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Hi Tri-Adventurers, we were back at Tilford again this month after the disappointment of having to cancel our November event due to Covid. The turnout was great considering we only had a 9 day lead time since securing the event. It was a cold morning, yet it remained dry with a steady stream of Adventurers heading out on the trails due to our covid measures to maintain social distancing. There were many familiar faces who you could see were so pleased to be out and about.



Well done to our Mini Trails who had a challenging round in the Autumn colours. Sean and Cath managed to get around 9 checkpoints out of 10 but lost quite a few points for running over the time by 9 minutes 14 seconds. The Mountain Biking only was another competitive field with Rachel Clay finishing second place overall having missed just one checkpoint. Our regular winner, Ian Cartwright had an ace round by visiting all the checkpoints with 11 minutes to spare, super impressive in the muddy conditions.

Nigel used his speed to get around 12 checkpoints in the Short Event, the same as De Wet Kruger who wasn't able to get back within the time limit and took a big hit in penalties. I think it is 3 in a row for Adam

Nightingale and Christine Lowson who topped the Short Pairs with 8 checkpoints. We were also pleased to see Chilli the dog make an appearance.



The Trail event was won by a familiar old face to me, Paul Pickering from my old Adventure Racing days. Well done Paul, it was great to see you again after 10 years! In the ladies event, Sophie Austin ran around 9 checkpoints with Paul Rose and Richard Squire to top the table.

We had 21 taking part in the Long Event with top competing in the pairs between Daniel and Helen Murphy and James Lea-Cox with Shelly Hufner. This time it was James and Shelly who pipped the lead by one checkpoint, visiting one extra checkpoint within the time. The top score was a fit Michael Krajewski who visited 28 out of a possible 31 checkpoints within the time, an impressive round. Well done.

LONG (4 hour event)

Male	Points/Time
1 st Michael Krajewski	280 03:54:13
Pairs	Points/Time
1 st James Lea-Cox / Shelly Hufner	260 03:58:04

SHORT (2 hour event)

Male	Points/Time
1 st Nigel Davison	120 01:47:17
Pairs	Points/Time
1 st Adam Nightingale / Christine Lowson	73 02:00:42

Trail (2 hour event)

Male	Points/Time
1 st Paul Pickering	115 02:02:17
Female	Points/Time
1 st Sophie Austin	90 01:59:53

Mini Trail (1 hour event)

All	Points/Time
1 st Sean Marcus	71 01:09:14

MTBO (2 hour event)

Male	Points/Time
1 st Ian Cartwright	220 01:48:15
Female	Points/Time
1 st Rachel Clay	210 01:56:30

Congratulations to all our worthy winners! I will email you out your vouchers for future entry into your events. The full race results, with splits and transition times, are available on the Tri-Adventure website [here](#). If you have photos to add from events, please do [email](#) them, tweet them to [@tri_adventure](#), or post them on [Facebook](#) / [Instagram](#).

Spread the word

Do tell your friends about the events and how they are for all abilities and skill levels. Part of the fun is getting a bit lost! We are a friendly bunch.

NEXT EVENTS

We will be back in January with a return to Effingham on Sunday 3rd January.

Thanks to the team of Tracey, Tom and Ed on the day, Jenni for being there in support during the admin prep. Our priority during these unusual times is Tri-Adventure safety and I thank you for respecting the measure we put in place.

Finally, please use Social Media to tell others about Tri-Adventure – Facebook, Twitter, Instagram, etc. We want to keep putting on fantastic events, which challenge people whilst making them feel good (as those of you who take part will confirm), and we need to keep increasing our numbers to make this happen.

Yours in Adventure,

Adam

