



Chiltern Challenge 2012

Rules

ENTRY

The competition will be limited to those teams whose , Team Summary sheet*, Adult and Participant Health Forms* and Full Entry Fees have been received by the Registrar by **5pm on Saturday 28th January 2012** . (*all forms can be downloaded from www.chilternchallenge.co.uk).

COMPOSITION OF TEAMS

Chiltern Challenge 2012 is a Hertfordshire Explorer Scout event and is open to members of the Scout Association and Girl Guiding UK from across the UK.

- **CHALLENGE TEAMS:-** Teams must be between 14 to 18 years old, consisting of 5 team members.
- **TRAINING TEAMS:-** Teams must be between 10 to 18 years old, consisting of 5 team members. (Note : Training Teams should be made from one youth section : ie Explorer Scouts or Scouts). Training teams must have an Adult walker who is a full member of the Scout Association or Girl Guiding UK (as appropriate). Training teams do not compete in the main challenge.

SUPPORTERS

Each team must have at least 1 supporter. Units entering 2 or more teams only need to provide one supporter for all their teams (Note: training teams must provide a separate supporter to their adult walker). We ask that Supporters are available to help on bases throughout both the day and night activities as necessary. All supporters must be over 18 years old and a full member of the Scout Association or Girl Guiding UK (as appropriate)

COMPETITION FEES

The fee for a team is £100. Fees include the cost meals for Saturday evening and Sunday morning. Fees must be paid in full with the Form, and reach the Registrar by **5pm on Saturday 28th January 2012**. If fees and all the forms (Team Summary sheet, Adult and Participant Health Forms) are not received 5pm then the team may not be able to attend the event.

PAYMENT

Payments should be made with cheques preferably drawn against Unit or District Accounts bearing two signatures. Receipts will be provided. All cheques are to be made out to **Hertfordshire Scouts**.

CONTACT DETAILS

At least two mobile phone numbers per team must be submitted in the team details. These numbers will only be used if it becomes necessary to contact the teams while off site during the event.

EQUIPMENT & KIT CHECK

All team and personal equipment listed for the night exercise must be carried. Teams will have to complete a kit check before departing for the night exercise. If suitable footwear, waterproofs or Hi Vis are not present then that competitor will not be allowed to compete in the night exercise. Points will be deducted for other missing items. If a team drops below 4 members, it will not be allowed to continue and will be retired from the competition.

USE OF VEHICLES

All Supporters and Walkers are asked not to leave the campsite except with the express permission of the event organisers. This is for safety reasons. We require you to be available during the whole event in case of a Team emergency. If you fail to comply with this rule your team/s may be disqualified. We do not want an unnecessary number of vehicles on the road.

IDENTIFICATION

All registered people attending the competition will be given a wrist band to identify them. Anyone not wearing the wrist band will be challenged and asked to leave the event area. The wrist band will contain emergency contact details and will be colour coded to differentiate between Organisers, Supporter/Walkers and Competitors.