



# Pre-Race Information

## Sun 14th Oct 2018

Within this program we aim to give you all the information you need to know to have a fun and organised race.

Please have a good read and if you still have any questions please email us on [info@offbeat-events.com](mailto:info@offbeat-events.com)

### Refunds, Deferrals and Transfers

We are too close to race day for a deferral or a refund. You can transfer your entry to another competitor free of charge. It is your responsibility to find someone to replace you if you wish to use the transfer option. The closing date for free transfers is Tues 9<sup>th</sup> October 2018. Please contact us via email [info@offbeat-events.com](mailto:info@offbeat-events.com) to request a transfer. Terms and conditions of entry can be found on the event page and [HERE](#).

### Location

Driving to Thruxton Circuit

SAT NAV USERS - USE POSTCODE [SP11 8PN](#) (click postcode for directions)

Thruxton is readily accessible from both the M3 and M4. Once on the A303 follow the signs for Thruxton Circuit ONLY; ignore signs for Thruxton village. Upon leaving the A303 follow signs for Thruxton Circuit.

### Parking

There is plenty of free parking in the race paddock behind the pits. Follow the parking signs directing you through the tunnel under the race circuit. Marshalls will indicate where to park.

### Airport

Thruxton Race Circuit has an airport in the middle of the circuit. Please do not walk on or around the runways or buildings that are not part of the event hub. If you decide to pull out of the run please walk back around the circuit. Dogs on leads at all times. here is plenty of free parking in the race paddock behind the pits. Follow the parking signs directing you through the tunnel under the race circuit. Marshalls will indicate where to park.

## TIMETABLE

### Friday 5<sup>th</sup> October 2017

- Race packs are sent out to registered addresses.
- If you have moved since registering, please inform us before Thurs 4<sup>th</sup> Oct 2017 (there is a £5 charge to replace a race number)
- If you have not received your pack by **Weds 10<sup>th</sup> Oct 2017**, please contact us at [info@offbeat-events.com](mailto:info@offbeat-events.com)
- If you entered after Fri 5<sup>th</sup> Oct 2018, your race pack is available for collection from Race HQ on the day of the race.

### Race Day – Sunday 14th October 2018

08:00am	Race Registration opens
08:45am	Registration closes
08:50am	Race Brief - Both Distances
09:00am	Race start

### Cut Off Time

From 11am any competitors that have not crossed the start line to begin another lap will be directed to the finish line.

### Registration

- Open from 08.00am until 08:45am

There is no need to register on race day for runners that have already entered online and have received their race number through the post. If you have entered after Thursday 4th October 2017, you will need to pick up your race number from registration.

### Please Note:

Don't forget your race number! There is a £5 charge to replace your race number as this year your timing chip and race number are integrated.

### Race Number

Your race number will be posted out to you the week before the race. This year our timing company (Emit Timing) will be using [Chronotrack](#) to time the event. Your number and timing chip are combined. Numbers must be worn on the front of your vest and not obscured in any way or reduced in size.

### **Please Note:**

Be careful whilst putting safety pins through your race number. Make sure you do not pierce the timing chip on the reverse side of the race number.

### **Assembly and Start**

Give yourself time to walk to the start line. Please allow the faster runners to take their places at the front of the line-up. Over-optimism at this stage offers no advantage but results in congestion. Both the start and finish are chip timed so an accurate time is taken regardless of how long it takes to cross the start line.

### **Changing Facilities**

There are toilets opposite the car park which are large enough for a limited amount of competitors to change in. We recommend you come dressed to race.

### **Toilets**

Toilet facilities are available between the car park and race track.

### **Bag Drop**

There is not a bag drop. The car park is just 50 metres away from the start and finish area. Please use the free key drop (see below).

### **Key Drop**

We operate a free key drop. Your keys will be placed in a sealed envelope with your race number on the front. You will be allocated a wristband at the key drop desk. Only the wearer of the wristband will be able to collect the envelope from race registration at the finish. If you lose your wristband, you will have to wait until all keys have been handed out.

### **Water Stations**

- There will be a water station trackside.
- There is also bottled water available at the finish.

### **Race Withdrawal**

If you withdraw from the race at any point please inform a finish line official.

### **Medical Advice**

Please write any medical details on the back of your race number. If you feel unwell or pick up an injury. Please come and see the first aid team which will be situated by the finish area.

## Trophy Presentation & Results

First Three Men	First Three Women
First Man Under 20	First Women Under 20
First Man 20-29	First Women 20-29
First Man 30-39	First Women 30-39
First Man 40-49	First Women 40-49
First Man 50-59	First Women 50-59
First Man Over 60	First Women over 60
First Man Over 70	First Women over 70
First Man Over 80	First Women over 80

First Team - (top 3 team finishers, on combined time)  
(All age group results are taken from age on 14th Oct 2018)

### **Please Note:**

The top 3 male and female finisher's move out of their respective age group category. This is something we have done for the past 20 years as it allows trophies to be distributed amongst a wider field of competitors.

## **Presentation**

Presentation will take place once we have all age group winners across the finish line. An estimated time for presentation is 11:30am for the 10km. There is a charge of £5 for age group trophies and £8 for 1<sup>st</sup> to 3<sup>rd</sup> to cover postage and packing of your award if you are unable to stay on.

## **Results**

A full set of provisional results will be available during the race at the results tent located at the finish line. Click [HERE](#) to follow the live results. A provisional set of results will be posted on the Offbeat website by late afternoon on the day of the race. Competitors will have 48 hrs to make any queries before a final set is published.

Please check the [Offbeat website](#) for links to the results. These are usually in place by 6pm on the evening of the race.

And lastly .....

*Have a great race!*