

Navigation Course for Fell Runners

The WFRA has organised a one day, highly practical navigation course on Saturday 15 March 2014

in

Llangynidr, near Crickhowell (South Wales)

The course will, as in previous years, be led by one of the UK's leading orienteering coaches, **Mark Saunders.**

The course will cover:

Map Interpretation

OS Grid System, Grid References and measuring distance Map orientation Basic contour interpretation

Compass Work

The compass and its main uses & taking bearings

Navigation Strategies

Rough & Fine Navigation Route choice, Pace / distance judgement

The course will be a mix of classroom and practical outdoor exercises. It can be made easier or harder depending on the experience of the group.

(Course will commence @ 09.00 and finish at dusk)

Course Fee: WFRA MEMBERS - £20, NON MEMBERS - £40

To book your place, please send your details (name, address, e-mail, telephone contact number - in the event of course cancellation, and WFRA membership number) together with a cheque payable to

Andrew Blackmore, to:

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For General Enquiries, please e-mail me: andrew@wfra.org.uk

Please note: you will need to have some fell running experience, a basic understanding as to how to use a compass and, as there will be a series of practical sessions in the hills, suitable kit/ equipment for fell running (including a compass!).