Year 5/6 Orienteering

**Betteshanger Park**

**Sandwich Road, Deal, CT14 0BF**

**Event: Year 5/6 Orienteering**

**Where: Betteshanger Park**

**When: 16th May 2023**

**Time: 1230 – 1430**

Please read the information below if you are interested in entering this event. The event will take place at Betteshanger Country Park on their orienteering course. The children will have an opportunity to develop their map reading skills, terrain observation and distance orientation on a bespoke orienteering route.

**Team information**

1. Teams consist of 4 players from year 5/6.
2. A maximum of 10 teams can enter

**General information**

1. As part of the entry to the event, schools are responsible for their own teams including first aid and welfare.
2. Please ensure that correct footwear is worn for outdoor activity.
3. There is no previous experience required for the activity.

**Event Format**

Instructors at Betteshanger Park will be creating a bespoke orienteering course for the children. Teams will be navigating their way to checkpoints using maps provided. Teachers accompanying teams will be expected to supervise the children through the course but enable the children to lead, problem solve and ultimately be the ‘decision makers’.

The event is suitable for children that thrive in an outdoor learning environment (which is most) and have not had the opportunity to represent their school previously.

**Orienteering @ Betteshanger Park**

Please complete the details in the boxes below to enter and email to the School Games Organiser, Stephanie Selsby sgo@ursuline.kent.sch.uk to arrive no later than midnight on **Thursday 27th April 2023.**

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| School Name |  |
| Contact Name |  |
| Email |  |
| Contact Number |  |

There is a limit of 10 teams for this event and places will be allocated on a first-come, first served basis from **7.30am on Thursday 20th April 2023**. Entries before this date and time will not be accepted.

 Please check this box to confirm that you have read and understood the Thanet Passport Code of Conduct for School Sport.

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