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# GAME CHANGER SIX-WEEK CHALLENGE

# Power up your training and amplify results with 5-6 workouts a week.

If you're up for a real challenge, I'm going to bring it! I'm Ben, and I'm here to help push your limits with the Game Changer Challenge. Over six weeks I will provide you with workouts and coaching that will help you break through any fitness plateau and feel like a champion.

This scientifically-designed Game Changer Challenge was developed in conjunction with Dr. Jinger Gottschall and features a powerful combination of cardio, strength and yoga. Each week you'll be challenged to build your endurance, speed and power. Combine this with healthy eating and you'll maximize lean muscle mass and reduce body fat.

Here's what you can expect...

- 5 6 workouts a week
- Various intensity options so you can push your limits
- · Equipment and equipment-free options
- Baseline testing and goal setting
- Access to ongoing support and motivation

If you're ready for results and up for a challenge, this is the game-changer you need.

### Let's go!



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The number one way to stay motivated is to track your achievements. Simply complete these three baseline tests at the beginning and end of the challenge and you can monitor your progress. You can also use these tests to monitor mid-way progress if you want to. Here's all you need to do:

UPPER BODY STRENGTH

# + THE PUSH-UP TEST

Perform as many push-ups as you can without stopping. Start in the push-up position, lower your body until your elbows are at 90 degrees and then press up to the starting position. Women you can choose the modified push-up on knees position if preferred. NB. Measure and keep the same distance between your hands for future tests.

LOWER BODY STRENGTH

# + THE SINGLE-LEG WALL SIT TEST

Start with your feet shoulder-width apart and your back against a smooth vertical wall. Slowly slide your back down the wall until both your knees and hips are at a 90-degree angle. Lift one leg off the ground and start the timer. When you can no longer keep that leg off the ground stop the timer. After a period of rest, test your other leg.

MEASURE

### + WAISTLINE MEASUREMENT

Stand and place a tape measure around your waist, just above hip bones. Keep the tape snug, but not compressing your skin. Record the measurement just after an exhale.



# see your results TRACKING

# YOUR BASELINES

PRE-CHALLENGE	WEEK THREE	END-OF-CHALLENGE
NUMBER OF PUSH-UPS	NUMBER OF PUSH-UPS	NUMBER OF PUSH-UPS
WALL SIT (SEC) — RIGHT LEG	WALL SIT (SEC) — RIGHT LEG	WALL SIT (SEC) — RIGHT LEG
WALL SIT (SEC) — LEFT LEG	WALL SIT (SEC) — LEFT LEG	WALL SIT (SEC) — LEFT LEG
WAISTLINE MEASUREMENT	WAISTLINE MEASUREMENT	WAISTLINE MEASUREMENT
COMMENTS/HOW ARE YOU FEELING?	COMMENTS/HOW ARE YOU FEELING?	COMMENTS/HOW ARE YOU FEELING?

# **MEASURES**

# PUSH-UP TEST NORMS FOR MEN

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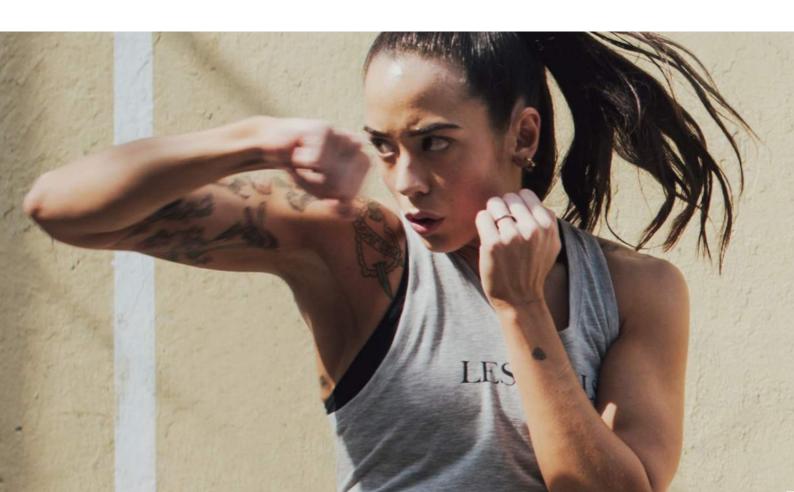
STEP 02

# SET YOUR GOALS and smash them!

Goal setting is key to staying on track and realizing the results you deserve. Make sure your goals are SMART; specific, measurable, achievable, realistic and timebound. If you want to make your goals stick you need to write them down. It's also a good idea to share your goals with like-minded friends and family as this is shown to boost your chances of success.

