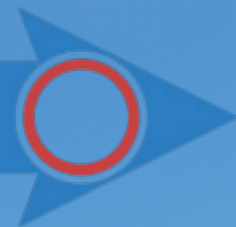


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Year in Review 2022



OUSA Junior Nationals

April 1-3, 2022

East Fork State Park, Batavia, OH

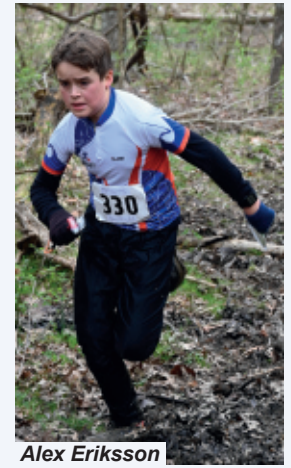
The 24th annual edition of Orienteering Cincinnati's Flying Pig orienteering event was held over the first weekend in April at East Fork State Park in southwestern Ohio. East Fork is one of the largest State Parks in Ohio and features some great spur & gully terrain on both sides of Lake Harsha, a large man-made reservoir.

For 2022 the Flying Pig played host to the 2022 Orienteering USA Junior Nationals competition with two days of classic distance orienteering with combined time scoring. Junior Nationals were contested on the Afton-Elklick (Sat) and Indian Mounds (Sun) maps. A middle distance NRE race on the Slabcamp Run map on Friday afternoon preceded the weekend activities.

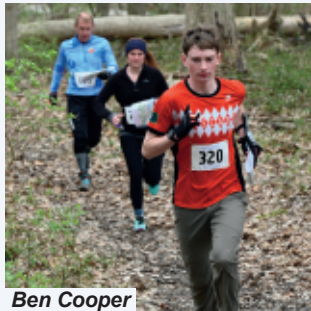
Next year will be the 25th running of the Flying Pig and will feature the **2023 Orienteering USA Nationals**, which were postponed from 2021 due to the pandemic. The events are scheduled to return to Carter Caves in Kentucky with a Sprint/Middle/Long format.



