

## Using RouteGadget

RouteGadget is a web-based analysis tool for orienteering events.

It allows you to see which legs you did well on and where you should look for opportunities to improve.

It also allows each runner to draw on the map the route that you went. If you have a gps logger, you can also upload where you actually went. Sharing your route choice helps others to improve their route choice.

You need a web browser and you need to have Java installed.

You can use an event specific link, or to get to the SOC events you can use this link:

<http://www.soc.routegadget.co.uk/rg2/>. From here pick the event that you are interested in.

### **To review a course and recorded routes:**

On the courses tab pick the course click show.

### **To review individual runners courses:**

Select the results tab, tick the replay column for runners that you would like to compare.

A box appears bottom right, where you can start / pause the run, speed up / slow down the speed of the replay, etc..

### **To draw your course:**

On the Draw tab, pick your course and then your name.

The first control is shown in red and you click on the map to record points that you visited on the way. When you click close enough to the target control, the selected control moves to the next control. When you click in the finish your route is complete.

The +3sec button is for places where you stopped to think for a moment.

The Undo button removes the last point that you clicked.

Save is for when you have completed your route.

On the right there are zoom controls, so that you can zoom in to the appropriate part of the map.

To move the map, click and drag.

## Splits Browser

A separate tool analysis tool Splits Browser is accessed by the left-most button in the top right of the screen.

This shows time down the screen and distance travelled across the screen.

On a good run, you make steady progress and follow a straight line from top left to bottom right.

If you take a long time on a control, it shows as a steeper line for that control.

Select your course where it says class and pick your name in the list on the left. You can pick as many other runners as you want, to compare against.