

Challenge Adventure Group Program

January to April 2018



Notes to the program:

This is our best plan for the term at the current time. It may be subject to changes, please make sure to check your email or the website before attending each week for any updates.

The age groups are pretty self-descriptive but for those that don't know:

- Smalls & Non D of E – everyone in years 8 and below and those not training for D of E Expeditions
- Bigs – year 9 and above

Please check the program for what your age group is doing each week before you come to the meeting.

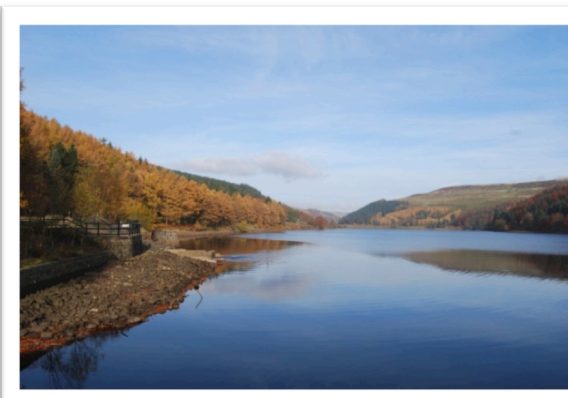
Trips

This term we are running a couple of trips:

- **Expedition Training: January 26th – 28th.** This is essential for ALL D of E participants to take part in. If there are any places after we've counted up the D of E 'rs we will open it up to other members.
- **Ski Trip!! The bi-annual ski trip, this time to Serre Chevalier:** we're pretty sure that we've got everyone that wants to go, but if there is anyone who wants to join in at this late stage please give us a call and we'll see what we can do to get you on board.
- **Paintball, March 17th:** open to all including family and friends.

Events

For the D of E participants most of the term will be spent undertaking expedition training. Everyone (all ages) will get a chance to go to Aquasport in Olton to do an introduction to Scuba diving – this is a one night event. We are also making sure everyone gets a night at Flash climbing.



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Week	Group	Activity								Activity Lead	Activity Staff
		7.00 - 7.15	7.15 - 7.30	7.30 - 7.45	7.45 - 8.00	8.00 - 8.15	8.15 - 8.30	8.30 - 8.45	8.45 - 9.00		
W1) Tuesday, 9th January	Smalls & Non D of E	Welcome & Registration	Game	Intro to Term, Welcome to new members, introduce program for the term, responsibilities to each other, Game				Game	Clear up, go home	Thomas Gardiner	Ment Wilkes
	D of E - Bronze			Setup of Expedition Training plans for term						Knight	Underwood
	D of E - Silver			Setup of program for next award level, completion of registration, completion of program for previous award level, requirements of completing the award and attending CAG							
W2) Tuesday, 16th January	Smalls & Non D of E Group 1	Scuba: Intro SCUBA course at Aqua Sport, Olton – Directions: https://goo.gl/maps/CGkdvsWceiD2								Ackroyd	Thomas
	Smalls & Non D of E Group 2	Climbing: Climbing and Bouldering at Flash Climbing, Solihull – Directions: https://goo.gl/maps/BYZsEshWCLn								Wilkes	Gardiner
	D of E - Bronze	Welcome & Registration	Expedition Training: Introduction & Re-acquaintance to OS Maps			Expedition Training: Stove Safety & Use			Game	Knight Underwood	Ment
D of E - Silver											
W3) Tuesday, 23rd January	Smalls & Non D of E	Welcome & Registration	Jam Tart Challenge & Game	Andy & Jerome's Wild Night				Clear up, go home	Ment Gardiner	Wilkes	
	D of E - Bronze			Expedition Training: Navigating using maps			Equipment Issue for trip		Thomas		
	D of E - Silver & Gold			Scuba: Intro SCUBA course at Acqua Sport, Olton							