Everett Lyerly



Alex Eriksson



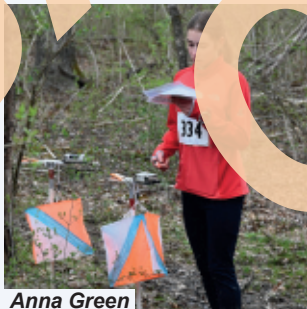
Ben Cooper



Jackson Rupe



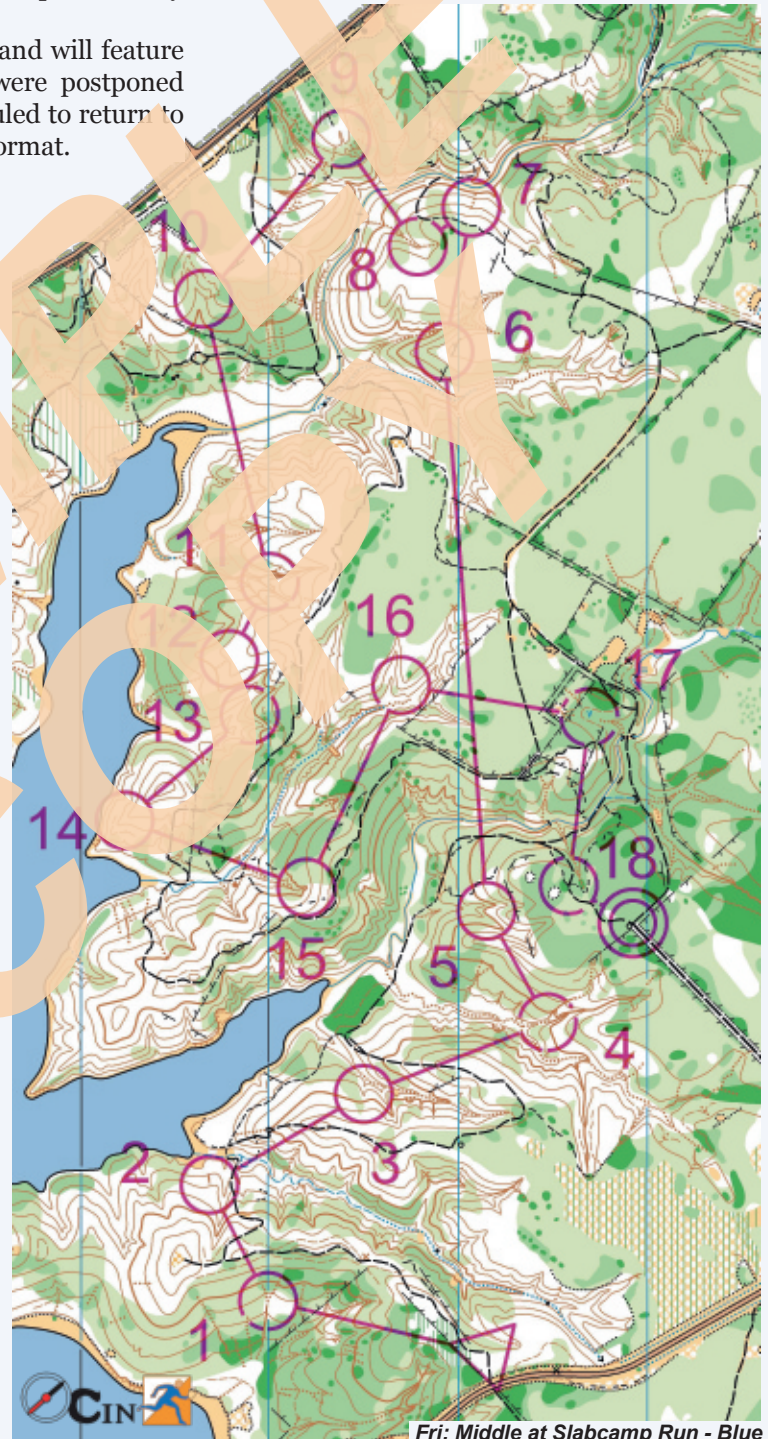
Eva Odderson



Anna Green



Erik Tyr Odderson



Fri: Middle at Slabcamp Run - Blue



US Team Trials (Part 1)

April 22, 2022

Fort Tryon Park, Manhattan, NY

The 2022 World Orienteering Championships to be held in Denmark in June would be the first WOC races to focus solely on the sprint discipline. As such the TeamUSA ESC looked for available sprint events at which to hold this year's selection races.

With a campus sprint on the schedule for West Point, the Hudson Valley Orienteering Club was enlisted to host a Team Trials sprint on a new map by Stefan Slutsky of Fort Tryon Park in New York City. The event was held Friday afternoon on a gorgeous day to be in the park.

The map, located along the eastern bank of the Hudson River in Manhattan, has a surprising amount of climb and technical detail for a map in the heart of an urban metropolis. Although the 2.6km straight line men's course seemed appropriate for a sprint event, only winner Joe Barrett was under 10min/km in this challenging park.



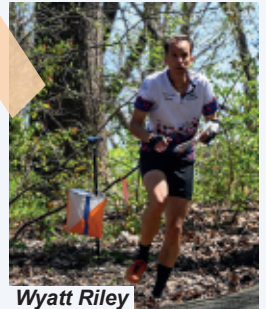
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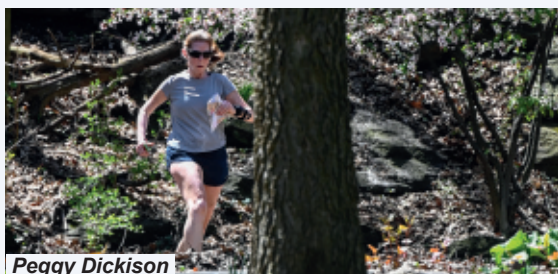
Dylan Gonyer



Fort Tryon Sprint - Blue



Wyatt Riley



Peggy Dickison



Tatiana Rvacheva

Volunteers at The World Games

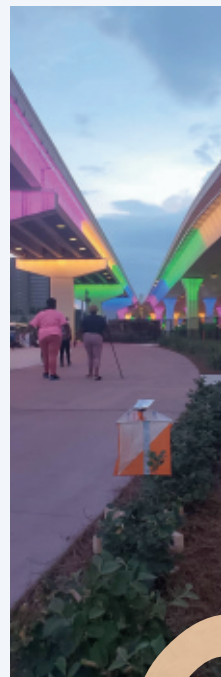
July 15-17, 2022

Birmingham, AL

As the first elite international event to be held in the US in 25 years, The World Games required all hands on deck. Competition Manager Cristina Luis, along with Asst Competition Manager Anne Mathews and the Vulcan Orienteering Club, turned to members of the wider US orienteering community for the volunteers needed to pull off this event. And the members answered!

