



## Concorde Chase Weekend

Berkshire Orienteers invite you to join us for an intriguing January weekend of quality orienteering. Outline details of the events are below, these will be updated prior to entries opening in December.

Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> January 2022

Urban Event: Great Hollands & Birch Hill, Bracknell.



Great Hollands



Birch Hill

These areas together provide one of the largest and most technical high-density housing areas in the UK. Linked by underpasses, they provide high-quality, low-traffic racing throughout. Older juniors can enjoy the technical courses, while younger juniors use the delightful grounds of South Hill Park, close to parking and Assembly. The area was last used for a SEOUL event in June 2018; feedback on BKO RouteGadget included:

*“Great area, great map, great planning. Thank you.”*

Maps of each area are drawn to ISSOM 2007 specification, and fully updated October 2021 – January 2022. This event is part of the Southern Urban League (**SEOUL**) and UK Urban League (**UKUL**), and will provide the usual Urban League classes 1 - 7.

**Location:**

South Hill Park, Bracknell RG12 7PA .

**Start times:**

11.00 to 13.00, courses close at 14.30.

**Officials:**

Organiser – Eoin Sharkey (BKO)  
Planner – David Jukes (BKO)  
Controller - Peter Jones (SN)



Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> January 2022

Concorde Chase - National Event  
Hawley and Hornley, near Camberley.

This will be the 42<sup>nd</sup> year of our Concorde Chase event, the second-largest annual event in the South of England.

This year, we are returning to Hawley, a popular Army area, providing the first civilian event on the land since 2017.



The area was re-mapped in 2017 for a SCOA JK, and recently revised by Army Orienteering. It provides fast forest running with intricate sections of complex control sites, plus open heathland in the northern part. A full range of Level B classes from Black to White will be provided: expect the Black course to be around 13.5k.

**Location:**

Entrance is just 5 minutes drive north from Junction 4A of the M3.

**Start times:**

10.00 to 12.00, courses close at 14.30.

**Officials:**

Organisers – John and Lisa Methven (BKO)  
Planner – Martin Wilson (BKO)  
Controller - Chris Huthwaite (SARUM)

**Both events will use EMIT e-tag contactless timing, with online live results via EMIT UK.**

**Entries will open on [www.racesignup.co.uk](http://www.racesignup.co.uk) in early December. Both events will be pre-entry only — No entry on the day.**



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