



Commonwealth Mountain and Ultradistance Championships North Wales 2011



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Dear General Secretary,

The Commonwealth Games Federation has sanctioned the second Mountain and Ultra distance Running Commonwealth Championship which will take place in North Wales from 23rd to 25th September 2011. On behalf of the Commonwealth Championship Executive Committee, I invite your athletic federation to enter teams – or individuals - in the event.

I would appreciate you passing on this invitation to the people responsible for mountain and ultra distance running within your federation or association. If it is helpful, you could forward to me the contact details of that person so that I can contact them directly.

As it would help our forward planning could give me an early indication of your intention to enter a team or teams. I would appreciate an initial response by April 30th 2011. Entries and other details will be confirmed after this date.

We are fulfilling the Commonwealth Games Federation criteria as shown below and the accompanying document amplifies these criteria.

1. The relevant international Federations have sanctioned the event.
2. The event is open to all athletic federations or associations within the Commonwealth and is not open to countries outside the Commonwealth.
3. Adequate arrangements are in place for the organization of the event.
4. Up to £100,000 is being offered to provide financial support towards travel cost.
5. Accommodation half board is being offered up to 150 athletes and management
We will be able to give an indication of the size of grant being offered to each Commonwealth Country once we have received the initial response
6. A suitable range of events is being provided as listed below
 - (1) Friday 23rd September 2011 - 24 Hour road race Men /Women
 - (2) Saturday 24th September 2011 – Mountain Up and down Men 12kms, Women 8kms
 - (3) Sunday 25th September 2011 - Trail Race 55kms Men / Women
7. The events are listed under the World governing bodies approved Federation sports which are the WMRA and IAU .
8. There will be a minimum level of approved doping control standards in place.
9. Competition is provided equitably with three events for Men and three events for Women.
10. Each Commonwealth country can enter Five Men and Five Women for each event.
11. Website address : www.ultramountaincommonwealthchampionhips.org/index.htm





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Please do not hesitate to contact me if you require any further information.

I look forward to your reply.

Yours Sincerely,

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