

Incidents

Signaling

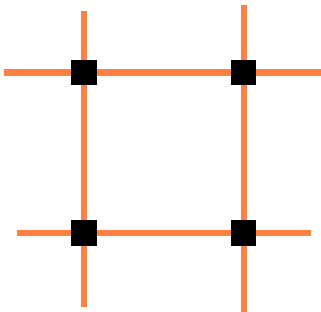
Send a message using either Morse code or semaphore across a 15 meter gap without the examiner being able to intercept it. Examiner can read Morse and semaphore.

Primus Stoves

Light a Primus stove inside a given time.

4 Spar Stretcher

Lash a square out of 4 spars and carry the smallest member around a course on top of it.



Kit Check

Checking that we knew, and could easily find emergency equipment such as first aid kit, bivy bag and emergency food and drink.

Archery

Shooting at targets over short range. Arrows home made as are bows. Do not fly straight. This is apparently a regular on the hike.

Old Times

Identify the silhouettes of six dinosaurs and say weather or not they are meat eaters. Make a flint axe with short poles and string. Breaking and sharpening your own flints.

Slings.

One member of the team has a broken elbow. Place in a sling and explain what you are doing and what else you would do after this.

Sounds

Listen to a tape and identify the sounds that are played. Some household sounds others are TV tunes.

Bearings

Take bearings and distances of poles in the ground. Transfer this to the map and work out what places they are.

Easter card.

Use bits of paper and pencils to design an Easter card with a two line rhyme in it.

Kites.

Design and make a kite that will fly. Use canes, black bin bag, sellotape and string

Food

Identify eight different exotic fruits and vegetables, state whether or not it was a fruit or vegetable and suggest a use for it.

Stretchers

Make two stretchers. One using two spars + jumpers the other using only one long piece of rope.

Tilley Lamps

A Tilley lamp is stripped and the team has to re-assemble it. Also one extra part is added that does not need to be used and the mantle is left out. The team have to identify the missing piece and work out which is the unnecessary object.

Split into:

PUMP:- Casing, Spring, Leather washer, Nut + washer at end of pump.

VAPORISER :- Casing, Valve, Inner

Glass removed from casing, top taken off with handle separate.

Gun Shot

A man describes hearing a bang and reveals a wound with a small entry hole and large exit wound. Teams must guess the cause and apply the correct treatment.

Clouds

Pictures of cloud formations to recognise and some weather forecasts cut from a newspaper to work out what they mean.

Kim's Game.

25 objects placed on a 5x5 grid. Teams have to identify what was there and where it was.

Fire

Two members are blindfolded and sent into a tent that is supposed to be full of smoke. They are told to make their way to the other side and deal with anything they find. Some obstacles put inside the tent and also a man with a damaged leg who cannot walk. The pair must get him out.

Golf

Teams must get 4 balls into a laid down bean tin from 10 meters. As many hits as needed. The faster the better but only one person at a time.

Twists

Teams must make twists, identify the best sort of fire and twig to use and then start cooking it on a pre-made fire. The team make their own green stick from a selection of twigs provided.

Surprise Checkpoint.

A man (pretending to be nothing to do with the hike) claims you are on his private land. Given a phone number to give to the organisers. Marked on politeness and on remembering to give in the phone number.

Knots

Six knots, Reef, Clove hitch, Bowline, Double figure of eight, Sheetbend and Sheepshank. Teams must correctly tie and give a use for the know.

Compass

A team must complete a 60 pace triangle. Teams start by going north and must turn left at each corner. Visibility is bad so teams must send off their own people and not use trees etc.

Tasting

6 types of cheese & 6 flavours of crisps are shown to the team. They must identify them.

Shelter

Teams must make a mini shelter out of 2 bin liners some rope and some stones. They may use any trees, fences etc. that are near by.

Taped Advert

Teams are to make a thirty second taped advert for scouting.

Spaghetti knots

Tie a reef knot from spaghetti. (TIP: Slightly undercook the spaghetti for best results)