

London2Brighton Challenge

# CHALLENGE

## Factsheet

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**LONDON 2 BRIGHTON CHALLENGE**  
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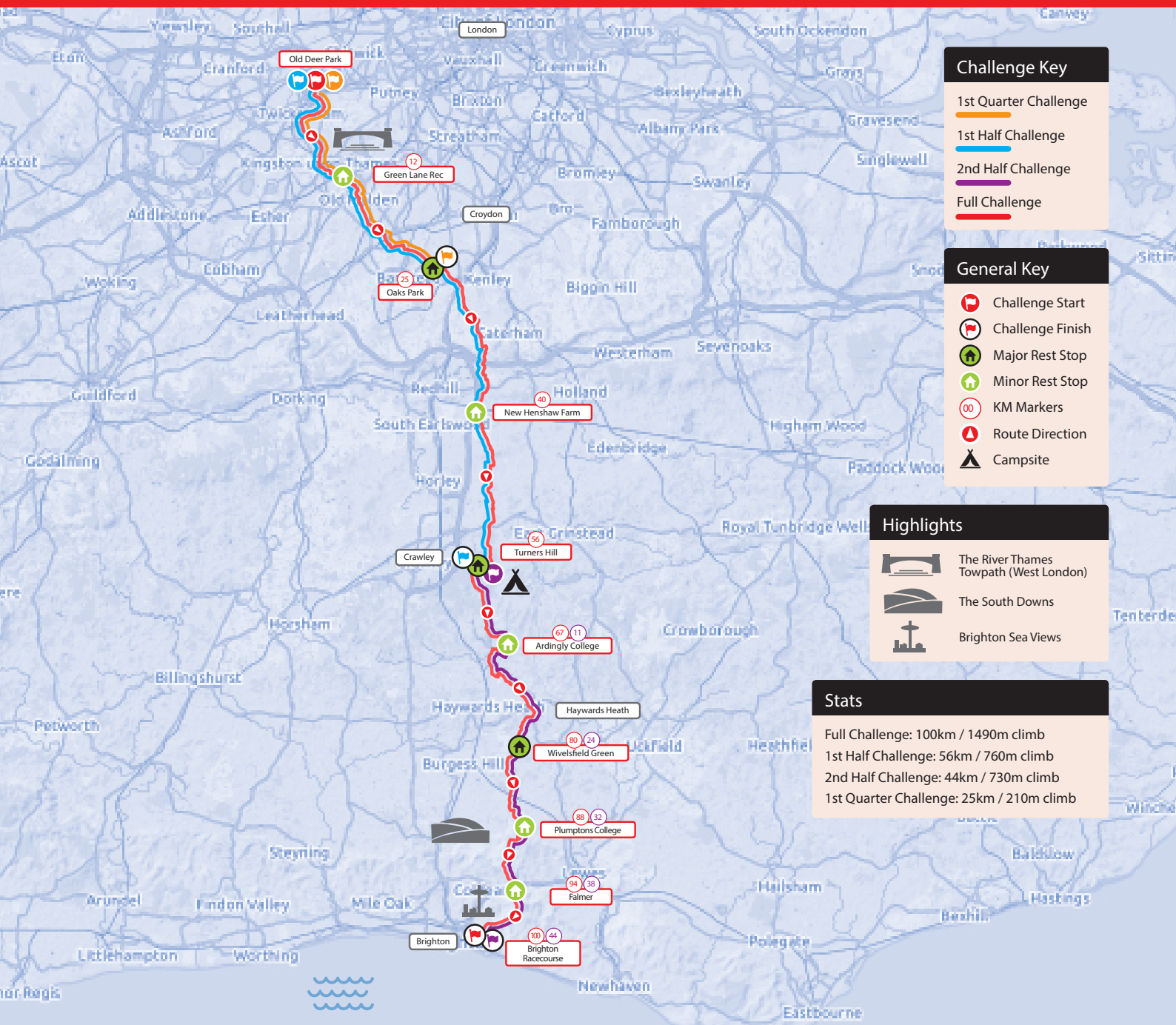
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The London 2 Brighton Challenge will be in its 9th year in 2020! Over 2,500 adventurers of all experience levels and ages will take on this classic route from Capital to Coast, testing their grit and determination - and all aiming to push themselves further. Most will walk, but many will Run or Jog the full 100km - and from the Richmond start it's over the North and South Downs before the welcome Brighton coastline comes into view, with full support and hospitality all the way to the your finish line.

Whether you're a walker and new to endurance events, or even a marathon runner looking to 'up' the distance - you'll get the best support and hospitality through day and night. The Full 100km, with almost 1,500 metres of climb, can be done as a continuous Challenge - or as a 'Daylight 2 Day' option with camping at halfway. There's also Half and Quarter distance options available - so there's a Challenge here for everyone!



