



# Jug Bay

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**June 3  
Sunday**



**The Chase**, known far and wide as the longest continually running orienteering race in the USA, returns once again along with our Annual Meeting & **Potluck Picnic**, as QOC's 2017-2018 Sept - June season comes to a close! Newcomers are welcome, and there will be courses suited for all levels from beginner to advanced. Mass start is at High Noon. Reminder: dogs are **not** allowed at Jug Bay.

This event is free to all members who pre-register, and non-members who pre-register get discount member rates. **Pre-registration is now open** - click [here](#) [2] to register. [Want to become a member? Info [here](#) [3].] Although somewhat discouraged just to save volunteer effort at this fine event, you can also register at the event between 10:30 - 11:30am, albeit at regular event prices. **The Annual Meeting of the Quantico Orienteering Club General Membership will take place on Sunday, June 3, 2018 promptly at 11:25 AM in conjunction with the Jug Bay Event in the area of the Caretakers House, Bristol Maryland.** The Election of Officers for 2018-2019 Season will take place at the meeting. The Slate of Officers as recommended by the Nominating Committee, which was chaired by Heidi Onkst, is listed below. The Annual Picnic and Awards Ceremony will take place immediately following the running of the courses. Thanks to Mike Newman, who is serving as the Meet Director and Craig Shelden, who is the course designer and setter. Special thanks and appreciation to Dave Linthicum and Peggy Brosnan for graciously arranging for QOC's use of the Jug Bay area.

## **QOC Officer Nominations for 2018-2019 Season**

President: Jody Landers  
VP of Competition/MD: Tom Nolan  
VP of Competition/Permits - MD: Mike Newman  
VP of Competition/VA: Charles Carrick  
VP of Competition/Permits - VA: Bill Wright



Treasurer: Vic Culp  
Secretary: Karla Hulett  
(ExOfficio): Jon Torrance

### **Picnic**

QOC will provide beverages, desserts and paper goods. Attendees should bring picnic foods to share at this potluck. A charcoal grill is available and BBQing is encouraged. We recommend keeping food in a cooler until after you finish your run.

### **Race Details**

This year's event will have White through Blue courses, with considerable overlap in the advanced courses.

This event will be a traditional Beverage Chase event. **Courses are made up of loops.** Participants will drink their beverages (water/soda/beer) before and after each loop.

- White: One beginner loop - no map change
- Yellow: Two loops - one map change
- Orange: Two intermediate loops - one map change
- Brown, Green, and Red: Two advanced loops - one map change
- Blue: Three advanced loops - two map changes

Don't take the map change too literally unless you're running on Blue and approaching the third loop. Odds are high your maps will be back to back, so pay attention, after all, we're running at Jug Bay.

- Everyone on a given course does their loops in the same order.
- Maps will be handed out at the starting line; don't look at the squiggly brown lines until the start is announced.
- You will need to have a cup filled with your "race beverage" of choice in hand; we'll have water, soda, and beer (adults only).
- The mass start will take place at noon.
- When the race starts, empty your cup (into you), throw it with style to the ground, and look at your map to figure out where to go. Or, just follow someone and hope for the best. Every orienteer does that now and then, so why not here and now?
- In contrast to most orienteering races, following someone is OK in this race... if you dare.
- After finding your controls in the correct order, you'll wind up back at the starting area.
- Punch the Quaffing Zone Entry control (#103) as you enter the beverage area
- After that, quaff another cup of your beverage of choice
- And punch the Quaffing Zone exit control (# 104) before heading out for your next loop.
- The finish of each loop is the start location of the next loop, but all loops start and finish in about the same place.

**Time stops** after you've quaffed the last drop from your beverage of choice, punched the Quaffing Zone exit control **AND punched the finish control.**

There will be only one mass start at noon for all courses.

**Beverage of Choice** will be consumed at the start, finish and in between each loop. Beverages are water, soda, and beer (for adults of legal age only...). There is a map exchange between loops (or the maps may be back to back in the same map case).

Additional course details can be found below in the course setter's comments.

Following is allowed at this event but be wary of following anyone who might get lost!

### **Location**

Jug Bay, Caretaker's House Area, Bristol, MD (Mass Start & Party!)

### **Registration**

Pre-registration **is now open** - click [here](#) [2] - and



**Start Times  
Schedule**

**Volunteers**

**Mass Start & Party!**

Jug Bay  
Caretaker's House Area  
Bristol, MD  
[Google Map](#) [7]

is **\*strongly encouraged\*** to guarantee you a map (and to speed up checking in)!

To be announced ...

**Sunday, June 3** 11:00 am - 3:00 pm Mass Start & Party!

Event [Mike Newman](#) [4]

Director:

Course [Craig Shelden](#) [5]

Designer:

Beverage [Jody Landers](#) [6]

Pourer: