

## **EVENT SAFETY WORKSHOP**

The next British Orienteering Event Safety and Welfare Workshop will be held on Monday 23 April 2012 at the University of the West of England. This 3 hour workshop will be delivered by a BOK tutor who has already attended a Workshop and has been approved as a tutor by BOF. Event Safety and Welfare training is now required for all organisers of Level C events and above, over the next 3 years. It is also required for new controllers. I believe it is a welcome and sensible opportunity to examine and discuss all aspects of safety and welfare on and off the course, for both competitors and volunteers. The Workshop includes discussion on search and rescue planning and Risk Assessments.

All organisers of all BOK events (including ASO and informal events – Level D) are invited and encouraged to attend. Planners and controllers will also be most welcome, as Safety and Welfare requires cooperation between all event officials. Information will also be posted on the BOK website.

Date: Monday 23 April 2012

Time: 7.0pm to 10.0pm

Please contact Katy Dyer [family.dyer@blueyonder.co.uk](mailto:family.dyer@blueyonder.co.uk) for an application form.

Katy Dyer February 2012