### Challenge Key

- 1st Quarter Challenge
- 1st Half Challenge
- 2nd Half Challenge
- Full Challenge

### General Key

- Challenge Start
- Challenge Finish
- Major Rest Stop
- Minor Rest Stop
- KM Markers
- Route Direction
- Campsite

### Highlights

- The River Thames Towpath (West London)
- The South Downs
- Brighton Sea Views

### Stats

- Full Challenge: 100km / 1490m climb
- 1st Half Challenge: 56km / 760m climb
- 2nd Half Challenge: 44km / 730m climb
- 1st Quarter Challenge: 25km / 210m climb

## Distance options

### Full 100km (continuous) Challenge

London > Brighton  
Sat 23 May | 7-10am

#### DISTANCE & ELEVATION:

100km / ~1490m climb

#### REST STOPS & MEALS: 9 Stops

- Snacks, water & hot drinks at all
- Late breakfast/lunch at 25km
- Lunch/dinner at 56km
- Dinner/breakfast at 80km
- Dinner/breakfast/lunch at 100km

### Full 100km-2 Day (stop overnight) Challenge

London > Brighton  
D1 - Sat 23 May | 7-10am  
D2 - Sun 24 May | 6am

#### DISTANCE & ELEVATION:

100km / ~1490m climb

#### REST STOPS & MEALS: 9 Stops

- Snacks, water & hot drinks at all
- Late breakfast/lunch at 25km
- Lunch/dinner at 56km
- Sunday Lunch at 80km
- Sunday lunch/dinner at 100km

### First Half Challenge

London > Turners Hill  
Sat 23 May | 7-10am

#### DISTANCE & ELEVATION:

56km / ~760m climb

#### REST STOPS & MEALS: 4 Stops

- Snacks, water & hot drinks at all
- Late breakfast/lunch at 25km
- Lunch/dinner at 56km

### Second Half Challenge

Turners Hill > Brighton  
Sun 24 May 6am OR 'join a 100km friend' between Sat 23 May 5pm - Sun 24 May 6am

#### DISTANCE & ELEVATION:

44km / ~730m climb

#### REST STOPS & MEALS: 4 Stops

- Snacks, water & hot drinks at all
- Lunch/dinner at 80km (24km in)
- Lunch/dinner at 100km (44km)

### First Quarter Challenge

London > Oaks Park, Sutton  
Sat 23 May | 7-10am

#### DISTANCE & ELEVATION:

25km / ~210m climb

#### REST STOPS & MEALS: 2 Stops

- Snacks, water & hot drinks at all
- Lunch at 25km finish



\*All additional options are available to book online once you've signed up to the Challenge.

## Our Support

An Ultra Challenge is all about pushing yourself further and setting your own goals. We lay on the best support services and hospitality all the way to the finish line - to give you the best chance of achieving them.

Whichever distance you choose – you will receive the same full support:

### Before the Challenge...

- Dedicated Challenge App to help you prepare
- Challenge Manual & Event Guides
- Training Walks & Runs
- Kit & equipment lists - discounts & advice
- Preparation videos & pre-event briefing
- Online forums meet fellow Challengers

## During the Challenge

- Rest stops every ~12.5km – covered with seating, toilets & rest areas
- FREE - food & drinks – catering to all dietary requirements
- First aid support – at stops & en route
- Fully signed route & online maps
- Chip-timing – keeping track of you
- Trek Masters – to help guide you
- Group departures during the night
- Baggage transfer service
- Emergency support & route pick ups
- Shuttles for retirees to take you forward
- Bookable transfers before and after your Challenge
- Medal, T shirt & glass of fizz at the finish!

## Optional Extras

### Baggage

All baggage services are paid for in cash on the morning of the Challenge - you do not need to pre-book online.

#### Transfers to your finish...

- Full Challengers - **£10** .....
- Half Challengers - **£5** .....
- Quarter Challengers - **£5**...
- Included for runners

#### Transfers to half way & finish...

- Full Challengers only - **£15**
- Included for runners.

