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From the Committee meeting:

1. **MAPS.** Following a review by David Hogg, our Mapping Officer, of the costs involved in map production the committee has decided that the cost of single maps must rise to 40 cents each. Would all orienteers especially those who help at registration please note.
2. **EVENTS.** Would all orienteers please note that if additional low-key events are being organised the **EVENTS OFFICER** must be notified so that permission to use the area can be obtained. While it may be obvious that the landholder's permission must be obtained in the case of private land, it is also necessary to obtain permission from Forestry to use pine forest areas.

Sufficient time must be allowed for the necessary forms to be filled in and approval obtained.

3. Note the changes in the event calendar. ACT Champs are now on June 7th. ACT School Champs on September 27th, Margarets Creek on September 20th.

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From the OFA Meeting

1. Any orienteers with ideas for 'Special Development Items' for inclusion in the next government grant application should forward their ideas to our Secretary, Graham Brownlee, before DECEMBER 15 for forwarding to the OFA.

2. Aust. - N.Z. Challenge 1982

To be held in Australia, either in September prior to the Commonwealth Games (in Brisbane) (the most likely) or at Easter. Anyone who would like to nominate as MANAGER or ACT STATE SELECTOR should contact Graham Brownlee (secretary) no later than December 15.

3. POC 1982

The likely venue is Japan. Nominations are also being called for for MANAGER and ACT STATE SELECTOR for this event. If interested please contact Graham Brownlee (secretary) no later than December 15.

BADGE CREDITS. Badge credit standing achieved at the Ballarat 6-days will be equivalent to 2 badge credits.

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Thank you

On the occasion of our 100th issue, I would like to thank Norm and Rick Gibson of Pirie Printers and their staff for all the help and advice which they have given to me over the past 50 issues.

Their willingness to try and have the newsletter "printed yesterday" on many occasions when I have presented them with copy very late has been very much appreciated.

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Ed.

Help wanted

Roxanne Agafonoff is looking for a lift to the Ballarat 6-days. If anyone can help would they please ring Roxanne on 315806.

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**A MERRY CHRISTMAS & A HAPPY NEW YEAR
TO ALL ORIENTEERS !**