

June 30, 1976

NORTH EASTERN OHIO ORIENTEERING CLUB

NEWSLETTERMEET ANNOUNCEMENT

PLACE: Hell Hollow Park

DATE: Saturday, July 24th

TIME: 9:00 to (approximately) 12:00

COST: Map - \$1.00

Membership - \$2.50 individual

\$5.00 family

- RULES: -Entrants are encouraged to be members of NEOOC.
- Only individuals are eligible for prizes (although families, couples, etc. are certainly welcome to run or walk the course.

The course, in all probability, will be set up on a point-value basis. That is, each control station will be assigned a certain number of points, depending on its difficulty and distance from the starting point. Participants choose their sequence and routes in order to collect the maximum number of points in the allotted time. Tardiness at the finish means points deducted. Novices will be allowed less time than experienced orienteers (there will be at least two categories).

Remember, it is not necessary to run to have fun... Hell Hollow is a beautiful area: enjoying the walk with map and compass can be quite enough for most. Hell Hollow has picnic facilities, fresh water, and lavatories. Bring the whole family. We should be finished by noon.

We are expecting a nice turnout, and loan compasses will be limited. If you can manage to purchase your own by then, it is recommended. Maps will be sold at the meet, as will memberships.

PLANS

We are planning a second meet for fall. By then, we hope to have enough money in the coffers to buy some "official" equipment for our meets. This includes, as a minimum, control station markers (instead of Clorox jugs), clippers for checking in at a station, and score cards. We could even get along without those items, but there are two things which are "givens" for each meet: maps and postage costs. The current membership money will cover only one or two more mailings. Come to think of it, for \$2.50 a year, orienteering is a whale of a lot of entertainment.

Plan to bring a picnic lunch to enjoy after the meet. We would like to set an August event if members are interested.

See you and your family and friends on the 24th!