



PUNCHBOWL MARATHON 2012

ROUTE DESCRIPTION

L-LEFT	R-RIGHT	BW-BRIDLEWAY
BL-BEAR LEFT	BR-BEAR RIGHT	FP-FOOTPATH
FL-FORK LEFT	FR-FORK RIGHT	RD-ROAD
TL-TURN LEFT	TR-TURN RIGHT	TK-TRACK

EMERGENCY TEL. NO: 07775 816004

0.0M Leave Hall by rear verandah. 1/2R (180°) across Recreation Ground to go thru white barrier in corner. Cross RD & TL on pavement & in 175y TR thru K-gate & up TK. Over stile on R of metal gate & continue ahead up field with fence on L to go over 2 stiles in trees in top LH corner. Keep ahead up enclosed FP to RD. TL & in 500y TR on TK to PARSONAGE FARM COTTAGE. At cottages keep ahead on BW ignoring all side turnings for 900y to RD at BROOK. Cross & along RD opposite. In 450y go thru tall K-gate on L of PINE LODGE & up FP, thru 2nd K-gate & in 80y TR down wide TK. At bottom keep ahead uphill, thru K-gate to **LOWER HOUSE DRIVE – GR919387**

NOTE ROUTE CHANGES FROM PREVIOUS YEARS AT *

2.3M Cross drive, thru gate, over stile & ahead (260°) across 2 fields via stile to go thru field gate. BR across RD, up steps & thru gate. TR along RH side of field. In 200y over stile on R & TL on FP then via gate to RD. Cross, thru K-gate and ahead (240°) across field. Over stile & thru K-gate, down thru trees, over TK & continue down on FP. At 2nd TK TR & in 25y FL down FP. At bottom continue ahead & in 150y join metalled drive.* In 50y FL on TK (FP). Keep ahead & in 550y at X-TK, ahead over stile to R of gate (Hole Farm). In 100y FR off drive & 10y later FR up TK. In 80y over stile & FR up TK. In 100y over X-TK & uphill to go over stile into field. 1/2 L (280°) up field, at waymark, ahead to go thru tunnel under A3. Up steps & ahead, cross RD, thru K-gate & ahead (320°) across field & thru K-gate in bottom corner. TR on TK, pass thru farmyard, thru gate & in 90y FL over stile, thru UPPER HIGHFIELDS FARM stable yard & down steps in trees in LH corner. TR on RD & in 100y TL into

CHECKPOINT 1 - LITTLE COWDRAY FARM - GR 897386 (Open 08.30 to 10.15)

4.1M Return to RD, TR & in 100y FL up Byway & in 700y FR, over cattle grid & in 70y FR again. In 80y join TK from L & in 20y BR on main TK. In 1100y over cattle grid, in 10y FR & keep ahead to pass pedestrian entrance to YHA. In 200y, at yellow bin, FR on TK, thru K-gate & ahead on main TK for 800y. At open hillside ahead FR (180°) up path to L of lone pine to reach & climb steps to rim of Punchbowl. At top TR, in 200y thru K-gate, in 20y FR & in 120y pass VIEW POINT into

DEVIL'S PUNCHBOWL – GR 891358

6.4M FL into trees to pass behind bench on R & along rim of PUNCHBOWL. In 800y FR to join TK from L. In 15y under metal barrier & thru gate beside cattle grid & ahead on main TK. In 430y, at post, keep ahead (30°) on main TK. In 500y pass electricity post on R, 300y later ignore LF & 30y later, at X-TK, TL (320°) downhill. In 170y, at T-junc, TR (20°) & follow main TK via gate for 800y to RD. Cross 1/2R & down TK, over X-TK & in 70y FR & keep ahead to RD. TL & in 320y (after MARCH HARES) TR thru posts. In 25y join path from L & 5yds later FL (10°). In 60y, at T-junction TL & in 10y TR up BW. In 100y at X-TK TR (110°) & keep ahead uphill to reach TRIG POINT on

KETTLEBURY HILL – GR 885393

9.1M TL (10°) down sandy TK. In 100y join TK from L & ahead across clearing. In 250y BL on main TK & ahead along KETTLEBURY RIDGE for 1.3M. At wooden bollards across TK FL(20°) downhill. In 160y over X-TK & TL (320°) with fence on L.. In 200y pass 11th tee on L & ahead (320°) on BW across HANKLEY COMMON GOLF COURSE. In 1100y join TK from L & in 160y TR across golf course car-park & ahead on BW with course on R. When course ends FL to pass lake on L. At T-junction TL on wide TK. In 650y at RD TR on pavement. When pavement ends cross RD to continue on pavement & in 300y TL up drive to **CHECKPOINT 2 - TILFORD VILLAGE HALL GR - 872433 (Open 10.15 to 13.00)**

THOSE REACHING CP2 AFTER 12.30pm MUST SWITCH TO THE SHORTER ROUTE TO EARN A 20 MILE CERTIFICATE – OR BE OFFICIALLY RETIRED

