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HonisterFest FAQ's

WHEN?

20th July 2019

WHERE IS THE FESTIVAL HELD?

Honister Slate Mine, Honister Pass, Borrowdale, CA12 5XN

WHAT ABOUT TRAVEL?

We are on the stagecoach bus route 77/77A and buses pass us frequently on Saturdays as well as stopping at seatoller.

https://ticon-maps-stagecoachbus.s3.amazonaws.com/Timetables/Cumbria/West%20Cumbria/77_77A_Apr19.pdf

Local taxi companies will also travel to our site

Parking is £5 per car if booked in advance, on the gate it is £7.50 per car

CAR PARKING IS LIMITED please car share where possible, alternatively parking is available in seatoller with a 25-minute walk up the pass to us

E-TICKETS?

You must print your booking confirmation to exchange for either a race number and/or your evening pass wrist band – there is no internet or phone signal up here to access this so no printed booking confirmation will prohibit entry to events.



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WHAT ARE THE GATE OPENING TIMES OPENING TIMES?

The site will be open from 8am,
Sign on for both races is from - 12:45pm
Honister Hurtle start time – 4:00pm
Honister Hill Climb - 3:30pm
Team Events - 4:00pm

Wristbands are required to access the Tipis - £25.00 if purchased in advance, £25 on the day.

Spectating is free - Carpark £5.00

YOGA SESSIONS

Friday 19th July @ 7:00pm

£7.00 per person

Saturday 20th July @ 8:00am

£7.00 per person

Please email info@honister.com for bookings.



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SPORTS PHYSIOTHERAPY/MASSAGE

We are delighted to be working with Adam Briggs of Mountain Massage Therapies of Cockermouth and Ryan Sibley Sports Massage Therapy of Keswick to be offering sports massages at a great deal of £10 for 10-minute treatments.

CAMPERVAN PARKING

Campervan parking is available at a charge of £15 per vehicle as an add on to the Slate Shindig Ticket!

This must be pre-booked and is NOT available on the day.

Please note campervan parking is not available if you are not attending the evening do.

No campfires, gazebos or awnings allowed. & Please take away everything you bring.

Further accommodation is available;

<http://seatollerfarm.co.uk/>

<https://chapelhousefarmcampsite.co.uk/>

<http://www.stonethwaitefarm.co.uk/campsite/>

<https://seathwaitefarmcamping.co.uk/>

CAMPSITE

Camping is available in seatoller by prior arrangement

<http://seatollerfarm.co.uk/>



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DOGS AT HONISTERFEST

Dogs are welcome on leads throughout the day however we regret that we cannot permit dogs on site during the evening event due to health and safety in the Tipis.

Please note we are on a fellside location surrounded by plenty of wonderful Herdwick sheep and will be surrounded by fell runners and cyclists and for this reason dogs must be kept on a lead.

WHAT NOT TO BRING

-Your own alcohol, you will not be permitted onsite with your own alcoholic beverages. These are available to purchase from our licenced bar in the Tipi's and will contribute towards our charitable donations post event.

- Your own food, you will not be permitted onsite with your own food. These are available to purchase from our licenced bar in the Tipi's and will contribute towards our charitable donations post event.

- Fireworks/sparklers, these are not permitted on site under any circumstances



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CHALLENGE 21 POLICY

Please bring ID for our fully licensed bar as you will be required to provide ID upon request.

LEAVE NO TRACE

Please use the waste disposal facilities provided, we are all caretakers of this unique and stunning location and it is up to each and every individual to ensure their waste is disposed of correctly – or even better, take home what you bring!

FOOD AT HONISTER FEST

We will have delicious locally sourced Hog Roast available from Mansergh Hall free for all wristband holders.

We kindly ask that people do not bring their own food or drink to their event, you will not be permitted into the tipis with your own drinks.

BOOKINGS

For the bike race or fell run please enter on Kong

For evening wristbands, please book through www.honister.com where you will see the 'honisterfest 2019' tab.



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'THE GRUELLER' HONISTER HILL CLIMB

20th July 2019

Time; 3:30 – sign on from 12:45

Cost; £25.00

What's included in my race entry?

- Race entry into the Honister hill climb cycle time trial.
- 2 free beers for each competitor!
- race number!
- entry into the Slate Shindig evening event + hog roast

HONISTER HURTLE FELL RACE

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Time; 4:00pm – sign on from 12:45

Cost; £25.00

What do I get with my entry?

- Entry into the first of its kind unique fell/mine race.
- 2 free beers for each competitor!
- race number!
- entry into the Slate Shindig evening event + hog roast for a discounted price of £10.00

TEAM EVENT

4 events

Time; 4pm

Cost; £20.00 per team of 4 (£5 per head)

Events;

Defender Drag

Pond Plunge

Cast/catapult the Clog

SURPRISE CHALLENGE



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Work together in teams of 4 against other teams to see if you can be crowned the winners of our team challenge.

Collect and score points to see how rank against the others!

– 1 FREE SLATE SHINDIG TICKET IF YOU BUY 3 OTHERS!

‘SLATE SHINDIG’

20th July 2019

Time; from early evening till late

Cost £25.00 in advance £35.00 on the day

The evening event is strictly ticket only. You must bring your booking confirmations to exchange for wrist bands or admittance will not be permitted.

What do I get for my ticket?

- Wristband entry into the tipi village
 - 1 free beer upon entry
- Locally sourced Hog Roast – vegetarian options available
 - Live music from 3pm until late!

