

Hell Fire Flash - *Hell does freeze over after all....*

Sunday 10th January 1999



A freezing morning which made travelling difficult reduced the anticipated numbers in this mid winter race to a handful of hardy souls. Rathfarnham's Terry McConnon improved on his second place in the Howth race before Christmas to take victory from last year's winner Colm Doran who had the consolation of taking the vets race from former Irish Orienteering Champion Justin May.

Like some others in the race, Justin had competed less than an hour previously in an orienteering event. "My legs felt like rubber on the descent and I am pleased and surprised to get 3rd place " the hardy Justin said later. His wife Una did better than her husband however. She had an easy win in the women's race from vet Jane Watt. Brian Lambe won the Junior category from Gareth O'Gorman and Alan Dolan. ([More Photos here](#))

Picture by Pat Donlon

POS	NAME	TIME	CAT	
1	Terry McConnon	25.10	M	WINNER
2	Colm Doran	26.17	MV	1st Vet
3	Justin May	26.55	MV	
4	Claude McManmon	27.32	MV	
5	Brian Lambe	29.36	J	1st Junior
6	Gareth O'Gorman	29.48	J	
7	Una May	29.56	F	1st Lady
8	Graham Porter	30.04	MV	
9	Stephen Doyle	30.06	M	
10	Alan Dolan	30.14	J	
11	Brian Bell	30.03	MV	
13	Joe Lalor	30.05	MV	
14	Brian O'Connell	31.18	MV	
15	Jane Watt	31.21	FV	1st Lady Vet
16	Owen McLoughlin	31.33	M	
17	Seamus O'Neill	31.33	M	

18	Sean Murphy	32.35	MV	
19	Conor Kenny	33.10	M	
20	Sean Lambe	34.55	SV	1st Super Vet
21	Liam Byrne	37.13	MV	
22	Eric Golden	38.49	M	
	(One Lap)			
	Fiona O'Sullivan	20.47	F	
	Karen Guthrie	26.17	JF	1st Junior Lady