



MASSIVE MURRAY PADDLE
MURRAY RIVER
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Maps and Checkpoints (Day 1 to Day 5)

Yarrawonga to Koondrook

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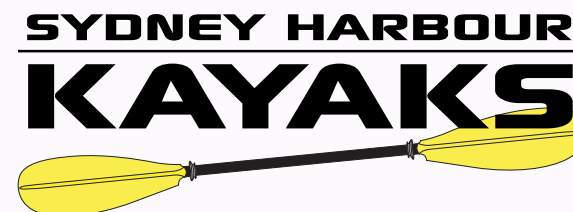
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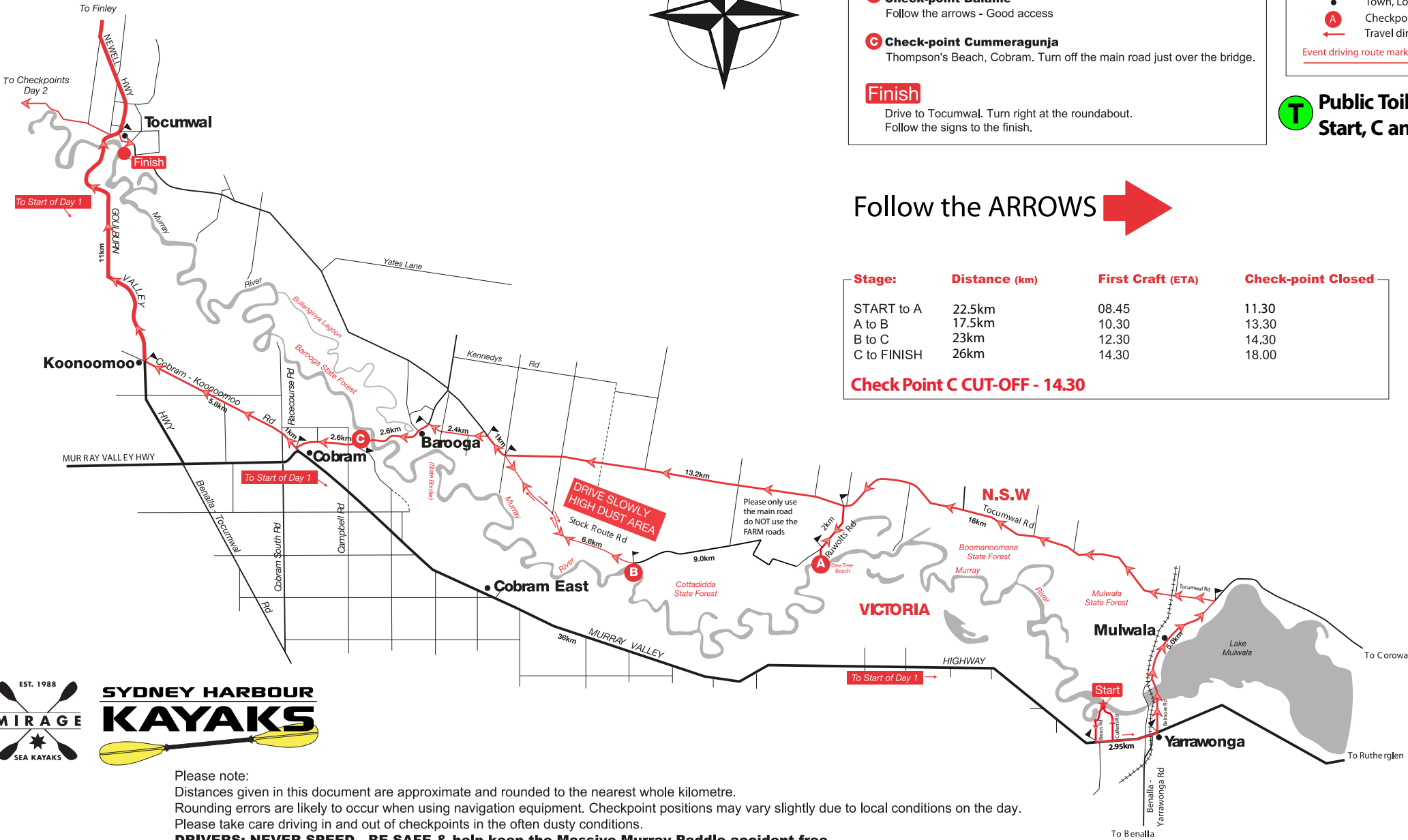
Wear a lifejacket.

