# Hamilton Schools 43rd Annua/



# Adventure Running Challenge

## Wednesday April 25th 2018

**Orienteering Clinics Available** 

Curriculum Connections:
Geography • Physical Education • Science • Environmental

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Organized and run by Delta S.S. Staff/Students, with assistance from Dontgetlost Adventure Running

## 43<sup>rd</sup> Annual Hamilton Adventure Running Schools Challenge

# Hosted by Delta SS & Dontgetlost Adventure Running Wednesday April 25<sup>th</sup>, 2018

Location: Christie Conservation Area (1000 Hwy #5 West, RR #2, Dundas, ON. L9H 5E2)

**Registration:** from 10:00 am **Coaches meeting/Announcements:** 10:40 am

Start: All courses at 11:00 am Marshalling will begin at 10:45 am Course closes at 1:30 pm `Awards: Conclusion of the event

**Eligibility:** Open to all students registered in an Ontario elementary (Grade 6 and higher) or secondary school or invited guests from other jurisdictions. All entrants <u>must</u> be accompanied by an adult supervisor approved by the school or the school board represented.

Course Lengths and Categories: based on Birth Year

Bantam ...... (2 km) 2006 & 2005 Midget ..... (2.2 km) 2004 & 2003 or later Junior ...... (3 km) 2002 or later Senior ..... (4 km) 2001 – 1999 or later

Fees: \$8.00 per student.

**Donation:** This year a portion of each entry fee will be donated to the Childrens' Hospital at Hamilton Health Sciences. HHS is the major regional provider of comprehensive health services for Central-West Ontario. The Children's Hospital provides acute care services to children with surgical and medical problems.

**Volunteers:** Each school <u>must</u> provide at least 1 volunteer to assist race organizers.

**Entry Deadline:** Organizers will preprint courses and package maps for entries received by **Tuesday April 17**<sup>th</sup> Entrants after the deadline may have to copy from a master map after their start time.

#### \*\* Registration will be limited to a maximum of 70 starts per school \*\*

**Format:** Entrants will be started at <u>one minute</u> intervals on each course.

Map: Christie Lake. Scale 1:10,000 (1cm on map to 100 m on ground)

**Facilities:** Washrooms, bus/car parking, covered areas.

#### **Rules:**

- 1. All participants <u>must carry</u> an emergency safety whistle. The emergency signal is 3 whistle blasts repeated.
- 2. Participate <u>alone or in pairs</u> as per entry. Pairs will be classed in the category of the older partner and / or the male partner in the case of mixed pairs. Triples accepted.
- **3.** In the true spirit of Orienteering, participants are expected to make their own decisions regarding route choice. It is considered poor etiquette to follow others.
- **4. No student** is allowed on the course before or after participating.

For orienteering availability in your area – <a href="www.orienteeringontario.ca">www.orienteeringontario.ca</a>
For orienteering in the Hamilton area – <a href="www.dontgetlost.ca">www.dontgetlost.ca</a>

#### **Registration Process**

#### **Registration Form:**

Registration will be done electronically. The registration form can be found by visiting the Dontgetlost Adventure Running website: <a href="https://www.dontgetlost.ca">www.dontgetlost.ca</a>.

Save the registration form with an appropriate name and delete unwanted categories and insert rows as required. Note: Schools will not require all categories.

WEBSITE: <a href="www.dontgetlost.ca">www.dontgetlost.ca</a>
Select youth (at top menu)

- Schools Challenge
- Under registration process, click "Download our registration spreadsheet"

#### **Submitting Registration Form:**

After completing and saving your registration form, please E-mail the form to Laura Schmidt (<a href="lschmidt@hwdsb.on.ca">lschmidt@hwdsb.on.ca</a>). Registration form must be received by **Tuesday April 17<sup>th</sup>**, **2018**.

A confirmation E-mail will be sent, usually the same day. If you haven't received a confirmation by the following day, please contact Laura.

#### **Payment Information:**

If paying by cheque, please make payable to Delta Secondary School. Entry payment can be made on the day of the event at registration.

**Note:** Every school will be expected to pay for the number of participants registered.

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#### **Changes:**

Minor changes, at no cost, will be allowed up to Thursday April 19<sup>th</sup>.

#### **Sportident:**

Sportident (SI) system will be used to record the runners' time and accuracy. For more information about the SI system please visit www.sportident.com

### SI cards are expensive.

SI cards not returned will be subject to a \$75 replacement fee.

Please ensure that parents/guardians and students, by signing the Trip Permission/Excursion or Athletic form, are agreeing to reimburse the organizers in the event the card is not returned.