









The 2022 Wildfire Raid Race Document

This document contains all the information you will need to prepare for the Wildfire Raid. It will be updated periodically in the lead up to the race. The race schedule and logistics have been set to be as racer friendly as possible.

New competitors would do well to look over past maps and information from past races <u>here</u> to get an idea of the format and what you are in for.

Concept

The Wildfire Raid is Raid Adventure's premier "sprint-length" adventure race. With 3 or 6 hour course options, the Wildfire Raid is the excellent entry point for newcomers looking to dip their toes into adventure racing, whilst still being a fantastic opportunity for some furious racing by the more experienced teams. The Wildfire Raid has all the elements of the Raid races that you have come to know and love with multiple stages of trekking, mountain biking and kayaking. The race HQ at Donnybrook offers up a plethora of paddling options, cycling trails and on- and off-trail running. Teams must navigate through the course using a map and compass on a route of their own choice with each stage effectively its own small <u>rogaine</u> where competitors may attempt to collect as many or as few checkpoints as they wish, making this event achievable by all levels of athlete.

Dates

Saturday 25 June, 2022

Team Size

Teams of 2.







Schedule

6 Hour Event Schedule

7:15am	Novice Briefing
7:30am	Map Handout
8:45am	Final Briefing (Come ready to race)
9:00am	Race Start
3:00pm	Event Finish
3:30pm	Final Presentations

3 Hour Event Schedule

7:15am	Novice Briefing
7:30am	Map Handout
8:45am	Final Briefing (Come ready to race)
9:00am	Race Start
12:00pm	Event Finish
12:30pm	Final Presentations

Categories

Gender:

- Mixed teams
- Male teams
- Female teams

Disciplines

- Trekking both on and off-trail.
- Mountain Biking mostly unsealed management roads.
- Kayaking.
- Navigation easy to moderate.

Format

Teams will be required to attempt multiple legs of alternating race disciplines. Each leg must be attempted in order, and once a leg is completed teams may not return to it to collect missed checkpoints later unless otherwise specified in the course notes. However, within each leg, teams may collect as many checkpoints that they wish. All check points are optional. Note that teams may only collect checkpoints that are from the current leg that they are on. Note also that some stages of the race may have "opening" or "closing" times.

This format of event allows for a very social atmosphere of racing with teams constantly brought together. Each stage of the Wildfire Raid is separated by a transition area where an event official will be present. Any team that makes it back to Race HQ under their own power will be considered ranked with an official result.

Age:

- Open
- Veteran (all over 40)
- Family (U14 racing with parent/guardian)





Race HQ Location

Race HQ is located at the <u>Donnybrook Boat Ramp</u>. Follow the directions of volunteers on arrival as to where to go. Please be mindful of the other users of the area.







Competitor Parking

Teams should park and setup in the area to the south of in the image above.

Local Amenities and Food/Coffee

Donnybrook Bait & Tackle is a good option for fry up style brekkies and drinks, and we encourage competitors to support local business. There are public toilets located near the boat ramp north of Race HQ.

<u>Start</u>

Maintain social distancing at the start. All competitors will need to be assembled for the final briefing 15 minutes prior to the start. You will be given a briefing and the code to unlock the event. Once you have this, you will need to open the app and select the event, go to start and enter the code. The map for the event will display. At 9 am you will be able to start by crossing the start (between the Raid Adventures teardrop banners just north of admin). Please ensure the start triangle turns green, this way you know MapRun6 has registered the start. MapRun6 will be used to verify all Out of Bounds rules are adhered to.

<u>Finish</u>

The finish control will be between the Raid Adventures teardrop banners the same as the start. Any team finishing after their designated time (12pm for 3 hour teams, 3pm for 6 hour teams) will lose 10 points per minute until half an hour later when all points will be lost. On finishing the event, one person from the team must register that the team has returned and show the results on the MapRun6 App to the admin volunteer and submit your team punch card.

<u>Results</u>

You will be able to see your preliminary results in the MapRun6 app. Key categories will be verified using the punch cards for the presentations on the day. Final Results will be emailed once formulated into teams and categories and placed on the Raid Adventures website.

Course Description & Approximate Distances

This document will be updated closer to the event – stay tuned!

Water

There is water available at HH, however competitors are advised to bring their own for the duration of the race, including before and after. You will pass through HQ a number of times during the event to refill. There is not water provided out on the course.

