

32nd Punchbowl Marathon - Year 2000

EMERGENCY PHONE No. 01428 685463

Starts 8am - 8.30am walkers, 8.30am - 9am joggers, 9.30am- 10am runners.

Checkpoints will not open early if you are on the wrong start!

If you do get to CP 2 early, wait outside QUIETLY till it opens (Church service)

Abbreviations

L - Left R - Right T - Turn F - Fork B - Bear Thus eg TL = Turn Left, FR = Fork Right
FP - Footpath BW - Bridleway Rd - Road M - Miles m - metres X - Cross
Strt - Straight Ahd - Ahead Jnc - junction Opp - opposite bet - between imm - immediately
GW - Greensand Way HR - Haslemere Round ROW - Right of Way KG Kissing Gate

Note - All bearings are Magnetic ones!

From hall, head L X playing field to far L corner, where L & in 40m, TL on path by tree posts over stream, under railway. Follow path to rd, where strt X, on FP to R of golf course (FP sign). Later, keep to path thru wood, over stile, over Xing path and join track coming in from R. Then at T jnc, by stream & posts, TL, over sleeper bridge & follow muddy BW (soon veering R) to emerge on Rd by Merry Harriers PH. GR 967392

1.4M. X Rd, R 20m, then TL thru KG by FP sign. Follow path to lane, where uphill, past Hambledon church. Keep by wall on L, thru KG - **please fasten all these!**- X field, 2nd KG, 2nd field & 3rd KG, & in 20m, follow stony track R. Then, just past brick building on R, at X tracks, L uphill. In 300m, over Xpaths and at top of hill (Hydon's Ball), FR to stone seat commemorating Octavia Hill, the NT founder. Pass to L of seat and follow L of 2 paths going downhill (30°). Path levels out, becomes wider, joins track coming in from R. Continue and past car park to Rd. GR 979403

2.8M TR & in 50m, TL thru squeeze stile & TR on wide track. This goes down, bends L past signpost on R and in 50m, FR uphill. Path bends R, ignore side paths and follow sunken path uphill between trees to farm lane. Ahd on lane & then TR on rd to rd. X & R across car park & at 2 FP signs, take L FP on path thru Winkworth Arboretum. **Pass NT Kiosk - Show Punchbowl check card to kiosk, please, to avoid paying. (If you are a NT Member, show NT Card to help the arboretum). Keep to PF & follow yellow waymarks, when seen.** Pass toilets. At path jnc, take middle path downhill (50°), reach Fiona Adams steps sign, L of this, down steps. At bottom, TR by R edge of meadow. At T Jnc, R & in 40m, L on track, passing lake on R. At end lake, TL on track & 30m before gate, R X grass & over stile to rd. GR 997412

4.5M TL on rd 450m, then TL up tarmac drive (FP sign) & in 25m, TR by hidden path on L side wooden shed, to go over stile in 20m to field. By R side field, stile, 2nd field, 2 stiles & in few m, R over stile and by short track to rd. R & in 50m, at T jnc, L. In 70m, TR up track (FP sign). Up gully, over 2 stiles & by L edge field to fence. Admire views. Over stile, on path with fence on L then holly hedge, over 2nd stile, then on path to fence. Leave wood by metal gate and ahd on path X middle field. Leave field by metal gate. GR 010423

5.8M Imm R on BW. After 600m, R over broken stile (FP sign & GW) & up stony track (220°) & follow as it turns L to become concrete track. On this for 60m, then FR at GW post to pass to R of fence corner & on to top L corner field to come to another gravel track. L 20 m, then TR down slope to reach a gravel track again. R on this, soon becoming stony then grassy. Keep to 150° & as track bears R uphill, keep strt on thru wood on FP. Reach lane GR008405

6.9M R 40m, TL at BW sign (GW) up gritty track. In 200m, at GW post, R with track. In further 150m, at post, L & in 300m, at X tracks, strt on (150°). In 450m, track goes bet fields & in 150m, at end field, ignore stile on L & in 10m, sharp L at T jnc. In 200m, FR, continue over Nore summit & in 350m, join track from L.

