

Wheaton

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March 7
Saturday



Welcome back to Wheaton Park for a special **Saturday** orienteering event! We will be offering a full set of courses, thanks to course setter Tom Nolan. Course notes and stats for all 8 (yes, 8!) courses are now posted below. Timing is just a bit unusual for this event. We will not be able to get access to the train station registration area until 10:00am, so we will not be ready to register anyone until at least 10:45, possibly closer to 11:00. Therefore, registration will be from 11:00am to 1:15pm, with starts any time between 11-1:30. Everyone must be out of the woods and back at the registration/finish area by 3:00pm, which is when we will begin picking up the controls. Any 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. Additional information:

- Contour interval is 5m; course map scales will be 1:5000 for white & yellow, 1:7500 for orange, and 1:10000 for all advanced courses.



- **Carry your own water if you feel you'll want it.**
- Dogs are welcome, so long as they are on a leash at all times.
- Never drink directly from a water jug; always use a cup.
- We do have access to full restroom facilities.
- There are several playgrounds in this park, and it's a great place for kids.
- There are no entrance fees to this park, and parking is also free.
- Have any questions? Just use our [Contact Us](#) [5] form and fire away.

Not Feeling That Well? If you're coughing and sneezing or just generally feeling under the weather, please stay at home. And if you've been in contact with someone who's not feeling well, or if you or others you are in close contact with have traveled this year to China, South Korea, Italy, Iran, Japan, or Hong Kong, we also recommend you skip this public event.

Location Wheaton Regional Park, Shorefield Area, Train Station Party Room, Wheaton, MD (Classic)

Registration No advance registration required. Just show up and have fun - but if you show up before 11, you'll probably get roped into helping with setup!

Start Times Start any time between the specified times (see the notes above).

Schedule **Saturday, March 7** 11:00 am - 3:00 pm Classic:

Volunteers Event [Don Fish](#) [6]

Director:

Course [Tom Nolan](#) [7]

Designer:

Location Details **Classic** From I-495 take Exit 31 Wheaton for Georgia Avenue/MD Regional 97 North. Follow Georgia Park Avenue north for almost Shorefield 3 miles, then turn right Area, Train onto Shorefield Road. Station Party Room Continue on Shorefield Road until you reach the Wheaton, parking area. MD Registration will be just [Google Map](#) [8] beyond the south end of the parking lot, in the Train Station Party Room (near the Carousel).

Course Details	Classic Course Name	Length (km)	Climb (m)	No. Controls
	White	2.3	35	9
	Yellow	2.7	60	8
	Orange	4.6	80	10
	Beige	3.3	70	9
	Brown	4.4	85	10
	Green	6.3	150	14
	Red	7.7	150	21
	Blue	9	235	24

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