



MapRun Gloucestershire 2021

Tetbury 2021

22nd July



You are invited to explore the historic 18th Century wool town of Tetbury. An urban area mixed with some off road in a beautiful area should provide a good challenge. We'll explore the old town, the newer developments, and the disused railway which used to take goods to and from Tetbury

New version of MapRun available: We strongly recommend that you uninstall *MapRunF* and all previous versions of the app, and download and install **MapRun6** from your app store. Generally earlier versions will work; they just won't be able to take advantage of some of the new features which we may use.

Queries?

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Directions and Parking

Parking and assembly are the Old Railyard Car Park, Tetbury, GL8 8EY

What 3 words: [///joined.harp.cooked](http://joined.harp.cooked)

Map: <https://goo.gl/maps/a8rLnbferspQYWLiq5>

Parking is free. There should be plenty of spaces available but if not there are other car parks close by with no charges applicable after 6pm.

The Area

Although much of the area is urban it does include woodland and fields so footwear with good grip is advised especially if it has been wet. Shorts will be fine as there are very few nettles or brambles.

The urban part of area and the disused railway line are generally wheelchair-accessible. There are a few places with steps but these can be avoided or worked around.

There is active building development on the north-east part of the town. Roads and pathways are still under construction; these have been mapped as accurately as possible but do change on a regular basis. Do not cross the fenced areas on active building sites.

Event details

To spread people out, runners will start at one-minute intervals from **1800 to 1900**. In line with current British Orienteering requirements, you must pre-enter for the event, which you can do up to the night before the event at Fabian4.co.uk



Entry fees: £5 seniors, £2 juniors. Juniors must be accompanied.

It's a one hour score event using the MapRun app:

- Checkpoints 1-10 are worth 10 points.
- Checkpoints 11-20 are worth 20 points.
- Checkpoints 21-30 are worth 30 points.

Score as many points as you can within an hour. If you're late getting back, there's a 10 point penalty per minute over.

Please make sure you've installed **MapRun6** before the event. If you haven't used MapRun before, don't worry – it's easy to use, and we have full [details on getting started](#).

MapRunG (Garmin watch) users: if you have MapRun6, you do not need the event PIN number to download the course to your watch. This meant you can download the course before your arrive at the event, in case there is no phone signal there.

<p>Event procedure</p>	<p>When you register on Fabian4 you can select a start time. To avoid congregation at the start we'd ask you to follow the following start procedure:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Before heading to the start, make sure you've downloaded the MapRun event onto your phone. It can be found in the UK/Gloucestershire/Current Series folder. • Wait in your car (or warm up away from the start) until your designated start time. • Just before your start time, press 'Go To Start' on the MapRun6 app. The phone will ask for the PIN number. The PIN is written on the map, so.... • When your start time arrives: sanitise your hands, pick up a map from the table near the organiser's car, enter the PIN and run to the start. <p>When you run through the start: MapRun6 will bleep, and start the clock,. When you run through a checkpoint: it will bleep, and record your visit. When you run through the finish: it will bleep, and stop the clock.</p> <p>Be careful not to run through the finish before you intend to finish!</p>
<p>Safety</p>	<p>The course is located in an urban environment necessitating several road crossings, so under 16s must be accompanied. With the increasing number of electric and hybrid cars it can be difficult to hear approaching traffic so make sure you look around before crossing.</p> <p>COVID code of conduct. It is vital that all attendees at the event:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Act as ambassadors for the sport of orienteering at all times and consider how their actions may appear in the eyes of landowners or members of the public. • Observe social distancing at all times, including keeping their distance from other participants, volunteers and members of the public. • Use hand sanitiser on arrival and departure. <p><i>Anyone who has symptoms of COVID-19, who is living in a household with someone who has a possible or confirmed COVID-19 infection, or who has been asked to isolate by NHS Test and Trace should remain at home.</i></p>