### Camping

Turners Hill – available to 2 Day Challengers mid-Challenge & 2nd Half Challengers pre-Challenge starting on Sunday 6am

#### Full Camping Package - includes:

- x1 2-person tent & x1 roll mat per person
- x1 Breakfast (next day) per person
- x1 Baggage transfer to campsite, then onto finish per person (for Full Challengers)

**Single - £55 per person // Twin share - £75 per tent**

#### Pitch Only Package - includes:

- Pitch-only - bring own tent
- x1 Breakfast (next day) per person
- x1 Baggage transfer to campsite, then onto finish per person (for Full Challengers)

**Single - £25 per person // Twin share - £40 per pitch**

### Transport

You must pre-book all additional transport options with an \* in advance, once you've registered onto the Challenge:

#### Parking

- Weekend parking pass - **£5 per car**
- Available for Oaks Park (25km), Tulleys Farm (56km) & Brighton (100km)

#### Full Challengers

- **Start** - close to Richmond station (Pay & Display)
- Brighton - weekend parking (from Friday 6pm)
- Shuttles to Brighton station after
- Shuttles for all retirees to finish (36km onwards)

#### 1st Half Challengers

- **Start** - close to Richmond station (Pay & Display)
- Pick up parking at finish
- Shuttles from finish to Three Bridges
- Shuttles for all retirees to finish (36km onwards)

#### 2nd Half Challengers

- Pick up/ drop off parking at start and finish
- **Before** - Sun AM transfer - Brighton to Tulleys Farm - **£20 pp**
- Shuttle buses for all retirees to finish (36km onwards)
- Finish shuttle to Brighton station

#### 1st Quarter Challengers

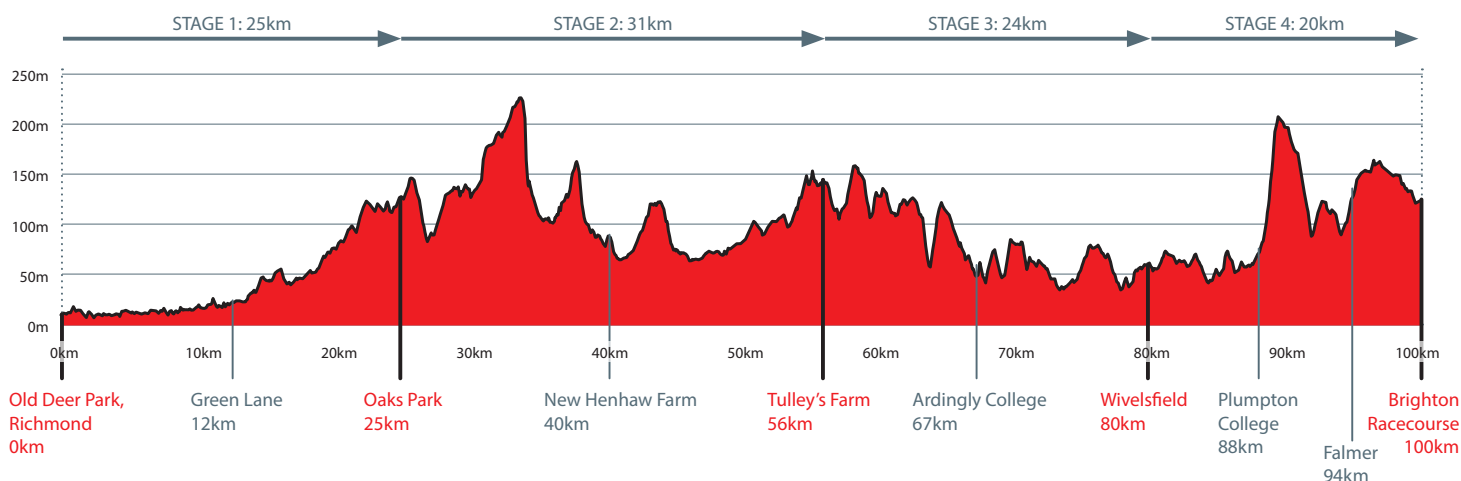
- **Start** - close to Richmond station (Pay & Display)
- Shuttle to Sutton station after
- Pick up parking at finish
- Shuttles for all retirees to finish finish (36km onwards)

