



# Mont Blanc Challenge 2006-7 Registration Form

To register for the Mont Blanc Challenge 2006-7 please complete and send this form to 'The Full Mont', Mountain Leap, 25 Eccleston Square, London, SW1V 1NS.

<p><b>Personal Details</b></p> <p>Surname _____</p> <p>Title _____</p> <p>Forename(s) _____</p> <p>Preferred Name _____</p> <p>Address _____</p> <p>_____ Postcode _____</p> <p>Tel (daytime) _____</p> <p>Tel (evening) _____</p> <p>Mobile _____</p> <p>Fax _____</p> <p>E-mail _____</p> <p>Date of Birth _____</p> <p>Occupation _____</p> <p>Place of Work _____</p>	<p><b>Personal Details</b></p> <p>Please note that it is essential that your passport is valid for at least six months after your return from the challenge.</p> <p>Marital Status _____</p> <p>Country of Residence _____</p> <p>Next of Kin _____</p> <p>Relationship _____</p> <p>Address _____</p> <p>_____ Postcode _____</p> <p>Tel (daytime) _____</p> <p>Tel (evening) _____</p> <p>Mobile _____</p> <p>Fax _____</p>
<p><b>Other Information</b></p> <p>Where did you hear about the Mont Blanc Challenge?</p> <p>_____</p> <p>Have you taken part in a Mountain Leap Event before? If so, give details</p> <p>_____</p> <p>Are you representing / being sponsored by a company / organisation? YES/NO If YES, give details</p> <p>_____</p> <p>Company / Organisation Name _____</p> <p>Contact _____</p> <p>Address _____</p> <p>_____ Postcode _____</p> <p>Tel _____</p> <p>Email _____</p>	<p><b>Medical Requirements</b></p> <p>Please fill in the attached medical questionnaire.</p> <p><b>Dietary Requirements</b></p> <p>Do you have any special dietary requirements YES / NO If yes, please give details</p> <p>_____</p> <p><b>Accommodation Sharing</b></p> <p>Please give the name of a fellow participant who you would like to share with.</p> <p>Name _____</p>
<p><b>Recommend a friend (please send a trek pack to)</b></p> <p>Preferred Name _____</p> <p>Address _____</p> <p>_____ Postcode _____</p>	<p><b>Payment Details</b></p> <p>I would like to pay the entry fee of £1,500.00 by Cheque (Paid to Mountain Leap LLP – Children in Crisis A/C)</p> <p>Card <input type="checkbox"/> MasterCard <input type="checkbox"/> Visa <input type="checkbox"/> Switch (not AMEX, Diners)</p> <p>Card number <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/></p> <p>Start Date _____</p> <p>Expiry Date _____</p> <p>Issue Number _____</p> <p>Security Number (last 3 digits on the signature pane) _____</p> <p>Signature _____</p> <p>Date _____</p>
<p><b>Passport Details</b></p> <p>Full Name (as on passport) _____</p> <p>Nationality _____</p> <p>Passport number _____</p> <p>Place of issue _____</p> <p>Date of issue _____</p> <p>Date of Expiry _____</p>	



