

Ultimate Kids Triathlon Race Day Information Saturday 1st June 2019 Registration open from 10:00am First start time from 11:00am

| Distance | Swim | Cycle | Run | |
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| Zinc | 25m - 1 Length | 1k - 1 Lap | 500m - 1 Lap | |
| Steel | 50m - 2 Lengths | 2k - 2 Laps | 1000m - 2 Laps | |
| Bronze | 75m - 3 Lengths | 3k - 3 Laps | 1500m - 3 Laps | |
| Silver | 100m - 4 Lengths | 4k - 4 Laps | 2000m - 4 Laps | |
| Gold | 150m - 6 Lengths | 4k - 4 Laps | 2500m - 5 Laps | |
| Relay | 150m - 6 Lengths | 4k - 4 Laps | 2500m - 5 Laps | |

Venue: Alderford Lake, Tilstock Road, Shropshire, SY13 3JQ

All day Parking £5 per car

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Essential Information

Registration

Firstly go to registration where you will receive your race envelope.

Registration will be open on Saturday from 10:00am.

Registration is situated in the orange Mornflake marquee, please follow signs from the car park.

Please do not attempt to change the start time.

It is recommended you arrive at least 60 minutes before your start time or as early as possible to familiarise yourselves with the layout of the event.

Race Envelope

At registration you will receive a race envelope containing: Race Number x1 Bike Stickers x2 Helmet Sticker x1 Wristband x1

Wristband

You will be issued with two wristbands, one for the participant and one for supporting parents or guardians must wear, this will permit access into the Cycle Transition Area. It's fine if you are responsible for several children, just wear all numbered wristbands

Race Number

The race number must be worn on the front throughout the duration of the triathlon (please see page 4).

It is good practice to write your child/children's name, blood group (if known) and any allergies they may have on the back of their race number.

You may use an elastic number belt to attach the race number to, opposed to pinning the number directly to a T-shirt or tri-suit.

Bike

Any type of bike can be used as long as it is road worthy.

One bike sticker must go on the front of the handlebars and the other bike

sticker must go on the seat stem.



Helmets

The bike sticker must be attached to the front of the helmet.



Helmets are compulsory for the

cycle and must be fastened before the bike is touched.

Essential Information

What do I wear?

Shorts and T-shirt (or something a little warmer if the weather isn't so kind!) are absolutely fine to wear or a tri-suit is also permitted. You can also purchase an official UK Triathlon event T-Shirt at the event.

Music

For personal and other competitors safety, mobile phones or any type of personal music system that restricts hearing are not permitted whilst competing in the event.

Littering

All litter must be placed in bins or keep hold of it until you can dispose of properly.

Footwear

Trainers must be worn for the triathlon, bare foot running is not permitted.

Racing Conduct

Everyone involved in the triathlon are there to ensure a safe and enjoyable experience, so respect fellow competitors and treat all Officials, Event Organisers, Race Crew, volunteers and spectators with courtesy. Any abuse towards these people will not be tolerated.

Cycle Transition

Once registered, take your child/childrens cycle and rack it in Cycle Transition Area along with anything else they need for the triathlon.

Parents/Guardians are permitted to enter and assist if required in the Cycle Transition Area. The wristband must be worn to gain entry into the Cycle Transition Area.

When leaving equipment in the Cycle Transition Area, please note we cannot be responsible for any items lost or stolen, although we allocate security staff to specifically watch the transition area.

Race Safety Brief

Once the cycle transition area preparation is complete, make your way to the start line 10 minutes before your start time for your compulsory race safety brief.

Where to place your Race Number and Stickers



2019 Event Calendar

| 14th April | | |
|----------------|--|--|
| 11th May | | |
| 12th May | | |
| 19th May | | |
| 1st June | | |
| 2nd June | | |
| 15th June | | |
| 16th June | | |
| 14th July | | |
| 27th July | | |
| 28th July | | |
| 10th August | | |
| 11th August | | |
| 8th September | | |
| 21st September | | |
| 22nd September | | |
| 6th October | | |
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Event Map



Cycle Transition

Before the Triathlon

Once registered, rack the cycle in the Cycle Transition Area along with anything else needed for the bike and run section

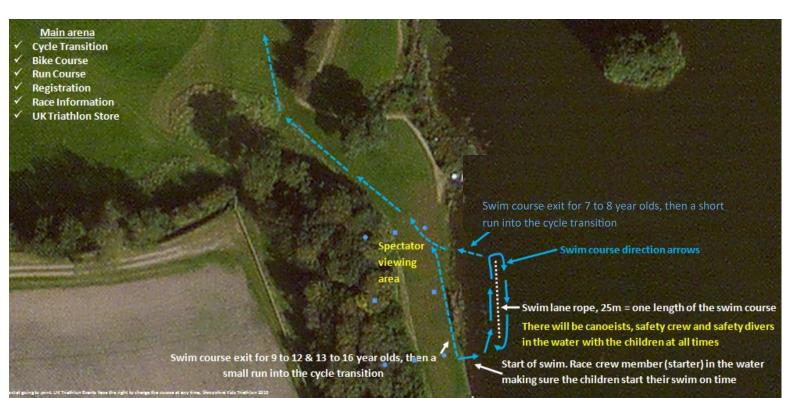
Parents/Guardians

Parents/guardians are permitted to enter and assist if required in the Cycle Transition Area. Wristbands must be worn to gain entry into the Cycle Transition Area.

