

Thurrock Nomads

One Tree Thrill

Results

1. Nick Houghton	Nomads	1:06:00	24. Don Sinclair	Pitsea	1:29:20
2. Alex Houghton	Nomads	1:06:01	26. Emma Collier	Phoenix	1:30:37
3. Andy Kennedy	Benfleet	1:06:27	27. Nicki Lyon	U/A	1:30:57
4. Greg Wisken	Mid Essex	1:07:49	27. Jan Collier	Phoenix	1:32:57
5. Anthony Marsh	Springfield	1:11:53	29. Agatha Pompom	Pitsea	1:38:50
6. Dave Game	Mid Essex	1:12:39	30. Heather Jackson	Pitsea	1:44:54
7. Richard Taylor	Springfield	1:12:39	31. Mandy Straderick	Pitsea	1:45:42
8. Nigel Morgans	Nomads	1:15:04	31. Mervin Beckwith	Pitsea	1:45:42
9. Andy Frith	Benfleet	1:15:57	31. Andy Chaplin	Pitsea	1:45:42
10. Ian Chappell	Pitsea	1:16:04	34. Bill Metcalfe	Basildon	1:46:00
11. Paul Mitchell	Nomads	1:21:33	35. Judy Burston	Phoenix	1:47:25
12. Peter Tree	TGT	1:23:15	35. Nicola Burston	Phoenix	1:47:25
13. Keith Jackson	Pitsea	1:24:25	37. Tony Pikus	Phoenix	1:48:57
14. Kerry Marsh	Springfield	1:24:28	38. Annie Smith	TGT	1:49:23
15. Nikki Bennett	Mid Essex	1:24:43	38. Jodie Timbrell	TGT	1:49:23
15. Jon Bolton	Mid Essex	1:24:43	40. Julie Wing	Maidstone	1:50:08
17. Linda Clampett	Nomads	1:26:30	41. Lesley Gibson	U/A	1:51:00
17. Dave Dutton	Nomads	1:26:30	41. Lorri Gibson	Benfleet	1:51:00
19. Ian Foskew	Mid Essex	1:26:50	43. Linda Bates	Pitsea	1:59:43
20. Julie Knight	Horndon	1:28:57	44. Eric Campbell	Nomads	2:03:16
20. Peter Woodard	Nomads	1:28:57	44. Dennis Edwards	Nomads	2:03:16
20. Peter Bates	Pitsea	1:28:57	44. Fergie McKenna	Nomads	2:03:16
23. Peter Marshall	Nomads	1:29:15	47. Steve Wing	Maidstone	2:16:16
24. Val Sinclair	Pitsea	1:29:20			

Thanks everyone for taking part – especially those who travelled from north of the A127 and 'over the water' to discover that we don't still eat people in South Essex and have some nice countryside as well! The support from our neighbours was also appreciated. Quite a few people went wrong at some point on a tricky course though some trail race 'virgins' did manage a clear round. Congratulations to the Houghton lads on their 1-2 position; familiarity with the location must have helped but – as we all know – it can also be a dangerous thing! Well done also to Kerry Marsh on being first lady home; it was nice to see so many females entering the event.

Entry was just below our anticipated numbers but considering it was a Saturday in the holiday season, no pub and there's been a lot of weekend trail races recently it was very satisfactory and made putting on the event worthwhile.

We didn't aim to make any profit so after sending off the unattached/ unaffiliated club levy to the Trail Running Association - $14 \times £2 = £28 - (so Dave Game can have a drink next weekend...)$ the remaining money will be used as prizes for 1-2-3 in male & female categories: £15, £10 & £7:50. They can then buy the traditional wine as it's a bit hard to post!!!