

Organiser's Comments - Sandy Balls Event - 19th February 2011

Firstly, thank you all for coming – It is most rewarding to see so many enjoying our Local Events. We are becoming victims of our own success at these events – as the numbers rise the queues for registration and download get longer. My apologies if you had a long wait, SOC are investigating additional equipment to get things running more smoothly. Colin's courses seemed to be well received so many thanks go to him for planning and to Robert for Controlling.

Many thanks also to the management and staff of Sandy Balls Holiday Centre for their assistance in staging this event. As access to Forestry Commission land gets more expensive, having access to other areas becomes more important as we look to continue holding informal Local events. I hope SOC and WIM can continue to develop our relationship with Sandy Balls in the future.

Finally but most importantlyyyy, thanks to Peter S, Kevin, Bob, Colin Holcombe, Olwen, Simon W, Keiran & Jillian, Jamie, Alastair, Nick, the 2 early arrivals who helped put the tent up (sorry I didn't catch your names!) and all the others who offered to help during the day. Yet again your efforts led to a highly successful event and a hassle free day for me!

I hope to see you all orienteering again soon,

Simon.