

Dear

Thank you for your enquiry about the Young Farmers Extreme Festival:

We at Skydive UK in conjunction with Young Farmers and 3 major charities are organising a large scale event to bring together Young Farmers of all ages from Devon, Cornwall, Wiltshire, Dorset and Somerset on 4 separate days during the summer of 2009:

- Friday 8th May 2009
- Friday 5th June 2009
- Friday 3rd July 2009
- Friday 28th August 2009

The aim of the Extreme Festival is to raise funds for the Wiltshire Air Ambulance, The Children's Hospice South West and Marie Curie Cancer Care.

There are 3 sponsored activities on offer:

A Freefall Tandem Skydive from 15,000ft which offers approximately a 2 mile (60 second) free fall followed by a 5-6 minute parachute descent!

The younger members of your club can still get involved by sponsoring their Teddy Bear to complete a Free Fall Skydive with a qualified instructor or a colleague who is making a tandem skydive!

Prefer the idea of flying than falling? Take part in a Microlight Flight, where you will fly with the freedom in an open cockpit and experience the air rushing past you as you fly above the countryside!

Following the days events an all night party including BBQ and Disco will take place (don't forget your tent)!!



TANDEM SKYDIVING

Tandem is an easy and enjoyable way to experience the thrills of skydiving without having to learn how. The exhilarating freefall combined with the peace and tranquillity of the parachute ride makes Tandem Skydiving a unique experience you will never forget.

What happens on the day?

After a short briefing on arrival at the Airfield, your qualified Instructor will gear you up and together you will make your way out to the aircraft. Once on board, you will be securely harnessed to your Instructor and the flight will begin to your designated exit height. Enjoy the views on ascent as you will be able to see the three coastlines of South Devon, North Devon and across the Bristol Channel to South Wales, making our drop zone one of the most scenic in the country.

Once at altitude, the door will open and your ears will be filled with the rush of air and engine noise. You will feel the indescribable anticipation as your Instructor edges you towards the open door. Then, with your heart pumping and the view of distant fields below you, it's off into freefall. Feel the adrenaline rush over you as you accelerate to 120mph and freefall up to 2 miles, before your Instructor deploys the parachute.

As the large square canopy unfolds above your head, you will become aware of the sudden peace and quiet of the parachute ride. You will be able to take the controls and help your Instructor steer the parachute around the sky before he takes full control for the descent to the landing area.

After your feet have touched the ground, you will feel the natural high of taking part in the YFC Extreme Festival!

Restrictions for a Tandem Skydive

The standard upper weight limit is 15 stone / 95 kilos (fully clothed)

Please call the office if you are between 15 to 18 stone.

Reasonable weight to height ratios and levels of fitness also apply.

The minimum age is 16 years and there is no upper age limit. If you are aged between 16 and 18 you must obtain a parent or guardians consent. If you have any medical conditions or are aged 40 or above you must consult your GP to sign and stamp the BPA medical form.

These forms are available on request or will be sent to you with confirmation once a booking has been confirmed.

PRICE LIST

Please note all prices include British Parachute Association Insurance and Membership.

SPONSORED TANDEM £395

DEPOSIT £50

Booking a Parachute Jump can raise many questions; please do not hesitate to contact Skydive UK with any queries you may have on 01404 890222.

MY SKYDIVING TEDDYBEAR

If you are under 16 or do not wish to jump yourself why not sponsor your Teddy Bear to do the jump for you?! Send your brave Teddy Bear into Freefall with an experienced skydiver and help to raise money for your charity!

You will receive a sponsorship pack and once your Teddy Bear has landed safely back on earth they will be awarded their First Jump Certificate! If you are unable to attend your Teddy Bear's Skydive then you can package it safely and send it to us, we will then return it once it has jumped with its certificate.

You and your Teddy Bear will need to raise a minimum of £25.
(£10 Registration Fee and £15 sponsorship to the charity)
(If sending Teddy Bear an additional £5 postage is required)

You can increase the amount raised by asking people to donate to Gift Aid allowing the charity to claim back the Tax on the sponsorship raised.
Currently 28p in ever £1 you donate.

EXAMPLE: MINIMUM £25 RAISED AND ALL SPONSORS TICK GIFT AID BOX RAISES AN EXTRA £7.00 FOR THE CHARITY.

What to do next

Fill out the Booking form below and send a cheque payable to Skydive Uk Ltd for £10

Or you can send your Teddy Bear to us to do their Skydive and will post your Teddy Bear back to you with their certificate! (Additional £5 postage payable).

Please send to your booking form and cheque to your nominated Charity (See Page ????)

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Here: _____

Name: _____ Address: _____

_____ POSTCODE: _____

My Teddy Bear's Name is: _____

My Teddy Bear would like to do a Skydive on (please circle):

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Or you can send your Teddy Bear to us to do their Skydive and will post your Teddy Bear back to you with their certificate! (Additional £5 postage payable).

Please send to: My Skydiving Teddy Bear, Skydive UK, Dunkeswell Airfield, Dunkeswell, Honiton, Devon, EX14 4LG

MICROLIGHT FLIGHT

A Microlight Flight is an easy and enjoyable way to experience the thrills of flying without having to learn how. The exhilaration of take off as you climb thousands of feet above Devon's stunning countryside, with the air rushing past you in an open cockpit. Depending on how you feel your instructor will give you the option to take the controls and fly this very manoeuvrable aircraft and wave to your friends as your instructor brings you back down to earth safely for a soft landing.

