

# WELCOME TO THE UTX50 2017



## ■ **Mandatory Gear - IMPORTANT PLEASE READ!** *ITEMS TO BE CARRIED AT ALL TIMES BY EACH PARTICIPANT*

**By agreeing to run you are agreeing to be a responsible athlete, and confirm that you have the mandatory gear for your own safety.**

Please understand that we are trying to keep these low-key events fun and friendly, however, your bags will be checked for all mandatory items at race check-in. The list has been given from personal race knowledge and experience for your own safety and is not there just to be mean and make you carry more stuff! Accidents happen and your first aid kit, whistle and mobile phone are essential for your safety. It is also very warm - dehydration is a potential life-threatening situation - your water pack and electrolytes are essential for proper hydration and staying cramp-free. Overhydrating can also be a risk so please ensure you have a good balance of water as well as replacement salts/electrolytes. Winners will be checked for full kit at the finish line and issued a time penalty for missing items.

- **1.5 LTR HYDRATION** - (Nathan/Salomon/Camelbak, bottles etc) full to capacity at the start line.
- **HEADTORCH** (NOT supplied) with spare batteries
- **CELL PHONE** Fully charged with pre-programmed number of Race & Course Directors - only operational on race day.
- **WATER POUCH** (SUPPLIED) Drinks are pumped, NOT given in bottles or disposable cups.
- **WHISTLE**
- **SMALL SURVIVAL MIRROR** 5cm sq min
- **SMALL POCKET KNIFE** Blade or sharp pen knife or equivalent
- **SURVIVAL BLANKET**
- **EMPTY ZIPLOCK** - please take rubbish home, please do not drop any litter, however small along the course.
- **COURSE MAP PRINTOUT AND COORDINATES**
- **FIRST AID KIT:** Contents to include the following: 4"x4" gauze pads, medical tape, Antibacterial cream, 3" wide Ace Bandage, Painkiller tablets, Anti-inflammatory tablets (Voltaren, Ibuprofen etc.) *NOTE: The list is a guideline to the content of a first aid kit. We trust that your first aid kit would include any specific medication you require personally, and be comprehensive enough to deal with most medical situations.*

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OPTIONAL/RECOMMENDED GEAR Sand gaiters, Sunglasses, Peaked hat with or without neck flap, Sunscreen, Small scissors, Spare Duct Tape, Energy Gels/Nutrition, Hand sanitizer/wet wipes, Toilet roll, Camera/extra battery, Warm evening clothes, spare socks, Rain jacket.

**Most importantly**

**WE WANT YOU TO HAVE FUN AND ENJOY YOUR ULTRA ADVENTURE!**

**And don't forget to smile - our videographer and photographer will be out to capture your best  
(and worst) moments!**

## **HAPPY RUNNING - ENJOY YOUR RACE!**

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