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Devon Coast to Coast Day 3

Climb South West



Route Summary

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Route Overview



Category: Trail Running Rating: Unrated Surface: Undefined Date Published: 16th January 2018 Difficulty: Medium Length: 46.300 km / 28.94 mi Last Modified: 5th April 2019

Description

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With Dartmoor a recent memory, this section sees the runners head through the heart of the Devon countryside on towards Exmoor. Leaving Hittisleigh, you will start the day in the quiet country lanes, down narrow footpaths, through woods and across fields. Fairly early in the run, you arrive at a small railway crossing; this is the line that connects Exeter to Okehampton; though trains only run a handful of times a day, it is still worth keeping an eye out! The next few miles of the journey visits a few pretty Devon villages, some real hidden gems; this should work well for support crews helping you out along the way and providing that cup of tea you might need; Morchard Bishop and Witheridge are two of the larger ones.

As you approach Knowstone, Exmoor comes more into sight and the excitement of leg 4 builds. You will pass by a Boar farm, don't be alarmed by the sight, smell and sounds of the animals. With all the farmland and countryside from this leg, you will be used to all sorts of animals by this point!

A couple more fields and lanes and you will reach the checkpoint at Yeo Mill Village Hall, a stone's throw from the Exmoor boundary.

Waypoints

Morchard Bishop Checkpoint (50.85456; -3.74410)



All participants must visit this checkpoint. Our team will be here to guide you.

Witheridge Village Hall Checkpoint

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