

# COURSE NOTES (FULL)

## TERRA NOVA 24



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### START INFORMATION

- ▶ Bike Drop open 0800-1000hrs, Race Briefing 1030hrs, Gear hand in from 0900hrs,
- ▶ Half Course Starts 1100hrs, Full Course Starts 1130hrs.

LEG 1	2km	Elevation Gain -1m	INFLATABLES KANGAROO RIVER
	<b>Fastest</b> estimate = 0:30 hrs <b>To Finish</b> estimate = 1:00 hrs	1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▶ Teams to enter the water north of the show-grounds and <b>MUST</b> stay in the water. Team <b>MAY NOT</b> trek along the bank</li> <li>▶ Team must stay within 100m of each other - safety officials will be checking</li> <li>▶ Collect ALL CPs in order on this section.</li> <li>▶ On completion of leg carry deflate and carry and flotation device to TA1.</li> </ul>
	Team Estimate:	1	
LEG 2	1.5 km	Elevation Gain (a little bit)	NELSONS CREEK
	<b>Fastest</b> estimate = 0:30 hrs <b>To Finish</b> estimate = 1:0 hrs	1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▶ Creek trek.</li> <li>▶ Teams must use the marked path along the creek and may not enter nearby farmland</li> <li>▶ CAUTION - Possible short swims / wading in estuary.</li> <li>▶ Collect ALL CPs in order on this section.</li> </ul>
	Team Estimate:	2,3,TA1	
TA 1			▶ Place Box A in 'Ready to Go' area before departing.
LEG 3	30 km	Elevation Gain 870m	MTB TO MERYLA
	<b>Fastest</b> estimate = 2:00 hrs <b>To Finish</b> estimate = 4:15 hrs	1,2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▶ CAUTION - Public roads, cars/trucks travelling at high speed, ride single file, use sides and paths where possible, give way to pedestrians.</li> <li>▶ Collect all CPs in order.</li> </ul>
	Team Estimate:	4,5,6,7, 8,9,TA2	
TA 2			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▶ Leave bikes as directed - you will return to this TA.</li> <li>▶ Copy CPs for Leg 4 at this transition.</li> </ul>
LEG 4	6 km	Elevation Gain 200m	MERYLA OFF TRACK
	<b>Fastest</b> estimate = 1:00 hrs <b>To Finish</b> estimate = 2:00 hrs	2,4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▶ Collect all CPs in ANY order.</li> <li>▶ Return to TA2</li> </ul>
	Team Estimate:	A,B,C, TA2	
LEG 5	20 km	Elevation Gain 420m	MTB TO BEEHIVE RD
	<b>Fastest</b> estimate = 1:20 hrs <b>To Finish</b> estimate = 2:50 hrs	2,3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▶ CAUTION - Public roads, cars/trucks travelling at high speed, ride single file, use sides and paths where possible, give way to pedestrians.</li> <li>▶ CAUTION - Extremely steep sections on this leg, exercise caution</li> <li>▶ Collect all CPs in order.</li> </ul>
	Team Estimate:	10,11,12, TA3	
TA 3			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▶ Leave bikes as directed - you will return to this TA after leg 6</li> <li>▶ Copy CPs for Leg 6</li> <li>▶ Place box in 'Ready to Go' area before final departure.</li> </ul>

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LEG 6		15 km		Elevation Gain 380m		BEEHIVE – GRIFFINS FLAT MTB/TREK	
	<b>Fastest</b> estimate = 2:00 hrs <b>To Finish</b> estimate = 3:00 hrs			3,5		<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Teams may trek or use their mountain bikes or both to complete this leg</li><li>Loop mountain bike/trek returning to start location at TA3.</li><li><b>CAUTION</b> - rough terrain and some technical riding on this leg.</li><li>Collect all CPs in ANY order.</li><li>Some sections of Beehive Walking Track extremely overgrown</li></ul>	
	Team Estimate:			D,E,F,G, H,I,J,K, L,M,TA3			
LEG 7		10 km		Elevation Gain (not much)		BEEHIVE TO BENDEELA	
	<b>Fastest</b> estimate = 0:30 hrs <b>To Finish</b> estimate = 1:00 hrs			3		<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li><b>CAUTION</b> - Public roads, cars/trucks travelling at high speed, ride single file, use sides and paths where possible, give way to pedestrians.</li><li>Collect all CPs in order.</li></ul>	
	Team Estimate:			13,TA4			
TA 4					<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Place bikes as directed, you will return to this TA after leg 9</li><li>Copy CPs for Leg 9 at this transition.</li><li>Place Box A and kayak equipment in 'Ready to Go' area before final departure.</li></ul>		
LEG 8		11 km		Elevation Gain 0m		KAYAK KANGAROO RIVER	
	<b>Fastest</b> estimate = 1:30 hrs <b>To Finish</b> estimate = 2:45 hrs			3		<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li><b>FIRST RESPONSE</b> - Move or swim to the shore. Use Phone in emergency.</li><li>Collect all CPs in order.</li><li>You may leave kayaks at any point to complete Leg 9</li></ul>	
	Team Estimate:			14,15			
LEG 9		7 km		Elevation Gain 220m		KANGAROO RIVER TREK	
	<b>Fastest</b> estimate = 1:00 hrs <b>To Finish</b> estimate = 2:00 hrs			3,5		<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Collect all CPs in ANY order.</li></ul>	
	Team Estimate:			N,O,P,Q			
LEG 10		11 km		Elevation Gain 0m		KAYAK KANGAROO RIVER	
	<b>Fastest</b> estimate = 1:30 hrs <b>To Finish</b> estimate = 2:45 hrs			3		<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li><b>FIRST RESPONSE</b> - Move or swim to the shore. Use Phone in emergency.</li><li>Collect all CPs in order.</li></ul>	
	Team Estimate:			16,17, TA4			
LEG 11		9 km		Elevation Gain 170m		BENDEELA TO THE SHOWGROUNDS	
	<b>Fastest</b> estimate = 0:30 hrs <b>To Finish</b> estimate = 1:00 hrs			1		<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li><b>CAUTION</b> - Public roads, cars/trucks travelling at high speed, ride single file, use sides and paths where possible, give way to pedestrians.</li><li>Collect all CPs in order.</li></ul>	
	Team Estimate:			18, FINISH			