**CHECKPOINT 2 TO CHECKPOINT 3**

**QUEEN VICTORIA HOSPITAL TO WENTWORTH FALLS PICNIC AREA**

Distance: 35 km

Description: This is the easiest leg of the course in terms of terrain and trail surface. The first 32km is on fire trail which is also great as it will give you a chance to walk side by side with your team mates and have a good old chat. The route takes you along Kings Tableland Road, Andersons Fire Trail and Ingar Fire Trail with gentle and steady descents and climbs. After re-crossing Tableland Road you will reach the beautiful Wentworth Falls area - after crossing the sandstone blocks at the top of Wentworth Falls you will shortly find yourself at Wentworth Falls Public School and Checkpoint 3.

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| **Point** | **Description** | **Kms**  **(leg)** | **Kms (total)** |
| 1 | START - Queen Victoria Hospital | 0.00 | 48.00 |
| 2 | TURN RIGHT onto Kings Tableland Road to head South-East. This road soon becomes dirt. Stay over to the left hand side of the road. IGNORE bitumen road going straight ahead (Tableland Road) | 0.10 | 48.10 |
| 3 | Continue straight ahead ignoring minor firetrail to your right | 0.60 | 48.60 |
| 4 | TURN LEFT onto Andersons Firetrail – signposted ‘Andersons Fire Trail’ | 7.50 | 55.50 |
| 5 | Continue straight ahead around the gate | 7.60 | 55.60 |
| 6 | TAKE RIGHT FORK to remain on main trail as it bends right. IGNORE firetrail to your left | 8.20 | 56.20 |
| 7 | Continue straight ahead through the open gate and across the old bridge | 11.80 | 59.80 |
| 8 | Cross Queen Victoria Creek and head up a small hill | 19.00 | 67.00 |
| 9 | TAKE LEFT FORK and head uphill on firetrail. This firetrail gains 200m in elevation over the next 1.5km. IGNORE firetrail to your right which crosses a causeway on Bedford Creek and pass through gate a few hundred metres up the hill. | 19.30 | 67.30 |
| 10 | TURN LEFT onto Ingar Firetrail after passing through another gate. IGNORE firetrail to your right (signposted to Ingar). Continue straight ahead on Ingar Fire Trail for 9.5km ignoring multiple minor tracks and 4WD tracks which come off both sides of Ingar Fire Trail | 20.95 | 68.95 |
| 11 | Continue straight ahead towards Queen Elizabeth Drive – signposted  ‘Blue Mountains National Park’. IGNORE two minor tracks to your right | 30.52 | 78.52 |
| 12 | Pass through open gate and TAKE RIGHT FORK onto the bitumen Queen  Elizabeth Drive | 30.55 | 78.55 |
| 13 | TURN LEFT into Tableland Road | 31.00 | 79.00 |
| 14 | TURN RIGHT into Hordern Road | 31.10 | 79.10 |
| 15 | Continue straight ahead ignoring Coronation Road on your left | 31.20 | 79.20 |
| 16 | TURN RIGHT at T-junction | 31.70 | 79.70 |
| 17 | Go around locked gate and continue straight ahead | 31.71 | 79.71 |
| 18 | TAKE LEFT FORK and go around locked gate – signposted ‘Kings Tableland  Track’. IGNORE track to your right | 31.93 | 79.93 |
| **Point** | **Description** | **Kms**  **(leg)** | **Kms (total)** |
| 19 | TAKE LEFT FORK onto Rocket Point Walking Track – signposted ‘Rocket  Point Track’. IGNORE firetrail to your right | 32.50 | 80.50 |
| 20 | TURN RIGHT towards Wentworth Falls – signposted ‘Wentworth Falls’ | 32.80 | 80.80 |
| 21 | TAKE RIGHT FORK down to creek. IGNORE track to your left (signposted  ‘Round Walk’) | 33.00 | 81.00 |
| 22 | TURN RIGHT at creek and cross creek. IGNORE track to your left  (signposted ‘National Pass’) | 33.00 | 81.00 |
| 23 | Cross the top of Wentworth Falls on the sandstone blocks | 33.02 | 81.02 |
| 24 | TAKE RIGHT FORK signposted "To Charles Darwin Walk" and "Weeping Rock Circuit". Ignore left fork to Car Park and Undercliff Track. | 33.09 | 81.09 |
| 25 | Walk up small ladder adjacent to Weeping Rock waterfall | 33.30 | 81.11 |
| 26 | TAKE RIGHT FORK at signpost marked "Charles Darwin Walk" and "Village and  Train Station 2km" | 33.55 | 81.55 |
| 27 | IGNORE several signposted sidetracks marked "To Fletcher St", "To Parkes St" etc.  Continue on main trail. |  |  |
| 28 | TURN LEFT at T junction with timber fence in front of you. Ignore the arrow  pointing right with walkers silhouette on it. Cross small timber bridge over creek. | 34.40 | 82.40 |
| 29 | TURN LEFT at unsignposted track junction. | 35.00 | 83.00 |
| 30 | CHECKPOINT FOUR- Wentworth Falls Public School | 35.10 | 83.10 |

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