



BUDMOUTH COMBINED CADET FORCE

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Ten Tors Event 2023 Information Letter - Friday 28th to Sunday 30th April 2023

Dear Ten Tors Team Member, Parent and Carers

After reviewing your performance, excellent team skills, fitness and positive attitude during the Ten Tors Training programme, we have decided that your performance makes you an ideal candidate to be a member of the Budmouth CCF Ten Tors Teams in 2023. Well done! It is an excellent achievement and you should be very proud. We would like you to work together and support your team leader and contribute in any way to get the complete team of 6 through to the finish.

All food will be provided for the weekend, except for snacks and lunches whilst walking on Saturday and Sunday. You will also receive a Budmouth Ten Tors T-shirt. I really hope that you are looking forward to experiencing the Ten Tors 2023 challenge.

Congratulations again and good luck in your final planning for the event. Please remember that you need to bring your kit in on Wednesday 26th April for a FULL kit inspection at 3.00pm in the Hub Gallery outside F02. Your rucksack will then go onto the van in readiness to go to Dartmoor with the support team early on Thursday 27th. Your food can be brought in with you on Friday 28th. We will be leaving Budmouth at 8.00am sharp!

Parents and Carers

This will be an amazing weekend to see the hard work and effort that all the students have put into their training. Therefore, we really hope that you will be able to join us from 9.00am on Sunday 30th April to celebrate the arrival of the Budmouth Teams at the finish line. We will not know the exact arrival time but it will be between 9.00am and 5.00pm; hopefully no later. You will be able to track the team's progress using the Ten Tors website over the weekend - <https://www.tentors.org.uk>. Once the base team has set up camp we will send out the location using the what3words system. Students can send out this information to you on Friday. We will also set up a parents Whatsapp group on Thursday, this will be active for two weeks, so information and photos from the weekend can be shared with the group. If you would like to be added to this group please email me with your mobile number.

You will need to purchase a car park pass if you are coming to Okehampton Camp. This is the information from the Ten Tors website: Weekend car passes can now be purchased online, in advance, and are valid for the whole Ten Tors Event or single days. The cost is £8.00 (£10.00 if purchased on the day) or £5 per single day.. Please follow this link: <https://www.tentors.org.uk/admin/parking>. Once paid, you will receive a pass via email which can either be printed off or shown from a smartphone/device on arrival at Okehampton Camp.

Once back at Okehampton teams may have to go through scrutineering and then go to the medal presentation area. We can celebrate once the teams have been signed back over to Budmouth staff. There will be an opportunity to get medals engraved, so please bring some money with you for this, if you choose. If your son/daughter is planning to travel home with family it is vital that you advise me before leaving so that I know who needs to travel back on Budmouth Transport.

Please complete the Ten Tors 2023 Event Parental Permission Form, by 3.00pm on Wednesday 26th April, at the latest! The permission form can be found on Budmouth Academy's website.

The charge for the event weekend will be £25.00. This is to cover the cost of insurance, all meals, stove fuel and administration charges. If there are any issues with your child being able to attend this event, or if you have any questions, then please email me stemple@budmouth-aspirations.org. The emergency contact number during the weekend to contact us is 07395 320125.

Yours sincerely

Samantha Temple - Budmouth Ten Tors Team Manager

