

28th Annual Billygoat

Macedonia State Park
and Environs
Kent, CT

Sunday, May 14th, 2006



WCOC invites you to continue the Billygoat tradition in Kent, CT on Sunday, May 14th starting at 11:00 in the morning. The course is approximately 13 km with 400+ meters of climb. T-shirts (and bragging rights) will be provided to all competitors who finish in less than 3:30:00.

Entry Info: Send your name, gender, date of birth, t-shirt size, O-club, address, phone #, e-mail and check payable to WCOC to Jim Henderson, 33 Joshua Ln., Coventry, CT. 06238, Bandjhenderson@cs.com. Fees: \$18 if postmarked by May 1st, \$25 if postmarked later, and \$35 on the day of the event if there are maps..... Receipt of registration will be provided by e-mail on or before May 8th. White and Yellow courses will be provided using a permanent course. Meet director/course setter, Peter Goodwin, goodwinp@kent-school.edu. More information on the WCOC web site: www.faculty.fairfield.edu/rdewitt/wcoc

Directions: Go to Kent, CT. and the intersection of Rt. 7 and Rt. 341. : From Rt. 7, turn west onto Rt. 341 for about 2 miles. Turn right onto Macedonia Brook Road and follow signs into the park. Look for O-signs to parking area. Follow the parking attendant's directions on where to park.

DAY OF EVENT: Packet pick-up: 9:00 to 10:40. Departure for start: 10:40. Mass start at 11:00.

The map will include parts of Macedonia State Park and other areas mapped to orienteering standards (all by the same mapper, Peter Goodwin). There will be the usual Billygoat rules with one control that can be skipped and also, this year, a forked control.

Finish times should be faster than last year. Woods generally quite fast with some areas of light green.

The Billygoat Sprints Pond Mountain, Kent, CT Saturday, May 13th, 2006

WCOC and the U.S. Team will organize the Billygoat Sprints on Saturday afternoon between 2 and 4 pm at nearby Pond Mountain in Kent. Both sprints will be part of the 2006 Sprint Series, both will be 45-pointers. Pre-registration is requested -- \$12 (covers both sprints) if postmarked by May 1, \$15 if postmarked later, and \$20 on the day if there are maps. Include Sprint registration with your Billygoat registration. Directions to meet site: to Kent, CT. and the intersection of Rt. 7 and Rt. 341. : From Rt. 7, turn west onto Rt. 341. Go .2 miles and after crossing the bridge, turn right onto Skiff Mt. Rd. Go about 3 miles and turn left on Fuller Mt. Rd. Meet site will be on the left side. Please park either on the right side of the road or where directed to park by signs or helpers.

Camping available in Macedonia State Park (no showers) and Housatonic Meadows State Park (10 miles with showers). If you camp in Macedonia Park, don't go thrashing around the woods looking for controls. Information on lodging can be found at www.kent-school.edu then go to visitor information. The Hitching Post and Rocky River are cheap but not glamorous.