SAFE OPERATING PROCEDURE
Geocaching

- 1 Activity Supervisor per 12 participants
- Up to 7 GPS units per group
- A pencil or pen is needed to fill in answers
- Participants need to be reminded that the ground could be uneven and to take care
- Be careful of potential electric fences in farm paddocks
- We recommend sending participants off in groups of 3.
- Supervisor to be in a known position to be available if needed
- Be aware that there may be animals in paddocks, please leave gates as you have found them and use stiles to cross fences
- Covered footwear is recommended
- Take appropriate medicine with you (e.g. inhalers)
- Wear a hat and sunscreen

All damage and injuries must be reported to CYC Staff as soon as practicable

Failure to follow these instructions could result in injury.
CYC reserve the right to close this activity if these instructions are not followed.
To contact CYC Staff go to the office

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Geocaching Information

- Using the GPS units you have been given, find as many of the cache containers as you can in the allocated time. They have been hidden all around the camp. **None are hidden in or near buildings.**
- Leave the caches in the exact place and position you found them.
- Be careful with the caches. Some are fragile.
- Spare batteries are located with the Supervisor.
- Turn GPS units on 5 mins prior to using. Units do not work inside.

Guide

- To select a waypoint:
    - Press MENU to get menu page
    - Select WAYPOINT MANAGER
    - UP or DOWN to select a waypoint you want to find (e.g. '001')
    - Press ENTER
    - Scroll to select GO
    - Press ENTER
    - Move in a straight line in the direction of the arrow for 10 steps, then adjust your heading every 10 steps to align with the arrow.

Hints

- Start moving with the GPS unit to reset the arrow
- Trust that the GPS unit is taking you in the right direction
- Check the name of the cache and use the waypoint as a guide
- Decrypt the cache hints to help you

Aim to find 6 caches for an hour rotation and have fun!

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