

MudCrew The Tempest 2018 EVENT GUIDE

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10mile headtorch coast path run

“This thing of darkness I acknowledge mine.”

Robbed of his position, power and wealth, his enemies have left him in isolation. But this is no ordinary man, and this no ordinary island. Prospero is a magician, able to control the very elements and bend nature to his will. When a sail appears on the horizon, he reaches out across the ocean to the ship that carries the men who wronged him. Creating a vast magical storm he wrecks the ship and washes his enemies up on the shore. When they wake they find themselves lost on a fantastical island where nothing is as it seems.

On the very edge of our county, with dramatic scenery and a coastline both treacherous and beautiful, sits The Minack Theatre, affording a unique viewpoint out to sea. Look carefully. Is that island not real? Can the results of Prospero's magic not be seen?

MudCrew & The Minack Theatre are proud to bring to you THE TEMPEST. This is your opportunity to witness the drama and splendour of this amazing location first hand.

Come, join us on this magical journey as we conjure up for you our next instalment in our growing calendar of unique running experience events.

“Hell is empty and all the devils are here.”

Entry

Entry to The Tempest is via the website at www.mudcrew.co.uk. There will be no entries on the day.

Cost

Entry fee for this event is £25 affiliated / £27 unaffiliated

You will be required to provide an email address and you will receive an email as confirmation of entry. This will also be your receipt. You will not receive any further confirmation or any information by post. We will keep in touch with you via email, with necessary information regarding the event. As a company we are committed to looking after the environment and trying to use less paper is one of the methods we employ! You can stay in touch with us and keep up to date with the latest MudCrew and event news via Facebook and Twitter, as well as via our website.

Course Description

The Tempest is an approx. 10mile trail run and will take place on the Cornwall coast path. Starting at The Minack theatre, runners will set off in an easterly direction over the coast path towards Lamorna Cove with the half-way and turn around point at Tater Du Lighthouse. From here runners will turn and retrace their steps back to the Minack, for a unique and dramatic finish, after a total of 10miles.

The coast path can be precipitous in places and you will be asked to sign a waiver when you enter to say that you understand and accept the possible risks in taking part in an event of this nature.

THIS EVENT WILL TAKE PLACE IN THE DARK FOR ITS ENTIRETY AND EXTRA CARE MUST BE TAKEN BY PARTICIPANTS.

Event HQ

The Event HQ and registration will be at the same location as the race start and finish.

The Minack Theatre, Porthcurno, Cornwall. TR19 6JU

There is ample free parking and there will be refreshments available for runners and spectators. Family and friends will be able to remain at the theatre whilst you are out on the course and enjoy the facilities.

Registration

Registration will take place at Event HQ in the reception area of The Minack Theatre.

Registration will be open from 5.00pm on Saturday 27th October 2018 and will close at 6.30pm, after which time participants will be invited to the start line, receive the compulsory safety briefing at 6.30pm and the race will start at 7.00pm prompt.

Friends and family are welcome to remain at The Minack and take advantage of the facilities available.

Anyone who fails to register in time and misses their start will forfeit their place and will not be able to take part.

Give-aways and Awards

All runners that take part in The Tempest will be provided with a MudCrew functional beanie upon completion. Trophies will be awarded to the 1st 2nd & 3rd placed Male and Female Finishers. Prize giving will take place at The Minack and on completion of The Tempest, join us, as we celebrate your success.

Checkpoints

There will be a small checkpoint at Tater Du Lighthouse which is also the turnaround point, where there will be drinks and sweets available.

Kit List

The Tempest will take place in the dark and you will require the following compulsory kit.

1. Headtorch (fully charged/fresh batteries)
2. Waterproof jacket
3. Gloves

4. Fully charged mobile phone

It is your responsibility to wear correct clothing, suitable for the weather and conditions on the day. It is highly recommended that you wear trail shoes.

Timing

The Tempest will be utilising a timing system based on a scan of each runner's number. Please wear the race number given to you at registration on your front and do not obscure the barcodes. Results will be available on our website shortly after the event.

Cancellations & Refunds

We understand circumstances can change. We will accept withdrawals from the event up until the entry closure date of midnight on Sunday 14th October 2018. Unfortunately, we do not offer refunds, so if you have to withdraw for any reason, up until the event closure date, you can defer your entry to The Tempest in 2019. After the entry closure date, we are unable to offer refunds or deferrals. You are not permitted to transfer your entry to another person at any time. There is an entry limit and it is anticipated that the event will be full before the entry closure date.

Location and directions to Event HQ

The postcode for Event HQ is TR19 6JU. The Minack Theatre is a popular tourist attraction and is well signposted. Allow yourselves plenty of time to arrive safely, if you are travelling from far away.

Other info

- Age Limits : all participants must be 21 years or over.
- If we believe safety of participants, support crew or members of the public is being compromised in any way, MudCrew reserve the right to stop you from competing in this event at any time. Please only enter if you are willing to accept this.
- No dogs allowed with participants.
- If you need to contact us : info@mudcrew.co.uk
- We expect the Tempest 2019 to take place on Saturday 26th October 2019 although this is subject to change.

FURTHER INFORMATION, UPDATES AND REMINDERS WILL BE EMAILED TO ALL PARTICIPANTS IN THE WEEKS LEADING UP TO THE EVENT. YOU WILL RECEIVE NO INFORMATION BY POST. RACE NUMBERS WILL BE ISSUED AT REGISTRATION.

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