Maps

Every competitor will receive a pre-marked, event-specific, waterproof map. Details on the size and scale will be released in the lead up to the race.

Bike Hire and Skills Training

Bike hire and skills training for the mountain bike is available through ForbesMTB.com







MapRun6 Instructions

The 2022 Wildfire Raid will be using a different scoring system to previous editions with a combination of manual punch cards and the MapRun6 mobile phone app.

MapRun6 is an app which uses your smartphone to automatically record control punches and quickly provides you with your result at the end of the rogaine. It is free to install on Android or iOS. Please ensure you have setup the app before you attend on the day - ideally both team members should carry phones and run the app in case one phone has issues.

Google Play Apple App Store

You will need to put in your details, including your Team Number under the "Club or Team" field (can be found under the "Name" button in the MapRun6 home screen. Only include your team number (not team name, etc) in the club field as this is important in identifying your correct result if you are running two phones on the same team as we suggest you do.

Control flags will still be located at all check points and punch cards used to confirm results. Standard rogaine scoring applies (eg, CP 20-29 = 20 points; CP 30- 39 = 30 points, etc).

You need to punch your punch card at every control visited AND make sure the MapRun6 app registers your visit on both

phones (if you don't hear a beep check to see if the app has stalled, and if so, reopen and "resume" your activity). We will use the MapRun6 results to quickly calculate the results, monitor your team with live tracking and replay the race for post-event analysis.

Once you have setup MapRun6 for the event, we strongly recommend you waterproof your phone very well and securely attach it to you – we have dry bags at HQ for temporary loan if required. You should then run the phone in aeroplane mode during the event to conserve battery. Accessing your phone during the event for navigational assistance is cheating and a disqualifiable offence.

Spectators and Volunteers

Volunteers are the backbone of rogaining and adventure racing. We love our volunteers and feed and look after them very well (see Derek's testimonial <u>here</u>). Volunteers at any Raid event or QRA race receive guaranteed pre-entry into our other races as well as \$50 credit to any other Raid Adventures race or QRA event. There are a number of jobs we need assistance with on the course including help with registration, kayak logistics, manning transition areas, course sweepers, first aid, photography and social media. Contact Adam at <u>adam@navisoutdoors.com.au</u> if you are keen to be part of the action. Spectators are always welcome at the race. Race HQ is a hive of activity and race HQ is a very family friendly location. Of course, the best way to spectate at the race is to volunteer.

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Kayaks

Kayaks will be provided for the Wildfire Raid. These will be the green Spirit Double CTR kayak fleet managed by <u>Navis Outdoors</u>.

Paddle and/or PFDs can be provided for free of charge - The exception to loaning a PFD is for young racers under the age of 12 – please contact the organiser if you do not have a suitable PFD for a child of this age. However, competitors are recommended to bring their own paddles and PFDs where available.

Teams may consider the use of backrests. The kayaks have attachments for 4 point kayak backrests, and you are permitted to bring your own if you have them (no guarantee they will fit, but most generic types seem to work ok). A limited number of kayak specific backrests are available for hire (\$10 each), however these must be requested by one week prior to the race by email to adam@navisoutdoors.com.au and must be collected between 6.45am and 7.00am (prior to map handout).



Accommodation Options – www.VisitMoretonBayRegion.com

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Team List

No	Team Name	Names	Event	Cat.
12	What Would Goggins Do?	David Gill, Brent Harcombe	6 hr	MO
13	Lost Tigers	Brett Penridge, Jeremy Warren	6 hr	MO
14	Tiger Commandos 2.0	Rick Wenck, Lucas Boulton	6 hr	MO
15	OHHH for Orienteering	Eric Smyth, Henry Smyth	6 hr	MO
16	The Clydesdales	Craig Madsen, Mark Innes	6 hr	MO
17	Which Ways North	Richard Crossley, Dean Williams	6 hr	MO
18	Did you bring the compass?	Rob Cort, Alastair Cheeseman	6 hr	MO





