

ROTTINGEAN AND SALTDEAN LIONS CLUB

(Registered charity no 1001889)

DEANS CHARITY CHALLENGE 2015

Sponsored by King & Chasemore estate agents

GENERAL CONDITIONS

The *DEANS CHARITY CHALLENGE* is open to individuals, families, clubs, businesses, charities, schools, youth organisations, public houses, etc. It will start and finish at Saltdean Oval Park on **Sunday 17 May 2015** commencing at 10.00am. Runners will start first, followed by walkers.

Entrants should submit an entry form by Sunday 3 May 2015 to Lion Ian Christie, 2 Eileen Avenue, Saltdean, Brighton, BN2 8AD stating on the form whether you will run or walk and which of the 9 or 5.5 mile (14.5 or 8.9 kms) routes you will take. A cheque for the £15 minimum sponsorship, payable to "Rottingdean & Saltdean Lions Club", should be sent with the form to assist with our expenses before the event.

Entrants are responsible for obtaining sponsorship on the basis of completing their chosen route. They may retain up to 50% of sponsorship money raised for their own charities or purposes, but at least 50% must be donated to the Lions. The Lions ask that participants donate a minimum sponsorship sum to the club of £15. *After expenses, the major portion of the Lions' share of the monies will be donated to Autism Sussex.*

Children under 14 (and dogs on leads) are welcome if accompanied by an adult, and we do not ask them for a minimum sponsorship, although if they can raise any it would be most welcome.

Please encourage your sponsors to place a tick in the "GIFT AID" column of the sponsorship form to signify they would like the Lions to reclaim the 25% of tax on the amount donated. This is only permitted if the donor is a UK taxpayer and pays an amount of income and/or capital gains tax at least equal to the amount donated.

Entrants must register at the Lions desk in the park at 09.00 am, and hand in their completed sponsorship forms. Numbers will be allocated to and should worn by all participants.

A maximum time of 4 hours will be allowed for completion of both courses. At the end of that time, marshals will sweep the courses, remove all markers and close the finishing point.

Free water will be provided at two checkpoints on each course. There will be a Lions bar and barbecue in the park to provide refreshment for participants and supporters.

Entrants must report back to the Lions desk on completion of the course. Completion will be recorded on the sponsorship forms, which will be handed back to enable collection of the money pledged by sponsors. Timings will be recorded and notified to all participants and completion certificates issued.

Sponsorship money, unless handed in at the event, must be passed to Lion Ian Christie at the address above as soon as practicable afterwards. All cheques should be payable to "Rottingdean & Saltdean Lions Club".

Rottingdean & Saltdean Lions Club reserves the right to make alterations to the above as may be considered necessary for the efficient organisation of the event, and will not accept responsibility for injury to participants and / or spectators, damage to their property and any consequential loss: loss of or damage to property caused by participants and/or spectators will be the responsibility of that individual.

Entrants must: a) comply with the provisions of the Highway Code on the public highway, and the Countryside Code, close field gates, not drop litter, and keep dogs under effective control; and b) be aware that the terrain on the downs can be rough with slippery surfaces and roots which can be a potential trip hazard, and that appropriate footwear must be worn.