Don't risk your life.



Massive Murray Paddle Ground Crew Maps - DAY ONE

Yarrawonga to Tocumwal
Paddlers Distance = 89km



Check-points by Road - Day One

Start

1.5km downstream from the Yarrawonga Weir, at the Yarrawonga Commons public boat-ramp. Enter into the Commons via Cullens Road.

A Check-point Australia

Boomanoomana State Forest. Follow the arrows.
Turn LEFT at Ruwelts Road off the main road.
Follow the signs to One Tree Beach. - Park as directed. Space is limited.

B Check-point Baime

Follow the arrows - Good access

C Check-point Cummeragunja

Thompson's Beach, Cobram. Turn off the main road just over the bridge.

Finish

Drive to Tocumwal. Turn right at the roundabout.
Follow the signs to the finish.

Legend

- Highway, Freeway
- Major Road
- Minor Road
- Other Road
- River
- Railway Line
- Route Marking
- Distances
- Town, Locality
- Checkpoint
- Travel direction

Event driving route marked in RED

T Public Toilets
Start, C and Finish

Follow the ARROWS



Stage:	Distance (km)	First Craft (ETA)	Check-point Closed
START to A	22.5km	08.45	11.30
A to B	17.5km	10.30	13.30
B to C	23km	12.30	14.30
C to FINISH	26km	14.30	18.00

Check Point C CUT-OFF - 14.30

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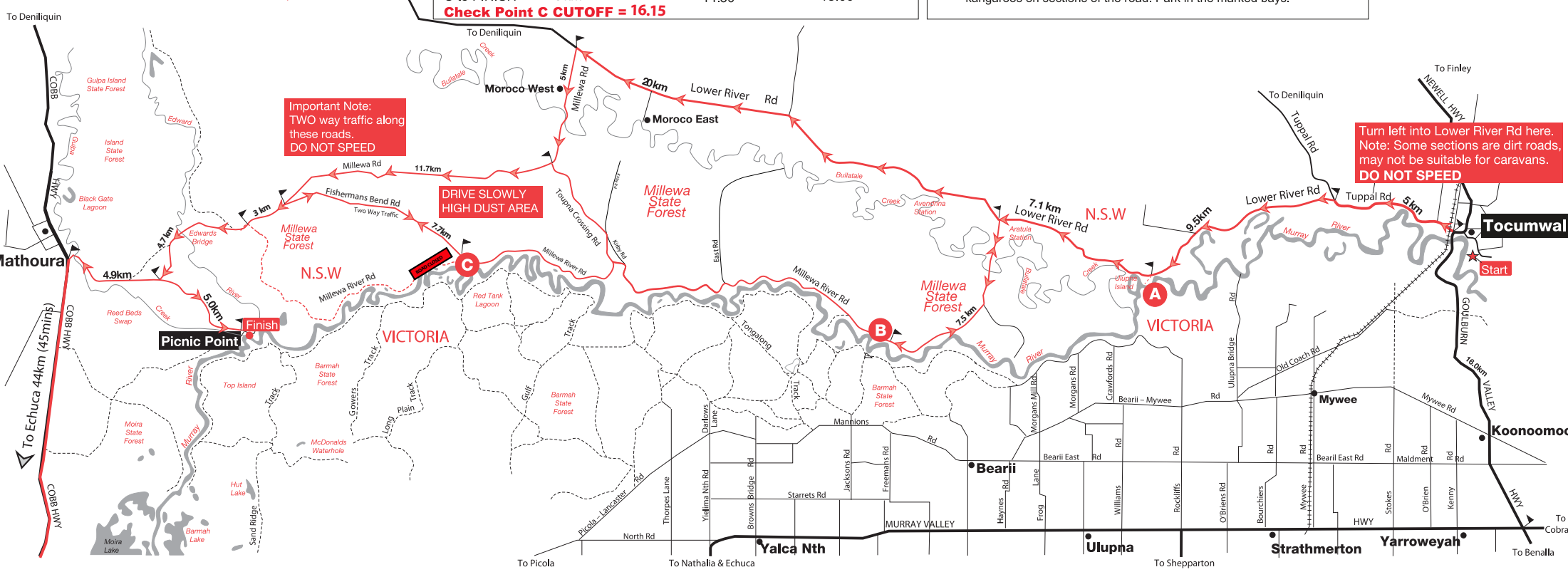
Massive Murray Paddle Ground Crew Maps - Day Two

