

St Ann's Hospice Yorkshire Three Peaks Challenge Terms & Conditions

These are the terms and conditions of St Ann's Hospice (SAH). The event will be led by Lost Earth Adventures (LEA), and all participants must comply with both SAH's terms and conditions and the directions of LEA. Participants are required to sign the disclaimer during registration.

Entry & Fees

- The registration fee is £30 per participant and is non-refundable.
- Once accepted, your place cannot be transferred to any other person. If you cannot attend the challenge, you must inform SAH as soon as possible.
- Minimum age for participants is 10 years old. Participants under 18 must be accompanied at all times by a responsible parent or guardian.
- Participants with health conditions or impairments are to contact SAH prior to registering as the route may not be suitable for everyone. If a participant requires assistance from another person, the assistant must also register as a participant.
- Dogs are welcome on the challenge but must be kept on a lead at all times to ensure the safety of other participants, livestock, and wildlife.
- The Yorkshire 3 Peaks Challenge is not a race. No participants are allowed to run or jog, and no one may leave the group while continuing to participate in the event.
- By registering, you agree to follow the directions of LEA and abide by the rules and conditions of the challenge, including refraining from consuming alcohol during the event.
- You must arrive adequately prepared for a day spent outdoors. A kit list will be issued for your chosen course. If you or any members of your group are insufficiently prepared, LEA may refuse to take you, and no refunds will be given.

Sponsorship

- By registering, you commit to aiming to raise a minimum sponsorship of £250 for SAH. You may top up your sponsorship with your own money if you wish.
- You must not use any of the sponsorship money raised in relation to the challenge to cover your personal expenses. Failure to pass all sponsorship funds to SAH may constitute a criminal offence.
- Please make cheques payable to SAH and ensure the name(s) of participants are written on the back. Please do not send cash through the post.

Emergency Contacts

- You must provide an emergency contact name and telephone number for someone who will be available on the day of the event. This contact should not be another participant in the challenge.

Liability

- All participants take part at their own risk. SAH and LEA accept no liability for any injuries, loss, or damages, including indirect, punitive, special, incidental, or consequential losses connected with any aspect of this challenge.
- LEA take every precaution to ensure the safety of all participants. However, by undertaking a challenge organised by LEA, you are assuming the risk of any injury, including death. SAH, LEA and/or their employees, agents, subcontractors, and suppliers cannot be held responsible for any injury caused to you, or by you to others, resulting from your failure to follow an instruction(s) or recommendation(s).

- You agree to abide by the authority of the tour leader, who represents LEA. The decision of the tour leader as to the conduct, itinerary, and objectives of the tour is final. If, in the opinion of the tour leader, your behaviour or physical condition is putting the wellbeing of other people at risk, or if the tour leader considers your general wellbeing to be at risk by continuing the tour, you may be asked to leave the tour without the right to any refund for unused services.

Weather

- If the weather makes it unsafe to do the activity, LEA will offer a replacement activity. However, under no circumstances will money be refunded due to bad weather, and you will not be able to reschedule the activity.
- The reason for this is that LEA still have to pay instructors and their fuel for the day plus all the administrative costs before the day takes place.
- The weather in the UK changes a lot and we cannot control it, so we need to see what's happening on the day and make a judgement. LEA will always provide something fun for you to do.
- Where and what LEA take you to do will depend on what qualifications the instructor has that is with you. LEA always have your best interest at heart and will always try to do the best in any situation.

Photos and Marketing

- Professional photographers may be present during the event. If you do not wish to appear in photographs or on film, you must inform the photographers on the day. Photos and footage from the event may be used in future SAH and LEA publications, online platforms, communications and media to promote future challenges and other activities.

Your Valuables

- We recommend that you do not bring valuables with you on the challenge. If you ask one of our staff members to carry or store valuables, you do so at your own risk. LEA and SAH are not responsible for any items lost or stolen during the event.

Emergency Procedures

- In the unlikely event of an emergency, LEA will take all necessary steps to ensure participant safety. In the case that your instructor is incapacitated, you must raise the alarm and await assistance.

Health and Fitness

- It is imperative that you advise SAH and LEA at the time of booking of any condition, medical or otherwise, that might affect you or others' enjoyment or safety during the event. Your booking is accepted on the understanding that you and all members of your party are fit to join the challenge.