



NEWSLETTER - Feb 2007



Greater Phoenix Orienteering Club - Getting There is ALL the Fun!

Feb 11 Mini-Rogaine at Bomboy Mine

Please join us for a mini-Rogaine at Bomboy Mine. This is a new event for our club and we hope to have a great turnout. There will be 8-hour and 4-hour options. Mike Franklin is setting the course and Pat Abbott is the meet director.

Maps will be passed out at 7:00 AM with a mass start for the 8-hour event at 8:00 AM. Participants for the 4-hour event may start at 8:00 AM or at any time until noon.

Although a Rogaine is typically a team event, we are allowing individual competitors who attest they have the skills needed to do this rugged event on their own.

The course will be preprinted on the map and we need a count of the likely number of participants so as to have an adequate number of maps. We are asking for preregistration. The fee is \$25 per person (each member of a team pays the fee) with preregistration and \$35 on the day of the event. "Preregister" by email

to Mike Franklin at jfranklin31@cox.net. You don't need to send the money, just tell us you are coming.

The course is set over a large area – approximately 80 square kilometers, with an average distance between controls of about 1.2 km. We are printing the map on a special weatherproof paper which should hold up well.

We are offering volunteers for the event \$5 off registration for assisting with tasks such as registration, timing, and equipment set-up. Let Pat Abbott know if you can volunteer at PAAPsyD@aol.com.

More Details and Directions Inside

Greater Phoenix Orienteering Club
<http://www.phoenixorienteering.org>

c/o Rockledge Services / P.O. Box 51114
Phoenix, AZ 85076-1114

Feb. 11 Mini-ROGAINE Continued

We will provide food items such as fruit, bagels, and energy bars throughout the day at a central location. Water and gatorade will also be provided.

A whistle is required for all participants. Some are available to purchase for \$1. Compasses are available to rent for \$1.

Primitive camping is available on this National Forest Service land.

Water will be available only at the start location and at the central food location throughout the day. Bring your own water bottle to have on the course.

Directions to Bomboy Mine From Phoenix:

Take the Superstition Freeway east through Apache Junction, towards Globe. About .4 miles past milepost 222 and immediately after crossing the Queen Creek bridge, turn left on Hewitt Station Road (FR 357). If you reach the Boyce Thompson Arboretum you have gone a half mile too far. Cross the cattle guard and continue straight ahead. After about 1.5 miles on Hewitt Station Road, you will cross a wash with two 15 foot high drainage pipes under the railroad tracks on the right. Turn right on FR252 which is about .2 miles after the wash. Our site is about 3/4 mile down the road, at a road junction. Look for the orange and white sign at the last turnoff and at our site.

Lake Pleasant Results

COMPETITOR	TIME	RANK	COMPETITOR	TIME	RANK
<u>Red Adult Male</u>			<u>Orange Adult Female</u>		
Ron Birks	1:03:39	1M	Laura Wasylenki	2:37:00	2F
Mike Zampino	1:50:51	4M	<u>Orange Veteran Female</u>		
Forest Brown	2:11:15	5M	Jennifer Kerr	1:39:38	1F
Ronnie Hendricks	DNF		<u>Orange Team</u>		
<u>Red Veteran Male</u>			Just Kiddin	DNF	
Arlid Orsleie	1:30:48	2M	Dave and Windy	1:07:20	1T
Glenn Haselfeld	1:42:11	3M	Erik and Austin Ringnes	1:50:36	2T
<u>Red Veteran Female</u>			<u>Yellow Adult Male</u>		
Pat Abbott	2:12:15	1F	Richard Fawcett	0:59:17	1M
<u>Red Team:</u>			<u>Recreational:</u>		
Dave and Windy	1:37:58	1T	Hans Clugston		
Team Slow	2:22:06	2T	Doug McCulley		
Tom Fleck	2:25:30	3T	Outpost 104		
<u>Orange Adult Male</u>			Outpost 104A		
Ron Birks	0:57:41	1M	MJ Limited		
Mike Zampino	1:00:20	2M	Al and Terri Wienczek		
Peter Neubauer	1:20:30	3M	Dianne Haselfeld		
			Are We Lost Yet		

GPHXO Upcoming Event Schedule

Feb 11, 2007	mini-ROGAINE at Bomboy Mine
Mar 11, 2007	Saguaro Lake
Mar 29 & 31	Land Navigation Class

We encourage our members to participate in the Tucson club events as well as our own. Not only is it an opportunity for more orienteering experience fairly close to home but they have some really great folks that we can learn a lot from while we enjoy their company.

Tucson Club Event Schedule

Jan 21	Cat Mountain
Feb 18	Kentucky Camp/Greaterville
Mar 18	Chimney Rock
Apr 15	Possible Urban-O
May 19-20	Mogollon Rim—Potato Patch
Aug 19	Palisades or Bear Wallow
Sept 16	Lake Mary
Oct 21	Box Canyon
Nov 18	Catalina State Park
Dec 16	Arthur Pack Regionl Park

GPHXO Board Meetings:

Board meetings are held monthly to discuss the business operations of the club and to plan for upcoming events. They are open to all members. Unless otherwise noted, all meetings are at 7:00 PM in the **Scottsdale Community College library**. Call **Peter** for specifics or to confirm meeting: **480-734-0733**.

Did you know that GPHXO O.C. members get the “member” rate for Tucson O.C. events? For details about the Tucson Club events, check their web page at www.tucsonorienteering.org

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CHOOSE: *mail me the monthly newsletter:*

FAMILY (\$17) INDIVIDUAL (\$15)

OR: *download/view newsletter on website:*

FAMILY (\$12) INDIVIDUAL (\$10)

Yes, I can help staff a club meet. Call me.

NAME

STREET ADDRESS

CITY, STATE, ZIP

(AREA CODE) DAY TELEPHONE

(AREA CODE) EVENING TELEPHONE

EMAIL ADDRESS (*required for web membership discount; we will email you when the new newsletter is on the website*)