Tocumwal to Picnic Point
Paddlers Distance = 91km

DAY TWO is a very difficult driving day - long distances on dirt roads - driving is slow - dust is bad. Help keep the Massive Murray Paddle Safe - BE AWARE - SHOW LOTS OF RESPECT for other crews. We HIGHLY recommend that if you are towing a 'large' trailer, you should drive directly to the FINISH (after CP A) and leave your trailer in the parking lot at Picnic Point, then drive back to CP B / CP C. ***** There will also be some trailer parking after you turn into Morocco West (look for signs)



Follow the ARROWS



Check-points by Road - Day Two

- Start**
Tocumwal at the Tocumwal Boat Ramp - Follow signs
- A Check-point Australia**
Is located on the side of the Lower River Road. Park along the road and walk in to the check-point.
- B Check-point Baiaime**
Is located along the Milawa River Road. The tracks are narrow and it's slow driving. You are in a high dust area. Park only where directed
- C Check-point Cummeragunja**
Continue along the Milawa River Road. The check-point is located on the side of the road. Drive slowly as you are in a high dust area. Park only where directed. The exit (to the Finish) is the same way, you drove in in case of wet conditions.
- Finish**
The finish is at the Picnic Point Boat Ramp. Watch out for cattle and kangaroos on sections of the road. Park in the marked bays.

Legend

- Highway, Freeway
- Major Road
- Minor Road
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- River
- Railway Line
- Route Marking
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T Public Toilets Start and Finish

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NOTE: If you are staying two nights in Echuca / Moama.
The drive from Echuca CBD to the Picnic Point
START / FINISH Line is 50km / 40 minutes.
Please allow for this travel time and DO NOT SPEED



North



Massive Murray Paddle Ground Crew Maps - Day Three

Picnic Point to Moama

Paddlers Distance = 77 km

BE BRIGHT BE SEEN DAY

Check-points by Road - Day Three

Start

At Picnic Point Boat Ramp - 50km (one hour) from Echuca via Cobb Hwy

A Check-point Australia

Is located between the Barmah Boat Ramp and upstream of the bridge

- Park in the parking lot.

Please DO NOT use the NSW side of the river for your change-over.

B Check-point Baiaime

Road side with easy access - Drive slowly as you are in a high dust area.

C Check-point Cummeragunja

Road side with easy access - Drive slowly as you are in a high dust area.

Finish

The finish is at Moama Beach in Moama (via Blair Street).