20 MILE ROUTE DESCRIPTION CONTINUES ON PAGE 4

12.8M Return to RD, cross & 1/2L across corner of green to the BARLEY MOW. Cross RD & TR along pavement. Over RIVER WEY bridge & in 20y TL on BW. In 550y TL on metalled Byway & when tarmac ends keep ahead on TK. In 160y FR on TK. In 375y join drive from L & in 40y reach RD. Cross & ahead along TK. In 400y, at gate ahead, TL & in 500y at RD (B3001) TR. In 250y, (**AFTER KEEPERS COTTAGE STUD** on L) TL on BW & in 400y reach RD. Cross & swing L on BW opposite. In 80y (5y before BW581 marker post) TL on narrow FP (0°). In 175y BL thru barrier & cross car park (320°) to BR up path thru barrier (0°). Up stepped path to summit of **CROOKSBURY HILL GR 879460**

15.0M From Trig TR, to pass to L of small bench & take path (140°) steeply downhill. Ignore R fork after 40y & 50y later join TK from R. In 150y thru barrier & BR to RD. Cross & ahead on BW opposite. In 500y, at T-junc, TR on TK (LONGLANDS on R). In 150y at Forestry Commission sign on right, TL & cont ahead to gradually join wooden fence on L. At fence corner swing L with path & cont (fence still on L). In 90y, at T-junc, TR past barrier & in 70y, at narrow X-TK (4 posts) TL (80°). In 45y ignore LF & cont (soon downhill) with pines on R. At T-junc, TL on wide gravel TK & 170y later join TK from L. In 230y thru barrier & 60y later FR on path to RD. Cross, thru posts & ahead on TK thru wood. In 200y over X-TK & 220y later over 2nd X-TK. In further 120y over third X-TK & ahead on narrow path. In 130y join TK from L & 50y later TL on main TK (40°) to RD via barrier. TR & in 30y cross RD & down narrow indistinct path. In 190y reach **HAMPTON PARK DRIVE GR 908457**

17.3M BR over drive (to R of entrance to WARREN COTTAGE) & BL down path to T-junc at edge of pond. TL & in 20y swing R between ponds. Ignoring all R turns keep ahead with fence on L & in 400y reach & pass to L of large pond on R. 170y after end of pond, FR (10°) (at 2nd green & purple waymarks post) across Puttenham Common. In 380y at T-junc, TR (100°) on sandy TK. Ignoring all turns L&R, keep ahead for 680yds to FL (60°) on narrow path into trees (50yds before overhead wires). In 220y, at X-TK, TL & 20y later TR thru K-gate on FP thru wood (LASCOMBE WALK). In 250y over drive & stile & ahead (50°) across field. Over stile & across 2nd field (40°) to TR on lane. In 900y join lane from L & 120y later ahead along THE STREET. In 400y TL into SCHOOL LANE for 90y to reach **CHECKPOINT 3 - MARWICK HALL PUTTENHAM - GR 931479 (Open 11.30 to 15.20)**

19.7M TL from Hall to return to THE STREET, TL & in 60y TR along SUFFIELD LANE. In 60y ahead over stile & ahead along enclosed path. At wood on R ahead over stile & along FP in trees to cross 2 stiles into field. Ahead across field (190°). At far end BL to stile & across next field (190°), over stile & down beside fence. At fence corner, ahead (180°) across field & over stile in RH corner to RD. TR & in 140y (at fence end) TR over stile & ahead on enclosed FP over 2 more stiles. At gate keep ahead to go along RH edge of field. At field end thru K-gate & along sunken FP. Ignore all side turnings & in 340y at T-junction TL down sunken BW & keep ahead for 270y to join metalled drive past

RODSALL MANOR – GR 920458

21.6M Keep ahead on drive, ignore 1st BW on L, & in 100y, before RAINBOWS END FL on BW. In 400y at house on L keep ahead & follow drive keeping wall/buildings on L. When wall ends TL on cinder path to follow lake on R. When lake ends ahead between railings, over X-TK & ahead on path thru wood for 500y to RD. TL & in 90y TR on BW thru trees. In 260y thru gate, across field (240°), thru gate & TR on TK to RD. TL & in 500y TL over stile (after BROOKFIELD on L). Over 2nd stile & keep ahead to join & follow RIVER WEY on L to RD (B3001). TL over bridge & in 200y TR along pavement with Green on L.

