

BOWLANDER 2019 - SCORING SYSTEM

REQUIREMENTS	POINTS
Essential Kit Check	100
Weather Forecast	30
Saturday Route Card	100
Saturday Hike	350
Camp Craft	140
Sunday Route Card	100
Sunday Hike	350
Sunday bonus challenges	140
Emergency Food Check	20
Full Kit Check	100
Arrival & Departure directions	140
Total	1,570

NOTES: -

1. Essential kit check will be done prior to Team's setting off and will include exposure bag. Missing items will result in that team member being disqualified. Recommended equipment is there for your safety during the event, not to allocate points!
2. During full kit check at the team briefing, 5 points per missing item will be deducted for each team member.
3. At each checkpoint during the hike, a maximum of 50 points will be available to each team. However, 2 points will be deducted for every minute the team arrives earlier or later than the time stated on the route card (Based on walking time, not actual time).
4. Teams will be expected to have up-to-date information on the local weather for the entire weekend.
5. Although this is primarily a hiking competition, teams will be expected to demonstrate a high standard of camping skills on Saturday night as required by wilderness camping. Points will be awarded for pitching tent, use of equipment, site tidiness, menu, catering skills and camp hygiene.
6. To ensure that teams follow the safest route, points are awarded for entering and leaving each checkpoint in the designated directions.
7. Teams must ensure that kit check sheets, weather forecasts and copy route cards are handed over to organisers at the start of the event before the team starts hiking.
8. Teams will have 5 points deducted for every 5 minutes delay in setting off on Sunday morning after their allocated start time.