19	Keen Green Tigers	Billy Schnitzerling, Richard Behan-howell	6 hr	MO
20	Scrambled Legs	Barak Truasheim, Gary Frueidegman	6 hr	MO
21	Lost Boys	Graham Binder, Jamie Binder	6 hr	MOF
22	Team Brioche Racing - The Pretzels	Krispin Hajkowicz, Harry Hajkowicz	6 hr	MOF
23	Diiiissssmount	Tony Mayer, Adam Woods	6 hr	MV
24	Griffins	Mark Murray, Hunter Beirne	6 hr	MV
25	Rogue	Liam St Pierre, Bevan Koopman	6 hr	MV
26	3 points of contact	Clint Falla, Gary Southerland	6 hr	MV
27	Middle of Nowhere	Matthew Stanley, Paul O'connell	6 hr	MV
28	Top Guns	Gary Walsh, Darryl Capner	6 hr	MV
29	Plodders	Jay Sindorff, Tim Price	6 hr	MV
30	Slowsies	Heine Mcloughlin, Arti Ameer	6 hr	WO
31	Slodgie	Brittany Cooke, Belinda Murray	6 hr	WO
32	Tahliaââ,¬â"¢s angel	Tahlia Henderson, Georgia Henderson	6 hr	WO
33	Fluoro Flag Finders	Kristina O'dwyer, Rachel Davis	6 hr	WO
34	Tiger Trails	Katina Woods, Natasha Lawrie	6 hr	WO
35	What compass?	Susan Stewart, Bronte Cheeseman	6 hr	WOF
36	Lush Puppies	Lynda Outen, Tara Hassan	6 hr	WV
37	Gals who love adventure	Melanie Ewing, Louise Conway	6 hr	WV
38	The Dino-Sores	Michelle Raines, Karen Henderson	6 hr	WV
39	Sweet and salty tigers	Kim Piercy, Rebecca Stewart	6 hr	WV
40	Tri Adventure Vintage	Gina Dunsdon, Jan Leverton	6 hr	WV
41	Tiger Two Knees	Marika Kahle, Anouska Edwards	6 hr	WV
42	Yesterday's Pancakes	Amie Munson, Cass Kimlin	6 hr	WV
43	Mountain GOAT	Justine Grohs, Edwin Trevor-roberts	6 hr	XO
44	Holy Guacamole	James Clare, Mikaela Sparre	6 hr	XO
45	Shackleton Tiger	Kevin Piercy, Lisa Costin	6 hr	XO
46	Tiger Cubs	Eniko Kasza, Sam Pohlman	6 hr	XO
47	Team JB	Joel Feros, Brooke Feros	6 hr	XV
48	The wild ones	Suzy Pearce, Matthew Pearce	6 hr	XV
49	The Wild Ones 2	James Webber, Catherine Fitzgerald	6 hr	XV
50	Tiger Synergy	Anthony Pohlner, Christine Perry	6 hr	XV
51	Something's Bruin	Eva Kovacs, Andrew Findlay	6 hr	XV
52	Megvan!	Sue Clarke, Walter Kelemen	6 hr	XV
53	Xcite	Fiona Quinn, Darryn Quinn	6 hr	XV
54	Out for Fun	Wendy Durheim, Glen Curtis	6 hr	XV
55	Brioche	Andy Redmond, Nina Lansbury	6 hr	XV
57	Bicycles Without Bruce	Tamsin Barnes, Richard Robinson	6 hr	XV
58	Gale Force Tigers	Jennifer Gale, Chris Gale	6 hr	XV
59	White Tiger	Vince Mckillop, Donna Mckillop	6 hr	XV
60	The Blind Tigers	Andrew Pinsent, Anne Venema	6 hr	XV
61	Tiger Adventure	Sara Barrett, Trevor Mullens	6 hr	XV
62	Carpe Diem	Karen Tebbit, Craig Dangerfield	6 hr	XV
63	Whitehouses	Ann Whitehouse, Matthew Whitehouse	6 hr	XV
64	Chocolate Eggies Running Fast	Karen Beath, Nick Allan	6 hr	XO
67	Have a crack	Jacqui Bell, Brett Carter	6 hr	XO





