| SESSION BRIEFING SHEET |  |  |
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| Session Name: | Evenlode Sprints <br> (From the Top) |  |


| Objective: | Build Speed on top of Stamina and increase aerobic activity |
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Meeting Point: Old Pens Rugby Club

## Location: $\quad$ Cliff Top Path, just below the pitch and put.

## Map of Session location with Track :



| Description: | The warm up run goes down Lavernock Road, turns left onto Augusta <br> Road, then left onto Westbourne Road, left again onto Clinton Road and <br> stops at the top of Evenlode Avenue. |
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| The session is a sprint of pyramid or random reps down Evenlode Avenue <br> towards the lay by at the school, or slightly beyond. <br> The maximum any one sprint should be 60 seconds. <br> This equates roughly to $260 m$ for the fastest runner and $160 m$ for the <br> slowest. |  |


|  | The effort session should last at least 30 mins, with the run leader <br> allowing a short break in the middle, if the group are tiring. |
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| Can also consider splitting it so the second half is from the other end, <br> slightly uphill towards the end. |  |
| The run leader brings the runners back to the Old Pens on a warm <br> down run and directs static stretches at the end. |  |


| Safety Points: | 1. Make sure there is a tail runner for safety on way out. <br> 2. Particular care to be taken crossing Lavernock Road |
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| 3. Make sure someone remains at the start point to look out for <br> cars turning into Evenlode Avenue and is able to alert runners, <br> who will have their backs to the cars. |  |
| 4. At the end of the session runners can disperse to find their own <br> way home or return to Old Pens with the run leader. |  |


| Summer and | Light reflective clothing required in winter |
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| $\underline{\text { Winter }}$ |  |
| Variations | Head torches not required as all areas near roads and cars should be <br> reasonably well lit. |


| Additional | Run leader should be last off regardless of pace so he/she can see the <br> whole group and is somewhere in the middle when the whistle is blown. <br> Comments: <br> Everyone recovers back to the start point between sprints. |
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