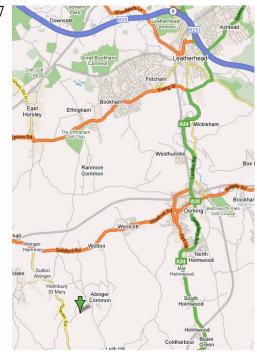
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Dear Fencer,

These details and entry form are long because this has been found necessary for this event. Please do read on and complete the entry form.

- Venue: Sports Hall, Belmont Prep School, Feldemore, Holmbury St Mary, RH5 6LQ (proper map recommended but see also pp3-4)
- Report Times: U14 by 9.15, U12 by 10.30. (Start times will depend on referees and boxes).
- 3. BFA^{*} Cards: You must have your BFA card with you. This is vital for your entry to the BYC Finals.



- 4. BYC⁺Finals: A minimum of four fencers in each event qualify for the British Youth Championships finals. I recommend that you read the <u>BYC finals rules</u>. It is expected that these will be available via the BFA or England Fencing website but meanwhile a copy of last years rules is available on the SCFU website. Note that to claim a bye you must enter this qualifier AND inform the organiser of this qualifier that you are claiming your bye (you do not have to fence). Unclaimed byes may be forfeited.
- 5. If you need paper details for the BYC finals then please request them from the organisers of this event.
- 6. Referees: We are likely to be short of adult referees for this event (due to clash with other events). If your club can bring a referee, this will help the smooth running of the competition. If clubs wish to reserve a coach for coaching / supervising then please bring additional referees as well. Would U14 fencers capable of refereeing please referee U12 pools on request. U14 fencers may have to referee each other.
- 7. Electric apparatus: Would clubs please send a box if possible (We may rely on this. Please notify organiser how many sets you can bring).
- 8. Kit: Please note all events will be "electric". You must bring your kit in good working order and in a safe condition. The organiser reserves the right to refuse to allow a fencer to compete in kit he considers to be unsafe. Blades must be size 3 or smaller. Plastrons are mandatory. Breeches are recommended but for this event safe trousers with closed pockets may be allowed at organisers discretion.
- 9. Disclaimer: All fencers are reminded that they compete at their own risk. The organisers will take all reasonable care, but do not accept liability for loss or injury, howsoever caused. A parent or guardian must sign the entry form. If you object to photography then consult the organiser before check-in.
- 10. Any changes or announcements will be posted at www.SurreyFencing.com
- 11. There will not be a cafeteria / food / drink (other than water fountain) available on site so please bring your own. Your entry fee does not include cleaning of the sports hall; we are relying on no one spilling any food or drink. Please keep the floor clean... water only in the hall...food & drink elsewhere please.
- 12. You may only enter one regions' qualifier for each BYC event. If you live and fence in multiple regions then only enter a category (eg U14B foil) only once per season.

I hope we will have a great day of fencing and that many South East fencers will qualify for the BYC Finals on 19th-20th January 2008 (see <u>BFA</u> or <u>SCFU</u> Web site for details).

Yours, Ian de Whalley

SCFU Hon. Secretary

^{*}BFA=British Fencing Association. ⁺BYC=British Youth Championships.

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Please print clearly:

1. Name			
2. Male / Female (delete as applicable).			
3. Club			
4. Email			
5. Address (for BYC finals forms)			
6. Phone 1			
7. Phone 2 (on the day emergency number)			
8. BFA Membership Number Expires			
9. Date of bir	th		
Born (1998,) 1999 or 2000: See BFA fixture list if you wish to enter U10 final directly.			
Born 1998: Choose <u>either</u> U10 (enter BYC final directly) <u>or</u> U12 (via this qualifier).			
Born 1996, 1997 (or 1998): Enter the U12 age group.			
Born 1994 or 1995: Enter the U14 age group only.			
Born 1990 to 1993: See Surrey fixture list for details of U16 and U18 qualifiers.			
10. Event en	ered: U12 / U14 (delete as applicable).		

11. Seeding Information. Please state your previous best results. List best results first. If this is your first competition then please state for how long you have been fencing. State any cadet / junior / senior national ranking.

Year	Event	Position / Rank

12. Signature of parent /guardian

If parent/guardian will not be staying with the fencer then please assign a responsible adult.

- 13. Payment: Cheque for £12, payable "S.C.F.U." (includes levy for BYC finals).
- 14. Please post to:

Ian de Whalley, 7 Auriol Park Rd, Worcester Pk, Surrey, KT4 7DP.

