

50 Mile Route (Start at Cayuse Flats)

The 50 mile route starts at Cayuse Flats which is 8 accessible from Hwy 3. After you reach Cascade, you do an out and back along Dewdney then do Legs 5 and 6.

Cayuse Flats

- The 50 mile starts at the intersection of Hope Pass Trail and Skagit Bluff Trail marked with a **sign** near Hwy 3.



Skagit Bluffs Trail (8 km)

- Keep **straight** and run parallel to Hwy 3. (↔)
- Undulating trail, some viewpoints.
- 8 km later, you reach Cascade Rec Area, parking lot. Turn right (↷) to get to aid station area (outhouses, sign, lots of parking).

Cascade Aid Station



Out and Back 2.5 km

- Head into Dewdney Trail, cross the bridge and at FIRST junction, 50 milers turn RIGHT (**this is the only group that goes right**). A marshall will be directing you along this trail.
- Go out this flagged trail to the turnaround point which is marked with a sign.
- *Tear a page from the novel and bring it back to the marshall waiting for you at the junction where you turned after the bridge. Hand over the page to the marshall.*

To Hwy 3 Crossing

- Next do [Leg 5 Skagit](#).
- Then do [Leg 6 Skyline](#).

Total Elevation for 50 Mile Route

Course Information

Elevation Gain: 3271.2 m

Elevation Loss: 2810.4 m

Highest Elevation: 1999.2 m

Lowest Elevation: 507.2 m