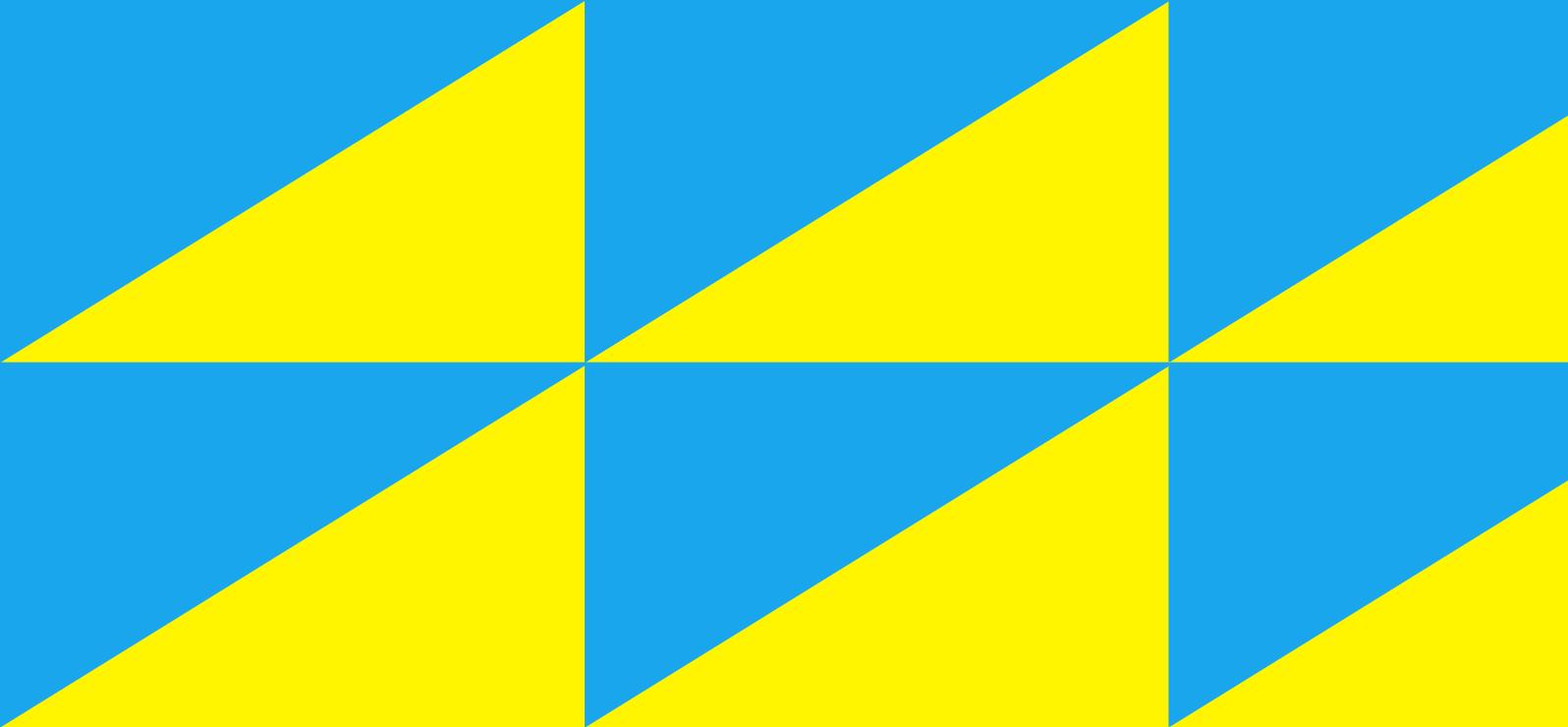


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GetPRO  **Bath miles**

Presented by Bath College

PARTICIPANT EVENT GUIDE

Saturday 14 March 2026



Welcome

We can't wait to see you at the 2026 GetPRO Bath Miles presented by Bath College on Saturday 14 March.

We hope you're as excited as we are!

Please read this guide carefully – it contains all the information you need to have an amazing day.

We know there's a lot to take in, so we've broken it down into five essential things you need to know...

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1 YOUR EVENT PACK

Your Event Pack, containing your unique bib number (see the example opposite) and safety pins to attach it to your top, should arrive in the post by Monday 9 March 2026.

You need your Event Pack to take part in the event. If you have not received your pack by 17:00 on this date, please complete the [replacement pack form](#).

