



Outline Agenda: TVOC Club Meeting - Tuesday 15th September 2026

Apologies for absence:

- 1. Matters Arising from previous Club Meeting**
- 2. Recent Club Successes**
- 3. Juniors Update (Paul Taylor)**
- 4. Past Events**
- 5. Event Diary (Peter Riches)**
- 6. Treasurer's Report (Janusz Holender)**
- 7. Other Officers' Reports**
- 8. SCOA (Peter Riches)**
- 9. Any Other Business**

Date of next online meeting: To be confirmed as 7.30pm on Tuesday 17th November 2026



TVOC Club Meeting: Agenda Tuesday 21st July 2026

Meeting to be held online at 7:30pm.

Present:

Apologies for absence:

1. Matters Arising from previous Club Meeting

- a) Development Officer: Autumn night series on golf courses (Golf-O!)
This proposal is being progressed by Paul.
Ongoing
- b) Development Officer: TVOC Officers and Team Leaders
Hannah Redrup is planning to provide more information about the TVOC officers and team leaders (including photographs), either through the WhatsApp Group, or eNews.
Ongoing
- c) Controller Course (Peter Riches)
Peter believes another Controllers Course would be helpful.
ACTION: Peter will discuss with Katy Stubbs.
Ongoing
- d) Organiser Course (Peter Riches)
Peter believes that an Organiser Course may help support club members to feel confident taking on the role of Organiser.
Ongoing

Peter also intends to take the responsibility for permissions from Organisers. However, he hasn't been able to find a volunteer to take such a role on.
ACTION: Peter to progress. This will be within club activity.
Ongoing
- e) Proposal - free entries for juniors for TVOC events (Alun Jones)
We want to encourage juniors to join TVOC and to come to our events. They are the future lifeblood of the sport, and we need them if we want the club to perform well at YBT and CSC matches. Juniors will also bring their parents to events, many of whom will also then contribute to the club.
Decision: Free entries for TVOC juniors at TVOC events.
Action: Robin Bishop to look at how this is to be achieved.
- f) String Courses at TVOC events (Peter Riches)
Peter suggested the club should start to include String Courses again at future Level B and C events.

These were stopped some years ago for two reasons. Firstly, due to the significant effort needed to put them on (they need a map, a course laid out with string, a theme, registration, timing etc.). And secondly due to the low number of youngsters entering. Peter felt that getting youngsters running any course, with map in hand was worthwhile.

Others felt that we should encourage such youngsters around White courses which would be a better use of resources.
ACTIONS:
 - **Peter Riches to raise the topic in eNews**
 - **To be discussed at next meeting**



g) Competitor Code of Conduct (Peter Riches)

A number of clubs ask you to sign up to following a competitor code of conduct when you enter an event. Should TVOC do the same?

The following were proposed:

1. New members should be required to acknowledge that they have read and agreed to abide by the Code of Conduct
2. Anyone entering an event should be required to acknowledge that they have read and agreed to abide by the Code of Conduct.

The existing codes were considered good enough to adopt immediately. They should be reviewed after 6 months.

The above proposal was AGREED.

ACTIONS:

- John Dalton to discuss with Alun and Marie Anne respectively
- John Dalton to ensure a review in April/May 2027

h) Mapping of Dorney Wood Scout Camp (John Dalton)

- John Dalton has been asked to advise about mapping and setting a POC up at the Dorney Wood Scout Camp near Burnham Beeches

ACTION: John to liaise with BKO given the location

i) Clothing Order: (Paul Eaton)

Paul proposed that the club order some V-neck full mesh O-tops for club members.

ACTION:

- Peter Riches to discuss with Rachel Banham
- Peter Riches to contact Heidi

j) Update on plugging gaps in the TVOC teams (Peter Riches)

Peter is undertaking to encourage more of our members to become assigned into the TVOC Team structure.

k) Status of TVOC Permanent Orienteering Courses (Peter Riches)

Peter wondered whether a review of the status of all our POCs was needed. All POCs are now accessed via the BO POC portal at Go Orienteering: <https://www.goorienteering.org.uk/>

ACTION: Peter will check how the TVOC web site refers to our POCs.

l) Future strategy for TVOC (Paul Eaton)

Paul has now reviewed previous strategy documents developed by the club in the past. Paul now plans to create a discussion document to be shared around the club to stimulate feedback before developing a framework for the club's future development in the next period.

2. Recent Club Successes

3. Juniors Update (Paul Taylor)

4. Past Events

- a) Saturday Series, 12th September, Waddesdon

5. Event Diary for 2026, 2027 and into 2028/29:

See the TVOC web site for all events being publicised by TVOC:

<https://tvoc.org.uk/events/>

See the following new document for a list of all TVOC events planned:

<https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1yE9dOTLr5WVte8rTLBBYlaKaPkAhkG57SiN7TguBd2s>



NOTE: The meeting should review newly appointed Planners and Controllers for Level C events. (Level B events are reviewed by SCOA).

Peter started by commenting that the 2026 programme is now very largely complete. The Mapping and Event Planning group will focus on 2027 at their next meeting. Peter said that he has had some welcome offers of help for planning and organising.

See below that the events tabled for RAF Halton have now been cancelled through failure to get landowner permission.

- a) Any concerns or comments about the current TVOC Event Diary?

And should the planning group start firming up plans for 2029 and sketching out 2030? Ideally we should be seeking land permission for CC2030 by now! Time doesn't stand still.

Please give additional feedback **DIRECTLY** to Peter Riches.

- b) Feedback from Mapping and Event Planning Group (Peter Riches)
- c) Update on status of Mapping (Bob Beresford)

6. Treasurer's Report (Janusz Holender)

7. Other Officers' Reports

- a) Chairman:
- b) Secretary
- c) Captain:
- d) Clothing Officer:

8. SCOA (Peter Riches)

9. Any Other Business

Date of next meeting:

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The meeting will be online. Login to be provided later.

Note that the meeting is open to all TVOC members.