WearSlide Frequently Asked Questions

When is WearSlide?

WearSlide will take place from 9am-6pm on Saturday 25 & 26 April 2015

Where is WearSlide?

WearSlide will take place at Herrington Country Park (see map below)

How can I get there?

The address for Herrington Country Park is:

Penshaw

Houghton-le-Spring

Sunderland

Tyne and Wear

DH4 7EL

View on Google maps at http://bit.ly/1yW6YWs

For public transport visit www.nexus.org.uk/bus

How much are the tickets?

Tickets are £10 for over 16's and £5 for 5-15year olds

Group tickets are £100 for a 10 minute time slot (up to 10 people)

Where can I buy tickets?

Tickets are on sale from 10am on Saturday 22 November 2014 at www.sunderlandlive.co.uk/events/wearslide

Why is there a restriction of two tickets per transaction?

We want as many people as possible to get the chance to enjoy this great event so we have restricted the number of tickets one person can purchase per transaction.

There are no restrictions on group tickets.

Why is it at Herrington Country Park?

Based on the length and gradient required for the slide to make the event as exciting and fun as possible, Herrington Country Park is the ideal venue to host the first ever WearSlide.

Are there any age restrictions?

Under 5's cannot participate on either slide.

Children aged between 5 and 15 years old can participate on the 50m WearSlide.

Anyone aged 16 years and over can participate on either the 50m WearSlide or the 100m WearSlide Plus.

Can I participate if I have a medical condition or if I'm pregnant?

Why do under 16's need to be accompanied by an adult?

All minors should be accompanied by an adult for their own safety and wellbeing although the adult doesn't need to take part in the event!

Why can't under 16's participate on WearSlide Plus?

The 100m slide is only open to people aged 16 years and over based on our health and safety evaluation. Anyone between 5 and 16 years old can participate on the 50m slide.

Why do I have to select a time slot?

Everyone is allocated a time slot to space participants out throughout the day and ensure that as many people as possible get to take part.

What happens if I miss my time slot?

You should register on site 15 minutes before your allocated time slot begins. If you miss your timeslot you may not be able to participate.

Can I raise money for my chosen charity?

If you have purchased a ticket yourself you may choose to raise money for a charity. If you are allocated a place from one of our charity partners you will need to adhere to their fundraising guidelines.

How do I secure tickets as a charity?

For information on our charity packages please email info@sunderlandlive.co.uk

How do I purchase a group ticket?

Group tickets are now on sale online. You can purchase a 10 minute slot for up to 10 people for £100

What should I wear?

Sensible clothing must be worn, to include covering of arms and legs. Sensible footwear should be worn – only shoes which fully cover toes.

Can I slide without a lilo?

No. All participants must slide down head first on the lilo provided.

Can I have more than one go?

One booking entitles you to one slide.

Why do I need to bring ID?

Participant places are non-transferable. You must bring your booking confirmation and matching ID with you on the day. This will then be exchanged for a ticket to slide. Any under 16's without ID should present the ID of their accompanying adult.