REPLACEMENT PACKS

If you need a replacement Event Pack, you must fill in the form and collect your pack from one of the following locations:

From 10:00 to 18:30 on Friday 13 March at the Apex City of Bath Hotel, James Street West, BA1 2DA.

From 09:30 on Saturday 14 March at the Event Village Information Point in Royal Victoria Park.

The what3words location of the Information Point is: **///chew.meal.plenty**

PARENTS AND GUARDIANS

If you have a child or young person taking part, please tear off the identification strip, which is attached to their bib, and keep it safe.

You'll need to show the participant's identification strip to our Safeguarding Team in the Child Collection Area after they have completed the GetPRO Bath Miles presented by Bath College.



Everyone is welcome!

We want everyone to feel welcome at the GetPRO Bath Miles presented by Bath College and we aim to make the event accessible to all. We have a variety of inclusion initiatives to help make sure you have a great day.

If you need to take a moment in the Event Village, there will be a Sensory Calm Tent, Parent and Child Tent (including a playpen and space for breastfeeding/pumping), and a Multi-Faith Prayer Tent. You're welcome to use these facilities whenever you need to.

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HOW TO GET TO THE EVENT

You must go to the Event Village, which is located on Middle Common in Royal Victoria Park.

Follow the signs to the Event Village. Access is available from Cow Lane.

Train services

Great Western Railway will be running its usual Saturday service. For more information, see GWR.com or [National Rail enquiries](#).

Bus services

There will be a number of changes and diversions to normal scheduled bus services over the weekend. Details of affected services are on the [Travel West website](#).

Park & Ride

Bath & North East Somerset Council's Park & Rides at Lansdown, Newbridge and Odd Down will be operating on Event Day, Saturday 14 March.



Know your important times

We've emailed you your wave number, suggested arrival time at the Event Village and wave start time. A timetable is also shown below.

Please arrive at the Event Village at least half an hour before your wave start time. The Event Village will be open from 09:30, so you're welcome to come along and enjoy the fun activities on offer before and after your wave. You can read more information about the Event Village on the next page.

Wave	Wave name	Arrival time	Start time
1	Daily Mile and junior parkrun	10:30	11:00
2	Family Wave	11:00	11:30
3	Family Wave	11:30	12:00
4	Community Wave	12:00	12:30
5	Family Wave	12:30	13:00

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WHEN YOU ARRIVE AT THE EVENT

Once you arrive at the Event Village, please familiarise yourself with the area, take part in the activities on offer and use whichever facilities you need to.

See the Event Village map on the next page.

ACTIVITIES

There will be fun activities for all the family to keep you entertained – from face painting to circus skills!

FACILITIES

There will be vendors selling food and drink. Toilets, including accessible toilets, and a Water Refill Station will also be available, so please bring a refillable bottle to use.

YOUR BELONGINGS

We can't look after your belongings while you take part in the Bath Miles, so please only bring items that you're able to run, jog or walk with. Or leave your bag(s) with one of your supporters!

START PROCEDURE

Around 15 minutes before your start wave, you will be called into the Start Area. Please be ready and waiting for your call.

Make sure you pin your bib number to the front of your top. Enjoy your run, jog, walk or wheel!

ENTERTAINMENT AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

There will be music playing, as well as important information broadcast throughout day, please listen carefully to any instructions.