What happens on the day?

After a short briefing on arrival at the Airfield, your qualified Instructor will gear you up and together you will make your way out to the aircraft. Once on board, you will have communications through a head set to your instructor as you taxi out for take off. Enjoy the views on ascent and once you have climbed to your cruising altitude your instructor will give you the option to take control of the aircraft which will be covered in your pre-flight brief, giving you the satisfaction that you flew it all by yourself. Your instructor will then take full control for the descent for landing.

After your wheels have touched the ground, you will feel the natural high of taking part in the YFC Extreme Festival!

Restrictions for a Microlight Flight

The standard upper weight limit is 15 stone / 95 kilos (fully clothed)

The minimum age is 14 years and there is no upper age limit. If you are aged between 14 and 18 you must obtain a parent or guardians consent.

Insurance

You are covered up to one million pounds third party cover.

SPONSORED CHARITY ACTIVITIES-JUMP OR FLY 4 FREE!!

How do I Jump or Fly for FREE?

Simply choose which charity you would like to jump/fly for:

Wiltshire Air Ambulance:

Wiltshire's Air Ambulance was formed in April 1990 as a joint venture between the Wiltshire Ambulance Service and Wiltshire Police. The Appeal is funded entirely by the people of Wiltshire, who raise in excess of £350,000.00 per year, which helps contribute towards the running costs to keep the helicopter flying. In the history of the Wiltshire Air Ambulance the helicopter and crew have attended thousands of incidents, saving countless lives. In 2007 we flew 366 patients to hospital and attended more than 700 incidents with the aircraft.

We can cover an area of approximately 2160 square miles, and has proved to be invaluable in the more rural farming communities. The Wiltshire Air Ambulance is one of only 2 Air ambulances in the UK who are able to fly at night with its thermal imaging camera and powerful spotlight, flying 19 hours a day, from 8am to 3am, 365 days per year."

Children's Hospice South West:

"Children's Hospice South West provides the only two children's hospices that care for life-limited children in the South West area. At Little Bridge House in North Devon and Charlton Farm in North Somerset we offer love, friendship, play, laughter and support for up to 400 life-limited children and their families each year.

Children's Hospice South West need to raise £6 million each year to run their two hospices, and with very little government funding, relies almost entirely on the generosity of the local community.

With the launch of the Precious Lives Appeal, the time has now come to add the final piece to the network of very special care provided by the charity, by bringing this service nearer to many children who live in Cornwall and Plymouth."

Marie Curie Cancer Care:

"Marie Curie Cancer Care provides high quality nursing care to give terminally ill people the choice of dying at home supported by their families. In Wiltshire there are 8 Marie Curie Nurses caring for local patients within their own homes. Our nurses work around the clock providing practical nursing and emotional support, for patients and their families at home, totally free."

Then all you have to do is raise a minimum amount of sponsorship money and the charity of your choice will pay for your jump/flight & training out of the sponsorship and the charity will receive a large donation from all of your efforts. The minimum amounts they will ask you to raise are as follows:

Sponsored Tandem Skydive - **£395**
Sponsored Microlight Flight- **£150**

From these figures, the charity will receive a guaranteed donation of at least **£165** for your Tandem Skydive or **£75** for your Microlight Flight and you will

Jump/Fly 4 FREE!

Even more to Charity

Donations to charity can be greatly increased by adding **Gift Aid**.

Sponsors who pay income tax can simply tick the Gift Aid box on our sponsorship forms, enabling any registered charity to claim a further 28p for every £1 donated.

For Example:

TANDEM £395 + Gift Aid (28pence x 360= £110.60) + Guaranteed Donation £110 New Donation **£220.60**

MICROLIGHT FLIGHT £150+Gift Aid (28pence x 150 = £42.00) + Guaranteed Donation £75= New Donation **£117.00**

Payment scheme

With Our sponsorship scheme, you won't even be expected to pay all the money up front. You will firstly need to reserve your place for the jump/flight with a small booking deposit of £50. Then on the day, you will be required to pay the balance of the jump of £180(TANDEM) or £25 (MICROLIGHT FLIGHT), in CASH and also give us a personal cheque payable to your chosen charity for a minimum of £110 (TANDEM) or £75 (MICROLIGHT FLIGHT).

However, most charities do not expect to receive sponsorship money until at least 4 weeks after the date of your jump, so you can post-date your cheques, giving you plenty of time to collect any outstanding sponsorship money. Then, if you have raised the minimum amount of £395 (TANDEM) or £150 (MICROLIGHT FLIGHT) you can reclaim the full cost of your jump from the sponsorship money.

What do I do next?

Step 1: Complete the booking form, stating the charity of your choice and return it along with the £50 deposit.

Step 2: We will then send you the relevant charity pack and confirmation of the date of your jump/flight.

Step 3: On the day of your jump/flight you are required to bring with you;
Medical Form and/or Parent/Guardian Consent Form if applicable.
Balance of jump/flight in CASH
Personal cheque made payable to the charity of your choice for a minimum of £110 (TANDEM) or £75 (MICROLIGHT).
A copy of your sponsorship form's to enable your chosen charity to collect back the 28p in the pound (gift aid)

PLEASE SEND BOOKING FORMS TO:

*Young Farmers Extreme Festival
Skydive UK
Dunkeswell Airfield
Dunkeswell
Honiton
Devon
EX14 4LG*