

# Know your sport: BKO's Event Locations

As the club's name suggests, Berkshire Orienteers stages events primarily within the boundaries of the 'Royal County of Berkshire'. However orienteering clubs tend to operate a flexible policy with boundaries and local agreements often providing for joint or shared use of areas. This map shows those areas which have been used for BKO events in the last few years. Some other areas have been used in earlier years and may well be used again. However negotiations with the land owners can be tricky and, although an area may appear suitable, issues linked to environmental concerns or car parking may prevent its actual use.

1	<b>Cold Ash:</b> Large area of varied woodland. High quality; can be used for national/international events
2	<b>Bucklebury Common:</b> Deciduous woodland and heath.
3	<b>Rushall Woods:</b> Large area of mixed woodland
4	<b>Benyons Enclosure:</b> Small area of mature woodland.
5	<b>Burghfield Common:</b> Mixed woodland and heath.
6	<b>Whiteknights Park:</b> University campus with undulating parkland and small wood; used for JK2013 Sprint event.
7	<b>Lower Earley:</b> Extensive housing estate with complex path network.
8	<b>Woodley (East) (with Ashenbury Park):</b> Combined parkland and modern urban estate.

17	<b>Swinley West:</b> Mature pine forest
18	<b>Lily Hill Park:</b> Varied parkland ( <i>with permanent course</i> ).
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20	<b>Sandhurst Memorial Park:</b> Parkland
21	<b>Yateley Common:</b> Small area of heathland
22	<b>Hawley and Hornley:</b> Mixed heathland with areas of mature woodland; army training area.
23	<b>Yateley Heath and Minley Woods:</b> Mature woodland but becoming limited due to gravel extraction; part army training area.
24	<b>Windsor and Eton:</b> Historic urban area with meadows by River Thames.

9	<b>Dinton Pastures:</b> Country park with numerous lakes and Riven Loddon ( <i>with permanent course</i> ).
10	<b>Cantley Park:</b> Small park with playing fields and adjacent urban estate.
11	<b>Gorrick Plantation:</b> Small block of Forestry Commission woodland; not used recently.
12	<b>Great Hollands:</b> Complex urban estate
13	<b>Wildridings and Easthampstead:</b> Complex urban estate
14	<b>Birch Hill:</b> Complex urban estate
15	<b>Star Posts (including The Lookout):</b> Major extensive forest with areas of complex contours. High quality; can be used for national/international events.
16	<b>Barossa:</b> Mixed woodland and heathland; army training area; suitable for major events

25	<b>Langley Park:</b> Small well maintained country park ( <i>with permanent course</i> ).
26	<b>Black Park:</b> Country park with large area of woodland ( <i>with permanent course</i> ).
27	<b>Bloom Wood:</b> Undulating woodland
A	<b>Snelsmore Common:</b> Country estate with meadowland and some woodland ( <i>BADO area - occasional BKO use</i> )
B	<b>Greenham Common:</b> Former air base; flat heathland with small areas of woodland ( <i>BADO area - occasional BKO use</i> )
C	<b>Wellington College:</b> Historic public school buildings with extensive partially wooded grounds ( <i>primary user: SN</i> )

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