R on this & in 300m, reach Xing track, where L. Near bottom, just past tennis courts on R, R on FP (sign). After 300m, thru gate to keep wire fence on L. In 350m, over stile & on faint path (230°). Veer slightly L & over stile, into farmyard & to drive. TL down this & in 200m, at T jnc, over stile ahd. Go to R (210°) of enclosed trees, then BL, keeping ditch and water on L till stone bridge on L, then BR (170°) to exit by stile onto rd. **X Rd Very Carefully GR008378**

9.5M X stile & ahd to R of lone tree (180°), X stile 50m to L of farm buildings, farm lane, 2nd stile, X field to stile & rd. TR & after bend, at KGV sign, R on minor rd to houses (at Dunsfold Green), where R on track to **KGV Playing fields and CP1 at 10.1M (open 10.15am - 12.45pm) GR 006369**

10.1M Return to minor rd & TR for 300m then L to use path by houses on R. Continue with gardens and houses on R, Xing minor Rd, till just past Sun PH, TR on tarmac track, soon joining Mill Lane from L. R on this, soon becoming track till reach gravel track by house (mill). TR 15m, over bridge, then TL by stone wall, thru gate and by R of stream to Holy Well. R up track, past church & at top, TL, thru farm, keeping dung mounds on L, R X field to stile. Ahd, keeping hedge on L & at corner, TR with fence on L to stile where TL on farm lane. Just before large house, TL on track (Duns) for 20m, then TR over stile, down field to stile and lane again. TR on lane, thru Dunsley farm, then TR on BW & keep hedge on R. Ignore FP to R at bend. At corner, TR over bridge, X field (270°). At far side, TL with hedge on R. Thru metal gate, on track thru farm, thru 2 metal gates, X field & thru metal gate to rd. GR981367

12.5M TL on rd for 40m, then TR on FP (sign), soon over 3 stiles, then along narrow field, later following poles to exit by stile & ahd on farm track, soon tarmac, past house. At path Xing, TR on BW. Continue till over stream bridge, when L on BW to come out on A283 at Winterton Arms PH. GR 964364

13.9M X Rd **Carefully**, R 20m, L over stile, on clear woodland path, X stile & stream bridge & follow path in wide glade for 500m, then after sharp L bend & 30m before metal gate, TR over stile to X wet field diagonally to enter wood. Keep mesh fence on L, to come out on corner Rd. TR on main Rd (250°), to come to T jnc. Strt X, over stile (FP sign), follow path near R edge field, over 2 stiles, by L of next field, exit by 2 stiles, then TR along top of field for 150m, then at hedge corner, diag R (290°) X corner field to stile. In 30m thru KG, by side hedge & at end house, TR for 30m to reach metal track. Strt X, over stile, follow path in same direction X field, then TL following trees on R of field & X stile to Rd. GR 944356 (Bus to Witley)

15.5M TR 100m, L by remains KG (FP sign) on path thru strip wood, ignore stile on R, to leave by KG. Over electric fence, then ahd (240°) X field, X stile, X sunken track, X stile & then ahd over next field. Leave by metal gate, X short stretch field, at hedge corner X stile, & ahd with hedge on L. X stile, ahd for few m, X farm drive, X low stile, X corner field, X stile by small greenhouse to reach Rd. TL & in 250m past High Prestwick farm on bend. At Damson Cottage, next door, BL over stile in hedge (FP sign) & on narrow FP with wire fence on R. Quickly X stile, path soon gets wider with hedge on L - good views Gibbet area on R - X stile, ahd, thru 2 metal gates then downhill, keeping fence on R. At bottom, over stile on R, follow trees on L, X stile on L, over rough track & on path opp with fence on R. Carry on thru metal gate to reach rough lane where TR to reach Rd. X Rd & ahd on Rd opp. (Lower Rd). Just past village school & playground on R, TR X green to reach **CP2 at Grayswood village hall 17.7M Open 12 - 2.30GR 917347**

WAIT QUIETLY IF YOU ARE TOO EARLY! (Bus to Witley)

17.7M Go back L X green & past playground X Rd, take little lane to L of antique shop (FP sign), soon path to reach Rd by Wheatsheaf. X Rd & down small rd opp. (FP sign) In 100m, at private sign, BR over broken stile - **BEWARE IRON SPIKE IN GROUND** - & on narrow path. Down often muddy section, X stream, up path in wood, over sleeper stile on L, up & X railway -**CARE** - thru tall KG, up & BL thru woodland, X small field then opp private gate on your R, L on muddy track, X stream, ahd up thru strip wood, then X stile, up sunken track & at top, where bank ends at post, L following track X grass (map path diverted). Path bends slightly R then L & by gate join BW. L & thru wicket gate. Follow narrow path, at fork BR (ahd). In 50m ignore path thru gap on R. In further 50m, R (290°) soon bet holly and laurels to reach waymark post. R 20m to reach wide track where TL & follow track R & L to reach Rd. GR 903346

