



**Beacon Beast Marathon, The Bodmin Way and Beastie McBeastRace,
The Beastly Half, in association with Bys Vyken Race Team**

Sunday 19th April, 2026

ARC permits: Beacon Beast Marathon: 26/0013

Beastly Half Marathon: 26/0014

Official Race Booklet

The 5th marathon taking in the Bodmin Way and some of the delights of Bodmin!

The 3rd Half Marathon, Beastie McBeastRace, The Beastly Half!

Start time 9am for the marathon and 10am for the half marathon with a time limit of 7 hours for the full marathon or until 4pm for the Half marathon.

You will receive a bespoke medal at the finish and a t-shirt. Please show your race number to get the right shirt.

- Photos (but please credit Bodmin Camera Club)
- Local car parking, (some free on Sundays) and no tolls for a bridge!!
- Hot drink at the end of the race for runners, supporters and marshals (donation welcome to St Petroc's Church).

350 medals have been ordered, to ensure the correct size of shirt you must sign up before 20th March 2026. However, entries remain open until 8am on race day (if not sold out before, it will cost £5 more on the day), therefore the correct size of shirts will be subject to availability if they are still available.

The minimum age for entry is 18 years of age on Raceday for both the full marathon and the half marathon.

Take in the delights of Lanhydrock National Trust Estate, Redmoor Nature Reserve (full marathon) the Bodmin Beacon and Cardinham Woods. A mixture of trail and road running with around 3000ft of elevation. Half Marathon 1800ft of elevation.

The Bodmin Way was created to bring together the 5 historic churches in the Bodmin area. See details at the end of the Race Book.

Event Schedule; Event HQ and Registration:



Shire House Suite, Entrance to Priory Car Park, Bodmin, PL31 2DQ

(Please use local car parking at Priory car park, usually free on Sundays, Mount Folly car park or Dennison road are not free on Sundays anymore (Council car park not the other one!))

Registration times:

Full marathon: 07.00 – 08.30/ **Half marathon:** 8.00-9.30

Runners will need to check-in at registration. Please stick to the times for each event.

Recommended Kit List: There is NO mandatory kit check. There's only advisory kit. Think about a hydration pack/vest, **own water bottle/hydration container** this is mandatory! **(there will be no cups at the aid stations)**, waterproof jacket it rained heavily on our first trial of this event it even hailed!, fully charged mobile phone, hat/cap/buff, cash for emergencies, charged phone, food, trail or road shoes (You need to decide what works for you) and I.C.E (In Case of Emergency Contact).

Bag drop: There is a small bag drop collection point at registration, which will be marked 'BAG DROP'. You will have marked baggage labels to attach to your gear. Make sure it is done up ready for transporting to the finish at St Petroc's church. This is all done at your own responsibility. We assume no liability for lost, stolen or damaged items. Any personal items not required in the event should be left in your vehicle. Do not bring any large bags or coats. Small hand-held items and small bags accepted. We cannot be responsible for returning any items left and not collected.

Timing: Timing will be by ankle tag. Tags must be worn during the race, otherwise a placing will not be valid. Timing chips will be matched to your race number. This must be worn on your front visible at all times.

Safety Briefing: Full marathon: 08.35/ Half marathon 09.35

Please listen to the briefing, it will have up to date information about the course.

All runners must follow instructions from the marshals. Safety of the runners is paramount. Only cross a road when it is safe to do so. Only cross a road where we ask you to do so. No one to be rude or disobey their instructions. All of our marshals have given up their time to support the event. The event would not take place without them. Please thank them as you run past them. Anyone who does not follow these rules will have their number reported to the RD. The runner will be disqualified.

Headphones: No in ear headphones or over ear headphones will be allowed. Some of the route is on or near local roads. **(The MTRS rules for the Half marathon, state no headphones)** Look around and enjoy the beautiful countryside!

Start: 09.00/10.00 There will be a mass start. There is a narrow alleyway at both startlines so those who feel they will be quicker need to be at the front and those who are getting their money's worth to start behind the speedies!

The full marathon will start in it's usual place, 09.00 at the top end of the Football club car park. The Half marathon will start at 10.00 at the bottom of Monks Way/Walk.

Parking: County Council Car parks now charge on a Sunday (not expensive) but it will be the responsibility of the individual to check. The main Car Park at Priory is a Bodmin Town Council car park, it is still free on Sunday at the moment, but it is your responsibility to check. Priory car park and Mount Folly Car park are the closest to the start and finish. Dennison Road car park can also be used. This is close to the finish.

Morning refreshments: If you want a coffee or breakfast before the race some venues close to registration will be open. Soul Kitchen, based at 5 Honey Street (PL31 2DL) will be supplying Bacon Rolls to our First Aiders and the Beacon Beast Crew in the morning. Other venues will also be open.

Toilets: Public toilets in Priory Car Park and at the Registration venue. Public toilets available along the route include; Lanhydrock, Lanivet and Cardinham Woods.

Cups: As other events this event will be **cupless**. Bring your own vessel!

Aid Stations: Full Marathon: a small water station at Maudlin for the 1st loop of the full marathon (3.5 miles) then they will be at the local churches of Lanivet (8 miles approx), Nanstallon (10+ miles approx) on the 2nd loop at Lanhydrock near the main toilets (17 miles approx) and Cardinham village (21 miles approx). Half Marathon: Lanhydrock (5 miles approx) followed by Cardinham Village (9 miles). These will be stocked with water and other appropriate fuel for a marathon. If you need something more specific please bring it yourself. We all know not to try something new during a race!!!

Rubbish: Please take your rubbish with you or leave it at the aid stations in the rubbish bins provided.

First Aid: Medical cover will be provided by Omega Medical. They have stepped up to support us at the last minute as East Cornwall Search and Rescue Team currently have issues with their insurance cover for events (They are still able to rescue people in an emergency). We are very sad not to have them with us. We hope their insurance cover for events is sorted very soon. Also, Norman Trebilcock and his Grandson MacKenzie has helped for many years. We will be sad not have them with us. Please visit Norm's new venture at Lanjeth Nurseries and Gardens.

The contact numbers for Omega Medical is: 07702477106 or 07510113052.

Official Photos: Bodmin Camera Club will be taking photos in various places around the route. Photos will be taken at the start and finish. Give them your best Beast look!!! We will upload the photos to the Facebook page when they are available. Feel free to use and share your photos but please credit the photo to Bodmin Camera Club. #bodmincameraclub

Good For Age: This event does not count as a qualifier for Good For Age for the major marathons.

Deferrals: We will hold a list of people who defer. We will honour them if we hold the event again. But please only defer if you have developed an injury or illness. We are a not for profit organisation. ALL proceeds are shared with local charities/communities. We feel it is not fair or appropriate for runners to ask for a deferral because they have decided to run another event or that they have decided against running on the day. I hope you all understand this. If you need to defer please let us know as soon as possible but please, we must be informed of any deferrals 2 weeks before the event (Saturday 4th April at midnight). You can edit your own entry on SI Entries. Please contact us if you do.

Finish: Light refreshments will be available at St Petroc's Church from 11.30am to 5.30pm for runners, supporters and spectators. If you wish to give a donation, money raised will go towards the work and maintenance of the church.

Trophies/Prizes: There will be trophies for 1st, 2nd and 3rd Male and Female finishers. These will be awarded as soon as the final 3rd person has finished. This will be repeated for the Half Marathon.

The Beastly Half Marathon will also have Age Category prizes and will qualify for Team categories in the local Multi Terrain and Road Series.

Spectators: Please encourage your friends and families to come and support you on the day. Posters are being displayed locally to inform people of the event. Hopefully you will get lots of support along the route. The website has details for spectators. (Expected times of the earlier runners etc). They can take advantage of what is available locally. **Please DO NOT spectate at Maudlin. This is a busy road. Runners need to cross this road to access part of the route. The road must not be blocked by spectators.**

Lanhydrock estate has the wonderful house and gardens to look around. There are many paths to explore on foot or by bike. There is a park for young children, a café and toilets.

Lanivet has a small park for the children, public toilets, local shop and a pub (with Rattler!).

Nanstallon is very close to Camel trail. A safe environment for everyone. You may even see the trains from Bodmin and Wenford Steam Railway at Boscarne junction.

Cardinham Woods is a vast managed woodland, perfect for dogs, children and adults to explore. They have a café and toilets.

