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Orienteering Officers

ORIENTEERING MILITARY LEAGUE NORTH (2 DIVISION ORIENTEERING LEAGUE)
2011/12 – LEAGUE EVENTS AND LEAGUE REGISTRATION

General

1. The Army Orienteering Military League North (MLN) Season 2011/12 will start on Wednesday 14th September 2011 and will run each second Wednesday from that date, at Annex A is a fixture diary. Before the start of the league a training event will be held within the Catterick area for all units. The League “Harris” event and “Night” event will take place on dates to be confirmed; both events will not count towards league positions, but are stand alone events in which trophies and medals will be awarded to winning teams.
2. The League is open to all Major, Minor, TA, RAF and Civilian clubs within the 2 Division areas including Northern Ireland. Trophies and medals will be awarded to winning teams and individual class winners.
3. The League uses the Emit Electronic Punching System.

Fixtures

4. The success or not of the League is down to units volunteering to organize and run events, each unit should try and organize an event or two. Major units will be awarded 600 League points and other units 400 League points if they organize an event. So it is a big advantage to any unit to organize an event for the Team Competition. Notwithstanding the League points for a unit running an event, the organizer, planner and controller will be awarded 100 League points each towards the individual competition.

Rules

5. Attached is a copy of the League Rules. (to follow)

Unit/Club Entries

6. All units who wish to take part in the League are requested to complete Annex B and return it to this office by the 5th September 2011

League Funding.

7. A league registration fee is **not** required this season. This is to ensure that those units who can only make a couple of events are not discouraged from attending nor disadvantaged financially. However to maintain the Emit Equipment the following will be the format for entry charges to the league:-

Cost per competitor = £3 of which £2 is to cover maps and other costs. £1 per competitor will be sent to the league secretary, cheques made out to "NACF" which will be paid into the league account. Units organizing events are reminded the event should be self-funding.

Emit – Electronic Equipment

9. The EMIT equipment will be held by the League Secretary who will arrange the delivery of control points including details of how the system works. The Secretary will normally run the computer system with Mr Batts (Phill).

10. The League has 90 control units, with 250 electronic cards.

11. Units will have the opportunity to see the EMIT equipment at the training event, on the 7th September 2011.

Conclusion

12. If you have any enquiries with regard to the League, contact the League Secretary at the above address/telephone number. It should be noted that flyers for events will only be sent to units that register with the League. Details of events and results will be displayed on the MLN Page at www.baoc.org.uk

(Original signed)

M B Spence
Major
League Secretary

Military League North Fixtures 2011/12

| <u>Serial</u> | <u>Date</u> | <u>Host Unit</u> |
|---------------|--------------------------------|--|
| | 7 th September 2011 | Training Event, Richmond/Catterick |
| 1 | 14 th September | Stonyhurst College - 42 Bde HQ |
| 2 | 28 th September | Warcop - NACF |
| 3 | 12 th October | Hardwick Park, Sedgefield - CLOK |
| 4 | 26 th October | Dreghorn/Pentlands North – 105 Regt (V) RA |
| 5 | 9 th November | Albemarle/Ouston Newcastle – 39 Regt RA |
| 6 | 23 rd November | Marne Barracks, Catterick – 5 Regt RA |
| 7 | 7 th December | 2 Division CrossCountry Championships |
| 8 | 14 th December | |
| 9 | 18 th January 2012 | |
| 10 | 1 st February | |
| 11 | 15 th February | |
| 12 | 29 th February | |
| 13 | 14 th March | |
| 14 | 28 th March | 2 Division Orienteering Championships (Note 1) |
| 15 | 18 th April | |
| 16 | 2 nd May | Errington Woods – CLOK TBC |
| 17 | 29 th May | Flatts Lane, Normanby – CLOK TBC |
| 18 | 20 th June | Coatham Woods, Longnewton – CLOK TBC |
| 19 | TBC | MLN Championships |

(Note 1. 2 Division is due to disbanded on 1st April 2012)

To: Military Orienteering League North. League Secretary
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League Registration Form

From: _____

1. This unit would like to enter the MLN season 2010/11.
2. This unit is a Major/Minor/TA/RAF/Guest Unit/Team.
3. This unit volunteers to host an Event on _____ date.
4. All correspondence are to be sent to:-

Name _____

Unit Address _____

Tele No: _____ (civilian)

Fax No: _____ (civilian)

Email: _____

Signature: _____

Name: _____

Rank: _____