

Support Crew Information – Kuranda to Port Douglas Ultra and Relay

Support crews are neither required nor necessary for those doing the SOLO race as the checkpoints provide competitors with sufficient access to their race needs. If you do choose to have a support crew, they are permitted to assist runners anywhere along the course where vehicle access is available.

Teams in the 60km Relay must supply their own transport between Legs in the event.

The support crew is responsible for obtaining their own maps and directions to the various locations. Please do some forward planning in this regard – do not bother the race director on race day with questions on how to navigate around the course. Obey all road rules. Watch out for runners on the road – Black Mountain Road is narrow and slippery when wet.

Part of the Race Rules include:

- Support crews must follow the instructions of race officials.
- The event organiser is not responsible for the safety or whereabouts of support crew.

WATCH FOR RUNNERS. The speed limit on Black Mountain Road is 80km/hr! Go slower!

Where can support crew NOT go?

Bump Track (from the Top of the Bump to the base of the Bump Track).

Estimated runner arrival times are provided in the table below. *This is only a guide.*

Location	Leg	Distance into the event (km)	Front Runners	Tail-end Runners
Start		0	6.00am	5.00am
Handover to Leg 2	0km – 13km (Leg 1): From the start run along Black Mountain Road.	13	7.00am	n/a
Quaid Road	13km – 27km (Leg 2): Continue along Black Mountain Road to Quaid Road. CHECKPOINT	27	8.00am	9.15am
Top of the Bump	27km – 43km (Leg 3): Continue along Black Mountain Road to the Top of the Bump. CHECKPOINT	43	9.15am	12.00pm
Highway checkpoint	43km – 60km (Leg 4): Top of the Bump to Finish line.	54	10.30am	2.00pm
Finish		60	11.00am	3.30pm

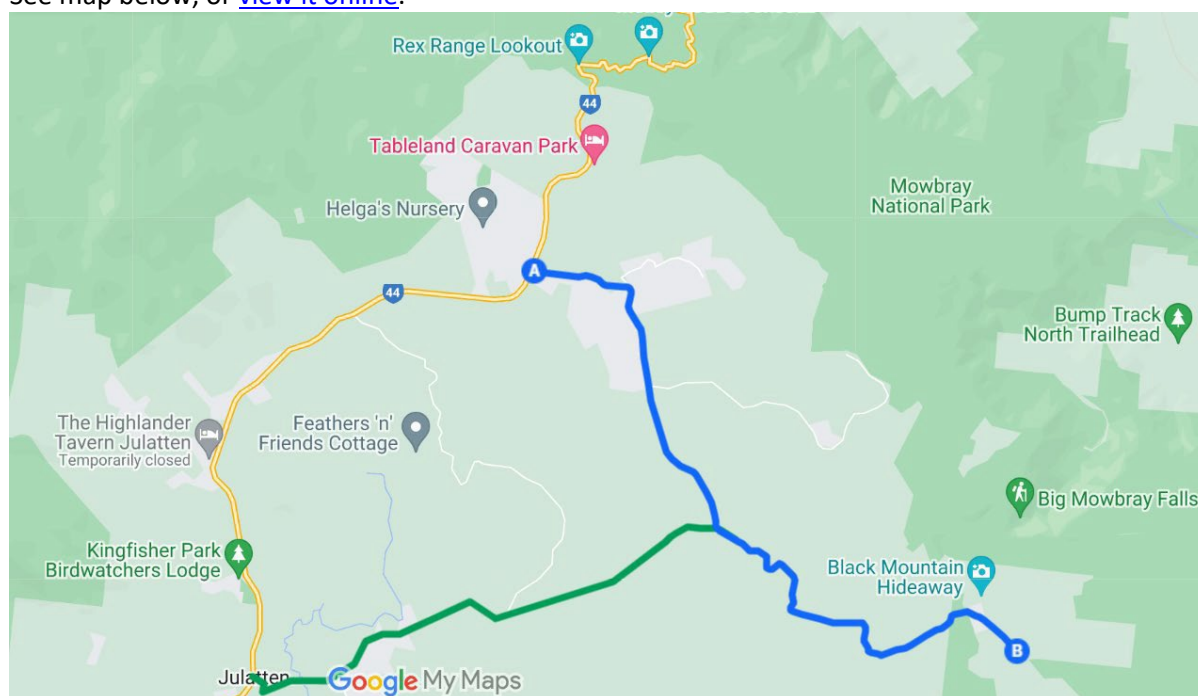
Directions:

How to get to the start: The race starts on Black Mountain Road approximately 200m from the Kennedy Highway turn off. It takes about 30 minutes to drive from Cairns Esplanade/CBD to the start of the race. There is street parking at the start.

For Relay runners starting at the Top of the Bump:

You can drive along Black Mountain Road to the Top of the Bump. You need a 4WD or an AWD to navigate the dirt road from Quaid Road to the Top of the Bump. Or you can opt to come from in Port Douglas, drive 10km **north-west** towards Mossman on the **Captain Cook Highway** and turn left onto the Rex Range (**Mossman-Mt Molloy Road**). Follow this windy pass for 20.5 km turn left onto **Euluma Creek Road**, after 280 m take the 1st left to stay on **Euluma Creek Road**., Stay on **Euluma Creek Road** and follow the signs to **Black Mountain Hideaway**, the Top of the Bump is about 1km past the Black Mountain Hideaway turnoff.

See map below, or [view it online](#).



Kuranda and Mowbray national parks map