Volunteers from all over the country spent many months (and sometimes years!) planning, organizing and traveling; and were on-site in Birmingham to ensure success. The athletes and coaches in attendance remarked on the quality of the event, which was all due to the volunteers.

Thank you so much for your time, energy, expertise and dedication. We couldn't have done it without you! The list of clubs represented is almost too long to print here, with members of DVOA, ROC, QOC, NEOC, OK, TSN, RMOC, OCIN, COK, EMPO, GAOC, MNOC, VOC, WCOC, ALTOS, & Grizo.



Key Personnel

Competition Manager	Cristina Luis
Asst Competition Manager	Anne Mathews
Operations Manager	Kris Beecroft
Senior Event Advisor	Stefan Bergstrom
Start / Quarantine Lead	Mary Jones
Arena Lead	Mike Minium
Finish Lead	Matthew Robbins
Course Setter - Middle	Sandy Fillebrown
Course Setter - Sprint	Linda Kohn
Course Setter - Sprint Relay	Samantha Saeger
Course Consultant	Eric Weyman
Course Consultant	Mike Eglinski
Course Consultant, Commentator	Boris Granovskiy
Controller	Glen Tryson
Control Setting	Peggy Dickison
Control Setting	Joey Ciza
Control Setting	Walter Siegenthaler
Mapper, Starts, Utility	Jon Campbell
Mapper	Ed Despard



Cristina Luis, Boris Granovskiy



Volunteers

Team Captains

Bonnie Black*
Cindy Louderback*
Andrea-Ingrid Schneider
James Pilman

TWG Plaza Demo

Clinton Morse*
Clare Durand*
Faye Doria*

Venue Preparation

Hal Riley*
Christopher Fisher
Vincent Laraia*
David Olsen*
Ross White*

Quarantine Team

Christine Heckemeyer
Martha Noble
Dorothy Connor Caple
Roger Caple
Susan Cotten

Start Team

Martha Can - Lead
Bill Farrell
Daniel Bond
Joe Raternann*
Jeff Nibert*
Peter Campbell
Paige Suhocki*
Patty Carrigan*
Janet Tryson*

Finish Team

Dennis Carroll
Ginny Carroll
Joe Waldman
Ann Almstedt*
Gary Hackman
Virginia Hackman

Traffic Control

Paul Pilman* - Lead
John Chambers
Charles Hanke
Ginny Brown
Dennis Williams

Course Marshalls

Carol Nowak
John Campbell
Matt Smith*
Sydney Dixon
Cari Terry
Carol Standifer
Connie Yuhling Hwang
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Jacquelyn Holcomb
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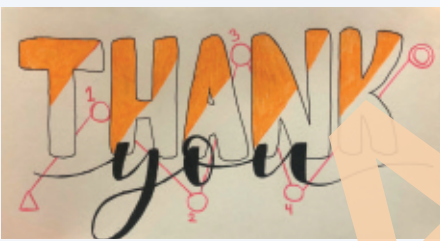
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Daniel Leibundgut
Henrik Eliasson
Per Frost
Erling Thisted
Tom Hollowell

Control Watchers

Andi Berger - Lead
Anne Ledbetter
Fred Dolder
Kathleen Nicholson
Al DiMicco
Clara Tracogna
David Shepard
Jill Holley
Joe Parham
Lee Warner
Lynn Aldrich
Marc Dobson
Marcus Cathey
Mary Morris
Mary Waldman
Misty Hill
Nic Nicholson
Olaiia Lekue Andrinua
Patty Royal
Peter Bradberry
Stephen Guesman
Maksim Popov
Steve Rice
Alina Tuganova
Cameron Champion
Susan DeWitt*
Rick DeWitt*
Shin Shimizu*
Rick Wornor*

** Denotes volunteers who filled roles on more than one team*



Orienteering USA Nationals

November 11-13, 2022
near Los Angeles, CA

The 2022 OUSA Nationals traveled west to the desert of southern California in November, kicking off with Sprint Distance races at Pierce College, an agricultural community college in the San Fernando Valley on a brand new map by Matej Sebo.

Saturday's Middle Distance races headed to the challenging Vasquez Rocks, a popular film location for westerns and sci-fi movies. No aliens were observed, but jackrabbits, road runners and a very fresh mountain lion track were observed near control #111.

