

Chiltern 20 Challenge Hike 2017

21st October 2017



The following information is required by the parent/guardian and the event organisers.

Part 1. To be retained by the parent/guardian.

Your son/daughter has been selected to be a member of a team representing their Scout Group in this year's Chiltern 20 Challenge Hike. This is an annual well established walking event designed for Scouts born after 21st April 2003 and organised by experienced Scout Leaders in Greater London North Scout County. This year will once again have two levels of challenge: a **Junior event** where teams, accompanied by up to two adults, will navigate around a shorter route of about 15km, and a **Senior event** where teams will navigate around a route of approximately 20km. Your Scout Leader will decide if teams have enough experience to walk with or without up to two adults in the Senior event. The event is always based in the Chiltern Hills, and requires use of a map and compass. Teams of between 3-5 participants will navigate to a specified number of checkpoints in order, managed by experienced adults who will check teams and ensure they are able to continue. Teams are encouraged to complete the walk using footpaths although some road walking is inevitable. Checkpoint marshals are positioned at some road crossing points. Each participant will be required to bring and wear a hi-vis jacket (with or without sleeves). The hike will be managed by a team of officials throughout the day. A communications centre monitors the progress of each team to ensure that everybody taking part is accounted for throughout the event. Here are the details:

Date of event:	21st October 2017		
Meet at (location)		Time	am/pm
Collect from (location)		Time	am/pm
Cost	£	Cheques made payable to	Required by
Transport arrangements		Please bring/wear	
Leader		Telephone	
Home Contact		Telephone	
		Mobile	

Part 2 to be kept by your Scout Leader

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Name of Scout		Date of Birth	
Mobile phone number		Scout Troop	
Please state if the named Scout has a disability or condition which might be affected by this activity, e.g. asthma, food allergies etc.			
Please indicate details of any medical treatment the named Scout is having at the moment			

Parent/Guardian approval (delete where appropriate before signing)

I am satisfied for my son/daughter to walk this event as part of an unaccompanied team. As mentioned above there will be several adults in the area to monitor and to keep an eye on personal fitness and safety.

I am satisfied for my son/daughter to walk this event as part of a team accompanied by a fully approved adult member of The Scout Association.

I confirm that any adult walking with my child's team has my consent to make the decision to allow the team to carry on unaccompanied at a checkpoint if everybody from that team is in agreement and the relevant part of the parental consent form has been signed by a parent of each team member.

Name of parent/guardian		Relationship to named Scout	
Telephone No.		Mobile No.	
Signed		Date	

For official use

TEAM NUMBER

PARTICIPANT NUMBER