Need some goal setting inspo? These goals might work for you ...

- I want to complete at least 5 to 6 full workouts a week.
- I want to shift my baseline fitness to excellent in the next six weeks.
- I want to keep up exercise while I cut out refined sugar and alcohol for six weeks.



# TRACKING

# **YOUR GOALS**

<b>GOAL ONE</b>	you've got this!
WEEK THREE CHECK-IN HOW ARE YOU FEELING?	
END-OF-CHALLENGE WHAT DID YOU ACHIEVE?	
GOAL TWO	
WEEK THREE CHECK-IN HOW ARE YOU FEELING?	
END-OF-CHALLENGE WHAT DID YOU ACHIEVE?	
GOAL THREE	
WEEK THREE CHECK-IN HOW ARE YOU FEELING?	
END-OF-CHALLENGE WHAT DID YOU ACHIEVE?	



STEP 03

# SORT YOUR NUTRITION

# > eat wisely

You can't out-train a bad diet. If you're investing in your fitness for six weeks you need to think about making nutritional choices that serve you well. While there's no one nutritional plan that will work for everyone here are some smart steps you can take to optimize your nutrition and maximize your results:

- Eliminate or minimize refined sugar and alcohol.
- Limit saturated fats, trans fats, salt, and added sugar.
- + Eat lots of fruits, vegetables, whole grains, and low-fat dairy products.
- + Include lean meats, poultry, fish, beans, eggs, and nuts in your diet.
- Make sure you are hydrated and not hungry before your workout. Learn what food gives you energy and the ideal time to eat it before exercise. Try a meal with complex carbohydrates about 1-2 hours before you begin.
- + Eat a small meal within 30 minutes of completing your workout that includes both carbohydrates and protein.





## + DIARIZE YOUR WORKOUTS

Plan ahead in one-week blocks and add workout time as a time to treat yourself.

# + DON'T WORRY IF YOU MISS A WORKOUT

Try and fit it in the next day.

## + ALWAYS TRAIN WITH WATER

Always!

# **+ WORK OUT AT YOUR OWN SPEED**

Take options to modify intensity and impact, particularly during cardio workouts.

# + BE ACCOUNTABLE

Tell your friends and family what you're doing – even encourage a friend or partner to do the challenge with you. Join the LES MILLS On Demand Fitness Challenges (official) Facebook group, share your efforts and use the hashtag #GameChangerChallenge

# + REFLECT REGULARLY

Take note of changes and achievements and think about what you want to work on in the week ahead. It's a great way to stay focused on your overall goal.

### + SPEND TIME STRETCHING

This can improve flexibility, build strength, help injury prevention and leave you feeling calm and serene. BODYBALANCE $^{\text{\tiny M}}$ /BODYFLOW $^{\text{\tiny B}}$  is great for this.



## **+ HAVE ONE REST DAY A WEEK**

The positive adaptions born from exercise take place when your body is in recovery. Insufficient recovery can reduce the effectiveness of your training.

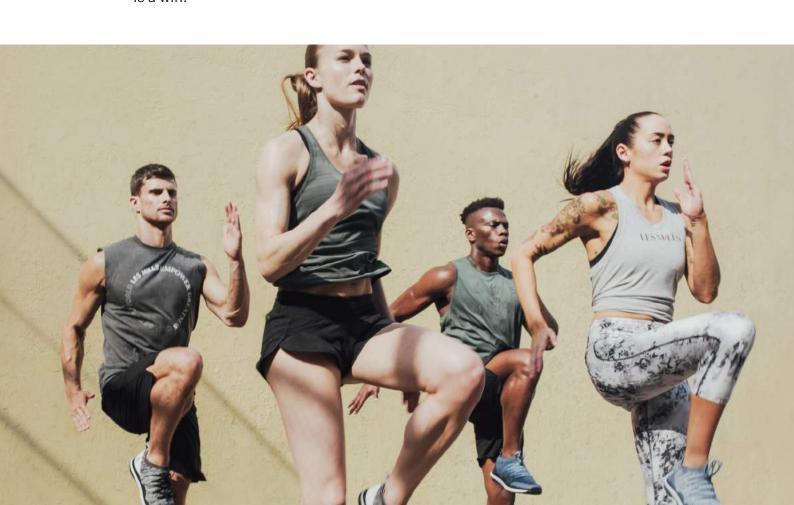
# + REMEMBER ...

