



NYMBO MapRun information

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Whether you've done NYMBO events before but not used MapRun or you're a first-timer to our events, this guide will help you for your next event.



NYMBO has adopted MapRun because it saves a huge amount of planning effort in putting out SI controls the day before the event and collecting them afterwards. It also means we can be more rigorous about the routes riders take and ensure people stay on the correct course – that's better for riders, the local community and for everyone's safety.

You'll find a more details FAQ on our website here, but here are the essentials:

BEFORE THE EVENT:

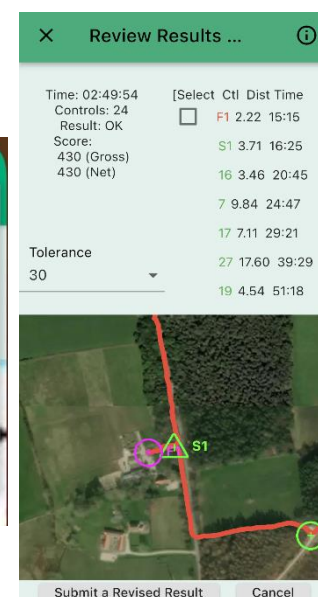
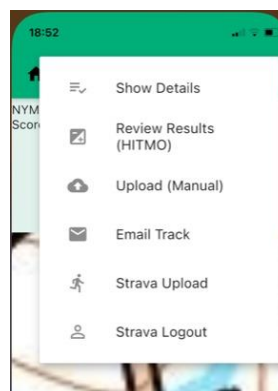
1. Download the latest version of MapRun from either the Apple or Android store
2. Setup your MapRun profile – this is quite simple. You can also connect a Garmin watch, Apple watch or cycle computer if you wish.
3. Check is that the **notifications** are loud enough so you know when you've reached a control - *options & settings, scroll to preferences, and look for alert sound*
4. During the week before the event, usually on Thursday or Friday we will publish the details for the course download (usually with a QR code) and the specific locations of the start/finish points.
5. On **Friday** before the event, you need to download the course using the QR code or at this location in MapRun: *Select event / UK / north yorkshire / NYMBO / Summer 2024 / EVENT NAME*
Nb, don't download before this in case the final version has not been uploaded
6. The event name will appear on the MapRun Homescreen, but if you select go to start you will be asked for a PIN. This is normal, and you won't need the PIN as this will automatically be removed when the event starts.

AT THE EVENT:

1. Register that you've arrived and collect your control descriptions.
2. At the start you will get a printed, colour control map (either A3 or A4)
3. Press "go to start" on your phone/watch/computer – the START should trigger and your time limit for the event commences.
4. Every control should register/beep to confirm you have located it correctly. When you get to the finish point, your course will be completed.

WHEN YOU'VE FINISHED:

1. Your course should upload to MapRun automatically and you can see everyone's results on the app. If this doesn't work correctly and there are a couple of options to check.
2. If you are missing one or more controls that you know you visited, you may need to adjust the GPS tolerance using the "HITMO" function in MapRun – this allows you to extend the default GPS range (e.g. 30m) and often resolves device issues (see pictures)
3. If your MapRun course failed to record, but you have a track recorded, you can manually upload a track or Strava course.
4. If those options fail, please get in touch and we can sort out a manual score.



You can find our longer MapRun FAQ at <https://nymbo.org/maprun-faq/>