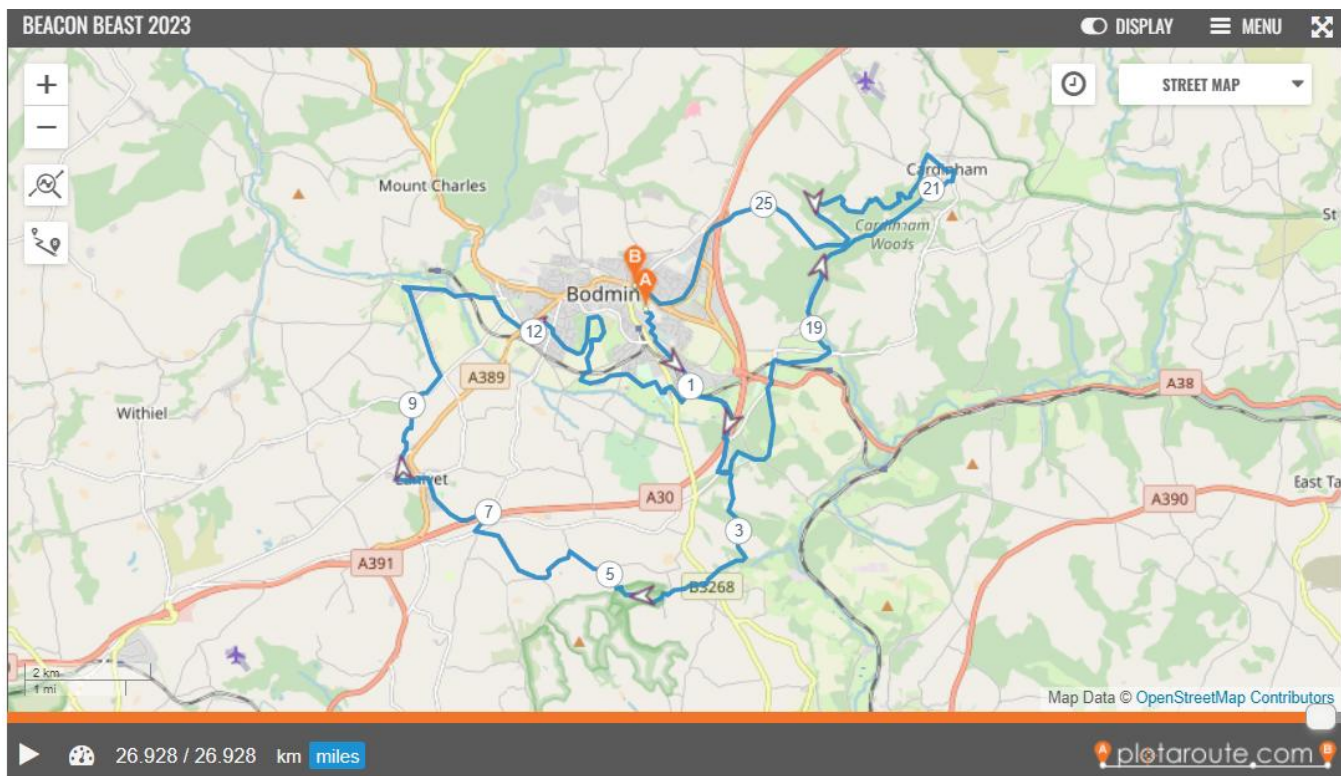
Bodmin has many fine attributes. From Bodmin and Wenford Steam Railway to The Jail. The Pad at Normandy Way is great for gaming and accessible for all. There are parks for children, including a playground and skatepark and many shops and cafes. St Petroc's Church, Priory Road, is open all day. The Sunday service starts at 10am and everyone is welcome to join. The church will be hosting the finish for the marathon. Hot drinks and snacks will be available from 11.30am to 4.30pm. If you wish to give a donation it will go towards the St Petroc's church funds. All are welcome to visit and explore the church.

Swap Box: This year the Swap Box will be at The Beacon Beast Event. Feel free to bring any running related items to donate to the swap box. You are also encouraged to take items from the Swap Box. (You do not need to donate to take anything away!) The Swap Box will be at Registration and in St Petroc's Church afterwards.

The route:

The Beacon Beast Marathon, The Bodmin Way (The full marathon) same as 2025) including the diversion at the start of Cardinham Woods from Cardinham Village).

https://www.plotaroute.com/route/2576044?units=miles#google_vignette



Signage: Please follow the signage provided on the day. We will try our best to ensure these are in place where needed (hopefully no one will take them or change their direction!) we will use biodegradable tape as a backup to keep you moving the right way. A gpx file is available. A very detailed description of the route is further down this booklet.

Common sense: Please always use the highway code. You are all adults so should be able to navigate yourselves around the roads and trails!!! Please listen to the marshals and be polite to other users you see on the route.

Do not drop any litter.

Use the public toilets along the route if required.