### **Mountain Leap LLP Mont Blanc Challenge 2007-7: Terms & Conditions:**

1. You are required to pay a £1,500 non-refundable registration fee payable to Mountain Leap LLP to reserve your place on the challenge. Acceptance on the challenge is subject to receiving written confirmation that a place is available.
2. In addition to the registration fee you must raise a minimum sponsorship of £1,500, 80% of which must be paid at least ten weeks before departure. The remaining 20% should arrive no later than two weeks prior to the start of the challenge. If you are unable to raise the minimum sponsorship, you may choose to personally make up the balance to avoid forfeiting your place on the challenge. Failure to raise the minimum sponsorship will mean you will not be able to participate on the trek.
3. Your registration fee covers the costs of the flight and ground arrangements of the trip. The money you raise in sponsorship will be distributed to Children in Crisis.
4. You must be at least 21 years old by the date of departure.
5. All participants must complete a medical questionnaire on registration. You must be relatively fit to take part in this climb. If you are over 60 or have a medical condition, which could be affected by participation in this challenge, you must obtain a medical certificate from your doctor. By signing the entry form you confirm that to the best of your knowledge you are fit to participate in this challenge. You must also advise of any change in your medical condition, which occurs between submitting the medical form and the departure date, including pregnancy. Mountain Leap LLP and Children in Crisis have the right to refuse a participant if it is evident that they are medically unfit to take part in the trek.
6. You must have a valid passport for travel, with at least six months left to run from the date of your return to the UK. Passport - control and local authorities reserve the right to refuse entry.
7. You are responsible for the payment of airport tax, visa costs, vaccinations and costs of a personal nature. These are not included in the costs of the trip and must be paid by the participant. Further details will be sent at least 6 weeks prior to departure.
8. It is essential condition of your booking that you take out an adequate insurance policy, appropriate for this type of travel and activity. This must provide sufficient medical cover, provision for repatriation and trekking or climbing in a remote location. Mountain Leap can provide a suitable and competitively priced policy and details of this will be sent to you. If you have your own travel/medical insurance, you must obtain a letter from your insurance company stating that you are covered for climbing in a remote location and for helicopter evacuation in an emergency. A copy of the policy is not acceptable. The letter must be sent to Mountain Leap to be checked at least six weeks prior to departure. Mountain Leap also requires a signed declaration stating that in the event of a claim you will personally guarantee to reimburse Mountain Leap for any expenditure incurred on your behalf.
9. Participation in this challenge is at your own risk and you agree to indemnify Mountain Leap LLP and Children in Crisis and their employees, agents or subcontractors against claims for loss or damage to personal property, injury or death, and any claim arising from your own actions. Mountain Leap accepts no liability for consequential or other loss, injury or death by any participant in the challenge and does not accept liability if the participants fail to reach the summit of Mont Blanc for any reason.
10. In taking part in this challenge you agree to accept the authority and decisions of Mountain Leap LLP and Children in Crisis their employees and agents during the challenge. If in the opinion of such a person your health or conduct at any time before or after departure appears likely to endanger to safe operating of the challenge you may be excluded from all or part of the challenge.
11. Mountain Leap LLP has the right to cancel the challenge or alter the itinerary if in the opinion of Mountain Leap LLP or its agents and employees the climatic conditions or other circumstances dictate that this is necessary.
12. Mountain Leap LLP has the right to change operators and alter the itinerary accordingly if climatic conditions or other circumstances dictate that this is necessary.
13. If you cancel your place on the challenge, or the challenge is cancelled, all sponsorship donations held by you must be sent to Mountain Leap LLP or returned to the sponsors
14. If you cancel your place within 10 weeks before the date of departure of the challenge you are required to cover the cost incurred by Mountain Leap LLP of administering your application up to the date of cancellation.
15. In the unlikely event of cancellation due to insufficient numbers Mountain Leap LLP will refund your registration fee at least 12 weeks before the date of departure,
16. Mountain Leap LLP are the tour operators for this challenge and have sole responsibility for organising the logistics of the climb and accommodation and travel (including internal transfers, accommodation meals, guides and back up teams) as outlined in the trip itinerary.

### **Your commitment**

I apply to take part in the Children in Crisis Mont Blanc Challenge 2005. I have enclosed my £1,500 registration fee and one passport photo. I have read, understood and accept the Terms and Conditions' of the challenge (Please retain a copy for your records). I pledge to raise at least £1,500 by the required date.

Signed \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Mountain Leap LLP will use the information supplied for administrative purposes and may pass it to Children in Crisis for this purpose. Mountain Leap LLP may also pass details to Children in Crisis for use in connection with forthcoming events. Please indicate if you object receiving information about future Mountain Leap Events.

## Mountain Leap Events Mont Blanc Challenge 2006-7

### Medical Questionnaire

Please complete this questionnaire and return it with your registration form and fee. It is for your own safety that we find out as much as possible about your medical history. This will ensure that you can cope with the rigours of the climb. All your answers will be treated in the strictest confidence and will not necessarily adversely affect your chance to take part. We will attempt to accommodate everybody, but do reserve the right to refuse participation on medical grounds if we feel your safety, and that of the group, may be compromised. Any decision made will be in consultation with you and your GP. Should any of your medical details change after you have completed this form then you must inform us.

**Failure to divulge the full details of any medical condition from which you suffer will invalidate your insurance.**

Please use BLOCK CAPITALS

<b>Personal details</b> Name _____ Date of birth _____ Age _____ Daytime phone number _____ Evening phone number _____ Name of your GP _____ Your GP's phone number _____	<b>Next of Kin</b> Relationship _____ Address _____ _____ Postcode _____ Tel (daytime) _____ Tel (evening) _____ Mobile _____ Fax _____
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#### Do you suffer or have you ever suffered from?

Altitude sickness?	YES/NO
Heart trouble and/or blood pressure problems?	YES/NO
Asthma, bronchitis and/or shortness of breath?	YES/NO
Diabetes?	YES/NO
Epilepsy and/or fainting attacks	YES/NO
Migraine?	YES/NO
Severe head injury?	YES/NO
Back problems?	YES/NO
Allergies?	YES/NO
Frostbite, frost-nip or other exposure injuries?	YES/NO
Fractures, tendon, ligament/cartilage damage?	YES/NO
Physical or other disability?	YES/NO
Psychiatric or mental illness?	YES/NO
Have you attended hospital for any investigations/treatment in the last two years?	YES/NO
Are you suffering from or a carrier of any infectious diseases?	YES/NO
Are you registered as disabled?	YES/NO

Have you ever suffered from Asthma? Yes / No

If you answered yes, when was the last time you needed hospital treatment or prescription drugs?

When was the last time you needed hospital treatment?

