

Outlaw Triathlon – Sunday 29 July 2018

On Sunday 29 July, we will be organising the Outlaw Triathlon, which will pass through your parish during the cycle section. The event will see over 1000 competitors taking up the challenge of a 2.4 mile Swim, followed by a 112 mile Cycle before finishing with a 26.2 mile Run for the full event.

May we take the opportunity to thank everyone for the support shown to the athletes at our previous events, and we hope to see people from the local community once again supporting the athletes in these mammoth challenges. Over the past 9 years, we have raised over £1.5 million pounds for Cancer Research UK, not to mention all of the other local charities that have also benefitted from their association with the Outlaw Triathlon.

The event will be based at the National Water Sports Centre (Holme Pierrepont) Nottingham, with the swim and run sections taking place in the lake and along the riverside path respectively. The cycle section will travel through the beautiful Nottinghamshire Countryside, using routes that will pass along the A52, through Radcliffe on Trent.

The cyclists will then head over the A46, completing an eastern loop around Car Colston, Hawksworth, Shelton, Elston, Farndon, Hawton; and then heading north to Lowdham, Oxton, Southwell, Kirklington, Farnsfield before returning via Lowdham to repeat the eastern loop, and then returning to the National Water Sports Centre for the Outlaw Triathlon run section.

We have been working closely with Nottinghamshire County Council Highways department for over 12 months, to ensure that we achieve a balance between providing a safe route for the athletes, and making sure that the impact on other road users is kept to a minimum. Over 9,000 advance warning letters are being directly hand delivered to residents and businesses along the route. Copies of the confirmed routes are attached, for information. We would like to work closely with you to ensure that everyone understands the routes, where roads are closed and what will be the easiest diversion on the day.

Should you have any questions regarding the cycle route or indeed the event as a whole, please do not hesitate to get in touch with me. For further information, please call me on 01522 699950 or email me via <u>iain@osbevents.com</u>

Finally, could I please encourage you to support the athletes taking part; these are massive challenges and they will undoubtedly be grateful of your support on the day.

Yours Sincerely

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