Stay away from the animals in the fields!

Beware of the Beast of Bodmin Moor.....

The route also takes in:

The beautiful **Lanhydrock Estate**, by kind permission of Lanhydrock National Trust to hold the event through the estate.

Redmoor Nature Reserve. By kind permission of Cornwall Wildlife Trust. Please be mindful of other users of the reserve. You may encounter dogs off their leads.

Lamorick Woods, by kind permission of the residents of Lamorick. The access from Lamorick to Bluebell Woods is over a private road. The residents have given the runners permission to use this private road.

Bodmin Beacon and nature reserve.

Cardinham Woods. By kind permission of the Forestry Commission. Please be mindful you may encounter others users of the woods. Walkers, dogs off leads, horses, cyclist etc.

Written description of the Beacon Beast Marathon route (half marathon below)

From top 5 bar gate – funnel through to path on right to Athelstan park – up to school roundabout, straight on (not left!) Follow road to Coldharbour (Castle Canyke road!)
Turn left at Coldharbour Cross road at Traffic Island
Turn right at Bugle Way, through Victoria Square car park to steps Turn left on Royffe Way to Omaha Road
Along Omaha Road to Walker Lines Up Walker Lines to Respryn Road
Right at Respryn road, over bridge, left to Lanhydrock (down hill to end of road, gate to woods on right)
Turn right through gate to woods Follow path through woods, over bridge, up path to Lanhydrock Cross road at Traffic Island (there is a blue cycle sign, it has fallen over)
Run to Lanhydrock, turn right on to main drive towards house
Run to house (gate house entrance) stay on road through the red gate on the left to the path (not over the cattle grid). Although, there are toilets over the cattle grid if you need them!
Follow path, do not take either of the left paths, do not take path on right to higher gardens, stay in the middle. You will see the Rangers house on left, keep going (ignore all paths on the left) You will run besides bamboo! Keep going to the kissing gate – stay on path till Maudlin.
Through kissing gate at Maudlin. There will be a small aid station here. Cross main road to gate into the woods
Follow path all the way through the woods through to old gate, turn left towards road, turn right (White house) Pass several houses to grass triangle in road Bear left (see No Through Road sign) Just after sign turn right through gate to Red Moor Nature Reserve
Stay on main track (follow tape and arrows)
Turn right after going through the final gate to road Follow road to junction with Stone Celtic Cross
At Stone Cross turn left
Turn left by cottage and signposted Trebell Green
Continue to grass triangle Turn right (not towards Helman Tor, Saints Way signs)
At next small triangle bear right, pass bungalow Keep on this road to junction which crosses road towards Lanivet/Bridge under dual carriageway
Turn left after going under the bridge Stay on this road all the way to Lanivet Church
Aid station at the church plus public toilets by the road crossing
Cross the road on the traffic Island Follow Clann Lane to Public Footpath Sign

Bungalow on right, garage on left Go through via the 5 bar gate (always close it)
Follow path to Lamorick
Onto tarmac path, turn right towards small bridge at Lamorick Turn left before the bridge (keeping stream on your right) Houses either side. This is a private path, the residents have kindly given us permission to use the path.
Follow path towards woods
Continue through woods following tape and signs Path on right, down 2 steps to old stile
Down steps into field, keep the hedge on your right to stile at the bottom of the field
Turn right, down hill Houses on right
At the crossroads turn left and run to Nanstallon
Run past school all the way to St Stephen's church (not the chapel!) Aid station here – go round the cone!!
Back up the road and turn left
Run towards the Water works (Past green corrugated building, houses, past Camel trail sign, down hill, under the Stone bridge up hill!)
Turn right onto Boskear Lane
At the end of Boskear Lane turn left Towards Bodmin Hospital
Turn right into the new housing estate (Hoopers View)
Cross road at traffic island down Westheath Road
Turn left into Queens Crescent Up hill, turn left again (into main Queen's Crescent area) Follow Queens Crescent to Vivian Road (Do not go to Vivian Road!)
Follow road to St Mary's Road, turn right, cross road, turn left to Whitestone road
Run to the top of Whitestone road to Treningle Hill
Follow the footpath for the Beacon
At the end of the path turn left towards the Beacon Follow the path uphill until you see the next marshal (nearly to the end of the path)
Turn right towards the Beacon, you will be in the car park area
Turn right and follow the path to the Beacon (The halfway point)
Straight on from the Beacon, through the gap in the field, keep the hedge on your right, run down the field to the stone stile
Turn right, along the path to the next stone stile on your left
Over the stile, down the field to the next stone stile
Down the tarmac path, turn left towards the road
At the end of the path turn right run over the railway bridge (ignore the public footpath on the left!)
Down the road to the public footpath sign by the Kirland Sign (Not along St Gurons Way (Railway Line))
Turn left over the stile
Follow the path, turning left, along the path, out to a stoney track, past 3 houses to Halgavor road
Cross the road and follow the path towards Bodmin College and the Dragon Leisure Centre (Houses on your right, then left) (says No Through Road) keep going following the track eventually taking a left hand bend up towards a small holding.
Stay on the path till you reach the top, take a right turn towards the Dragon Leisure Centre
When you reach the dog poo bin run to the fenced path, follow this path to the housing estate, cross the road, take the path on the right, keep going till you get to Lostwithiel road
Turn right at the top when you are on Lostwithiel road