Wednesday Jan 24th	Ski Trip Members	Information evening for all Ski Trip participants - parents encouraged to attend with members					Billingham & Underwood	
26th - 28th January	All	Expedition Training: Initial Expedition Training Exercise, Kinver Worcestershire A practice overnight hike to get used to D of E requirements for ALL Bronze, Silver & Gold available D of E participants and any non D of E participants who want to participate. D of E participants are REQUIRED to take part in this event.					Ackroyd	Knight Ment Underwood Billingham Thomas
W4) Tuesday, 30th January	Smalls & Non D of E Group 1	Climbing: Climbing and Bouldering at Flash Climbing, Solihull – Directions: https://goo.gl/maps/BYZsEshWCLn					Knight	Underwood
	Smalls & Non D of E Group 2	Scuba: Intro SCUBA course at Aqua Sport, Olton – Directions: https://goo.gl/maps/CGkdvsWceiD2					Wilkes	Gardiner
	D of E - Bronze D of E - Silver & Gold	Welcome & Registration	Expedition Training: Training Event Debrief	Expedition Training: Menu Planning		Game	Chef Ackroyd	Thomas Ment
W5) Tuesday, 6th February	Smalls & Non D of E	Welcome & Registration	Chocolate Cake Challenge & Game	First Aid: Basic first aid training	Wilkes Games	Clear up, go home	Wilkes	Ment Gardiner
	D of E - Bronze D of E - Silver & Gold			Expedition Training: First Aid	Expedition Training: Hazards and Risk Assessment		Knight	Thomas Underwood
W6) Tuesday, 13th February	Smalls & Non D of E	Welcome & Registration	Swiss Rolls Challenge & Game	Team Challenge: The Early Early Pancake night - on outdoor fires Create an award winning pancake from scratch!! Prize is an Award Winning Pancake cooked by an award winning chef!		Clear up, go home	Gardiner	Wilkes Ment
	D of E - Bronze D of E - Silver & Gold			Expedition Training: Route Planning for practice & assessment weekend expedition.			Knight	Thomas Ackroyd Underwood
				This is the start of the planning and will be completed out of CAG activities.				

16th - 25th February		All					SKI TRIP!!!!!! 6 days of skiing in Serre Chevalier, France. The best ski trip ever!!			Underwood Billingham	Ackroyd Knight Knight Ment Thomas
W7) Tuesday, 27th February	Smalls & Non D of E	Swimming @ Archbishop Ilsley School							Thomas	Gardiner	
	D of E - Bronze	Scuba: Intro SCUBA course at Aqua Sport, Olton – Directions: https://goo.gl/maps/CGkdvsWceiD2							Ment	Wilkes	
	D of E - Silver & Gold	Welcome & Registration	Expedition Training: Practice & Assessment Expedition Route Planning				Game	Knight	Underwood		
W8) Tuesday, 6th March	Smalls & Non D of E	Welcome & Registration	Treacle Tart Challenge & Game	Game	Barston To Knowle: Night Walk Planning		Game	Clear up, go home	Knight	Underwood Gardiner Ment	
	D of E - Bronze			Expedition Training: Backpack packing		Expedition Training: Emergency Procedures			Thomas	Ackroyd	
	D of E - Silver & Gold										
W9) Tuesday, 13th March	Smalls & Non D of E	Barston To Knowle: 1st to Knowle, meet at St Swithins Church, Barston							Knight	Underwood Gardiner Ment	
	D of E - Bronze	Welcome & Registration	Cheesecake Challenge & Game	Expedition Training: Aim of the Expedition: a project to do while on the expedition.		Expedition Training: Country Code & Ensuring Success		Clear up, go home	Thomas		
	D of E - Silver & Gold										
March 17th	All	Paintball Day!! Available to ALL members and friends & family members - come and join in a young gunz day at Earlswood - previous term winners will get a half price day.							Thomas		

W10) Tuesday 20th March	Smalls & Non D of E	Welcome & Registration	Chocolate Brownie Challenge & Game		Clear up, go home	Underwood	Knight Gardiner	
	D of E - Bronze	Climbing: Climbing and Bouldering at Flash Climbing, Solihull – Directions: https://goo.gl/maps/BYZsEshWCLn					Ment	Thomas Ackroyd
	D of E - Silver & Gold							
W11) Tuesday, 27th March	Smalls & Non D of E	Welcome & Registration	Team Challenge: Step to the Beep	Andys Wide Game Make sure to bring equipment that will be listed for you the week before		Clear up, go home	Gardiner	Thomas Ackroyd
	D of E - Bronze			D of E: Catch Up & Review, Planning for next term.	Underwood		Knight Ment	
	D of E - Silver & Gold							
March 30th - April 2nd	Gold D Of E Practice: REQUIRED practice for the Gold D of E participants.					Knight	Thomas Billingham Underwood Ackroyd	