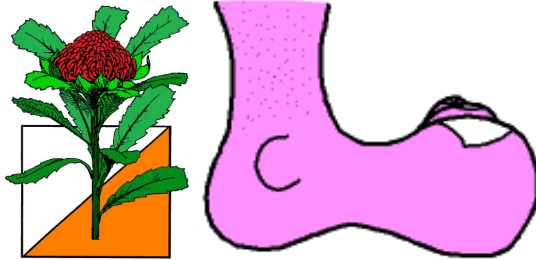


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Little Foot Prints



The latest in "O"
Editor: Callum Davis

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Junior League



Ali running at Willoughby



Ewan writing down a control number at Willoughby



Nia on her course at Willoughby



Sam on the rope. Yes, he got to the top!

The Junior League has been a fun series of events in some of the best areas surrounding Sydney and Newcastle. It was organised by Barbara Hill of Garingal Orienteers.

The first event (Centennial Park, Eastern Suburbs) I didn't get to but I heard that it was good.

The second event at Macquarie University (Ryde) was very good and the course was well set with a challenging number 7 for green (it was hidden behind a pillar).

Event 3 was at Horsley Park (Western Suburbs, near Eastern Creek Raceway) and I found that the amount of steps was a down point but the mix of farmland and semi-city land was very good.

The 4th event was a little further away than most, being almost 2 hours drive from Sydney. It was a brand new map at a small town near Cessnock called Pelaw Main. The run was involving and needed much concentration from the runner with every little detail shown on the map.

Event 5 was a great event very close to Sydney. The map was a bit confusing and the lack of Sportident were a bit annoying but they were only little niggles. We did well with Sam getting 2nd place in green with a time of 21:00! Ewan got 1st in blue as well!

Event 6 was in Putney and was a great run. The green course got a control on the end of a ferry wharf. It was a really good city event and the giant slides afterwards were fun, as was the giant spider web climbing frame. The event highlights were Rachel Osborne in 2nd for Blue, Sam Wilkinson in 2nd for Green and Chris Hinds in 3rd for Green.

Event 7 in Callan Park was probably my favourite despite the fact that I took over 1 hour. The wind was so strong it literally flung me into a building! I got off to a bad start but soon found my place.

The Junior League has been a fun experience for all competitors. I hope to do the Junior League next year. Sadly because we wanted to get this out as soon as possible I cannot review the finals. Remember to fill in your Junior Diaries—you don't want to miss out on a trophy!

Little Foot email

Little Foot has a email address! It is littlefootorienteers@gmail.com

Fundraising

We need to work out some fundraising to get money for the new suits. The Little Foot Refreshment store will open at Big Foot events. Not at Sydney Olympic Park however because they want only for people to buy things from their shops—fair enough, anyway there are many more opportunities.

Official Little Foot Logo

Little Foot will be having a logo competition. Only Little Feet (under 16s) may enter. Send ideas by email or post. Judging will be by voting (again by emailing me). To access the entries go onto the Big Foot website (at the bottom of this page).

First ever Little Foot map

The map has no contours, I admit but it is a first! To receive it email me.

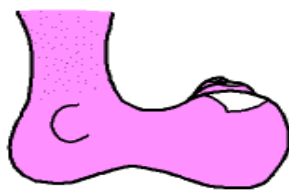
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Pictures



A possible Little Foot logo



The BIG FOOT



An historical view of Big Foot "O" Suits (showcased by models)



Ali, one of the Orienteers of the Issue

Orienteer of the Issue

It has been hard to choose (which is why there are 2) but I have felt that these orienteers did well because although they didn't always win, they tried. All year they have been doing green or orange in minor events even though officially they should be doing blue or green*. They have been getting great scores even when running up a level. I give orienteer of the issue to

Alistair George

&

Rebecca George

Well done to these orienteers! I wish you luck in future events.

* If you have not been mentioned and have been doing the event higher than your official one please email me. My contact details are at the bottom of the page.

Letters to the editor

We need feedback! Please feel free to send any feedback in! Whether it is the context of the newsletter or something about the NSW Orienteering rules Little Foot Prints can help!

O Gear Emporium

I recommend you visit the dirtyd.co.nz website and at the Clothing design section go to the bottom. Designs are flowing in for Little Foot and Big Foot O suits! The Bones suit is currently the winner so unless the majority want otherwise we are going with it Here are some Little Foot Proposals:



The dirty.d suit



Trimtex's offering

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