

## **Husky-O**

### **Score-O Snowshoe Orienteering Event**

**Saturday, February 17, 2018**



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Ramblers Orienteering Club is happy to announce their first event of the year: **a snowshoe-O fundraiser for our Junior Program.**

This 2-hour team event is open to youth and adults of all levels of proficiency in Orienteering.

In teams of 2 to 4, you will have a total of 2 hours to visit as many controls as you can to collect the most points. It is up to you to choose your own unique route by using map and compass.

#### **Categories:**

All male, adult (21+)

All female, adult (21+)

Mixed adult (21+)

Junior (all team members are between 12-21 y.o.)

Family (at least one team member is 12 or under)

The age is calculated by the birth year. Example: Leo who was born on December 18, 2001 will be considered 17.

#### **Location :**

The event will take place at Kinadapt:

1800, Ch. Laurin

Rawdon (Quebec)

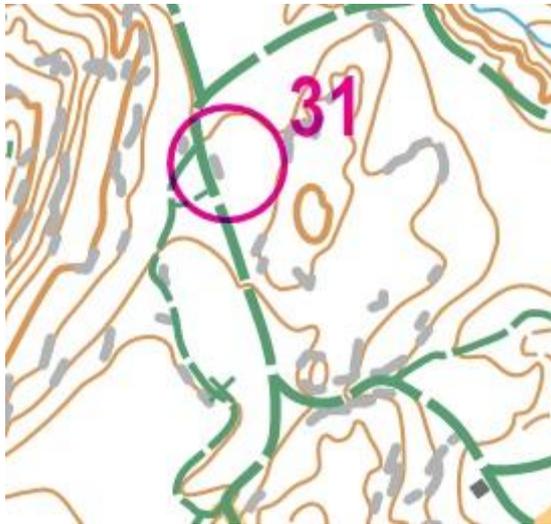
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<http://www.kinadapt.com/>

### Schedule for the Day:

10:30 a.m. – 11:15 a.m.	Registration
11:15 a.m.	Instructions given
11:45 a.m.	Maps and control descriptions distributed to teams
12:00 p.m.	Mass start
2:00 p.m.	Finish
2:30 p.m.	Awards
3:00 p.m.	Optional activities at Kinadapt (Please contact Kinadapt directly for reservations)

### Scoring



- Teams collect points for each checkpoint visited
- The point value of each checkpoint is shown on the map
- The finish time is not recorded until ALL members of the team have crossed the finish line
- If you arrive after the time limit, every minute will cost the team 10 points.
- Ties will be broken by order of arrival at the finish

**NB: All teams must check-in (for safety purposes) by downloading the information from their SI timing chip at the finish.**

## **Course notes:**

The map has been prepared by Dmitri Golovanov specifically for this event. It intentionally does not show all the vegetation details, and all the rocks. There are many of them under the snow, so for your safety and for optimal run times, please stay on trails, except to find the controls (only within or near the control circle).

The scale of the map is 1:7,500 (1 cm on the map corresponds to 75 m on the terrain), contours are drawn at 5 m intervals. Snowshoe trails are drawn in green.

## **Equipment**

Each participant is required to carry the following equipment while on the course:

- Whistle (available for purchase at registration for \$3)
- Map (given 15 minutes before the mass start)
- Wearing snowshoes is obligatory to prevent damage to the trails

Each team is required to carry the following equipment while on the course:

- Compass (available for rent at the event)
- Watch
- SI timing stick to record that you have been to a checkpoint (available for rent when registering for \$5)

The following equipment is not mandatory but is highly recommended depending on the weather conditions:

- Basic first-aid kit
- Synthetic clothing + extra clothing in a waterproof bag
- Water and high energy food (there will be water and hot chocolate at one of the controls only)

\*\* It is up to competitors to use the map and compass to navigate to each control. No other navigational tools are permitted (you may carry phones and GPS devices with you for training and safety purposes).

## **Registration**

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On-line registration is open in Zone4:

<https://zone4.ca/register.asp?id=17132&lan=1&cartlevel=1>

Registration closes on Monday, February 12 at 11:59 p.m.

### **Race Fees**

On-line registration

Ramblers member (adult):           \$15

Non-member (adult):                 \$25

Ramblers member 13-21 y.o.:       \$10

Non-member 13-21 y.o.:             \$15

Child 12 y.o. and under:           \$5

The price includes access to the site and a \$5 contribution to the Ramblers Junior Program.

On-site registration will be accepted with a \$5 price increase for each category.

All transaction fees (Zone4 and credit card) are included in the price of the event.

To get the Ramblers discount, sign-up for a membership at [Ramblersoc.ca](http://Ramblersoc.ca).

### **Refunds / Cancellation Policy**

Full refund, except an administration fee of \$5 until Monday February 12<sup>th</sup>.

There will be no refund after February 12<sup>th</sup>.