

## Bulletin Updates for v. 2024-08-01 from v. 2024-07-26

### COC Long Course Information

The course table for the COC Long has been corrected. **M21S is on Course 9, NOT course 10.** Our apologies for the error!

### Countries Represented

The list of countries represented at the 2024 Canadian Orienteering Festival has been updated and now includes:

Canada	USA	Australia
Bulgaria	China	Demark
Finland	France	Germany
Great Britain	Hong Kong	Japan
New Zealand	Norway	Romania
Spain	Sweden	Switzerland

### Supporting Organizations

As a financial contributor to the NAOC races, The FQCO, le Fédération, Québécoise de course d'orientation has been added, with many thanks, to our list of supporting organizations.



## Bulletin Updates for v. 2024-07-26 from v. 2024-07-24

### Queen's University Parking

The parking lot for the Endayaan - Tkanonsote Residence was previously marked as being in the embargo area. The [embargo map](#) has been updated to exclude the Tyndall Field Parking Lot. Competitors may use this parking lot.

### Finish Line Procedures for Mass Starts

For mass start races (Relay and Knock-Out Sprint QF, SF, and Final), times on timing chips will be used for race times, however the placings for close finishes will be determined by a finish line judge. Order of finish will be determined by the chest crossing the finish line.

### Map Flips

For the sprint events in Kingston, your map may be two sided. The first part of the course will be on side 1, the remainder on side 2. In this case the map flip symbol (see below) will appear in your control description between two controls telling you to flip you map over. On side 1 of the map, the first part of your course will end at a control. On side 2, you will see the control symbol (triangle inside a circle) at that same control indicating the start of the part of the course.



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### **NAOC Middle, Course 6b**

6b	5	F55+	Open6, M20-S, F20-S	2.5	65	12	1:7,500
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The map scale for NAOC Middle, course 6b has been corrected to 1:7,500, from 1:10,000

### **Shadowing**

For some young newcomers to orienteering, parents, or youngsters, feel more comfortable being shadowed. A parent or other person may shadow a child provided the shadower does not go out on course as a competitor after shadowing the child. Anyone in this situation should ask for an early start time for the parent/shadower and a late start time for the child. For the child to be eligible for awards, the shadower may not help the child on course. If the child needs help we ask that the shadower let the timing team at the finish know and we will move the child to the Open class of the same course.

In the start area, shadowers please follow the instructions of the Start crew as to whether you should go through the start chutes with the child, or meet them after the start line.