

Patron Sponsors Challenge Wandsworth Event

We were delighted to have recently sponsored an afternoon of exciting activities, demonstrations and sport at an all-day event on Wandsworth Common, in association with The Royal Marines Charity.

Hosted by the commanding officer of the RM base in Wandsworth, **Challenge Wandsworth** was an action-packed afternoon aimed at engaging with local youths from nearby secondary schools to inspire and encourage them to keep fit and try new things.

Patron sponsored prizes and lunch for the event, and the activities on offer on the day were;

- Fire Fighter Drills with The London Fire Brigade;
- Unarmed combat & climbing – with the Royal Marines
- Food/nutrition and cookery – with the Royal Navy
- Be Military Fit – boxing and timed race over military style assault course;
- Rugby with the Harlequins

The local mayor was in attendance, and as a result of its success the RM commander has been asked to investigate delivering something similar in NE London. The Commanding Officers of the other RMR Units in Bristol, Merseyside and Scotland were similarly impressed and are exploring the idea of bringing it to their respective towns and cities.