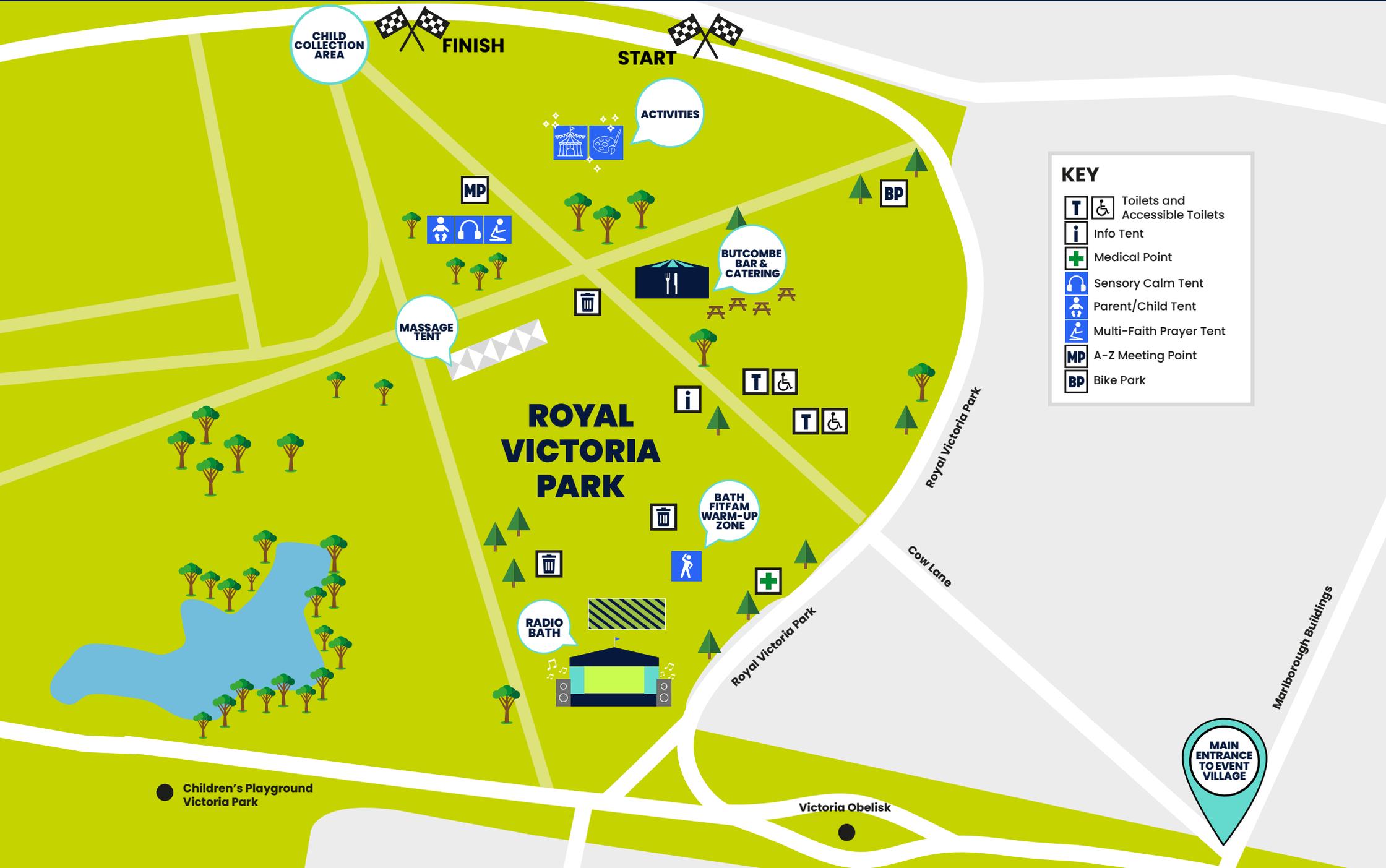
USE OUR RECYCLING STATIONS

Our team will take your waste from you to sort and place into the correct bin to maximise recycling levels at the event.

DONATE YOUR OLD TRAINERS

We're supporting [**JogOn, the running shoe collection campaign**](#). If you'd like to donate any of your old running shoes, please leave them at the JogOn drop-off point in the Event Village.





KEY

- Toilets and Accessible Toilets
- Info Tent
- Medical Point
- Sensory Calm Tent
- Parent/Child Tent
- Multi-Faith Prayer Tent
- A-Z Meeting Point
- Bike Park

● Children's Playground
Victoria Park

● Victoria Obelisk



4 AFTER CROSSING THE START LINE

The one-mile course is set on a traffic-free, tarmac road circuit in Royal Victoria Park.

See the course map on the next page.

The course will be stewarded by staff and volunteers, with a safeguarding lead present.

Adults are welcome to take part, but where possible we encourage you to allow children to participate unaccompanied in the children's waves.

Taking part in the event alone can be an amazing opportunity for young people to build confidence, make friends and have fun in a safe space.

Parents, guardians, and supporters can follow the entire looped course to cheer on their participant(s).

The parent or guardian of the participant remains responsible for the whereabouts and behaviour of the participant at all times.

DROPPING OUT

If you, your child or young person wants to stop participating at any point on the course, please inform a steward.

If a child or young person is taking part unaccompanied and wants to exit the course, they must inform the nearest steward, who will take them to the Child Collection Area to be reunited with you.

Please explain this process to your child or young person if they are taking part unaccompanied.



PERIMETER ROAD MILE LOOP

PARTICIPANTS RUN IN AN ANTI-CLOCKWISE DIRECTION ON A MILE LOOP AROUND THE PERIMETER OF THE PARK. THEY WILL PASS THE CHILDREN'S PLAYGROUND AND THE VICTORIA OBELISK UNTIL THEY REACH THE FINISH. MARSHALS ARE STRATEGICALLY PLACED SO ALL PARTICIPANTS ARE IN SIGHT AT ALL TIMES.



