25"
3 Peter Ashtorth	WA	78'12"
Silver Cut-Off		86'09"
Bronze Cut-Off		114'52"
4 Gary Jackson	TT	119'26"
5 Douglas Lee	TJ	135'39"
6 Eric Harris	TT	DNF

M40A 8.7 km

1 Peter McCornb	OH	78'12"
2 Andrew McComb	OH	93'57"
3 Phil Hazel	TT	101,19"
Gold Cut-Off		107'36"
4 Andre Scott	TT	110'24"
5 Peter Taylor	YA	110'34"
6 Dave Nicolson	YA	117'57"
7 Ian Winn	OH	124'48"
Silver Cut-Off		129'07"
8 Trevor Deegan	OH	DNF

M45A - 8.7 km

1 Lee Merchant	TJ	90'08"
2 Simon Capp	TJ	104'28"
3 Gordon Wilson	BN.N	107'29"
4 Phil Davill	TJ	110'07"
Gold Cut-Off		121'38"
5 Phil Stoeckel	WA	126'43"
Silver Cut-Off		145'57"

6 Peter Clark	WA	154'11"
Bronze CutOff		194'36"
7 Doug Fotheringham	YA	220'04"

M45+AS - 4.4 km

Silver CutOff		73'49"
1 Steve Williams	TJ	86'23"
2 Colin Dodd	OH	94'08"
Bronze CutOff		98'25"
3 Garry Harris	TJ	101'41"
4 Hermann Frank	TT	DNF

M45+B - 4.3 km

1 Alan Barnett	TT	85'44"
2 Robert Rattray	OH	87'29"
3 Vern Hembrow	OH	95'24"
Bronze CutOff		96'17"
4 Maarten Neuwenhoven	TT	143'06"

M50A - 7.3 km

1 Paul Hoopman	TJ	76'02"
2 Robert Smith	TT	77'58"
3 Adrian Uppill	OH	81'12"
4 Peter Mayer	YA	86'36"
5 Doug McMurray	YA	93'43"
Gold Cut-Off		96'75"
6 Clive Arthur	TT	99'54"
7 Ross Dawson	TT	101'29"
8 Tony Radtord	TT	109'12"
Silver Cut-Off		115'30"

9 Rob Tucker	YA	119'24"
10 Kevin Murphy	TT	151'52"
Bronze CutOff		154 '00"
11 Barry Wheeler	TT	DNF

M55A - 6.5 km

1 Barry Mccrae	W.V	74,44"
2 John Williams	TJ	86'14"
3 Frank Tomas	WA	87'02"
4 David Tilbrook	OH	98'13"
Gold Cut-Off		100'36"
5 Jim Rathjen	WA	101'12"
6 John Hall	TT	111'25"
Silver Cutoff		120'43"
7 Peter Kreminski	WA	121'13"
8 Ian Harding	YA	136'57"
9 Lyle McAvaney	LI	138'14"
Bronze CutOff		160,58"

M60A - 5.9 km

1 John Lyon	TT	61'50"
2 Peter Cutten	WA	79'31"
Gold Cut-Off		88'21"
3 Robert Northcote	TT	89'22"
4 George Reeves	TT	91'07"
5 Gil Hollamby	TT	94'04"
6 Stuart Lane	OH	103'49"
Silver CutOff		106'75"
7 Mike Hicks	TT	111'30"
Bronze Cutoff		141'27"

M65A - 4.9 km

1 Allan Andersen	WA	96'28"
Gold CutOff		120'50"
2 Jim Casanova	WA	139'38"
Silver Cut-Off		145'00"

M70A - 3.9 km

1 Bill Catchpoole	YA	66'27"
2 Ron Larsson	TT	69'53"
3 Lance Fairclough	OH	72'43"
Gold Cut-off		83'04"

M75+A - 3.9 km

1 Paul Adrian	NE.V	83'23"
2 Milton Spurling	TT	104'13"
Gold Cut-Off		104'74"
Silver CutOff		125'05"
3 Roy Bierton	OH	142'40"
Bronze CutOff		166'46"

W10 - 1.9 km

1 Nadia Velaitis	YA	20'43"
2 Lisa Stoeckel	WA	24'57"
Gold Cut-Off		25'54"
3 Marissa Lee	TJ	28'43"
Silver Cut-Off		31'05"

W12A - 2.9 km

1 Rebecca Hembrow	OH	29'16"
Gold Cut-Off		36'35"
2 Shannon Nicolson	YA	36'59"
3 Cassie Clark	WA	42'49"
Silver Cut-Off		43'54"

W 14A - 4.3 km

1 Rachet Scott	TT	77'23"
2 Hannah Skehan	TJ	77'25"
3 Nicole Such	OH	85'12"
Gold Cut-Off		96'44"
Silver Cut-Off		116'04"
Bronze Cut-Off		154 '46"
4 Amelia Fotheringham	YA	DNF

