

RACE DAY PROGRAMME SOUTH WEST

BADMINTON ESTATE, SOUTH GLOUCESTERSHIRE, GL9 1DD

13 AUGUST, 2023

ELITE SERIES SPRINT 5K + BEAST 21K





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RACE DAY SCHEDULE



SUNDAY 13TH AUGUST

SPARTAN BEAST

7:00amRegistration & Village Open 8:00amElite Men & Elite Women 8:10amAge Group Men (14-17, 18-24, 25-29) 8:10amAge Group Men (30-34,35-39) 8:20am Age Group Men (40-44, 45-49, 50-54, 55-59,60+) 8:30am Age Group Women (All Ages) 9:15amOpen Heats 11:00am Last Open heat

SPARTAN SPRINT

- 1:00pm Elite Men & Elite Women
- 1:15pmAge Group Men (14-17,

18-24, 25-29)

- 1:15pmAge Group Men (30-34,35-39)
- 1:20pm Age Group Men (40-44, 45-49, 50-54, 55-59,60+)
- 1:30pm Age Group Women (All Ages)
- 1:45pm First Open Heat
- 2:45pm Last Open Heat

Race Day Awards:

- 11:30amBeast Elite Awards12:00pmBeast Age Group Awards
- 3:00pmSprint Elite Awards 3:15pm Sprint Age Group Awards



To help you track the effort you'll be exerting Myzone are offering you the chance to trial a Myzone heart rate tracker during the event for free.

You can wear your Myzone tracker on the wrist, chest or arm and they're accurate to 99.4% EPG, meaning you'll be both comfortable and certain of their tracking precision. To trial a Myzone all you need to do is:

- Download the Myzone app (you can even do this ahead of the day on <u>iOS</u> or <u>Android</u>)
- Create an account
 - o When asked for club select: SPRUK001
- Book in for your demo belt pick-up slot on the <u>form here.</u>
- Head over to the Myzone tent at your allocated pick-up time to collect your Myzone
- Choose where to wear the tracker
- Take your Myzone on the Spartan course and get sweaty!
- Sync your workout to the app and see how hard you worked
- Share, share, share let the world know the effort you put in at South West!



BRING A CUP

We are on a mission to make race days more environmentally friendly. We are encouraging all racers to bring a reusable cup to their race.





GET RACE READY

WHAT TO BRING:

• Photo ID & your Registration Barcode. Access your account <u>HERE</u> to print or screenshot your e-ticket.



- If you are racing in Age-Group or Elite Heats you will need to bring your British Obstacle Sport Membership with you. Please bring your membership email from BOS to show at check-in. To purchase membership click <u>here.</u>
- Spare clothes and shoes and a towel to utilise the rinse stations on-site.
- Bag for muddy clothes We have enough odd socks and muddy shoes to last a lifetime! Please take your muddy clothes home with you.
- Pre-filled hydration pack There will be hydration stations on all of our courses so this is a personal preference.
- Energy Gels- There will be fuel stations on all Beast and Ultra courses so this is a personal preference. There will also be bins on all courses to dispose of your energy gel packets, please do not leave them on the course.
- Your bank card Whether you're buying the newest kit or re-fuelled post race, you'll want your bank card to hand.
- If you wear a GoPro, or any other type of POV camera, please make sure your contact information (name & phone number) is somewhere on the camera. If you lose the camera on the course, this is the only way we are able to identify it.

READ OUR GUIDE TO YOUR KIT BAG ESSENTIALS AND UNLOCK SOME GREAT PARTNER DISCOUNTS

IF YOU DO FORGET ANY OF YOUR RACE GEAR, OUR OFFICIAL MERCHANDISE TENT WILL BE OPEN AT THE FESTIVAL AREA. WE CAN HELP!











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TRAVEL & ACCOMMODATION



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HOW TO GET HERE

Venue Address: Badminton Estate, South Gloucestershire, GL9 1AA

By Train: Yate the closest train station to the venue

By Bus: Bus Route 41 towards Malmesbury form Yate Station to Badminton High Street, followed by a 10 minute walk

By Car: Easily accessible from M4 Junction 18, follow postcode GL9 1AA, as you get close to the venue, follow the AA road signs to the event, and then to event parking. Event parking is FREE at this venue.

ACCOMMODATION

Camping is available on the nights of Friday 11th and Saturday 12th August from 4pm on Friday. The latest arrival time is 9pm. The camping facilities will include toilets but no showers, please plan accordingly. <u>Click here</u> to book your camping spot.