If you have entered an email address (or enclosed an s.a.e.) then I will confirm your entry. Thank you for your entry to this competition.

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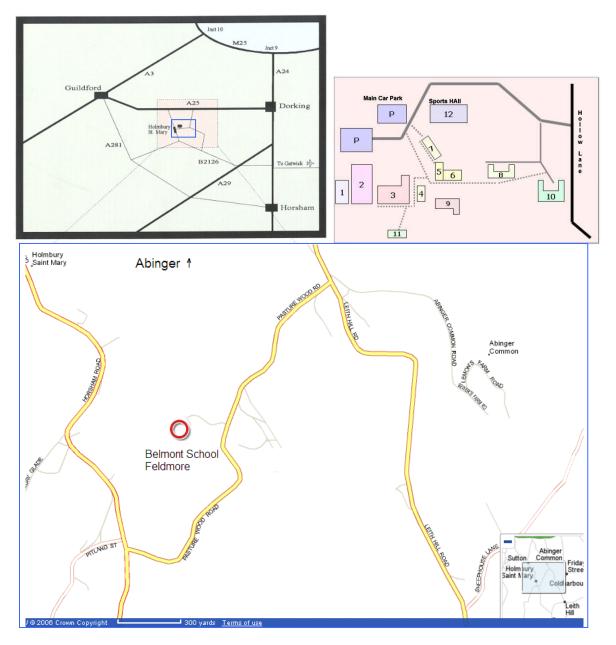
Nearest stations are Gomshall (arr. 0740 or 0940) or Dorking (more trains). Arrange <u>taxi</u> before travelling (Gomshall is about 3miles from the venue along country lanes (i.e. walking not advised, consider a <u>taxi</u> <u>from Dorking</u>!).

<u>Road Directions:</u> Please bring a good map. Do not rely on these small extracts. Heading west towards Guildford from Dorking on the A25, turn left along Hollow Lane approximately 0.5m after passing the Wotton Hatch Pub.

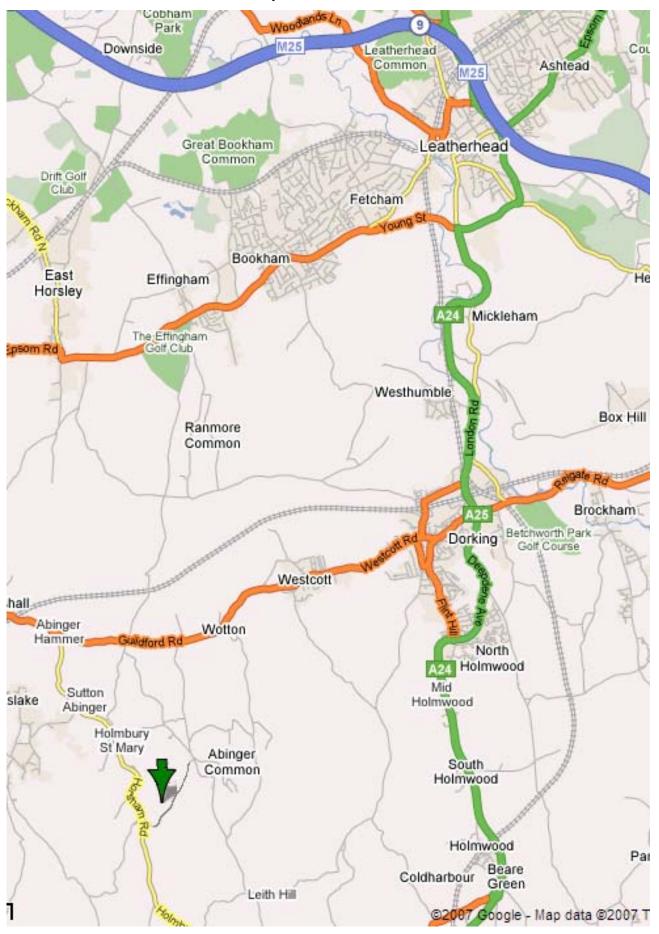
Heading east towards Dorking from Guildford, about 1.2m after passing through Abinger Hammer, turn right along Hollow Lane.

Follow Hollow Lane for about 1.4m. Then turn right along Pasture Wood Road. The school is about 0.6m along this road on the right hand side.

As you enter the school grounds, follow the drive round to the right. As you go down the hill there is a short gravel drive up to the left leading to the entrance to the sports centre. PLEASE DO NOT park here -this will be reserved for organisers bringing equipment in etc. There is plenty of car parking space just down the hill to the right, or just up the hill back toward the entrance on the right.



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