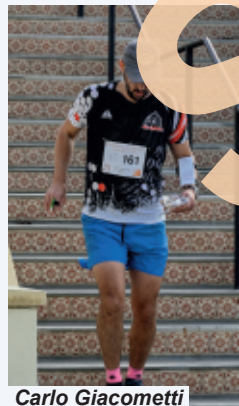
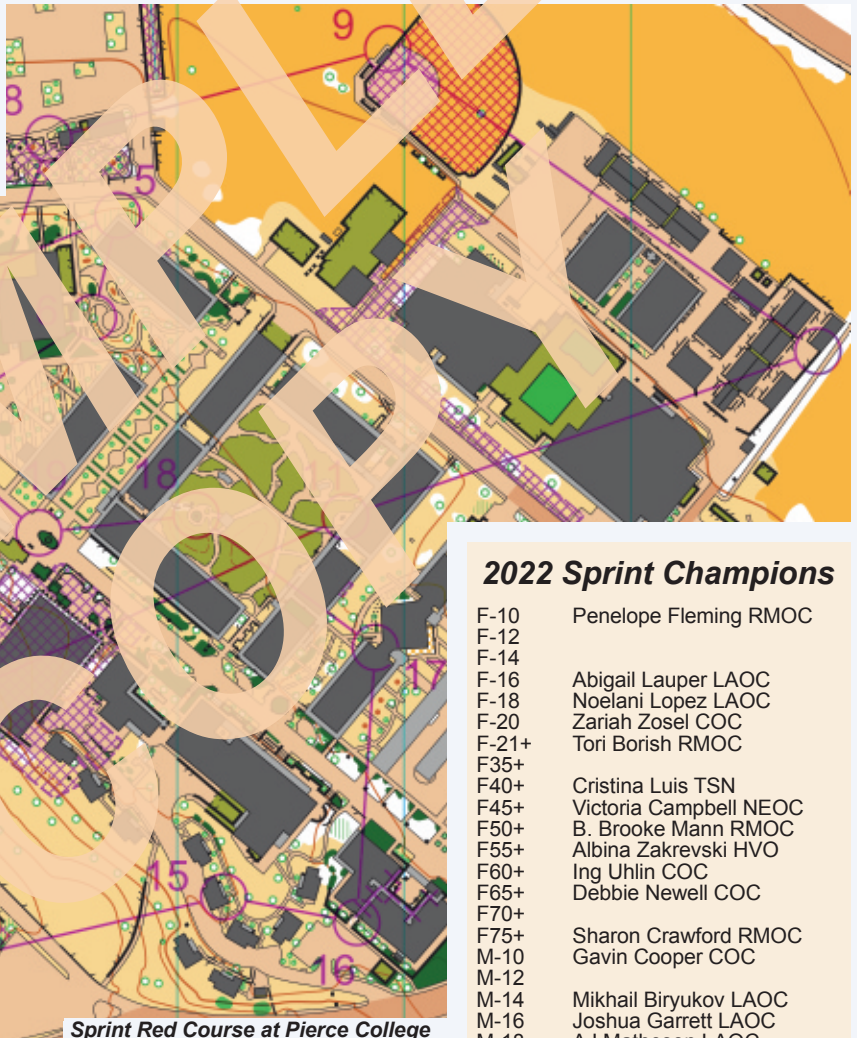
The Long Distance races moved further out into the Mojave Desert to Red Rock Canyon State Park with it's colorful cliffs flanking the sides of a long N/S valley. High visibility and good runnability made for some fast times with subtle terrain features keeping folks focused on their navigation game.