VIRUS SAFETY GUIDELINES

As we return to our 2023 event season, ensuring your safety and the quality of your event experience is our #1 focus.

Included here are the guiding safety principles and plans that we're currently planning to implement at our events. We'll continue to monitor trends, work with local officials to comply with their guidelines and restrictions where necessary and adjust our plans as needed based upon guidance from the relevant Public Health National Guidance.

All Spartans need to do their bit to make events as safe as possible. While we've got a solid plan in place to protect you, here's how you can do your part:

- Stay home if you feel unwell or have been in contact with someone who is unwell
- Be Informed. Read all event communication, as it could contain important safety information on event procedures and policies. Follow the instructions of medical personnel and Staff
- Practice proper health and hygiene for hand washing, hand sanitising, sneezing, coughing, etc
- Wear a face covering if preferred
- Show up on time at your assigned arrival and start time window
- Thank the volunteers, they are there to keep you safe and help keep you going
- Consider the safety of yourself and others around you
- Respect the host community and venue

ONSITE FACILITIES





- Racers ages 14 and older can participate in the adult's race. Those under 14 are encouraged to join the Kid's Race. All under 18's must be accompanied by an adult at all times unless in a competitive wave. Leaving your child unattended while racing will result in being pulled off the course, asked to leave and barred from participating in future races.
- No pop-up tents are allowed in the festival. Tent space is reserved for our sponsors.
- No coolers or glass bottles allowed on the property. Security staff will check for them as you enter.
- Elite & Age Group Please ensure you have read the Spartan Rule Book
- Plaques, medals and pre-purchased merchandise that is not collected on Race Day can be posted to participants for a postage fee. Please view our FAQs for <u>Awards</u> and <u>pre-purchased merchandise</u>.





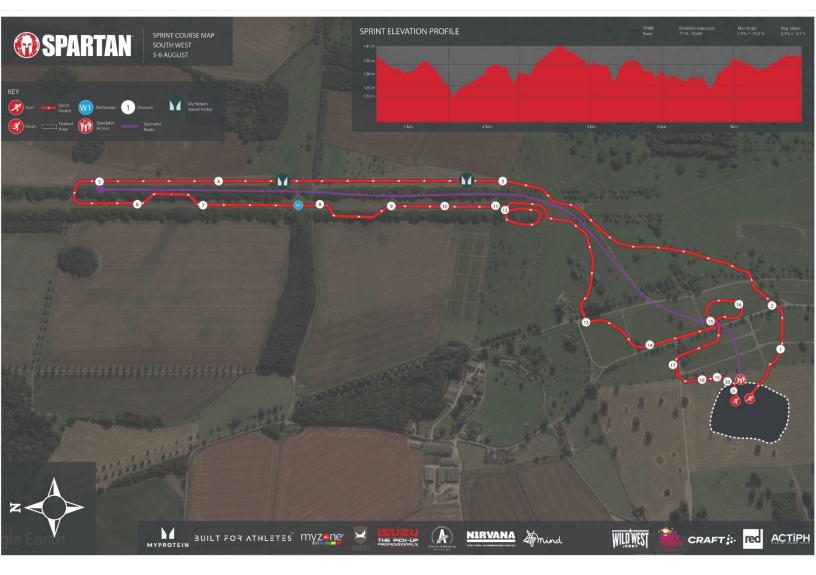
COURSE MAP







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MYPROTEIN

Myprotein Sprint Course Speed Sector Challenge Lay down your fastest time through the Myprotein Speed Sector for the chance to win £100 worth of Myprotein vouchers!

Not running competitively? No problem. There will be prizes for both the fastest competitive and open wave male and female runners!









VENT TRAVEL ACCOMMODATION & LOGISTICS

Supporting partners:





WHAT TO DO AFTER YOUR RACE?

Once you've jumped the fire and crossed the finish line our partners have got you covered with a great selection of post race goodies.

Rehydration is key so make sure you grab an <u>Actiph Water</u> or can of <u>C4 Energy</u>. Plus, NEW for Spartan South West, <u>My Protein</u>, tasty Impact bars will be available and are a great source of protein to aid muscle recovery. Celebrate your achievement with an ice-cold <u>BrewDog</u> Lost Lager or a non- alcoholic beer from <u>Athletic Brewing Co</u>.

Reward yourself with a visit the merch tent for some new race gear provided by <u>Craft</u> or a cosy <u>Red</u> change robe!



BE A PART OF THE TEAM VOLUNTEER AND RACE FOR FREE + EARN PERKS

