

Alresford 240722 Results Correction

Control 127 that was on courses 1 to 4 was compromised for part of the race due to unknown competitors attempting to or actually jumping the uncrossable northern fence.

The railway staff saw this happening and decided to move the control, they thought moving it 5 metres would make little difference to our race!

We moved the control back but only on the basis that we marshalled the control for the rest of the event, to stop any others thinking about crossing the fence.

It is disappointing when competitors insist on breaking the rules. It brings our sport into disrepute, will the railway staff trust us in the future?

Due to the fact that the control was placed on the northern fence for a short while, several people punched it from the path saving themselves a lot of time. Hence we cannot spot the person or persons that crossed the fence which would be obvious from the splits.

We have taken the decision to adjust the times on the legs affected rather than voiding the legs. Judging the running speeds of the competitors we believe we have adjusted the results to fairly reflect the performance of the competitors on the day.

The only material impact was on course 2 where the first and second places swapped around, the person affected was informed before making the adjustment.

There were no adjustments made to any of the women's results.