

Pavilion Gardens

0 25 50 75 100 125
1cm on the map represents 25m on the ground

Scale 1:2500
Magnetic North



Key to map symbols

- out of bounds area
- building
- canopy
- open land
- open land with scattered trees
- hard paved area
- edge of paved area
- soft paved area
- woodland easy running
- flower bed
- woodland walk
- vegetation dense
- area of water
- fence, do not cross
- wall
- railway
- hedge
- form line
- impassable cliff
- passable rock face
- steps
- tree stump / root stock
- single large tree
- bush or small tree
- boulder
- gate
- sculpture
- play equipment
- post
- sign
- seat
- litter bin
- small structure
- bridge
- pillar

Permanent Course	
No.	Description
	Open area, corner
1	Bridge, N.W. end
2	Tree, S.E. side
3	Bushes, N.E. end
4	Path junction, N.E. side
5	Seat
6	Sign
7	Seat
8	Bushes, E. side
9	Path Junction
10	Tree, S. side
11	Tree, E. side
12	Path, E. side
13	Sign post
14	Path junction
15	Tree, S.E. side
16	Seats, N. end
17	Path junction
18	Bridge, S.E. end
19	Path junction, N.W. side
20	Tree, W. side
21	Path junction, S.E. side
22	Path junction, N.E. side
23	Tree, W. side
24	Trees, S.E. side
25	Tree, E. side
26	Cairn
27	N. Path, S. side
28	Tree, S.W. side
29	Seat
30	Path junction, N. side

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Pavilion Gardens Orienteering Course

The Map

Study the map carefully before you start, particularly the colour scheme and the scale. On orienteering maps open land is shown in yellow, wooded areas as white where you can still run. Denser areas of woodland are shown as progressively darker shades of green. Private areas as well as gardens are shown with an olive green colour, do not enter these areas. You will find it easier if you orientate the map so that the map is the same way round as the features on the ground. Keep doing this each time you change direction and identify the features as you go. If you have a compass, you can orientate the map very simply by ensuring the red (north) end of the compass needle lines up with the Magnetic North on the map.

The Controls

Also shown on the map as numbered purple circles are the positions of a number of controls. At each of these points you will find a marker with the corresponding number and a letter. You can record the letter below to show that you have been there. Visit these controls in any order. The triangle on the map marks the start at the corner of the grass. If you record the letters below you can rearrange them into a phrase (think of what the sport involves and where you are).

Orienteering is a competitive sport which combines navigation with running. Careful navigation and route choice can be more important than speed. The map symbols are internationally agreed so that it is possible to compete worldwide on an equal basis.

This map has been produced by Derwent Valley Orienteers (DVO). DVO hold frequent events with most being suitable for beginners. For more information about the sport, local events, and other permanent courses like this see www.dvo.org.uk. If you have enjoyed this course, there are other courses throughout Derbyshire.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30

You can time yourself and view the map on your Smartphone using the free MapRun6 app available on Playstore and App Store. Within the app go to Event List, choose (MR) UK, then MR Derwent Valley, and choose Buxton/Pavilion Gardens. When you press "go to start" the map will open with a red dot to show your current position. Once you approach the start the timing starts. As you approach within a few metres of each control site the phone will record a "punch". Timing stops when you approach the finish which is at the same location as the start. Whether you use the map on the phone or the printed map is your choice. You may upload your time to the MapRun server if you wish and compare your time with others. There is more information on the Derwent Valley Orienteers web site. Comments are welcome to permanentcourses@derwentvalleyorienteers.org.uk.

Permanent courses and Virtual (Maprun) courses throughout the country including other local ones in the Manchester area are listed on <https://www.goorienteering.org.uk/>

Derwent Valley Orienteers stage regular competitive events in Derbyshire and there are events throughout the country listed on www.BritishOrienteering.org.uk

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