Michael Kingscote



Michael is the founder and Managing Director of <u>www.outposts.co.uk</u>. The company provides adventurous activities and leadership training for all ages in UK, Africa, Europe and the Far East. Experiential learning is the foundation of the leadership training using innovative tasks, both indoor and outside. The company, based in Somerset, has its own extensive training area liberally scattered with tasks and problems to be solved. Annually Michael's company has over 10,000 clients who participate in a wide range of leadership and developmental courses.

Michael is an experienced leader and trainer with an impressive operational and commercial record. He leads by example and engenders trust through discretion, reliability and confidence. He has the ability to motivate and encourage individuals to achieve their goals whilst providing guidance when required. Michael is a firm believer in mission orientated tasking.

Prior to setting up his own company (1998), he was a Regular Army Officer for thirty four years. The experience he gained was wide, varied and included; command of troops on operations from section to Regimental level; training and assessment of officers and soldiers, both regular and reservists for conventional and Special Forces Operations for in excess of 20 years; a number of training and intelligence staff appointments and fourteen years in Special Forces (SF), from Special Operations Officer to Regimental Commanding Officer and finally a Senior SF adviser.