

The Orienteering Foundation

The Orienteering Foundation is a charity that promotes and supports orienteering. The Foundation:

- funds junior programmes
- invests in elites
- supports adult coaching opportunities
- supports those developing tools and techniques to alleviate volunteer workloads, and
- sponsors projects which look to exploit new technologies in our sport.

It is funded primarily by donations, and from bequests in people's wills. You can read more about the Orienteering Foundation at <https://www.orienteeringfoundation.org.uk/>

This note sets out what projects the Orienteering Foundation has been supporting in recent months.

- A coaching day on 24th Sept in the Lakes still has spaces. Email Derek Allison to book. dereka57@gmail.com
- The Foundation is considering commissioning a video to show orienteering as an adventure sport.
- A grant had been made to Lagan Valley Orienteers to support the training of 5 new coaches.
- A grant in principle was agreed to support the JWOC to attend the rescheduled event in Portugal.
- A report was received from a previous grant to support development on the Isle of Arran. Great to see a junior leading a project, full report [here](#)

If you would like to read more about this news or would like to find out more about the work of the Foundation please see our website, www.orienteeringfoundation.org.uk, Why not sign up for the Orienteering [newsletter](#), [Facebook](#), or [Twitter](#) accounts.

And if you are interested in seeking funding for a project, or indeed in making a donation, then please contact me.

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