

ELO Event Review:	Winton Hill	Local event	19 th January 2019
Planner:	Debbie Riley	Organiser:	Sheila Strain
Courses:	W Y O LG	Attendance:	194 people in 115 entries

What went well:

- Big turnout with lots of local families – good advance publicity including ...
 - Local contacts by Debbie
 - Local schools and Twitter by Michael
- Manageable queues despite the high numbers ...
 - Plenty of helpers
 - Well planned layout with plenty of tables and a logical sequence
 - Plenty of space in open barn – avoided bottleneck which sometimes happens in the tent
 - New price list proved easy to use in practice
- Cheery atmosphere at assembly area ...
 - Catering available
 - Space and shelter to chat after running
- Popular courses planned by Debbie – new map is very suitable for W / Y / O
- Parking – plenty of space on hard standing

What did not go well:

- Pete forgot to bring printed price lists as promised
- Start position wasn't ideal – would have been better a few metres into the woods to get out of the muddy field
- Buggies had some trouble with the muddy path to Start - and obstructions on paths on courses
- A couple of dead-running legs out and back at the far end of the LG course
- Some pits not mapped near control #139

What we could do differently in future:

- Accessibility ...
 - Add a standard heading in the pre-event info regarding course accessibility for buggies
 - Remove temporary obstacles on paths while setting out controls
- Use a checklist of notices and documents to avoid oversights on the day