

MY JK!

On the first day (Friday), we got to the university by around 1 o'clock and my start time was at 2:12 so we were there in good time. We sat around for a while until about 1:45 as my dad was starting at 1:56. As it got to 2:12, I started my course and I had a clean run except for number eleven where I went down instead of up, but I found out about that quickly enough. But I guess I wasn't fast enough because I was second. I kept my position throughout the day, and I was awarded a silver medal, but I have to say a bronze medal looks better than a silver medal. Also well done to Erik for a gold medal and Oliver for a silver medal.



Day 2 and I'm raring to go after yesterday. So, at 11:50 I head to the start for a 12:16 start. I get going and after numbers 1 and 2, on the way to number 3 I'm running through a marsh which may as well be a river and just as I think it's over, I realize my number 3 is in another marsh. All the other controls except 9, 10 and the finish were more or less marsh. The good news is that when I finished my course, I was 1st but the bad news is by the end of the day I was 4th

It's the 3rd day and I have to beat Louis Bryant from SYO for a chance to get bronze. Dad makes sure we get to our starts on time, so I'm sat at the start half an hour early. When my start finally comes around, I don't get off to a great start but after number 1 I get serious. I was ahead of Louis at number 3 but that's when it all broke

down. At number 4 I climbed the wrong hill so that took me 8 minutes and at number 5 there was a tree in my way and I ended up on the top of the biggest crag I've ever seen when I noticed it was underneath me, and that took me 5 minutes so after that I was playing catchup. After number 5 it went really well, I even won one of the legs and was second for many of the others, but it wasn't enough and in the end Louis won by 1 minute and 20 seconds so overall I was 4th.

It's relay day and I'm not expecting much as we had an M70 on the light green. I was on the second leg, so Jonas started off and got us into 7th. Then I ran, pushed our way into 5th out of 50 teams on the mixed ADHOC but that was when our M70 went out and we finished in 20th. Those were how my 4 days at the JK went.

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