Run to the traffic island, cross the road here
Turn right and run along the path at the back of the Grass Valley housing estate (after the Grass Valley housing estate turning)
Keep on this path until there is a left turn up a narrow path
Run to top of the path to Respryn Road
Turn right and run down Respryn Road (as the beginning loop to Lanhydrock)
Turn right through gate to woods Follow path through woods, over bridge, up path to Lanhydrock
Run to Lanhydrock, now turn left through the red gate towards the café and toilets Aid station here in Gazebo
Run through the main car park towards the orange bike route. Keep the Cricket club on your right (running through the wooded area)
At the end of the muddy path go through the red gate, cross the road to the woods, go through the barrier. Stay on this middle pathway all the way to the end (left goes to cycle trail, right goes to Respryn)
Go through the red gate, turn right but stay on the right hand side of the road, next to the estate house) run on the road towards the A38. This is a busy road. Please take care.
Cross the road at the traffic lights as supported by the marshal, turn left, then right towards the Crematorium
Run down past the Crematorium, over the railway bridge turn right onto Sunnybank. Run to the end of the road (Stable Art and Coby's coffee shop will be on your right)
Cross the road, over the stile into the field. Follow all of the stiles along the stream (on your right hand side) pass the abandoned car by the stream. Before you get to Little Margate House you will see an electric fence. Follow the electric fence along the field following the hedge. When you reach the end of the field turn left, following the hedge and look for the stile by the house. Over the stile and onto the road.
Turn right, (Margate Lane) run towards Cardinham Woods
On the approach to Cardinham Woods keep the car park and public toilets on your left, run along the path on the right of the toilets, keep going on this path until you see the next marshal
Turn left down a narrow path (Cardinham Water) (Farm style buildings here)
Stay on the path, run past Ladyvale Barn, The Goat House
At the end of this path, turn right then immediately take the public footpath on the left, through broken wooden gate, along leafy path, (you will see a farm building on the left) over a small bridge into a field
Straight across the field (through the gate or over the stile) and up the next field towards the tree line
Continue on the public footpath along the animal handling race. (at the top of the field, amongst the trees, there are some hidden footpath signs!!) Through the gates to the next field.
Run straight across the field (keep the house on your left) to the gate after the house
On to the road in Cardinham (Graveyard opposite) turn left towards Cardinham
Run to the church
Aid station at the church, run on the grassy track (not the road to the village) down through the field down to the stile at the bottom of the field
Turn left, run a few feet then turn left through the metal gate
Straight across cross the field, through the stream/stile into the woods
Take a sharp right up hill, when at the top turn left, follow the path (signposted)
Turn left towards Cardinham Woods
When back to the woods, turn sharp right by the Forestry Commission sign, up over the gravelly bank onto the main path of the woods, turn right going uphill– follow the wide path up an incline to the top. (Keep on the Pink Deviock trail) At the top of the hill follow the pink sign left. Keep going straight at the dip/crossroads. Come out onto a large path. Right turn. The pink sign is up ahead of you. Turn right onto smaller path, still following the pink path. At the end of this path turn left, again, at the pink sign! Run

down the narrow path. Be aware, it is slippery, muddy and stony. At the bottom of this path, turn left. When you get to the wider path you will see a pink sign indicating left and a green sign (Lidicutt Loop) indicating right. This time take the green sign turning right. Stay on the green route till you reach the main loop again. Turn right, run past the Anteater!

Follow the main path, turn right up the narrow steep path (opposite the purple, pink and grey signs)

At the top of the track, cross the path and continue up along the long steep path (Escape from cardy segment on strava!)