Legend

- Highway, Freeway
- Major Road
- Minor Road
- Other Road
- River
- Railway Line
- Route Marking
- Distances
- Town, Locality
- Checkpoint
- Travel direction

Event driving route marked in RED

T Public Toilets
Start, CP A and Finish

Follow the ARROWS

Stage:	Distance (km)	First Craft (ETA)	Check-point Closed
START to A	28.5km	09.30	11.00
A to B	12km	10.30	13.00
B to C	18km	12.45	15.00
C to FINISH	18.5km	13.30	17.00

Check Point C CUT-OFF - 15.00

NOTE:

The drive from Echuca CBD to the START LINE at Picnic Point is 50km / 40 minutes.
Please allow for this travel time and DO NOT SPEED

NOTE:

The drive from the Picnic Point Start Line to Check Point A at Barmah is 50km / 50 minutes.
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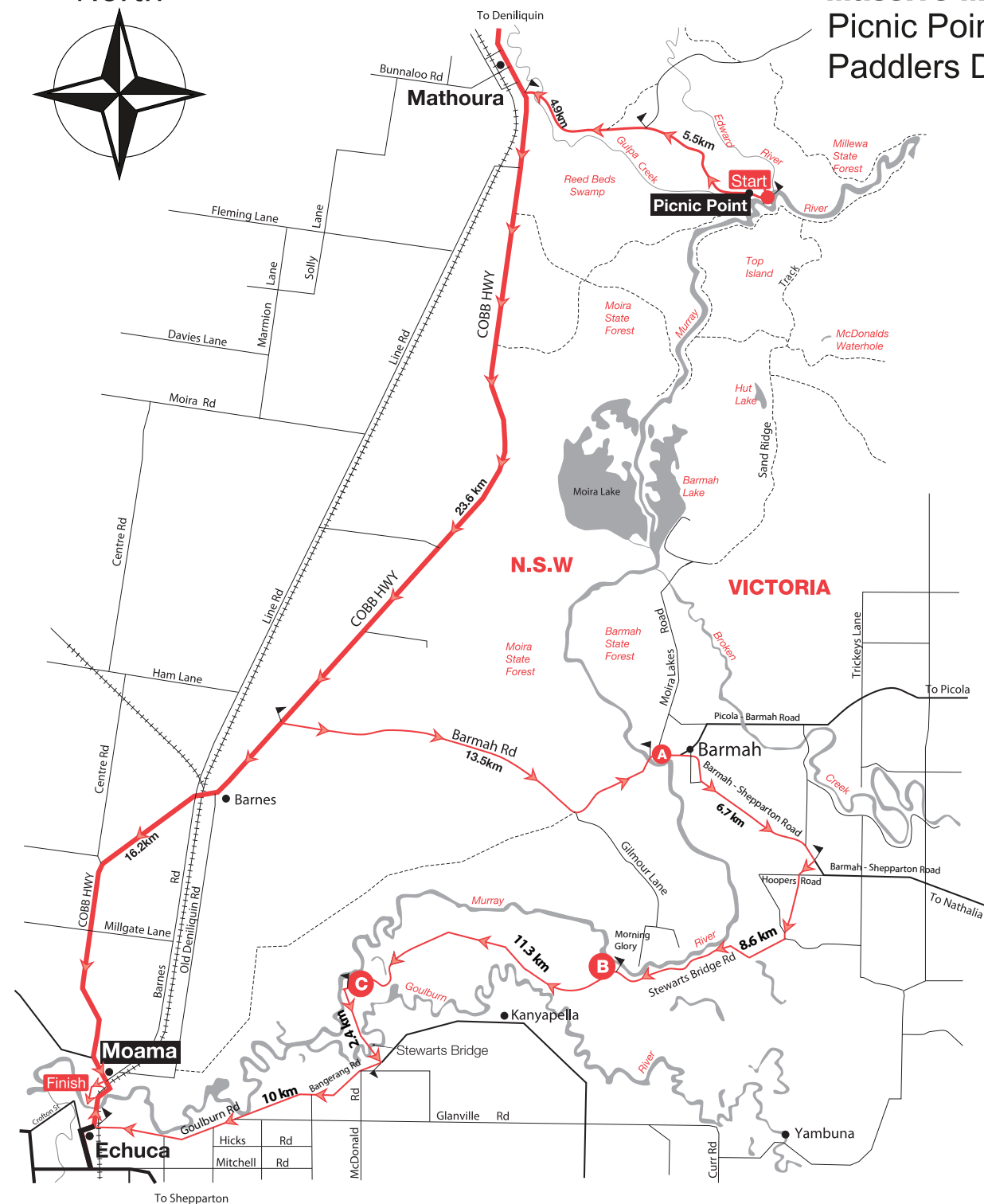
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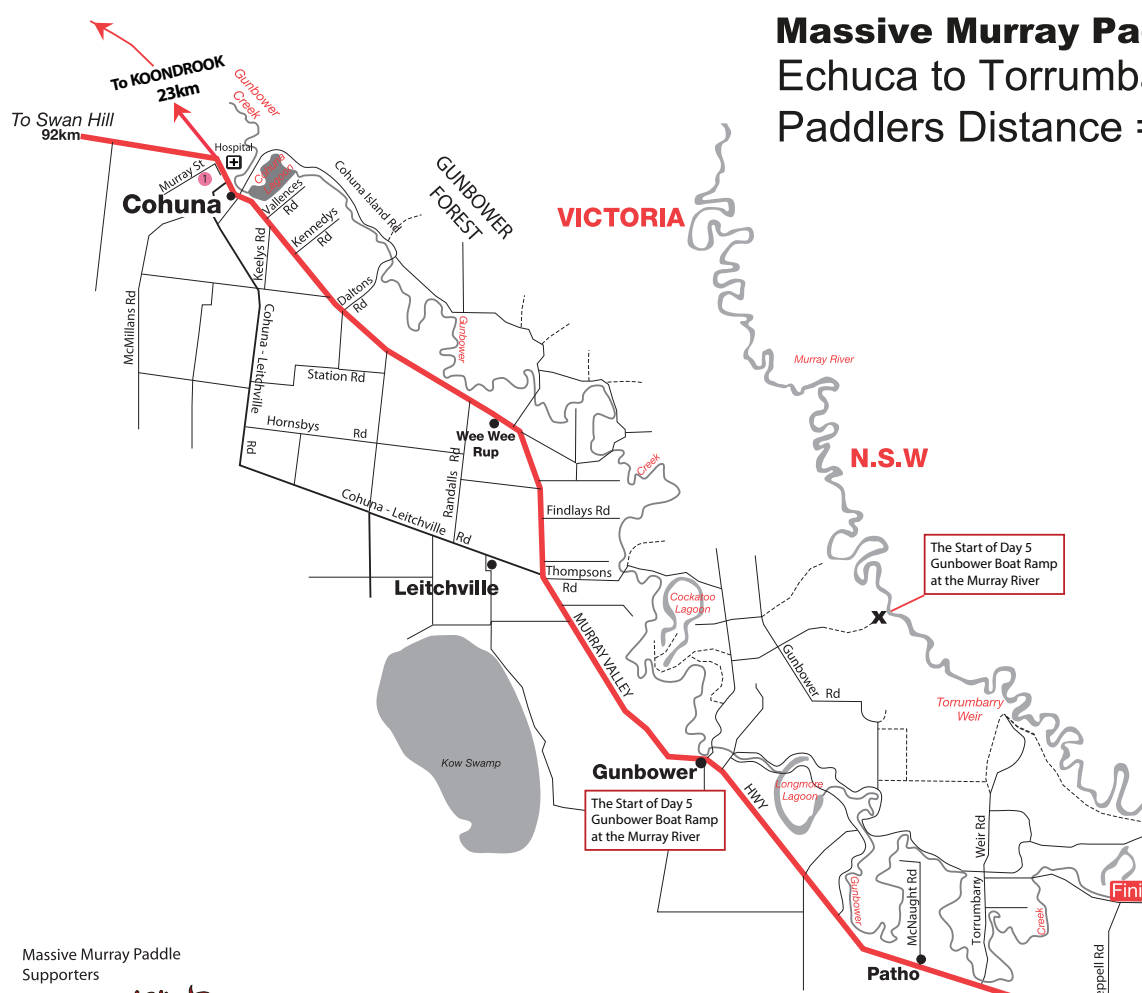
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Massive Murray Paddle Ground Crew Maps - Day Four

Echuca to Torrumbarry

Paddlers Distance = 63km



Check-points by Road - Day Four

Start

The start is at Moama Beach in Moama, NSW (via Blair Street).