KEY

- TOILETS AND ACCESSIBLE TOILETS
- INFO TENT
- WALKING ROUTE TO CHILD COLLECTION AREA
- GETPRO BATH MILES ROUTE

● Children's Playground Victoria Park

● Victoria Obelisk

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AFTER CROSSING THE FINISH LINE

Once participants cross the Finish Line, it's time to collect their medal!

Upon finishing, unaccompanied children and young people will be taken to the Child Collection Area by our Safeguarding Team.

They will be looked after by our team until a parent or guardian can collect them.

PARENTS AND GUARDIANS

Please remember: if you have a child or young person taking part, you will need the identification strip, which is attached to their bib number, to collect them from our Safeguarding Team after they have completed their event.

FIRST AID

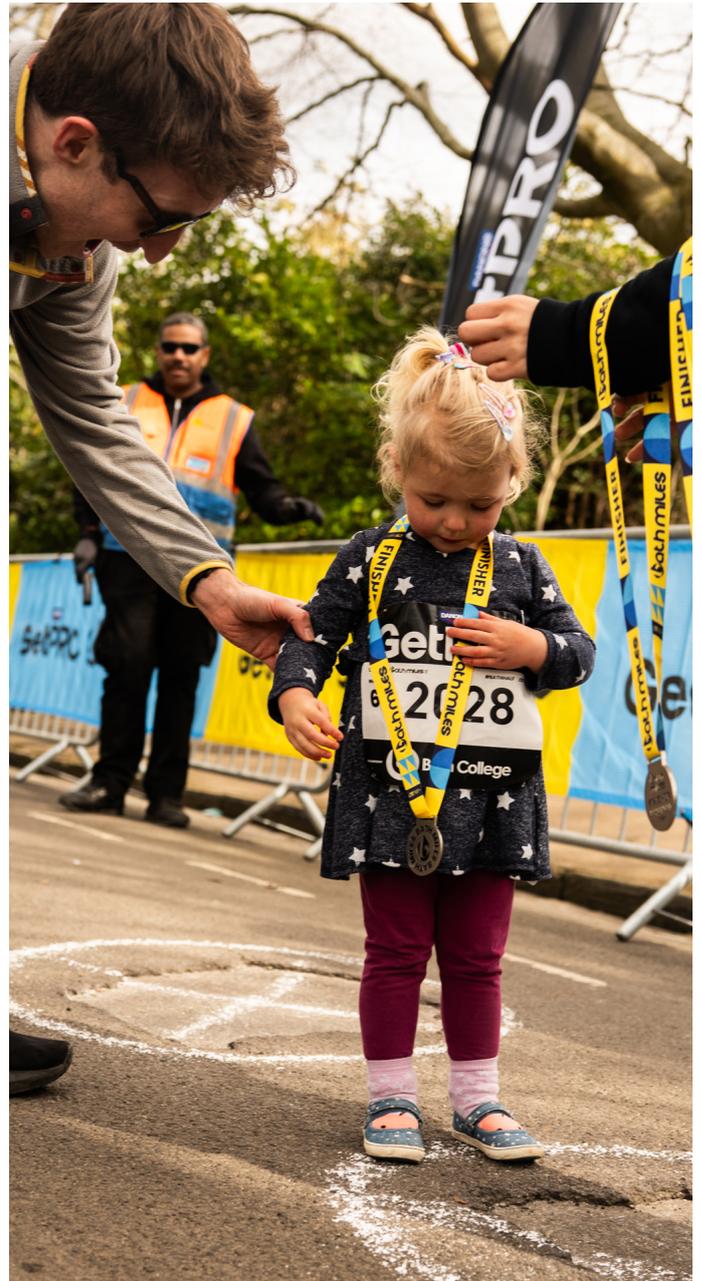
First-aiders will be positioned directly on the Finish Line. The health and wellbeing of our participants is extremely important to us, so please notify a member of the Event Team or Medical Team if you see a participant in need of medical assistance.

EVENT VILLAGE

Vendors will be selling food and drink, alcohol will be available at the Butcombe Brewery Bar, and we'll have music to keep you entertained. So please relax and enjoy yourself!

GOOD LUCK!

The most important thing is to have a great day. We can't wait to see you at the 2026 GetPRO Bath Miles presented by Bath College!



THANK YOU TO OUR PARTNERS