Go through the gate, run along the public footpath in the field. Keep the windmill on your right. This is a working farm. Please be mindful of the animals and the people who work here. It is in the middle of lambing and calving time.

Through the left hand gate and along the top of the track in the field (keep the pylon on your left)

Through the gate, follow the road to the farm buildings

Stay on the road to the bridge across the main A30.

Run on the pavement (stay on the left) cross the road keeping the roundabout on your right.

Cross the road at the traffic island

Stay on the pavement all the way to the church in Bodmin (past B&M, KFC, Asda etc)

When you get to Lidl, turn right at the pedestrian access, run on the pavement, cross the road and run behind the church on Church Lane

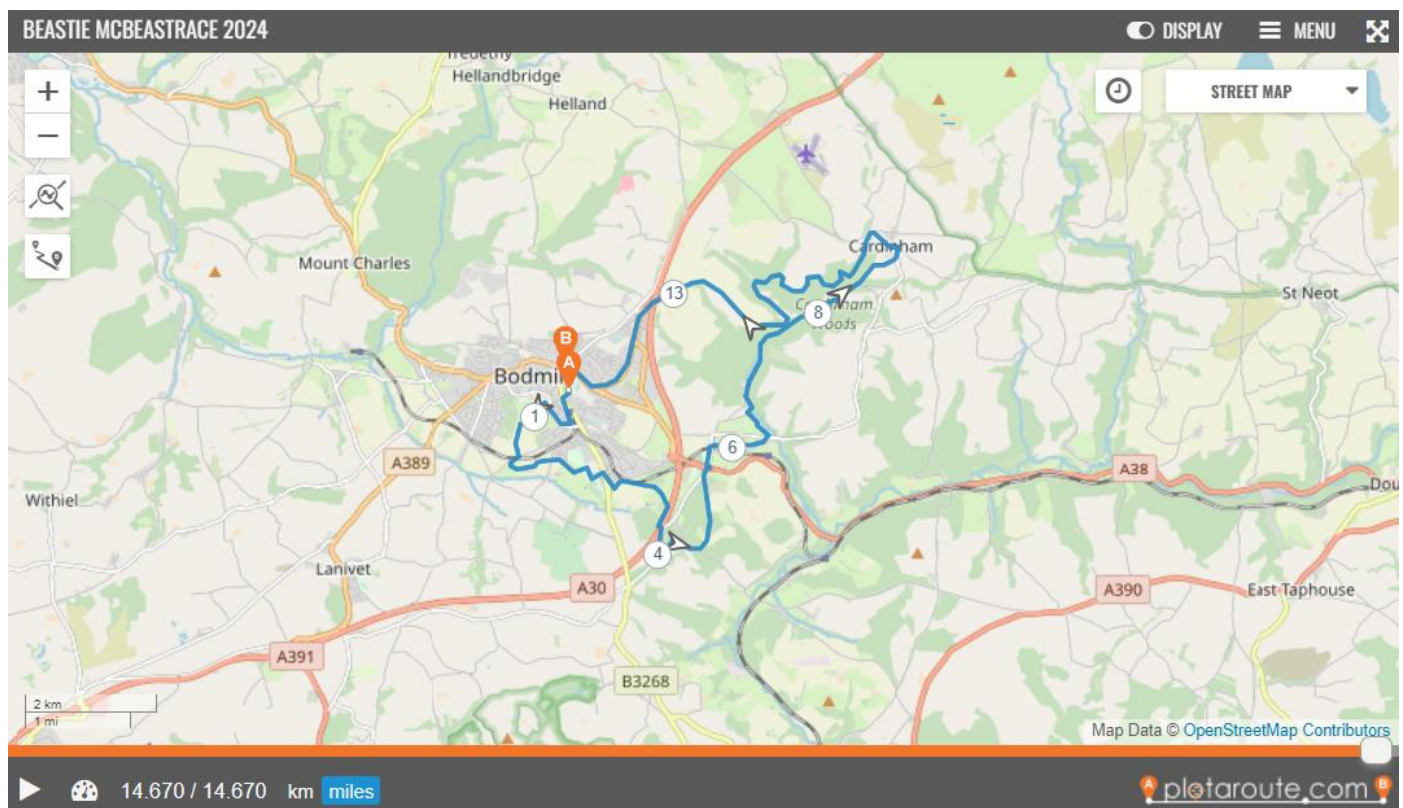
Turn left onto Castle Street (not up Castle Street)

Run down to Dennison road, turn left, run to the church steps

Up the steps to the church door and finish!

