



# Swanson Road

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**September 29**  
**Sunday**



Welcome back to

Swanson Road, one of the smaller parks associated with the Patuxent River Park system. Like our last event here, the QOC event will be held at the north end of the park. We may have parking along the entrance road. If you need a street address, use 17110 Swanson Rd Spur, Upper Marlboro, MD 20772.

**Beginner Instruction:** There will be beginner's instruction, as always, as well. If you are interested and don't see who is giving it, ask at the registration table. A QOC member will show you how to read a map, teach you how to use a compass with your map and give you hints on how to navigate your choice of course. Besides that, just wear a smile and the clothes you would for a hike or run in a local park. Bring a compass, if you have one, or borrow one at the event.

**Registration** opens at 10:45 and ends at 1:15 p.m. People may start anytime between 11 a.m. and 1:30 p.m. Everyone must be back to download by 3 p.m. Don't forget to download even if you don't finish, so we don't need to send out a search party! Wondering about the map and courses? See below for course setter comments about both.

**Dogs** (on leash) are welcome too.

**Parking:** Driving directions are below. Look for the sign on Route 301 to the Prince George's Radio Control Club for the turn-off. Depending on the state of mowing, we may be parking along Swanson Road Spur, the entrance road for the park's northern area. Please park compactly to leave room for others and follow directions from QOC volunteers.

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**Youth or large groups** attending, please contact the [Event Director](#) [2] so that we can coordinate pre-registration for your group; the group registration and waiver [form](#) [3] is part of the information on our [Group Leaders](#) [4] page.

**Location**

Swanson Road Natural Area, North end, Upper Marlboro, MD (Classic)



**Registration**

No advance registration required. Just show up and have fun!

**Start Times**

Start any time between the specified times (usually 11am - 1:30pm).

**Schedule**

**Sunday, September 29** 11:00 Classic: Start  
am - Window  
1:30  
pm  
3:00 Classic: All  
pm Courses  
Close:  
everyone  
must be  
back to the  
finish

**Volunteers**

Event [Dave Levine](#) [5]  
Director:  
Course [Craig Sheldon](#) [6]  
Designer:

**Location Details**