ELSTEAD – GR 907437

23.9M In 100y cross RD into STACEY'S FARM ROAD & immediately TL up enclosed FP. In 100y thru K-gate & along LH edge of field. Thru K-gate, TL & in 5y TR (160°) on enclosed FP (joining 20 mile route). In 100y thru barrier & along R edge of 4 fields on enclosed FP for 1250y. At end of 4th field go over stile beside metal gate onto MOD Training Area on

OCKLEY COMMON – GR 911424

NOTE ROUTE CHANGES FROM PREVIOUS YEARS AT *

24.8M In 5y TR (220°) on FP thru trees (leaving 20 mile route). Ahead for 200y with bank on R, TR on wide TK & in 35y TL (230°) on BW. In 250y over X-TK & keep ahead on TK. *In 280y at green notice board TL on narrow FP to join boardwalk. At black waymark keep ahd leaving boardwalk. Later rejoin boardwalk and at green notice board TR on sandy TK. In 120y at waymark TL & in 170y ahd thru trees to

CHECKPOINT 4 - THE MOAT CAR-PARK - GR899416 (Open 12.30 to 16.30)

25.6M Leave Checkpoint with lake on R. In 50y BR on waymarked Heath Trail & in 75y TL. In 50y at sandy X-TK, in front of notice board, TR leaving Heath Trail. In 250y, over X-TK. In 500y, before tall trees on R, TL (130°) over fallen tree & 200y later, at T-junc, TL on wide TK (80°). In 370y, at waymark post on L, TR to go under power lines & 20y later TL (120°) on narrow path thru trees. In 150y join path from gate & in 100y ahead over X-TK. In 350y ahead (120°) over 2nd X-TK (ignore L-fork in 10y). In 280y over 3rd X-TK & in further 270y over 4th X-TK (concrete blocks in TK on L). In 80y join TK from L (rejoining 20M route to the finish). In 70Y ignore path on R & 100y later swing R then L with TK to join TK from R. In 400y TL between fences to RD. Cross RD & ahead over A3 bridge. At far side cross slip RD & TL down RD to Bowlhead Green. In 480y (40Y before RD bends R) TR on TK & in 70y TL on BW. In 140y cross RD & ahead down TK opposite. In 160y, when TK swings R towards house, TL on BW with wall on R. Keep ahead & at RD TR. In 150y TL into car park & TL after notice board, in 15y FR & in 40y TR. In 50y join FP from L & in 160Y at X-TK TR. 120y later, 30y before barrier, FL on TK to RD.

A286/ROKE LANE – GR931398

28.7M Cross A286 onto common to follow blue-topped posts (80°). In 550y, at X-TK under power lines, TR to RD. TL & in 200y TR on 2nd TK to pass in front of cottages. At end ahead down FP with fence on L, over drive & ahead around lake. Up 24 steps, TL & in 500y TL down RD for 180y to A283. TR for 200y & WHEN SAFE cross to Hall. Around RH side to Verandah and finish.

FINISH GR948394 - 30.0M Well Done! NO BOOTS IN HALL PLEASE

PUNCHBOWL MARATHON - 20 MILE ROUTE CONTINUES HERE

12.8M TR (160°) up RD. When pavement on R ends cross RD & 150y later TL on wide TK. Pass lake on R, thru barrier, swing R & then L up LH of 3 TKs. Follow TK along northern edge of HANKLEY COMMON ignoring all R turns. In 1.5M BL (90°) on tarmac. In 1000y FL & cross main RD at

ELSTEAD CHURCH – GR 904434

15.3M Ahead along WEST HILL & at end up FP. In 180y TR (160°) (joining 30M route), in 100y thru barrier & along R edge of 4 fields on enclosed FP for 1250y. At end of 4th field go over stile beside metal gate onto MOD Training Area on

OCKLEY COMMON – GR 911424

16.4M Keep ahead (150°) (leaving 30M route) for 1.2M (joining, then leaving wide TK when it swings L) to reach waymarked X-TK (BW) (house 50y on L). Keep ahead (190°) & in 370y over X-TK & ahead (210°) with lake on L. In 100y ignore BW on R & in 120y join BW from R (rejoining 30M route to finish). In 70Y ignore path on R & 100y later swing R then L with TK to join TK from R. In 400y TL between fences to RD. Cross RD & ahead over A3 bridge. At far side cross slip RD & TL down RD to Bowlhead Green. In 480y (40Y before RD bends R) TR on TK & in 70y TL on BW. In 140y cross RD & ahead down TK opposite. In 160y, when TK swings R towards house, TL on BW with wall on R. Keep ahead & at RD TR. In 150y TL into car park & TL after notice board, in 15y FR & in 40y TR. In 50y join FP from L & in 160Y at X-TK TR. 120y later, 30y before barrier, FL on TK to RD.

A286/ROKE LANE – GR931398

18.6M Cross A286 onto common to follow blue-topped posts (80°). In 550y at X-TK under power lines, TR to RD. TL for 200y & then TR on 2nd TK to pass in front of cottages. At end ahead down FP with fence on L, over drive & ahead around lake. Up 24 steps, TL & in 500y TL down RD for 180y to A283. TR for 200y & WHEN SAFE cross to Hall. Around RH side to Verandah and finish.

FINISH GR948394 - 20.0M Well Done! NO BOOTS IN HALL PLEASE

EMERGENCY TEL. NO: 07775 816004