

2020 Gillingham DofE
ACTIVITY DETAILS FOR PARENTS AND STAFF



1. Activity Planned		Gold PRACTICE		Location	North of Dorchester
		Start Date	Fri 25 Sept (virtual mtg on Teams)	Finish Date	Sun 27 Sept
Special hazards		Traffic, Stoves.			
2. Place/Times	Main Drop Off Place on Sat 26/9 & Sun 27/9	The entrance to the Enterprise Park. 1m S of Piddlehinton on B3143. Use DT2 7UA to help	Main Pick Up Place	Giants Head Campsite http://www.giantshead.co.uk/	
Drop Off time		8.15am	Pick Up Time	7pm Saturday 6pm Sunday	
3. Cost	£20 BACs – (Lloyds - Gillingham DofE OAC) sortcode 30.98.97 a/c 47830260	Please don't forget the fee if not already paid as it's embarrassing to have to chase people. Ask me to check if needs be. If money is a temp problem please say in confidence. Finals fees include monies we have to pay to Assessors.			
4. Destination	Giants Head Campsite http://www.giantshead.co.uk/				
		Site phone Number if possible	As Trish		
		(name) Contact/s on site	EMER ONLY		
5. Contact Number	Trish –		07917212390		
Participants are instructed not to have mobile phones on from the time that they start at the initial team "briefing" to the time that they have been "debriefed". If mobiles are used to contact (or be contacted by) friends/family during this time the whole team will fail their Final Exped. This Award rule is there because using mobiles whilst on Exped is distracting and intrusive, as well as unsafe in undermining the team and centre's emergency procedures, focus and teamwork! Participants are ONLY allowed to use mobiles in a serious, unexpected, & dangerous situation, when contacting the supervisor or even emergency services is imperative.					
6.(Trip) Base Contact	01305 224517				
7. Accompanying adult staff	1. Trish Walker		5. Nigel Christopher		
	2. Deb Mactavish		6.		
	3. Tony Baverstock		7.		
	4. Colin Utting				
8. Clothing and Footwear	Kit List http://www.dofedorset.org/wp-content/uploads/2016/10/Kit-List-from-2019.pdf FULL KIT as if you were on a 2 day, 2 night exped with food for all meals ie 2 breakfast, 2 packed lunches, 2 tea/dinners. Snacks. Please make sure you have a buff or scarf or mask to use when we are discussing things over a map! Do NOT forget "emergency rations" Any problems, contact me on 07917212390				
9. Other items?	You will have tents, stoves, storm shelter, maps and compasses given to you at the start of Day1, so please make sure that you have left enough room in your rucksack to pack your share of the team kit. See Gourmet DofE for food suggestions: http://www.dofedorset.org/wp-content/uploads/2017/04/D-of-E-Gourmet-Meal-Suggestions.pdf				
10. Times when participants will not be directly supervised	We aim to remotely supervise the Practice, but will meet at checkpoints to supply water etc.				
11. Travel	Own steam.		Are Drivers up to date Assessed? Yes		
12. Any other information?	Please make sure that you read the COVID security document found here: http://www.dofedorset.org/wp-content/uploads/2020/07/Covid-Expedition-Security-aas-at-20-July-2020.pdf				
Let us know if on any medication or if there has been a recent injury/illness.					

If there has been any change to the Exped Consent forms recently submitted , especially contact numbers, ensure that we know please.

No U18 participant can take part in an offsite organised activity without the written consent of a person with parental responsibility. Adults (over 18) also need to submit medical detail.