How frequent are you asthma attacks?

When was the last time you were prescribed steroid tablets?

What medications/inhalers do you use?

Do you currently use any form of medication regularly?

If you answered yes, please supply details of the medication and the symptoms you are treating.

In the event of an accident or illness while on the trip, I hereby give permission for Mountain Leap LLP medical or expedition staff to initiate medical treatment and for both Mountain Leap LLP and Children in Crisis to inform my next of kin in case of hospitalization.

To the best of my knowledge this is a true and accurate description of my medical history and current condition. I understand that I am also responsible for informing Mountain Leap LLP of any change in my medical condition, including pregnancy, which may arise between now and the departure date. I understand that failure to do so may invalidate my insurance.

If you have answered yes to any of the above questions, please give further details below **(use a separate sheet if required)**

You must agree to inform Mountain Leap LLP and Children in Crisis of any medical or other condition that might affect your ability to take part in the event.

**Signature** \_\_\_\_\_

**Name** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date** \_\_\_\_\_

Please return this form with you Registration application.

This section ONLY needs to be completed if you are over 60 OR have answered 'YES' to any of the questions on the medical form.



**TO BE COMPLETED BY THE FAMILY DOCTOR/PHYSICIAN WHO HAS ACCESS TO THE PATIENT'S MEDICAL HISTORY.**

Name of Registrant \_\_\_\_\_

The above named person will be participating in a charity fundraising climb of Mont Blanc (altitude 4,807m) lasting approximately 5 days during which time he/she will be subject to basic camping and living conditions. Physical activity will involve trekking and climbing for up to up to 14 hours on some days over rough and often mountainous terrain. The trek will also involve extremes of temperature, climate and altitude.

Participants will only have access to basic facilities such as long drop (outdoor) toilets and primitive washing facilities. They will be living under canvas or in mountain refuges. The company organizing the trek (Mountain Leap LLP ) can arrange access to professional medical staff usually within helicopter range of the touring party and will organize a professional mountain guide to accompany the party with some experience of emergency first aid/medical care. The climbing area is likely to be a considerable distance from any hospital/medical back up.

Based on the above information, if there are any matters that you feel Mountain Leap LLP should be made aware of, please supply these on a separate sheet. If you require any further details please call the Mountain Leap Events Team on 020 7931 0621.

I have read the participants medical questionnaire and agree that the details are correct. In my opinion this patient is in a fit mental and physical state and capable of participating in the event described above.

**BLOCK CAPITALS PLEASE**

Doctor's signature \_\_\_\_\_

Doctor's name \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Postcode \_\_\_\_\_

Tel (daytime) \_\_\_\_\_

Tel (evening) \_\_\_\_\_

Mobile \_\_\_\_\_

Fax \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Practice stamp and GMC number



### **The Children in Crisis Mont Blanc Challenge 2006-7**

Dates Anytime between mid-May and September commencing on Thursday and ending on Tuesday

Participants must commit to a date at the time of registration and are subject to the attached terms and conditions

If you wish to arrive earlier and stay beyond the scheduled trip dates this can be arranged by Mountain Leap but at your personal expense

Note: Although it is feasible to prepare and climb Mont Blanc in the time scheduled we recommend that you consider taking additional days at the outset of the expedition in order to improve your chances of reaching the summit. Additional days spent in preparation and acclimatization increases the chances of summiting Mont Blanc and enjoying the climb.

### **Typical Itinerary / Trip Outline - Mont Blanc Summit Course and Climb**

Arrive Thursday evening

Depart Tuesday morning

Preparation days, guiding ratio 1:4 / Summit day, guiding ratio 1:2

Bed and breakfast (twin sharing basis) in the Chamonix Valley

Nights in mountain refuges (half board)

### **Itinerary (weather and conditions dependent and subject to change or cancellation without notice or refund)**

**Day 1** (Thurs.) Meet hand-picked Mountain Guides for introductory Q & A

Night in Chamonix in a Gîte

**Day 2** Training on La Mer de Glace Glacier

Walk to Refuge Albert Premier and Night in refuge

**Day 3** Ascension of Aiguille du Tour (3,500m)

Night in Chamonix in a Gîte

**Day 4** Start Mont Blanc Ascent, night in Gouter Refuge

Night in Gouter Refuge

**Day 5** Summit Mont Blanc and descend to Valley

Night in Chamonix in a Gîte

**Day 6** (Tues.) Early departure

Extra days possible, subject to supplement(s)

### **What you get**

Included in the cost are flights, accommodation as above, lift tickets, airport transfers, other transport, climbing equipment hire, professional mountain guides and Mountain Leap Events representative in support.

Excluded from the cost are clothing e.g. climbing boots, food, drink, personal equipment and travel/medical insurance

For more specific information please refer to the website

<http://www.mountainleapevents.com/childrenincrisis.php>

or

call Adam Honey at Mountain Leap Events on 020 7931 0621