

# North Downs 50 Ultra Challenge

**Saturday 1st August 2026**

Set in the heart of the Surrey Hills Area of Outstanding Natural Beauty, the North Downs 50 Ultra Challenge offers a stunning looped route from Guildford Basecamp. Whether you're walking, jogging, or running, this mid-summer challenge is packed with variety, scenic views, and full support throughout. With multiple distance options and a welcoming atmosphere, it's perfect for all fitness levels.

## Challenge Options

- 50 km Loop - full challenge with rest stops and support
- 25 km Loop - half challenge with scenic highlights
- 10 km Loop - ideal for beginners or a shorter day out

## Route Highlights

- Chantry Woods, Chilworth, Chinthurst Hill
- Historic St Martha's Hill & Newlands Corner nature reserve
- Chalk ridges, ancient woodlands, and panoramic views
- Fully signed route with GPS tracking
- Rest stops every ~12.5 km

## Support Includes

- Covered rest stops with food, drink, medical and massage teams
- Medal, finisher's T-shirt, and glass of fizz at the finish
- Shuttle buses, transfers, and optional university-style accommodation

## Funding options

You can take part in The North Downs Ultra 50 Challenge 2026 in support of Dingley's Promise, whether you choose to self-fund your place or opt for a fundraising package that helps cover your entry fee with a fundraising target.

### Self-Funded Fundraising

If you'd prefer to cover the entry fee yourself, you're free to fundraise whatever you can. There's no pressure, just raise what feels right for you. Every step you take helps Dingley's Promise support more families and make a real difference.

- 50km - £139.00 registration fee + fundraising what you can
- 25km - £89.00 registration fee + fundraising what you can
- 10km - £39.00 registration fee + fundraising what you can

### Funded Places (Full Sponsorship)

We will cover the cost of your place, just commit to a fundraising target to help Dingley's Promise continue supporting families in need.

- 50km + £850.00 minimum fundraising pledge
- 25km+ £600.00 minimum fundraising pledge
- 10km+ £350.00 minimum fundraising pledge

To sign up email [fundraising@dingley.org.uk](mailto:fundraising@dingley.org.uk), and you'll receive a Dingley support kit, help setting up your JustGiving page, and encouragement and support on your fundraising journey.

Accept the challenge, ignite hope for children with SEND.