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## Route & Rest Stops

|         | REST STOP   | LEG KM | TOTAL KM | CUT OFF TIMES  | FOOD/CATERING   | SHUTTLES   | SUPPORTER PARKING |
|---------|---|--------|----------|----------------|---|--|-------------------|
| STAGE 1 | 1: START:<br>Old Deer Park, Richmond,<br>TW9 1WS  | 12     | 0        |                | Free tea / coffee, biscuits, energy drink, & water. Breakfast vendor.   | N/A  | X                 |
|         | 2: MID POINT:<br>Green Lane Rec.<br><small>Please inform spectators they may not attend this site unless in an emergency</small>  | 13     | 12       | Saturday 13:30 | Variety of free snacks, tea / coffee, energy drink, & water.  | N/A  | X                 |
|         | 3: REST STOP:<br>Oaks Park, Croydon Lane, Carshalton, Surrey, SM7 3BA   | 15     | 25       | Saturday 17:20 | Picnic lunch incl. for all - snacks, teas, coffee, water & energy drinks.<br>You can pre-purchase meals for your spectators here. | Finisher's shuttle to Sutton station   | Y                 |
| STAGE 2 | 4: MID POINT:<br>New Henshaw Farm, Outwood Lane, S Nutfield<br><small>Please inform spectators they may not attend this site unless in an emergency</small>               | 16     | 40       | Saturday 22:30 | Variety of free snacks, tea, coffee, energy drink.  | Shuttle for retirees – (100km challengers to Brighton, 56km Challengers to Tulleys Farm) | X                 |
|         | 5: REST STOP - HALF WAY:<br>Tulleys Farm, Turners Hill, West Sussex, RH10 4PE   | 11     | 56       | Sunday 03:30   | Hot meal + tea, coffee, energy drink, water & free snacks.<br>You can pre-purchase meals for your spectators here.                | Finisher's shuttle to Three Bridges station. Shuttle for retirees to Brighton            | Y                 |
| STAGE 3 | 6: MID POINT:<br>Ardingly College, College Road, Ardingly, West Sussex<br><small>Please inform spectators they may not attend this site unless in an emergency</small>    | 13     | 67       | Sunday 10:30   | Variety of free snacks, tea, coffee, water, energy drink.   | Shuttle for retirees to Brighton   | X                 |
|         | 7: REST STOP:<br>Wivelsfield Primary School, Wivelsfield Green, East Sussex, RH17 7QN   | 8      | 80       | Sunday 14:20   | Hot meal + tea, coffee, energy drink, water & free snacks.<br>You can pre-purchase meals for your spectators here.                | Shuttle for retirees to Brighton   | Restricted        |
| STAGE 4 | 8: MID POINT:<br>Plumptons College, Ditchling Road, Plumpton, East Sussex<br><small>Please inform spectators they may not attend this site unless in an emergency</small> | 6      | 88       | Sunday 17:45   | Variety of free snacks, tea, coffee, energy drink & water.  | Shuttle for retirees to Brighton   | X                 |
|         | 9: WATER STOP:<br>(open from Saturday 19:00)<br>Park Street, Falmer<br><small>Please inform spectators they may not attend this site unless in an emergency</small>       | 6      | 94       |                | Variety of free snacks, tea, coffee, energy drink & water.  | N/A  | X                 |
|         | 10: FINISH:<br>Brighton Racecourse, Freshfield Rd, Brighton, BN2 9XZ  |        | 100      | Sunday 22:00   | Hot meal provided for finishers & tea / coffee. Spectators may pre-purchase a meal here.  | Finisher's shuttles to Brighton station  | Y                 |



## Funding & Cost options

### Option 1 Charity Sponsorship

Pay a low registration fee & do 'lots' of fundraising for a chosen charity. The charity covers your event place cost.

An ideal option if you feel you can raise lots of money for your chosen charity.

**FULL CHALLENGE:**

£15 Reg Fee online  
+ at least £595  
Fundraising target

**HALF CHALLENGE:**

£10 Reg Fee online  
+ at least £395  
Fundraising target

**QUARTER CHALLENGE:**

£5 Reg Fee online  
+ at least £245  
Fundraising target

Note: At least 50% of the Min Sponsorship target should be with your Charity by 6 weeks prior to the Challenge. At this time your Charity will pay a Fee for your place to the Organiser (similar to the Self Funding cost). Failure to meet the 50% target may result in cancellation by your charity. The remaining 50% should be with your Charity 4 weeks after the Challenge.

### Option 2 Mixed Funding

For those who wish to pay more of the cost themselves, and fundraise a bit less.

An ideal option if you feel you can raise lots of money for your chosen charity.

**FULL CHALLENGE:**

£99 Reg Fee online  
+ at least £299  
Fundraising target

**HALF CHALLENGE:**

£64.50 Reg Fee online  
+ at least £199  
Fundraising target

**QUARTER CHALLENGE:**

£39.50 Reg Fee online  
+ at least £119  
Fundraising target

Note: At least 50% of the Min Sponsorship target should be with your Charity by 6 weeks prior to the Challenge. At this time your Charity will pay a Fee for your place (equates to 'half' the Self Fund cost). Failure to meet the 50% target may result in cancellation by your charity. The remaining 50% fundraising should be with your Charity 4 weeks after the Challenge.

### Option 3 Self Funding

You pay full event place cost when you register. No fundraising required, but you can if you wish to!

For those wanting to do it for themselves. You can still do a bit of fundraising on the side!

**FULL CHALLENGE:**

£198

**HALF CHALLENGE:**

£129

**QUARTER CHALLENGE:**

£79

Note: See cancellation policy - as conditions apply

