

## **AfC Open Award D of E Centre 2018-19: Bronze Training Sessions**

All sessions will start at 5.45pm and finish at 8pm, unless otherwise stated.

(All staff in at Ham Youth Centre from 5.15 to 8.15 p.m.)

Updated 17<sup>th</sup> September 2018

### Key:

Ham Bronze Award (Monday's)	Total of 9 sessions
OAC Expeditions/Navigation Training Days	7
Other/Kit Issue or Return mixed sessions (Thursday's)	Total of 3 sessions

### Monday's

1 <sup>st</sup> October* <b>(New Starters)</b>	Intro to Bronze D of E Why you should do Bronze D of E	Programme Information & Questions Discuss section choice Handout enrolment & other forms
<b>Half Term</b>	<b>Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> to Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> October</b>	
19 <sup>th</sup> November* <b>(New Starters)</b>	Intro to Bronze D of E Why you should do Bronze D of E <b>Ensure participants have chosen sectional activities &amp; started to upload details to edofe</b>	Programme Information & Questions Discuss section choice Handout enrolment & other forms
10 <sup>th</sup> December	Ground Rules sessions & Expeditions Section choices, eDofe session, upload section details Collect any outstanding forms/payments	<b><u>(New Bronze Participants)</u></b> <b><u>Sort into Expedition Groups</u></b>
<b>CHRISTMAS HOLIDAY'S</b>	<b>Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> December to Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> January 2019</b>	
14 <sup>th</sup> January	Expedition Clothing/Equipment, Sleeping Bags (TOG) & Rucksack Packing Expedition Tents & Care <b>(Check Expedition Groups &amp; Expedition Aim)</b>	
4 <sup>th</sup> February	Weather, Menu Plans & Nutrition Traingia Gas Stoves (RA's) & Cooking	
<b>HALF TERM</b>	<b>Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> to Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> February</b>	
25 <sup>th</sup> February	Highway & Country Codes, Emergency Procedures & How to respond to Incidents	
3 <sup>rd</sup> March (Sunday)	<b>Bronze &amp; Silver – Navigation Training Day ( 09.30 to 17.00)</b> <b>(Newlands Corner, North Downs)</b>	
24 <sup>th</sup> March (Sunday)	<b>Bronze - Expedition Training Day ( 09.30 to 16.30)</b> <b>(Ham Youth Centre)</b> Navigation Basics, Cooking Practical, Emergency Procedures, Expedition Injuries & First Aid	

<b>EASTER HOLIDAY'S</b>	<b>Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> to Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> April</b> (Good Friday 19 <sup>th</sup> , Easter Monday 22 <sup>nd</sup> April)	
2 <sup>nd</sup> May <b>(Thursday)</b>	Bronze Practice Route Cards & Menu Plans	
6 <sup>th</sup> May	<b>Closed Bank Holiday</b>	
13 <sup>th</sup> May	Bronze Complete Practice Route Cards & Start Assessed Route Cards	
<b>HALF TERM</b>	<b>Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> May to Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> June</b>	
10 <sup>th</sup> June	Bronze Refresher on Rucksack packing, Expedition clothing/equipment <b>(Complete Menu Plans &amp; Assessed Expedition Route Cards)</b>	
20 <sup>th</sup> June <b>(Thursday)</b>	Bronze & Silver Complete Route Cards, extra session if not completed on 17 <sup>th</sup> June	
27 <sup>th</sup> June <b>(Thursday)</b>	Bronze & Silver Expedition Kit Issue, Expedition Briefing, Emergency Procedures (Expedition TME Forms)	
28 <sup>th</sup> to 30 <sup>th</sup> June (Friday to Sunday)	<b>Joint Bronze &amp; Silver Practice Expedition (New Forest)</b>	
1 <sup>st</sup> July	Bronze & Silver Expedition Kit Return & De-Brief (Complete Expedition TME Forms)	
22 <sup>nd</sup> July	Bronze & Silver Expedition Kit Issue, Expedition Briefing, Emergency Procedures (Expedition TME Forms)	
<b>SUMMER HOLIDAY'S</b>	<b>Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> July to Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> September</b>	
25 <sup>th</sup> to 27 <sup>th</sup> July (Thursday to Saturday)	<b>Joint Bronze &amp; Silver Assessed Expedition (Ashdown Forest)</b>	
29 <sup>th</sup> July	Bronze & Silver Expedition Kit Return & De-Brief (Complete Expedition TME Forms)	
16 <sup>th</sup> September	Bronze edofe signing off session	Complete TME forms & and Online Feedback

**Programme uploaded to <https://www.afcinfo.org.uk/pages/young-people/information-and-advice/activities-and-fun/duke-of-edinburghs-award/open-dofe-centre>**

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**Participant Feedback at:**

[http://www.richmond.gov.uk/home/services/children\\_and\\_family\\_care/youth/dofe/dofe\\_contact\\_and\\_feedback.htm](http://www.richmond.gov.uk/home/services/children_and_family_care/youth/dofe/dofe_contact_and_feedback.htm)

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