Heidi Fleming

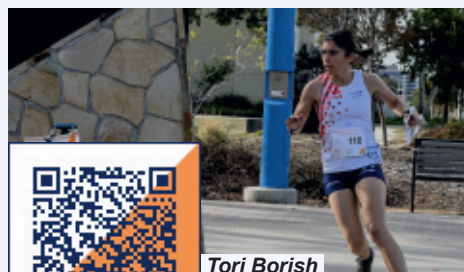


Zariah Zosel



Carlo Giacometti

Sprint Red Course at Pierce College



Tori Borish



Susan Dunklee



Takashi Sugiyama

2022 Sprint Champions

- F-10 Penelope Fleming RMOC
- F-12
- F-14
- F-16 Abigail Lauper LAOC
- F-18 Noelani Lopez LAOC
- F-20 Zariah Zosel COC
- F-21+ Tori Borish RMOC
- F35+
- F40+ Cristina Luis TSN
- F45+ Victoria Campbell NEOC
- F50+ B. Brooke Mann RMOC
- F55+ Albina Zakrevski HVO
- F60+ Ing Uhlin COC
- F65+ Debbie Newell COC
- F70+
- F75+ Sharon Crawford RMOC
- M-10 Gavin Cooper COC
- M-12
- M-14 Mikhail Biryukov LAOC
- M-16 Joshua Garrett LAOC
- M-18 AJ Matheson LAOC
- M-20 Benjamin Brady COC
- M-21+ Joseph Barrett QOC
- M35+ Yurii Konovalenko BAOC
- M40+ Joe Brautigam WCOG
- M45+ Andis Vitolins HVO
- M50+ Francois Leonard BAOC
- M55+ Gregory Balter DVOA
- M60+ Sergey Velichko CTOC
- M65+ Takashi Sugiyama BAOC
- M70+ Steve Tarry UNO
- M75+ Dennis Wildfogel BAOC
- M80+ Rich Parker BAOC



World Rogaining Championships

August 26-27, 2022

Králický Sněžník, Czech Republic



Ten teams from the USA ventured to Czechia this past August for the 17th WRC. Rogaining is an ultra distance score event with controls placed over a very large area, frequently on steep and demanding terrain. Teams of 2-5 have 24 hours to visit as many controls as possible, with varying point values depending upon the distance and difficulty of the controls.

Three US Teams took podium spots in their respective categories and Nikolay Nachev and Ashley Blake (COC) just missed the podium, placing 4th in the Mixed Open division. They will definitely be a team to watch when the WRC comes to the **California O-Fest** next July.



Mary Smith, Eric Smith



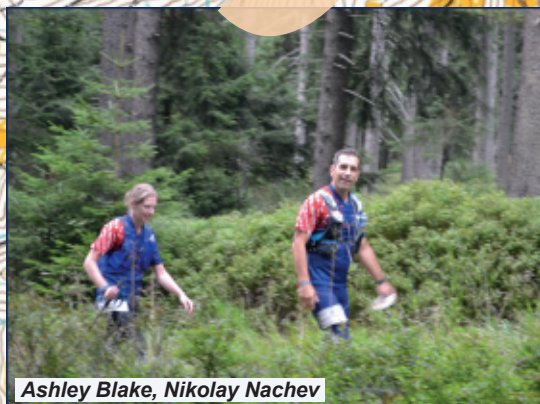
Gavin Wyatt-Mair



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Gavin Wyatt-Mair, Sue Kuestner



Ashley Blake, Nikolay Nachev



Sharon Crawford, Robin Spriggs



Competition Map (portion of a much larger map)

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PROGRAM

17 JULY - 30 JULY, 2023

- Stage 1:** Mon, Jul 17: **Urban Park - Sprint**
The Presidio - San Francisco, California.
- Stage 2:** Tue, Jul 18: **Urban Park - Middle**
Golden Gate Park - San Francisco, California.
- Stage 3:** Wed, Jul 19: **Forest - Long**
Location to be decided.
- Rest/Travel Day:** Thu, Jul 20: **Model Event**, Lake Tahoe, California.
- Stage 4:** Fri, Jul 21: **North American Championships - Sprint**
Northstar - Lake Tahoe, California. *World Ranking Event*
- Stage 5:** Sat, Jul 22: **North American Championships - Middle**
Little Truckee Summit, California. *World Ranking Event*
- Stage 6:** Sun, Jul 23: **North American Championships - Long**
Independence Creek - Truckee, California. *World Ranking Event*
- Stage 7:** Mon, Jul 24: **North American Championships - Relay**
Lake Tahoe, California.
- Rest Day:** Tue, Jul 25: Available Activities - Water Skiing, River Rafting, Hiking, Swimming, Tennis, Golf, Laser Tag, and more!
- Stage 8:** Wed, Jul 26: **Alpine Forest - Middle**, Lake Tahoe, California.
- Stage 9:** Thu, Jul 27: **Alpine Forest - Long**, Sagehen - Truckee, California.
- Rest Day:** Fri, Jul 28: **World Rogaining Championships Model Event**
Northstar - Lake Tahoe, California (also open Wed-Thu, Jul 26-27).
- Grand Finale:** Sat-Sun, Jul 29-30: **World Rogaining Championships**
Northstar - Lake Tahoe, California.



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