19M At Rd, TR & at Ockenden Venture, carry on BW uphill on earth track with beech trees on L. In 200m at NT Inval sign, TL on wide path (300°) After 150m, X path & BR on main track downhill. In 400m join track from L, in 50m FL (340°). After 100m ignore R path. 100m uphill after valley bottom, FR, after 200m uphill & follow main path R to reach major path jnc. TL at post thru horse barrier (300°) uphill & in 150m reach OS pillar on Gibbett Hill **GR 900359. L 100m to Car Park & CP3 (Numbers Only). 12.30 - 4pm.**
You may shorten route to 25 miles here - route descriptions from CP3.

19.9M Return to Celtic Cross, pass this to go down steps to wide track. TR. & in 700m at large concrete cube, L down side track to A3. X - **VERY CAREFULLY** - TR & in 20m at YH sign, TL on tarmac track. After 450m at YH sign, FR off tarmac track. After 100m ignore more YH signs & BR on track. X cattle grid & after 1km, after L bend & by fencing & gates, FL (30°) & in 800m reach Rd. GR 897385

22M TR on Rd (30°) then in 300m, road bends R. In 20m, TL (GW) on enclosed path, later along L edge field, X stiles, on enclosed path, TR into narrow wood & ahd & on lane to pass Smallbrook & on to Rd. TR & in 100m, FR on path at PF sign (90°). Rejoin Rd at cricket pitch. TR on Rd, X to walk on pavement, then in 200m at phone kiosk, TL on track (PB sign). In 30m, BR & imm TL on BW (HR 350°), in 50m X grassy track & in further 200m, diagonally X wide sandy track. In 500m, X sandy track & ahd (HR 330°), with field on L. In 100m continue on main track R, then 30m before Rd, do hairpin R on BW (100°) to enter Thursley Nature reserve. GR 897406

23.9M 60m past sign, TL on wide BW at BW post (360°). After 900m, pass nature reserve board, in 70m FL & at Defence warning sign, TR 40m. TL on faint wet path towards BW post about 100m away, then continue with thin line of woodland for 200m to return to heath where follow electricity poles N. After 200m, ignore track L. Continue on main track & in 200m, where wide track diverges R, continue on narrow track. In 70m, X track, then follow R track (60°) soon going over little plank bridge. Join track from R, TL on this past wooden post barrier, to reach lane, where TL (340°). Soon becomes residential. Continue to main Rd where TR & in 450m, TL into **CP3 at Elstead village hall 25.7M open 1 - 4.45pm GR 905435**

25.7M TL from hall, TR at Staceys Farm Rd & imm BL on a FP (sign) bet wooden fence and stone wall. X stile, along L edge field, X 2nd stile, TL 5m, then X track, ahd (150°) on enclosed path, by R side field for 3 fields & at end 3rd field, 50m in from R edge, X stile, by R edge next field, to exit by stile ahd to Ockley common. Imm over X track and in 50m over 2nd track. In 300m, track joins from R & in 150m over X track. In further 150m reach multi-track junction, where R on main track (180°). Continue for 1km (S) till at waymark post on L, where BL & in 100m come to fence and gate. Take path by side gate with BW sign, pass house on R, over stream, pass Silkmill pond on R & after 400m, 50m before main Rd, FR to reach A3.
GR 921404

28M **X A3 CAREFULLY** & down Rd opp. After 250m, take path on L by wooden piles & gate (NT path) (110°). Over Xing path, & in 300m, by gate on L, FR 130° & continue till 50m before Rd, at NT path sign, FL to reach A286. GR 931399

28.8M **X A286 - CAREFULLY** - and down permissive BW opp. In 50m over Xing path & in 500m, reach Xing path by telegraph wires. R 50m to reach Rd. L & in 150m pass "Mare Hill" house sign on R & in 30m by yellow H sign(4/19), bear R to houses on R, bear slightly L & in 150m at end of houses, continue on narrow FP with wire fence on L. X house drive & continue on narrow path, bending R by wire fence, by side small lake on R & up brick steps. L on path & in 40m, swing half R uphill through woods, then between fence and hedge (with houses and lane on L) to come out on lane. L down lane past school sign and then church to Rd, A 283, where R to Chichester Hall and **finish.**

Register your finish via veranda on R side hall & NO BOOTS IN HALL PLEASE!

30 Miles GR 947394 OPEN till 6.30pm. Well Done.

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