

Level 3 Controllers Workshop

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Communicating with Competitors



Relevant Rules and Guidelines

- OA Foot Rules - Section 8.2 defines what has to be communicated and when
- NOL Guidelines for NOL events
- WRE Guidelines for IOF WREvents

Methods of Communication

- Different methods required to cover all potential entrants
- Web site
- Web (OA and state) news items
- Social Media will cover a subset only
- State email newsletters
- Printed flyers and displays at events
- Broadcast emails to entrants
 - On entry
 - At various milestones

Entry Process



- Defined in entry forms
 - Online (exceptions)
 - Contacts for more information
 - Late entry process and cost where applicable
 - Closing dates – need to allow sufficient time to complete and publish start draw

Program and Start Lists



- Publish updated entry lists often
- Program and start lists at least 2 weeks prior to event
- Content – refer to rules and guidelines
 - Permitted deviations from rules including mapping specifications
 - Protest and Jury process

Information at Events



- Changes from published program
- Additional information required for entrants
- Model maps – demonstrate terrain difficult or unusual, mapping of non-standard features
- Information required at the Start
 - competitors names to be called or displayed
 - Sprint – display of Out of Bounds legend
 - Safety information

During and After the Event



- Plan in advance how to publish
 - News items – content, photos
 - Results
 - Results for WREvents
 - Results of trophies and awards