

NIEX 2023 Dates

Training Dates

Route Planning Day

14:00 – 17:30hrs Saturday 26th November 2022 - Ardnally Scout Centre for participants to plan both practice and qualifying routes. We also hand out information on kit and meals. Please note this venue is provisional.

Training

12:30 - 17:30 Saturday 11th Feb 2023 - Navigation training - Belfast Hills - Divis and Black Mountain

09:30 – 16:30 Sunday 26th Feb Navigation Training - Mourne Mountains

14:30 – 17:30 Saturday 4th March outdoor 1st Aid – Venue to be confirmed

16:00 Saturday 25th March to 16:30 Sunday 2023 – Camping, Advanced Navigation Training including low light. Newcastle & Mourne Mountains

Practice Expeditions Dates

CS Diamond / Silver Practice Expedition and KSA / DofE Gold Practice Expedition

17:30 Friday 14th April to 18:00 Sunday 16th April 2023 - Mourne Mountains

Back Up Date CS Diamond / Silver Practice Expedition and KSA / DofE Gold Practice Expedition

17:30 Friday 27th May to 18:30 Monday (Spring bank Holiday) 29th May - Mourne Mountains

Qualifying Expeditions Dates

CS Diamond / Silver Qualifying Expedition

Either 8am Friday 29th June to 18:30 Sunday 1st July or 8am Saturday 30th June to 18:30 Monday 2nd July - Mourne Mountains

KSA / Gold Qualifying Expedition (Northern Ireland)

8am Friday 29th June to 18:30 Monday 2nd July - Mourne Mountains

KSA / Gold Qualifying Expedition (GB/ROI) – Final Date, Venue and Price to be confirmed

Thursday 10th August to Tuesday 15th - Lake District England or Scottish Highlands or Wicklow Mountains

or

Thursday 23th August to Tuesday 28th - Lake District England or Scottish Highlands or Wicklow Mountains