

LONG DISTANCE WALKERS ASSOCIATION - Surrey Group

THE SPRINGWELL KANTER April 27 1975

Support for this, the fourth in our series of Kanters, was a little less than hoped for although the seventy plus that enjoyed the event prove that there is a demand for this type of event. Originally there was only to be two courses but the area lent itself to providing a third and this is a trend that we may continue in future Kanters. When surveying the courses much of the way was under a vast sea of mud but fortunately this had dried out to a large extent by the day of the event.

Unlike the other Kanters some of the Springwell controls were features not actually shown on the one inch maps and this caused many people a lot of bother, especially those who looked for Lid Well. Near this control was another well-like structure which nearly everybody took to be the feature in question. In fact only one person located the well on the long course. Not being an orienteering event or a more serious race we overlooked small errors like this, but for new events we may use a more foolproof system for control points.

FINISHERS (and others) on "Long Course" - about 22 miles

1. Alan Hoare	LDWA	3.43	20. John Westcott	LDWA	9.04
2. Al. Doyle	ULOC	4.03	21. Merle Marsden	LDWA	9.57
3. Jeff Ellingham	LDWA	5.17	21. Thomas Harding	LDWA	9.57
4. Alan Wakefield	LDWA	5.22	23. John Davies	WSJC	9.15
5. Mike Burton	LDWA	5.24	23. Barry Saunders	WSJC	9.15
6. Graham Robinson	LDWA	5.39	25. John Anshler		9.18
7. John Feist	LDWA	5.40	25. Bernard Clifford		9.18
8. David Challenger	LDWA	6.18 49	25. Paul Clifford		9.18
9. Chris Steer	LDWA	6.40			
9. Keith Chesterton	LDWA	6.40			missed some checkpoints
11. Sven Neal	LDWA	7.00			
12. Vince Smith	S.Nav.	7.22	A.S Dowsett		9.56
13. John Petersen	LDWA	7.24	W.Radcliffe	LDWA	9.56
14. Richard Reynolds	Scouts	7.30	J.L.Newman	LDWA	6.17
14. Pete Reynolds	Scouts	7.30	N.Fullerton		6.40
14. Ronald Hedgcock	Scouts	7.30	S.A.Southall	ULOC	2.42
17. Bob Ball	LDWA	7.33	H.A.Humphreys	WGAC	6.00
17. Mike Williams	LDWA	7.33	W.Hazle	WGAC	6.00
19. Mike Gregson	LDWA	8.00	G.Eastwood	WGAC	6.00
			R.A.Redpath	ODF	9.22
			T.Hawkins		8.40
			P.Ward	LDWA	3.40

MIDDLE COURSE 15 miles approx.

1. Nicola Meadows	ROC	4.44
2. Paula Meadows	ROC	4.46
3. Bill Grace	LDWA	5.16
4. Barbara Blatchford	"	5.32
4. Ian Blatchford	"	5.32
6. Kevin Harverson		5.33
6. Graham Peddie	LDWA	5.33
6. H. Williams		5.33
9. Graham Ring		5.46
10. John Cary		5.55
11. Paul Andrews		5.56
12. Neil Henderson		6.05
12. Alan Smalley		6.05
14. Bill Spears	LDWA	6.25
15. Rhys Davies	LDWA	7.10

missed some

G.Collister	LDWA	2.10
R.Meadows	ROC	5.40

SHORT COURSE 10 miles

1. Mr. & Mrs. Summott	LDWA	3.35
1. Mr. & Mrs. Nicklin		3.35
3. John Clover		4.00
3. Sara Uman		4.00
3. Pat Uman		4.00
3. Stephen Uman		4.00
7. Maurice Illman		4.11
8. Fat Tallboy		4.50
9. Brian Tallboy		5.10
9. Kim Tallboy		5.10
9. Kevin Tallboy		5.10
9. James McQuillin	LDWA	5.10
13. Derek Prentice		5.16
13. John Cloves		5.16
15. Mrs. J.Streeter		5.37
15. Mr. D.Streeter	LDWA	5.37