

Event Results

Casas Adobes Street-O Results -- 6/19/11



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Details

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Eleven people braved the morning June heat on Father's Day to try to locate up to 22 control points in the one mile square area bounded by Ina/Orange Grove and LaCholla/La Canada, dubbed the Casa Adobes Street-O by Ludwig Hill. Participants expressed enjoyment in the challenge of the layout of the neighborhood and the 10-Kilometer event. They were additionally challenged by the Course Notes limitations of staying on the roads, and not traveling the washes or going between houses. There was only one internal crossing between the West and East sides of the map and many dead-end streets or cul-de-sacs so having to retrace steps was guaranteed. These limitations were necessary because the neighborhood continues to be under a siege of burglaries many of which were accomplished from the washes. Although many residents were invited (and thus informed) through a neighborhood e-mail and flyers, a few participants were approached by residents asking what they were doing.

Jim Stamm came prepared to enter recreationally on his bike. He had tried to rustle up more people to bike so he would have a category to compete in, but without success. Afterwards some others agreed it would have been a great venue for a Bike-O category since we couldn't use the washes. Others were disappointed because they saw the washes as prime Orienteering territory. A few commented on the wildlife they observed.

Many thanks go to **Ludwig Hill** for tutoring this course setter and director: especially in installing a demo OCAD and giving 2 ½ hours of set-up and instruction on its use as well as many e-mail consultations. It was wonderful to be able to produce such a nice map that the group appreciated as well. The near-by **UPS Store** was a great resource for trouble-shooting its printing at no charge and the final color printing at 59 cents per 11x17 color copy was so reasonable. As the director of the event, the logistics of accessing the supplies was very easy: my thanks to **all those volunteers** who have organized and set-up the supplies in the storage locker so efficiently. And my thanks go to **two good friends** who helped with registration and set-up. Participants were also forgiving of the two snafus on the map: a garage door control that was not visible when the door was up instead of closed and an extra question not represented on the map.

One person renewed their membership and we welcome someone from the neighborhood, **Judith Schneider**, who enjoyed the event and **Peg Davis'** Beginner's Clinic enough to enthusiastically become a member and is looking forward to the Night-O, July 8th at Cat Mountain planned by **John Maier**.

One Hour:

Team Bozo (Michael Rule) 90 points 58 mins. 40 secs.

Pat Penn 70 52 mins. 25 secs.

Jackson Rickel 50 24 mins. 28 secs.

(old injury cut his effort short)

One and one-half hour:

Ludwig Hill	220	75 mins. 42 secs.
Mark Martin	210	75 mins. 26 secs.
Peg Davis	180	82 mins. 43 secs.
Claudia Rickel	60 (150)	99 mins. 16 secs.

Recreational:

Jim Stamm (bike)	210	72 mins.
John Rickel	100	61 mins. 20 secs.
Judith Schneider	90	112 mins. 18 secs.
Margrit McIntosh	80	65 mins. 31 secs.