W16A - 4.9 km

1 Katie Dose	TT	69'55"
2 Kay Willmore	TT	87'06"
Gold Cutoff		87'24"
3 Belinda Harris	OH	91'32"
4 Zebedy Hallett	YA	99'58"
Silver CutOff		104'52"

W18A - 6.5 km

1 Zoe Radford	TT	82'38"
Gold Cut-Off		103'17"
2 Lexie Ashforth	WA	118'49"
3 Naomi Francis	TT	122'54"
Silver Cut-Off		123'57"

W2IE - 10.8 km

1 Heather Smith	TT	111'04
2 Kathryn Ewels	CH.V	112'01"
3 Susanne Casanova	WA	126'27
4 Sheralee Bailey	BN.N	136'27
Gold Cut-Off		138'50"
5 Jenny Casanova	WA	149'35"
Silver Cut-Off		166'36"
6 Randi Warland	AAS/NLH	DNF

W21A - 7.3 km

1 Michele Scott	OH	101'30"
2 Nicola Mitchell	YA	104'52"
3 Claire Davill	TJ	112'24"
Gold Cut-Off		126'53"

W21AS - 5.9 km

1 Anne Kullmanr		W.V	DNF
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W35A - 7.3 km

1 Angela Potter	TJ	128'24"
Gold Cut-Off		160'30"

W35-44AS - 4.4 km

1 Teri McComb	OH	67'34"
2 Kay Haarsma	TT	75'53
3 Deb Semple	TJ	89'28"
4 Bec Lohmeyer	SE	93'38"
5 Denise Harris	OH	102'01
Silver Cutoff		76'05"

6 Ruth Nicolson	YA	24'28"
7 Robyn Dose	TT	36'36"
Bronze CutOff		54'47"

W40A - 6-5 km

1 Christine O'Keefe	YA	126'12
2 Meredith Rasch	WA	131'26"
3 Wendy Deegan	OH	156'25'.
Gold Cut-Off		157'45

W45A - 5.9 km

1 Robin Uppill	OH	67'47"
Gold Cut-Off		84'44"
2 Alison Radford	TT	87'13"
3 Janet Davill	TJ	87'15'
Silver Cut-Off		101'40"
Bronze Cut-Off		135'34
4 Christine Franklin	TJ	151'04"
5 Barbara Lane	YA	DNF

W45+AS - 3.9 km

Silver Cut-Off		67'13"
1 Jan Hillyard	TJ	80'22"
Bronze Cut-Off		89 '37"
2 Fi Pahor	TT	124'23"
3 Sue Bament	OH	132'37"

W45+B - 4.3 km

1 Sue Merchant	TJ	95'42"
Bronze CutOff		98'48"

W50A - 4.9 km

1 Barbara McCrae	W.V	98'20"
2 Peg McAvaney	LI	118'20"
Gold Cut-Off		122'55"
3 Jennie Boume	OH	126'57"
Silver Cut-Off		147'30"
Bronze CutOff		196'40"
4 Jenny Kennedy	TT	DNF

W55A - 4.9 km

1 Helen Smith	TT	88'02"
Gold Cut-Off		110'02"
Silver Cut-Off		132'03"
2 Margaret Northcote	TT	168'26"
Bronze CutOff		176'04"

W60A - 4.4 km

1 Dorothy Adrian	NE.V	84'34'
Gold Cut-Off		105'42"
Silver Cut-Off		126'51"
2 Robyn Cutten	WA	147'11"
Bronze Cut-Off		169'08"

W65A - 4.4 km

1 Jeffa Lyon	TT	117'07"
Gold Cut-Off		146'24"

W70A - 3.9 km

1 Patricia Fairlough.	OH	95'53"
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2 Rae Harris	WA	96'19"
Gold Cut-Off		119'57"

Enter on the Day-Easy - 2.9 km

1 John Such	OH	38'04"
2 Bryn McComb	OH	62'09"
3 Lin Barnett	TT	66'36"
4 Heath Bennett	TT	69'58"
5 Lucy Alford & Annabel Burgess		110'38"

Enter on the Day-Moderate - 4.3 km

1 Dion Bennett	TT	86'46"
2 Peter Lazic		105'03"
3 Ann Nolan	TJ	123'58"
4 Trystan Bennett	TT	126'50"
5 Geoff Bennett	TT	DNF
6 Rosalie Bennett	TT	DNF

Enter on the Day-Hard - 3.9 km

1 David Goodwin & Grant Henwood	TJ	49'59"
2 Tristram Lawson	LI	51'43"
3 Dorothy Adrian	NE.V	82'13"
4 Damien Lawson	LI	86'06"
5 Neil Alford		94'38"