Beastie McBeastRace, The Beastly Half

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Up Monk Walk/Way to St Nicholas Street
Turn left towards the Steam railway (Do not cross the road until you are at the traffic lights as directed by the marshal)
Cross the road at the traffic lights, continue along Harleigh Road
At the end of Harleigh road follow the path on the right along Beacon Road
Cross onto the Beacon as directed by the marshal. This is the 2 nd entrance to the Beacon after the Bosvenna View housing estate
Follow the directions from the marshals Left at the wooden gate
Follow the middle path keeping the site of the Beacon monument on your right
Straight on from the Beacon, through the gap in the field, keep the hedge on your right, run down the field to the stone stile
Turn right, along the path to the next stone stile on your left
Over the stile, down the field to the next stone stile
Down the tarmac path, turn left towards the road
At the end of the path turn right run over the railway bridge (ignore the public footpath on the left!)
Down the road to the public footpath sign by the Kirland Sign (Not along St Gurons Way (Railway Line))
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Turn right and run down Respryn Road (as the beginning loop to Lanhydrock)
Turn right through gate to woods Follow path through woods, over bridge, up path to Lanhydrock
Run to Lanhydrock, now turn left through the red gate towards the café and toilets Aid station here in Gazebo
Run through the main car park towards the orange bike route. Keep the Cricket club on your right (running through the wooded area)
At the end of the muddy path go through the red gate, cross the road to the woods, go through the barrier. Stay on this middle pathway all the way to the end (left goes to cycle trail, right goes to Respryn)
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Run down past the Crematorium, over the railway bridge turn right onto Sunnybank. Run to the end of the road (Stable Art and Coby's coffee shop will be on your right)
Cross the road, over the stile into the field. Follow all of the stiles along the stream (on your right hand side) pass the abandoned car by the stream. Before you get to Little Margate House you will see an electric fence. Follow the electric fence along the field following the hedge. When you reach the end of

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Turn right, (Margate Lane) run towards Cardinham Woods
On the approach to Cardinham Woods keep the car park and public toilets on your left, run along the path on the right of the toilets, keep going on this path until you see the next marshal
Turn left down a narrow path (Cardinham Water) (Farm style buildings here)
Stay on the path, run past Ladyvale Barn, The Goat House
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Straight across the field (through the gate or over the stile) and up the next field towards the tree line
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Turn left, run a few feet then turn left through the metal gate
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Follow the main path, turn right up the narrow steep path (opposite the purple, pink and grey signs)
At the top of the track, cross the path and continue up along the long steep path (Escape from cardy segment on strava!)
Go through the gate, run along the public footpath in the field. Keep the windmill on your right. This is a working farm. Please be mindful of the animals and the people who work here. It is in the middle of lambing and calving time.
Through the left hand gate and along the top of the track in the field (keep the pylon on your left)
Through the gate, follow the road to the farm buildings
Stay on the road to the bridge across the main A30.
Run on the pavement (stay on the left) cross the road keeping the roundabout on your right.
Cross the road at the traffic island
Stay on the pavement all the way to the church in Bodmin (past B&M, KFC, Asda etc)
When you get to Lidl, turn right at the pedestrian access, run on the pavement, cross the road and run behind the church on Church Lane
Turn left onto Castle Street (not up Castle Street)
Run down to Dennison road, turn left, run to the church steps
Up the steps to the church door and finish!

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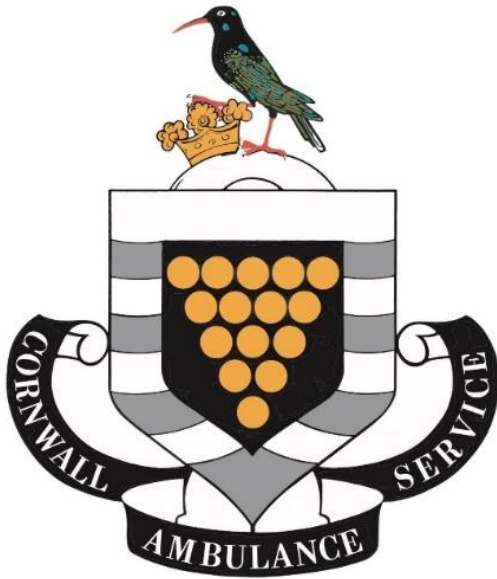


