

# CP7-A – Nez Perce Creek

## Staff:

- 2 Volunteers

## On Site Times:

- Must be on route by 5:15pm Saturday
- Set-up must be completed by 6:00pm Saturday
- On site until 10:00am Sunday

## Approximate Distances:

- From TA6 to your location: 6km
- From your location to Finish: 6.8km

## General Instructions

Your primary responsibility is to ensure the safety of the competitors. We do this by monitoring their progress through the course. We must be diligent in our duties and respond to situations quickly and calmly. In the event of an emergency, remain calm, assess the situation, and contact a Race Director or HQ (see Event Protocol). We will never ask you to put yourself into a compromising situation in order to help others. We want you to take care of yourself out there as well so ask for help if you need it.

SAFETY COMES FIRST. Assisting a racer in need will not necessarily disqualify them. It doesn't even matter – racers do not have the right to make unsafe choices or proceed when they are not fit to do so. Notify HQ immediately if you have any concerns.

## Volunteer Duties:

Place water and snack foods on the table. Alert HQ if you begin to run low on any supplies (less than half).

**Radio HQ when you receive your first runner. As a racer passes your location, write their bib number on the timing sheet so we know they have passed.**

If any runners come from any direction but the one described on the attached area plan (IE: from the north or west instead of south), tell them they are off course and they must return to the top of the hill to follow the correct route.

### **Communications**

- Radios are for communicating race progress and safety related issues
- Try to keep the social talk off the radios as we all use the same channel and this ties up our communication line
- Do not hold the radio too close to your mouth
- Be polite and do not cut other people off while they're talking
- The radios cost \$800 each - keep them dry and don't leave them sitting around

### **Event Protocol:**

You will have a radio to report when the first and last runners clear the area. You will also report any emergencies, general concerns or racers that drop out. If a racer drops out at your location, it is critical that you contact HQ right away.

<b>Issue</b>	<b>1st Contact</b>	<b>2nd Contact</b>
Course problem	Andrew	Brian
Emergency (non-medical)	Andrew	Brian
Racer / public complaint	Brian	Andrew
Racer withdraws	HQ	Brian
Volunteer directions/directives	HQ	Brian
Supplies needed at TA/CP	Logistics 1	Logistics 2
Immediate medical emergency	Medic 1	Medic 2
Media / PR	Erin	Brian

### **Food and Equipment:**

<b>Food:</b>	<b>Qty:</b>	<b>Equipment:</b>	<b>Qty:</b>	<b>Signs:</b>	<b>Qty:</b>
Electrolyte Drink	2	10x10 Tent	1	Distance Sign	1
Energy Bars	130	Collapsible Table	1		
Gels	390	Electrolyte	2		
Salt Snack	130	Garbage Bags	4		
Soft Candy (kg)	3	Garbage Can	1		
Water	9	Hand Held Radio	1		
		Lantern/Lights	1		
		Space Blankets	6		
		Timing Sheet	1		
		Water Jug	9		

### Driving Directions

- Drive west from Sportplex on 21ave towards 86st (230m)
- Turn Left onto 86 Street and drive south to Highway 3 (20 Ave) and turn right (west)
- Drive 1.8 km west on Hwy 3 heading west until you see a gravel road with red gate on the right (north)
- If gate is locked call Andrew Fairhurst on radio or cell phone to get assistance in opening the gate (403-563-0382)
- Once through the gate drive north on gravel road for 3.65km until you come to a 4-way intersection with the creek down on your right hand side. This is CP7A.
- NOTE: you will pass a second gate at 2.4km north of the highway. It is likely closed but should not be locked. If it is locked, contact Andrew.



