Edmonton Overlanders Orienteering Club

Tiger Lily 2015

forest orienteering event south of Fort Assiniboine

Date: Saturday & Sunday June 13 & 14, 2015

Same courses each day

Map: Tiger Lily 1:10,000; 5m contours; fieldwork: Bryan Chubb (2003/4), Ales & Vendi Hejna (2004). New seismic lines added by Doug Dowell (April 2006). Seismic lines are approximate only and may extend beyond the portion mapped.

Location: Near Ft Assiniboine, 1.75 hours from downtown Edmonton. Directions on reverse.

Registration/starts Saturday 11am - 1pm (beginner & refresher clinics available during this time)

Sunday 10am - noon (beginner & refresher clinics available during this time)

Courses close: Saturday 4 pm; Sunday 3pm - everyone must check back in by this time

Probable Courses (same courses both days):

#	difficulty
1/2	Beginner/Novice - this course starts with the first few controls on trails, then progresses to controls just off trail, then ending with a few controls 50-100m from the trail.
3	intermediate - controls cross country
4	advanced - technically difficult
6	longer advanced - technically difficult

Entry Fees:

Members	\$10 per map, which may be shared. Fee includes SPORTident electronic timing card, plus, if necessary, compass and whistle. (deposit of driver's permit required for rentals)
Non- members	\$15 per map, which may be shared. Fee includes SPORTident electronic timing card, plus, if necessary, compass and whistle. (deposit of driver's permit required for rentals)
	Additional maps for groups going out together \$5 each
Whistle	Compulsory - any kind will do. A group needs only one between them.
Watch	Compulsory - we have loaners if you don't have one.

Terrain:

The terrain consists of ancient sand dunes with pine and deciduous vegetation, shallow marshes and deep ravines. Black bear and lynx have been seen in the area in previous years. For the safety of everyone, **no dogs**, please. New seismic lines added by Doug Dowell (April 2006). Seismic lines are approximate only and may extend beyond the portion mapped.

What to bring:

Bring a watch, a whistle (any kind will do or buy one from the registrar), a compass (or rent one from the registrar) and your own SI punch (or rent one from the registrar). If you are going to rent anything, please bring your driver's license to the registration desk. Optional: snacks, picnic, camera. Be prepared for any weather - jacket and warm underwear if it's cool; hat and sun-screen if it's sunny. Long pants recommended. Water and cookies provided.

Directions:

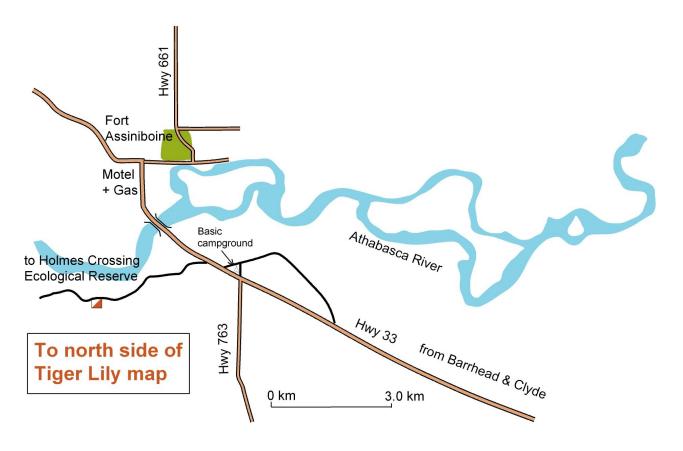
From North Edmonton: north on Hwy 2; turn west onto Hwy 18, which later becomes Hwy 33. Drive west and northwest for approximately 82km (to just before Ft Assiniboine). Turn left (southwest) onto the gravel road to **Holmes Crossing Ecological Reserve** and drive for about 4km. Park where indicated.

From West Edmonton: travel west on Hwy 16 (Yellowhead Hwy).

Turn north onto Hwy 43 towards Whitecourt/Grande Prairie for 24 km.

Turn north onto Hwy 33 for 46km, traveling through Barrhead to a major junction with a stop sign. Turn west at the junction to stay on Hwy 33 and travel 32.5km to **Holmes Crossing Ecological Reserve** turn-off. Turn left (southwest) and drive on the gravel road for about 4km. Follow signs to parking area.

Course Planners: Robert Gilchrist & Angela Pearson Event Director: Beth Cornish Controller: Mary-Lou Hogg



For more information on accommodation, course lengths etc. and for updates, check the website: **www.orienteer.ab.ca**