A Check-point Australia

Heading out of the Start area, then a LEFT on to Menynia Street, then a LEFT onto Perricoota Road for 7 km. Take a left into the 5-Mile Boat Ramp parking area.

B Check-point Baime

Take a right hand turn onto O'Dwyer Road off the Murray Valley Hwy. Rough, winding forest track to check-point (on the beach). Park where directed.

C Check-point Cummeragunja

Turn right onto Farley Road off the Murray Valley Hwy. Drive to the end and follow the signs through the dirt tracks.

Finish

Turn right onto Bail Road off the Murray Valley Hwy. Follow this road all the way to the end to the boat ramp. Park where directed.

HINT: make sure you don't forget your camp chairs on Day 4. The drives are short and checkpoints scenic.

Legend

- Highway, Freeway
- Major Road
- Minor Road
- Other Road
- River
- Railway Line
- Route Marking
- Distances
- Town, Locality
- Checkpoint
- Travel direction

Event driving route marked in RED

Stage:	Distance (km)	First Craft (ETA)	Check-point Closed
START to A	19 km	09.00	11.00
A to B	12 km	10.00	12.00
B to C	16 km	11.30	15.15
C to FINISH	16 km	13.00	17.30

Check Point C CUT-OFF - 15.15

T Public Toilets
Start, CP A and Finish



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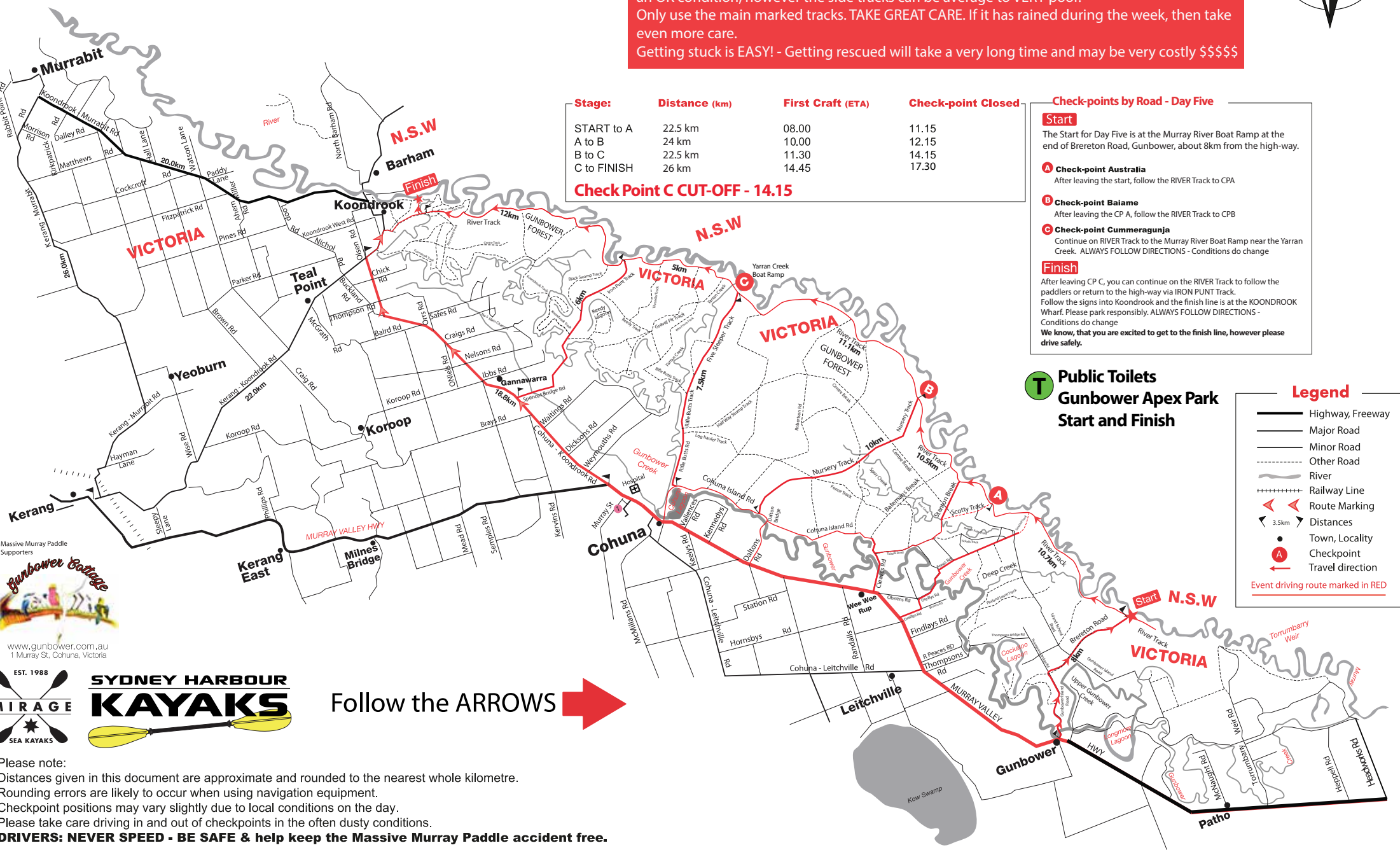


