

Final Details - Brimham Night Event 19Nov2022

DIRECTIONS: Please follow Brown tourist attraction signs to BRIMHAM ROCKS. These are posted from B6165 Ripley to Pateley Bridge road and from B6265 Ripon to Pateley Bridge road. If approaching from Grassington direction be aware the B6265 is closed approaching Pateley Bridge and at Fellbeck.

Postcode HG3 4DW

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National grid SE209644

PARKING: We will be using the National Trust (NT) Pay and Display Car Park and **cars will be charged £6 for 4 hours, payment by coins only.** NT Members can scan their membership card and park for no fee (if there is a queue at the meter please just display your membership card). Please share transport if possible.

Take care entering the car park as runners going to the start will use the same road.

TOILETS: Please use public toilets in Ripon or Dacre Banks before arriving. There will be one open toilet 400m from the carpark down the main track, if you must use it please focus on getting there and back quickly and not on the surrounding orienteering terrain.

START: Start times 5-6pm. the start is about 200m from the car park - take care as route goes out of car park by main entrance against incoming traffic.

There are separate courses for the Army and the YHOA competition - make sure that you pick up the right map.

FINISH: Within car park.

MAP AND TERRAIN: 1:4000. A4 waterproof paper. Descriptions loose and on the map.

There are many huge crags and all mapped crags should be considered impassable, whether shown with the standard (thinner) or impassable (thicker) crag symbol. The standard crag symbol has been used to allow detail of crags between 1 and 4m high to be shown. The impassable crag symbol has been used for crags even higher, some significantly so!

Vegetation includes runnable woodland and semi-wooded areas, rough open moorland (still quite runnable) and grassed areas between rocks. Vegetation is dying back and is unlikely to greatly impede progress. Courses are planned to avoid undergrowth.

SAFETY:

The organiser will do a thorough risk assessment prior to the event but competitors take part at their own risk and are responsible for their own safety.

In the unlikely event of **extreme bad weather** a cancellation notice will be posted on the Claro website.

Brimham is an exposed hill top - you should dress accordingly and must carry a **whistle and waterproof**. We strongly recommend carrying a **spare torch**.

If you have any **medical condition** that rescuers or medics might need to know about please leave written details at download. These can be collected or will be destroyed immediately after the event.

If **travelling alone** please leave your keys at the download tent.

Courses close at 7.30 - return even if you have not finished. Report to the download even if you do not complete your course.

Beware **large crags** - courses are planned to avoid them - please also plan your routes to avoid them. Be very careful if not sure where you are.

Fences and walls - do not cross even if they are marked as crossable.

Courses on Brimham Rocks: YHOA Long and Medium; Army Blue men and Green Women & Vets:

Safety bearing south until reach road or car park.

Courses on Adams Ale: YHOA Short and Novice; Army Green Men and U25:

Only **cross walls at gates** - leave the gate as you found it. Gates on the main path will be left slightly ajar.

Near the **pond and marshes** stay on the paths.

Safety bearing north east until you reach the track to the car park.