

## Hike for Homeless Terms and Conditions

- 1) For the LONG and MEDIUM Walk route challenge the minimum age for participation in this event is 5 years old. If a person aged 5 to18 is taking part then a responsible adult (someone over 18) must register them, at the event sign the disclaimer form on their behalf and take full responsibility for this person for the duration of the event. There is no age restriction for people taking part in the SHORT route challenge but anyone under the age of 18 must be accompanied by an adult.
- 2) All individuals taking part in the St Basils Walk are responsible for ensuring they are medically and physically able to undergo this activity.
- 3) Participants take part at their own risk and the organisers cannot be held responsible for any loss or damage to personal effects, for personal accidents or for injury or loss to third parties, other than as a result of St Basils negligence.
- 4) You must sign next to your name on the Team Check-In & Declaimer form. By signing this disclaimer form you are agreeing that you understand the realities of the event and to take part in the event in accordance with these terms and conditions. If you do not sign this form you will not be allowed to take part in the event and no refund will be offered.
- 5) Teams must at all times have a minimum of three people. (*This is for basic safety. If one walker is injured there ideally will be one team member to stay with the injured party and one to continue to the next Check Point where help can be summoned*).
- 6) Everyone who retires must report in person to the Check-In Desk at the Finish Point.
- 7) The distances quoted in all literature pertaining to this walk are estimates and rounded up to the nearest half mile. We try to make each walk as close to a half and full marathon distance as we can, but we also allow for accents, descents and general terrain when estimating the overall distance. If the distances stated don't exactly match your 'sat navs' this is the reason why and by taking part in the event you understand this.
- 8) At least two mobile phones must be carried by a walking team and it is your responsibility to provide these. It is vital that the organisers know your whereabouts at the end of the day. If anyone is 'posted missing' rescue services will be alerted. False alarms can incur financial cost and could endanger someone in a genuine emergency!
- 9) The organisers reserve the right to stop walkers continuing if to do so would be potentially dangerous, (eg severe weather, onset of darkness). Anyone who then decides to continue will do so at their own risk.
- **10)** All participants must obey The Country Code and the Laws and Bye-Laws of England and Wales as stated below and adhere to designated rights of way on tracks and paths on the route.
- 11) Whilst the organisers cannot prevent anyone from failing to comply with the above rules and safety requirements specified elsewhere in the event liturature from undertaking the Challenge, they reserve the right to disown or withdraw support from any offenders.