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1	Team Hillford	Neill Ford, James Hill	3 hr	MO
2	LetsGo!	Aaron Dunstan, Benjamin Dunstan	3 hr	MO
3	WeGotThis	Dylan Shanks, Blair Mcgilvray	3 hr	MO
4	The Decent Team	D. Van Lonkhuyzen, Kaleb Van Lonkhuyzen	3 hr	MOF
5	B4life	Jason Tinnock, Max Tinnock	3 hr	MOF
6	Major Payne	Nick Clark, Ewan Clark	3 hr	MOF
7	The Billing Boys	David Billing, Cayden Billing	3 hr	MOF
8	Tiger ZAPS	Penny Spiers, Zara Spiers	3 hr	WOF
9	Are we there yet?	Anthony Della, Jess Johnston	3 hr	XO
10	GT	Graeme Fleming, Taylan Jackson	3 hr	XO
11	Super grouse water mouse	De Attard, Alan Wynn	3 hr	XO
65	The Keehnsers	Tim Laceby, Amelia Keehn	3 hr	XO
66	Pivot Osteopathy	Nic Droste, Sarah Dryburgh	3 hr	XO
68	Tiger Bunties	Jackie Amos, Emma Martin	3 hr	WOF

Entry Fees

Early bird rate - until COB 13 June,2022.

- 6 Hour \$100 / person.
- 3 Hour \$80 / person.

- Standard rate after COB 13 June, 2022.
 - 6 Hour \$120 / person.
 - 3 Hour \$100 / person.

Teams of 2 only. Kids under 14 - entry fee is \$40 for either 6hr or 3hr event.

Partnering with Wildfire Sports

We are excited to announce the return of <u>Wildfire</u> <u>Sports and Trek</u> as sponsors of the Wildfire Raid for the fifth year in a row! Wildfire Sports have a long history of supporting the navigational and adventure

sports in QLD. With both an online store and a bricks and mortar establishment in Milton, Brisbane, Wildfire Sports have got all your adventure gear needs covered. Keep an eye on the <u>Rogue</u> <u>Adventure</u> and <u>Wildfire Sports</u> facebook pages for some great promotions leading up to the race. Wildfire Sports will be providing some fantastic prizes for the event.

Further Inquiries

For additional information please contact wither Adam Power at <u>adam@navisoutdoors.com.au</u> (course, kayak and HQ related questions) or Liam St Pierre at <u>liam@raidadventures.com</u> (admin and entry related questions). Keep an eye on the Rogue Adventure <u>facebook page</u> here for further information and updates from the course.







Council Support

A big thank you to the Moreton Bay Regional Council for their ongoing support of Adventure Racing







Wildfire Raid Mandatory Equipment List

Below is the list of mandatory equipment items to be carried by competitors on the course. This is a bare minimum of required equipment. All competitors are expected to be self-sufficient out on the course. In the event of an emergency, your team mates will be the source of first response. Heavy penalties will apply for teams found not carrying an item of mandatory equipment.

At All Times

Item		Number	Notes
	Mobile Phone	1 per team	Fully charged, water proofed, and with MapRun6 App installed. Set to flight mode once event starts.
	Whistle	1 per person	Accessible at all times, particularly if you capsize on a kayak leg.
	Emergency Space Blanket/Bag	1 per team	Any form of space blanket is sufficient.
COLUMN A	Compass	1 per team	Southern hemisphere compass. Electronic (watch or phone) compass is insufficient.
	First aid kit	1 per team	Minimum 1 Crepe Bandage (min length 2m), 1 Triangular Bandages, Sterile Dressing, Strapping Tape

Mountain Bike Stages

Item		Number	Notes
010	Mountain bike	1 per person	Sufficient for riding on rugged trails.
	Helmet	1 per person	Must meet Australian standards.





Kayak Stages

Item		Number	Notes
	PFD	1 per person	Type 2 or better. To be worn at all times while kayaking. Inflatable PFDs are insufficient. Can be provided if required.
	Paddle	1 per person	Paddles can be provided if required.

Prohibited Items

- Any form of GPS or distance measuring devices including foot pods, pedometers, step counters, etc
- Cycle computers
- Altimeters
- Any maps other than those provided

Recommended Items

The above list is the bare minimum of mandatory equipment teams are required to carry on the course. It is sufficient to manage an emergency situation until first responders can arrive to render assistance. To comfortably complete the course, teams are recommended to carry the following suggested items:

- Outdoor clothing including hats, sunglasses, gaiters, thermal pants and top, waterproof jacket, beanie and gloves.
- Sunscreen, insect repellent and other additional first aid.
- Toilet paper and trowel.
- Bike repair tools and spare parts.