



# International Charity Worker Are You Good Enough? Enquiry Form

### Introduction

Thank you for your interest in our charity fundraising corporate event weekend *International Charity Worker Are You Good Enough?* Your participation in this event will help raise money for a charity of your choice or for our preferred international charity WAR Child: <a href="https://www.warchild.org.uk">www.warchild.org.uk</a>

## What will I learn?

Saturday starts with learning about the modern day dangers that face charity workers such as the dangers posed by landmines and unexploded ordnance (rockets and bombs) both to refugees and to the charity workers trying to help them in a conflict situation. From there we will show you what kind of equipment a charity worker carries in the field and teach you the survival skills to live and work as an unarmed charity worker in a war zone. We will cover everything from how to survive being taken hostage to what to do if you are driving down a street and you come under fire.

Sunday is spent putting into practice all the skills you have learnt in an action packed exercise. Find out how you would handle passing through a checkpoint full of drunken armed rebels. Or how you would get you and your team back to base if you came under sniper fire. Have you really got what it takes to be a modern day charity worker? We finish the day showing you how and where your money raised will be spent.

We are a bespoke training company so if you only have a day spare or would like to learn another skill such as emergency first aid or off road driving just let us know.

## Where does it all take place?

The weekend takes place at our permanent training centre which is in the heart of the Peak District National Park which is within easy road, rail and bus routes.

## When can I do it?

We still have weekends available throughout the year. We can also cater for running this event during the week.

## How long does it last?

You need to arrive at our training centre on the Friday night where you will receive a briefing and we will give you all the equipment you will need for the weekend. Then you will deploy into the fictitious country of Derbytainia for the next 36 hours. The weekend finishes around Sunday lunchtime so you will be on your way home by Sunday afternoon.

## Do I need to be fit to do this?

No not at all. This weekend is all about learning what it is like to be a modern day international charity worker. However if you do have any pre-existing health issues such as asthma, diabetes or even a bad back we will expect you to be responsible and let us know before hand in confidence. Most health issues will not stop you from taking part in our weekend.





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## Are there any restrictions?

We welcome people of both sexes and from all walks of life. We have no restrictions other than you must be over 16 at the time you participate. If you do not hold a UK driving licence, or equivalent, you will also not be allowed to drive on the course at any time.

You will be on military style rations (food) for the whole weekend so if you have any special dietary needs or for example, you are a vegetarian please let us know in advance so that we can accommodate you.

You also will not be staying at the Ritz, so if you don't like the idea of sleeping on camp beds with a room full of others then this is probably not the charity fund raising event for you either.

## What do I need to bring?

You will be provided with all the equipment that you need to take part in the weekend. However, please bring the following.

- Your full driving license.
- 2 sets of clothes that you don't mind getting muddy or ripped.
- Wash bag and towel.
- Sturdy walking boots.
- ❖ A camera (however we can not accept any responsibility for its loss or damage).
- Pocket torch.
- A sense of humour and as this is the UK expect bad weather!

### How much will it cost?

This corporate event is all about team work and raising money for charity and in many ways it is similar to the sponsored charity parachute jump. A basic fee will cover your course costs but after that the more sponsorship money you can raise the more will go to the charity of your choice.

The minimum number of participants we would look for is 6 as this gives us two teams of 3 to work with. An ideal group size we would recommend would be a team of 10/12 people but we can happily take on more of you if you are a large group. Just contact us with your needs.

## What if there is only me or just a couple of us to that want to do it?

We can cater for small groups of 3 or 4 people however we think the cost of that would be outside most people's budget. However as long as you do not mind 'sharing' your weekend with like minded others then still let us know you are interested. We will then put you on our course register and as soon as we have a group of 10/12 people we will notify you that you are able to take part on one of our mixed group weekends.

## I don't know what charity to support?

If you are undecided as to which charity you would like to raise money for we would suggest you have a look at WAR Child. Not only are they a UK based charity but they deal especially with children who have been directly affected by war. Take a look at their web site for more information: <a href="https://www.warchild.org.uk">www.warchild.org.uk</a>

Yes I am still interested so how can I contact you to find out more?





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