There are no hard and fast rules. If you want to juggle the days you do certain workouts go for it! Be sure to space your strength training out across the week and avoid HIIT workouts on consecutive days. Keen to master a specific workout? No problems, you can simply repeat that workout instead of what's listed – consider intensity and length and try and replace like for like. You can even slot in another type of training, simply swap one of the scheduled cardio workouts for a run, or perhaps a road ride.

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Throughout the challenge, we will be sharing plenty more tips, motivation and guidance. And you'll also find round-the-clock support by joining the LES MILLS On Demand Facebook squad.

There's no doubt some days will be tough, but if you keep at it you'll be looking and feeling amazing in six short weeks. Remember, every workout is a win!



WORKOUT PLAN

# **GAME CHANGER**

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EQUIPI	MENT
Barbell	1001
Resistance Band	$\Gamma$
Weight Plates	<b></b>
Step/Bench	

1	DAY 01 — CARDIO BODYATTACK #107	DAY 02 — HIIT LES MILLS GRIT #31 CARDIO	DAY 03 — STRENGTH BODYPUMP #112	DAY 04 — CARDIO BODYCOMBAT #81	DAY 05	DAY 06 — STRENGTH BODYPUMP #105	DAY 07 — CARDIO BODYATTACK #104
					REST		
2	DAY 08 — STRENGTH CXWORX #34	DAY 09 — CARDIO BODYCOMBAT #82	DAY 10 — FLEX STRENGTH BODYFLOW #86/ BODYBALANCE #86	BODYATTACK #105	DAY 12	DAY 13 — HIIT LES MILLS GRIT #28 CARDIO	DAY 14 — STRENGTH BODYPUMP #111
					REST		
3	DAY 15 — CARDIO BODYCOMBAT #79	DAY 16 — STRENGTH BODYPUMP #104	DAY 17 — HIIT LES MILLS GRIT #29 CARDIO	DAY 18 — STRENGTH BODYFLOW/BODYBALANCE #85 STRENGTH	DAY 19  REST	DAY 20 — CARDIO BODYATTACK #102	DAY 21 — HIIT LES MILLS GRIT #25 CARDIO
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5	DAY 29 — STRENGTH BODYPUMP #108	DAY 30 — HIIT LES MILLS GRIT #27 CARDIO	DAY 31 — CARDIO BODYCOMBAT #77	DAY 32 — FLEX STRENGTH BODYFLOW #84/ BODYBALANCE #84	DAY 33	DAY 34 — CARDIO BODYATTACK #99	DAY 35 — STRENGTH CXWORX #31
					REST		
6	DAY 36 — HIIT LES MILLS GRIT #30 CARDIO	DAY 37 — STRENGTH BODYFLOW/BODYBALANCE #74 STRENGTH	DAY 38 — CARDIO BODYATTACK #92	DAY 39 — STRENGTH BODYPUMP #106	DAY 40	DAY 41 — HIIT LES MILLS GRIT #24 CARDIO	DAY 42 — CARDIO BODYCOMBAT #80
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#### NO EQUIPMENT

No equipment required, all workouts are bodyweight only!

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If you are injured we recommend consulting a medical professional before starting this Challenge. We don't recommend starting this Challenge if you are pregnant. While exercising during pregnancy can be beneficial for you and your baby, pregnancy is not the time to strive for new fitness goals or increase exercise intensity.

# **★** DISCLAIMER:

You acknowledge and agree that your use of this Challenge is governed by the LES MILLS On Demand Terms of Use. Consult your physician or a medical professional before starting this Challenge and follow his or her advice. If you choose to exercise using this Challenge, you do so at your own risk and acknowledge that the exercises carry an inherent risk of physical injury, particularly if you have a history of health problems or any previous injuries. Do not follow this Challenge if you have a history of chest pain, knee, ankle, wrist, shoulder, joint, or spinal (back and neck) problems or injuries. Read and follow all safety guidance provided as part of the Challenge or on the LES MILLS On Demand platform.