Security

Although we allocate security staff to specifically watch the Cycle Transition Area, please note that we cannot be responsible for any items lost or stolen.

Swim



Swim Start

Competitors will start at regular intervals from 11am

Swim Cap

Competitors must wear their allocated swim cap, which will be given to them at registration.

Swim Course

The swim course will be one lane rope 25m in distance. As an added precaution, as soon as your child/children get into water that is deep enough to swim, then it is advisable to swim not walk. Although Alderford is a clean lake and divers will have checked, we cannot absolutely guarantee what is underfoot.

Wetsuits are permitted but not compulsory.

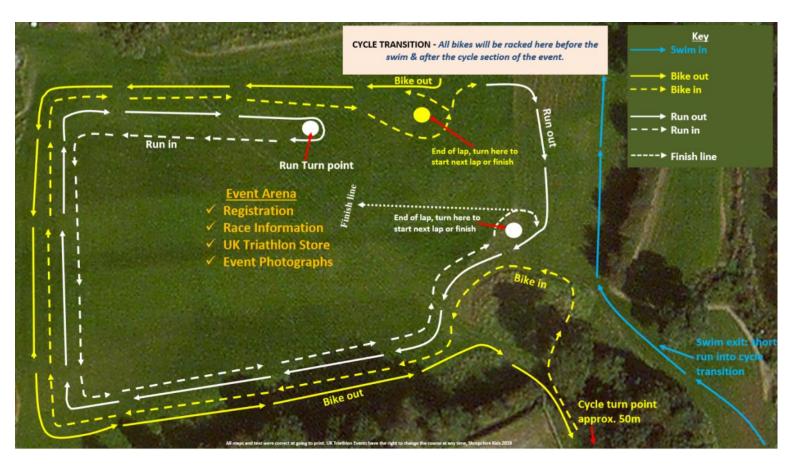
Completion of the Swim Course

When the swim course is completed, if necessary please escort your child/children to the Cycle Transition Area. You can help putting on their helmet, shoes, race number, etc.

Water Quality

Alderford Lake water quality is regularly checked and is considered one of the cleaner lakes used for swimming in. It is fed by freshwater springs which help to keep the water cleaner.

Bike and Run Map



Bike

Bike Maintenance

Make sure your child/childrens bike is working properly with our pre race service/check. Please see **page 11** for more information.

Cycle Mount Line

Your child/children can walk or run to the cycle mount line where they will commence the cycle section of the triathlon (no cycling in the Cycle Transition Area).

Counting Laps

It is yours or your child/childrens responsibility to count the correct amount of laps on the bike. Parents/guardians may help do this.

The Course

The cycle course is entirely on grass around Alderford Lake on flat grass. The course is completely post and taped making it clear to follow. Parents and guardians can follow their child for the cycle if they wish but are not allowed on the actual course.

Cycle Dismount

Cycles must be dismounted at the end of the course and returned to the same spot in the Cycle Transition Area.

Run

The Course

The run is entirely on grass. The course is completely post & taped and within the grounds of Alderford Lake.

Parents and guardians can follow their child for the run if they wish but are not allowed on the actual course.

Drinks Station

There is a drinks station during the run course and at the finish line that will be serving water.

Counting Laps

It is yours or your child/childrens responsibility to count the correct amount of laps on the bike. Parents/guardians may help do this.

Finish

Once your child/children have completed the required number of laps they turn onto the finish alley and continue through the Mornflake finish gantry.

Relay

The Team

Each member of the relay team completes one or two of the three disciplines of the triathlon.

Registration

At registration a wristband is supplied that is relayed to the finish line.

During the Triathlon

After completing the swim, the swimmer passes the wristband to the cyclist inside **Cycle Transition Area** next to where the cycle is racked.

The cyclist completes the cycle course and passes the band over to the runner. The runner completes the run and hands in the band at the finish line.

On completion, each member of the relay team will receive a 2019 finishers medal.

Further Information

Timing

This event is intended for all abilities to complete the challenge of the triathlon and therefore we don't publish results in fastest to slowest order, instead they are published by race number. We believe this is important to encourage all children to have a go without the pressure of coming last, or not doing as well as others. Every child will be a winner of the Ultimate Kids Triathlon. We will take an overall time for each competitor. You may go to the timing trailer at the finish line and see their results in race number order.

Hydration

Make sure your child/children are well hydrated before the event (drink plenty of water).

Photography

Our official event photographers, New Pixels Photography, will be in attendance on the day to capture your best sporting moments, with the option to purchase photographs online post event.

Finishers Medal

There is a commemorative 2019 medal for all finishers.

Health & Well Being

If your child is suffering from any kind of bad chest, cold, sore throat or ear infection we advise they do not take part.

If it is a sunny day apply sunscreen to protect against sunburn.





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RACE DAY SHOP - RACE ESSENTIALS - RACE ACCESSORIES......

A Triathlon Race store will be on site at all events offering those essential race day products as well as accessories for you to treat yourselves too after your race! So check out the latest products for sale from the top brands.

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