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Cardinham Woods



Cornwall Ambulance Service and East Cornwall Search and Rescue Team will be providing our Medical Cover this year. The wonderful Norman Trebilcock will be part of the crew x

Contact 07977 445 312 or 07876 424 338



We have support from our local Scout groups. They will be guiding you along the way at Lanhydrock and The Beacon Nature Reserve x

BYS VYKEN EVENTS

Martin and Sarah have sponsored our Spot Prizes for the day. We thank you from the bottom of our hearts for their kind generosity x

Look up their events, they are amazing:

<https://www.bysvykenevents.com/>



For the ongoing support from our local County Councillors; Leigh Frost and Dan Rogerson

For the wonderful ongoing support we get from Celtic Produce. They supply the fruit for our event



Neil and Natalie have kindly sponsored us again and are providing the transport for our Bag Drop. Thank you very much xxx



Our lovely friends from Soul Kitchen, 5 Honey Street, Bodmin, PL31 2DL are supplying our First Aiders and Beacon Beast Crew with Breakfast.

They will be open for breakfast on the day. They are a 4/5 minute walk away from the Registration hall.

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Thank you for the kind donations of the refreshments at the church and the Age Category prizes x



The Pad at 27 Normandy Way, Walker Lines, Bodmin and The Equally Abled Team provided marshals and will host the sharing of the funds event
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Proper Cornish has kindly given us a financial donation.



Our local Morrisons and Asda supermarkets support us every year. This year they have contributed towards bottles of water for the finish and some refreshments at the aid stations.

The churches who made the route possible after the creation of the Bodmin Way to link up the churches in the Bodmin and it's surrounding areas

St Hydroc's Church, Lanhydrock



Lanhydrock was part of the Great Priory of St Petroc at Bodmin until the 1530s. The present church, Grade I listed, is 15th century and was dedicated to St Hydroc, a Celtic missionary from Ireland, who founded a monastery here in the 5th century. The Robartes family were patrons of the church and worshipped at St Hydroc's for 300 years, from when Lanhydrock house was built in the 17th century until the

house passed to the National Trust in the 20th century. Sir Richard Robartes, 1st Baronet, made some alterations and the church was restored and the chancel extended between 1886 and 1888. It is the Parish Church of St Hydroc and not part of the National Trust Estate at Lanhydrock.

St Stephen's Church, Nanstallon



The church was built in the 1870s as a mission church. It was extensively restored between 2000 and 2006, largely by the effort of the local community. The church is now part of the larger parish of Bodmin, a town whose history as the major shrine to St Petroc is reflected by his depiction, alongside St Stephen, in the church's east window. St Stephen's patronal festival is on Boxing Day, and the village celebrates this on the first Sunday after Christmas.

Lanivet Parish Church



The site of this church has been a centre of worship for more than 900 years. The present church is 15th century. In the grounds are a 10th century Celtic wheel cross, claimed to mark the centre of Cornwall and a 13th century four-holed cross. Another ten ancient crosses can be found in the parish. The church stands at the mid-point of three routes, The Bodmin Way, a Cornish Celtic Way and the Saints'

Way, which is the pilgrims' route to Fowey, on to the shrines of France and eventually to Santiago de Compostela in northern Spain.

St Meubred's Church, Cardinham



The church was founded by St Meubred, a saint from the 5th or 6th century. It has north and south aisles and a tower of granite. The church had a final rebuild early in the reign of Henry VIII. The oldest monument in the church grounds is late 6th century. It was found in the churchyard wall and erected in 1896. It is a good example of an early Christian memorial stone and is one of 37 in Cornwall. The medieval

cross head, found embedded in the east wall of the church, was removed during the 19th century renovation and was cemented on to the top of the shaft in 1896. The 9th century wheel-headed cross is one of the best in England and the most southerly example of Scandinavian style. Its cross was used as building material in the east wall of the chancel before being reinstated in the grounds. In the church is the brass of Thomas Awmarle, rector from 1356-1401.

St Petroc's Church, Bodmin



The existing church was built between 1469 and 1472 and was the largest church in Cornwall, until the building of Truro Cathedral was completed in 1910; it is still the largest parish church and one of the oldest in the county. The bell tower's base has masonry from the original Norman church on the site. The magnificent Norman font was also

saved from the previous church and is said to be one of the five best in England. Grade 1 listed, the church underwent two Victorian restorations and another in 1930. Part of the church is the Regimental Chapel of the Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry dedicated in 1932.