

Inverness & District RAYNETGroup
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1) OPERATION PLAN

Corrieyairack Challenge 2006 - Saturday 1st July 2006

Organiser: Paul Corrigan - Badaguish Outdoor Centre - Aviemore

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Event Controllers:

Kincraig Control: John GM0 OTI, Lindsey GM0 NTI

Garva Control: Roger GM0 GKR, Fiona GM0 GKF

Engineering: Norman GM4 JNB, Steve GM1 VAD

2) DESCRIPTION OF EVENT

The Corrieyairack Challenge, now in it's 14th Year, is comprised of walkers, runners, mountain bikers and road cyclists, each raising funds for the Badaguish Centre. The Event starts at Fort Augustus and

follows the route of the historic Corrieyairack Pass, for some 17miles, over the Corrieyairack Summit and on to Garvabridge. Many of the competitors then cycle 26miles along the public roads to the finish point beside the village of Kincaig. The annual Kincaig Village Fete hosts the finish and awards ceremony of this Event, with a dance taking place later in the evening. An opportunity for a wonderful day-out for families and friends.

The mountain bike & walkers start at 09:30

The run & cycle (duathlon) starts at 11:00

3) EVENT SAFETY PLAN

The Safety Plan for this Event has been produced by Paul Corrigan and his Team, and takes into account both risk assessment and past experiences. We each have a responsibility to read this document carefully and to adhere to the given procedures.

Please see the attached copy.

4) OPERATIONAL RESTRICTIONS & RISKS

Please follow the normal RAYNET code of practice for the operation and handling of communication equipment and associated cabling and antennas.

Access to the Hill Sections is permitted for RAYNET and Marshal's four wheel drive vehicles only.

Please be aware of variable ground conditions and the presence of competitors and other personnel. Those located on the Road Section between Garvabridge and Kincaig, should be aware of passing vehicles and especially cyclists who may approach unheard and at speed.

5) ROLE OF RAYNET

RAYNET will provide and coordinate communications throughout the route from Fort Augustus to Kincaig, providing both message handling and Safety cover. This Event is an ideal opportunity for each of us to demonstrate our professionalism and to provide assurance to the competitors as regards a response in the event of any incidents. Please keep all transmissions to the minimum required and relevant to operations. However, do not hesitate to request information if you are unsure about something. Be aware that many others may be listening to our transmissions.

Please wear your “Hi Vis” RAYNET tabard and display **Radio Point** sign.

6) COMMUNICATIONS PLAN

The Communications Plans are attached and contain the Operator locations and the relevant working frequencies – PLEASE CHECK! can each Operator please NAME the Control which they are calling; The Hill Sector will normally call GARVA CONTROL, and the Road Sector KINCRAIG CONTROL, but please call either if you require to do so. If you require “talkthrough” to another station, then please request such from Control.

REPORTS

- 1) When in location and operational
- 2) The status of resources at your location
- 3) The number of the first competitor within each category past your location
- 4) Your departure from your location and when back on public roads

CASUALTIES - Prefix your call with “URGENT”

- 1) The location of incident
- 2) The nature of incident / injury
- 3) Competitor number
- 4) Please be “diplomatic” when passing details
- 5) **DO NOT** discuss details with any “third party” other than Medics and CMRT
- 6) Refer all other requests for info to KinCraig Control

7) RAYNET LOGISTICS

Most Operators engaged in this Event will provide their own equipment. XBand Units, Relay Equipment, PMR sets, and all relevant engineering will be provided by Norman GM4 JNB and Steve GM1 VAD. However, if you do require any items, then please contact John GM0 OTI or Steve GM1 VAD as soon as possible.

8) THANK YOU

Inverness & District RAYNET Group are indebted to the help provided by RAYNET Members from Fort William (Highlands), Perth & Kinross and Tayside Groups, as well as Cairngorm Mountain Rescue Team, Paul Corrigan and the Badaguish Team, and the many Marshals and other Personnel involved. We thank each of you and wish both you, and the many competitors, a most enjoyable and safe day.

CONTACT DETAILS

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CORRIEYAIRACK CHALLENGE 2006 - OPERATOR POSITIONS
HILL SECTION - FORT AUGUSTUS TO GARVA BRIDGE

POSITION	FORT AUGUSTUS START	DEER FENCE	BLACKBURN	UCHDACHAN BURN	SUMMIT	Z - BENDS	MELGARVE	GARVA CONTROL
GRID REF	NH 380091	NH 375065	NH 383029	NH 392002	NN 416986	NN 437983	NN 462961	NN 521947
DISTANCE FROM START TO FINISH	0 43m		5.6m 37.4m		9.9m 33.1m		13.3m 29.7m	17m 26m
OPERATOR	MAARTEN GM0TQB	PAUL GM1YUO RAYMOND	Damian GM4JEF	CHARLES GM8LMA Donald GM7WJI	STEVE GM1VAD KENNY RAY02067	RURAI DH GM4ODW	RON GM4AWA	ROGER GMOGKR FIONA GMOGKF
OPERATIONAL BY	08.45	09.30	10.00	10.30	08.15	10.30	11.00	08.45
OPERATING FREQUENCY	145.225	145.225	145.225	145.225	145.225 433.725 XBAND A	145.650	433.725	433.725 145.400 XBAND B
NOTES	PMR Link to Marshal at START LINE			PMR Control To Medic 1 Vehicle	SUMMIT RELAY STATION	VHF into remote XBAND D 433.725 out		GARVA CONTROL

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ROAD SECTION – GARVA BRIDGE TO KINCRAIG

POSITION	GARVA BRIDGE	LAGGAN JUNCTION	AUCHMORE LAYBY	TRUIMLINK	NEWTONMORE JUNCTION	KINGUSSIE JUNCTION	RUTHVEN BARRACKS	KINCRAIG FINISH
GRID REF.	NN 521947	NN 615943	NN 673957	NN 678941	NN 712989	NH 755006	NN 764996	NH 830058
DISTANCE FROM START TO FINISH	17 M 26M.	23.8 M 19.2M			31.2 M 11.8M.	34.2 M 18.8M		43 M 0
OPERATOR	ROGER GM0GKR FIONA GM0GKF	DAVE GM3 YEW	FIONA JACK Via PMR	NORMAN GM4 JNB	DIANA MM0 CMX	DAVE GM4 UGF		JOHN GM0OTI LINDSEY GM0NTI FIONA
OPERATIONAL BY	09.00	11.00	11.00	09.00	11.15	11.30		09.00
OPERATING FREQUENCY	433.725 145.400 XBAND B	145.400	PMR TO TRUIMLINK	145.400 434.700 XBAND C	434.700	434.700		434.700
NOTES	BRIAN McINTOSH Marshal	BRUCE HENDRY Marshal		NETWORK RELAY STATION	DONALD STRUTHERS Marshal	MAGGIE STIRLING Marshal	N / A	KINCRAIG CONTROL