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Massive Murray Paddle Ground Crew Maps - Day Five
Gunbower to Koondrook
Paddlers Distance = 95km

Day Five is a long day of driving long distances on dirt tracks - The driving is slow and there is a lot of dust. It is a big responsibility for all drivers to help keep the MMP a safe race.
BE AWARE SHOW LOTS OF RESPECT for other crews and the public.
We highly recommend that if you are towing a larger trailer, you should drive back to the highway, drive to the finish line, then drive back and meet your team at a check-point.
The tracks in the Gunbower Forest are pot-holed. The River Track is managed and generally in an OK condition, however the side tracks can be average to VERY poor.
Only use the main marked tracks. **TAKE GREAT CARE.** If it has rained during the week, then take even more care.
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Check-points by Road - Day Five

Start
The Start for Day Five is at the Murray River Boat Ramp at the end of Brereton Road, Gunbower, about 8km from the high-way.

A Check-point Australia
After leaving the start, follow the RIVER Track to CPA

B Check-point Baime
After leaving the CP A, follow the RIVER Track to CPB

C Check-point Cumeragunja
Continue on RIVER Track to the Murray River Boat Ramp near the Yarran Creek. ALWAYS FOLLOW DIRECTIONS - Conditions do change

Finish
After leaving CP C, you can continue on the RIVER Track to follow the paddlers or return to the high-way via IRON PUNT Track.
Follow the signs into Koondrook and the finish line is at the KOONDROOK Wharf. Please park responsibly. ALWAYS FOLLOW DIRECTIONS - Conditions do change
We know, that you are excited to get to the finish line, however please drive safely.

