

## AfC Open Award D of E Centre 2019-20:

**All sessions for participants 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 16<sup>th</sup> October 2019**

### Key:

Ham Silver Award (Monday's)	<b>Total of 14 sessions</b>
OAC Expeditions/Navigation Training Days	<b>3</b>

### Monday's

14 <sup>th</sup> October* <b>(New Starters)</b>	Intro to Silver D of E Why you should do Silver D of E	Programme Information & Questions Discuss section choice Handout enrolment & other forms
<b>Half Term</b>	<b>Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> to Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> November</b>	
18 <sup>th</sup> November* <b>(New Starters)</b>	Intro to Silver D of E Why you should do Silver 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
9 <sup>th</sup> December	Ground Rules sessions & Expeditions Section choices, eDofe session, upload section details Expedition Weather	<b>(New Silver Participants)</b> <b>Sort into Expedition Groups</b>
<b>CHRISTMAS HOLIDAY'S</b>	<b>Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> December to Monday 6<sup>th</sup> January 2020</b>	
20 <sup>th</sup> January	Expedition Clothing/Equipment, Sleeping Bags (TOG) & Rucksack Packing Expedition Tents & Care <b>(Check Expedition Groups &amp; Expedition Aim)</b>	
10 <sup>th</sup> February	Menu Plans & Nutrition Traingia Gas Stoves (RA's) & Cooking	
<b>HALF TERM</b>	<b>Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> to Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> February</b>	
<b>1<sup>st</sup> March (Sunday)</b>	<b>Bronze &amp; Silver – Navigation Training Day ( 09.30 to 17.00) (Newlands Corner, North Downs)</b>	
2 <sup>nd</sup> March	Highway & Country Codes, Emergency Procedures & How to respond to Incidents/Getting help	
23 <sup>rd</sup> March	Expedition Injuries	First Aid & Emergencies
<b>EASTER HOLIDAY'S</b>	<b>Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> to Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> April (Good Friday 10<sup>th</sup>, Easter Monday 13<sup>th</sup> April)</b>	
Monday 4 <sup>th</sup> May	<b>Closed Bank Holiday</b>	

11 <sup>th</sup> May	<b>Navigation Skills – (Start Practice expedition route cards)</b> Grid References, Compass Use/Bearings, Distance, Scale, Pacing & Timing, Tick Features	
<b>HALF TERM</b>	<b>Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> to Sunday 31<sup>st</sup> May</b>	
8 <sup>th</sup> June	Finish Silver Practice Route Cards & Menu Plans	
22 <sup>nd</sup> June	Bronze & Silver Expedition Kit Issue, Expedition Briefing, Emergency Procedures (Expedition TME Forms)	
<b>26<sup>th</sup> to 28<sup>th</sup> June (Friday to Sunday)</b>	<b>Joint Bronze &amp; Silver Practice Expedition (New Forest)</b>	
29 <sup>th</sup> June	Bronze & Silver Expedition Kit Return & De-Brief (Complete Expedition TME Forms)	
13 <sup>th</sup> July	Finish Silver Assessed Route Cards & Menu Plans (50% completed by staff)	
20 <sup>th</sup> July	Bronze & Silver Expedition Kit Issue, Expedition Briefing, Emergency Procedures (Expedition TME Forms)	
<b>SUMMER HOLIDAY'S</b>	<b>Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> July to Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup> September?</b>	
<b>23<sup>rd</sup> to 25<sup>th</sup> July (Thursday to Saturday)</b>	<b>Joint Bronze &amp; Silver Assessed Expedition (Ashdown Forest)</b>	
27 <sup>th</sup> July	Bronze & Silver Expedition Kit Return & De-Brief (Complete Expedition TME Forms)	
28 <sup>th</sup> September	Silver edofe signing off session	<b>Complete TME forms &amp; and Online Feedback</b>

**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)**