T Public Toilets
Gunbower Apex Park
Start and Finish

Legend

- Highway, Freeway
- Major Road
- Minor Road
- Other Road
- River
- Railway Line
- Route Marking
- Distances
- 3.5km
- Town, Locality
- Checkpoint
- Travel direction
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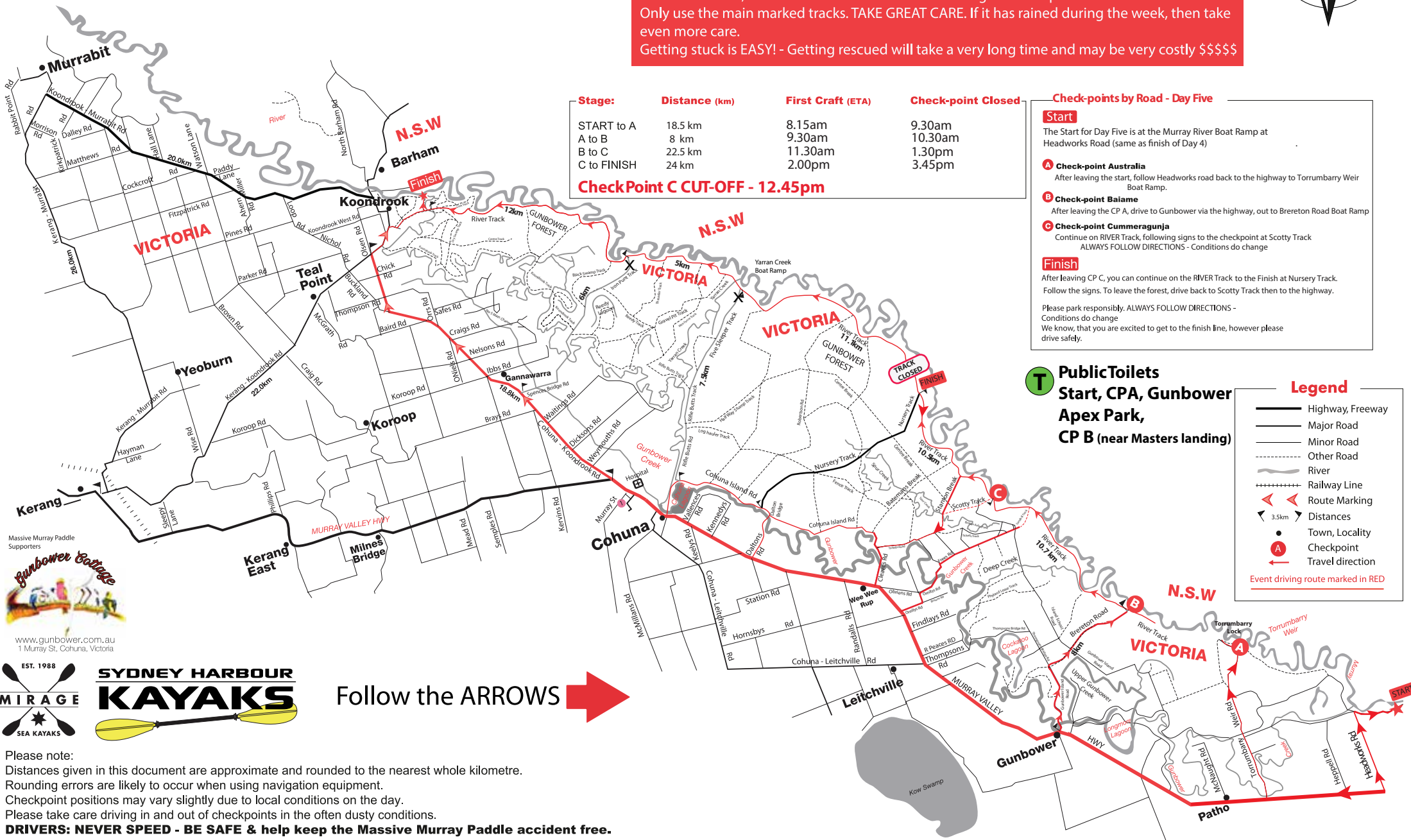
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Massive Murray Paddle Ground Crew Maps - Day Five

Torrumbarry Headworks via Torrumbarry weir lock to Gunbower Forest
Paddlers Distance = **73km**

BACK UP PLAN in case of **FOREST Flooding** and **poor quality roads**

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