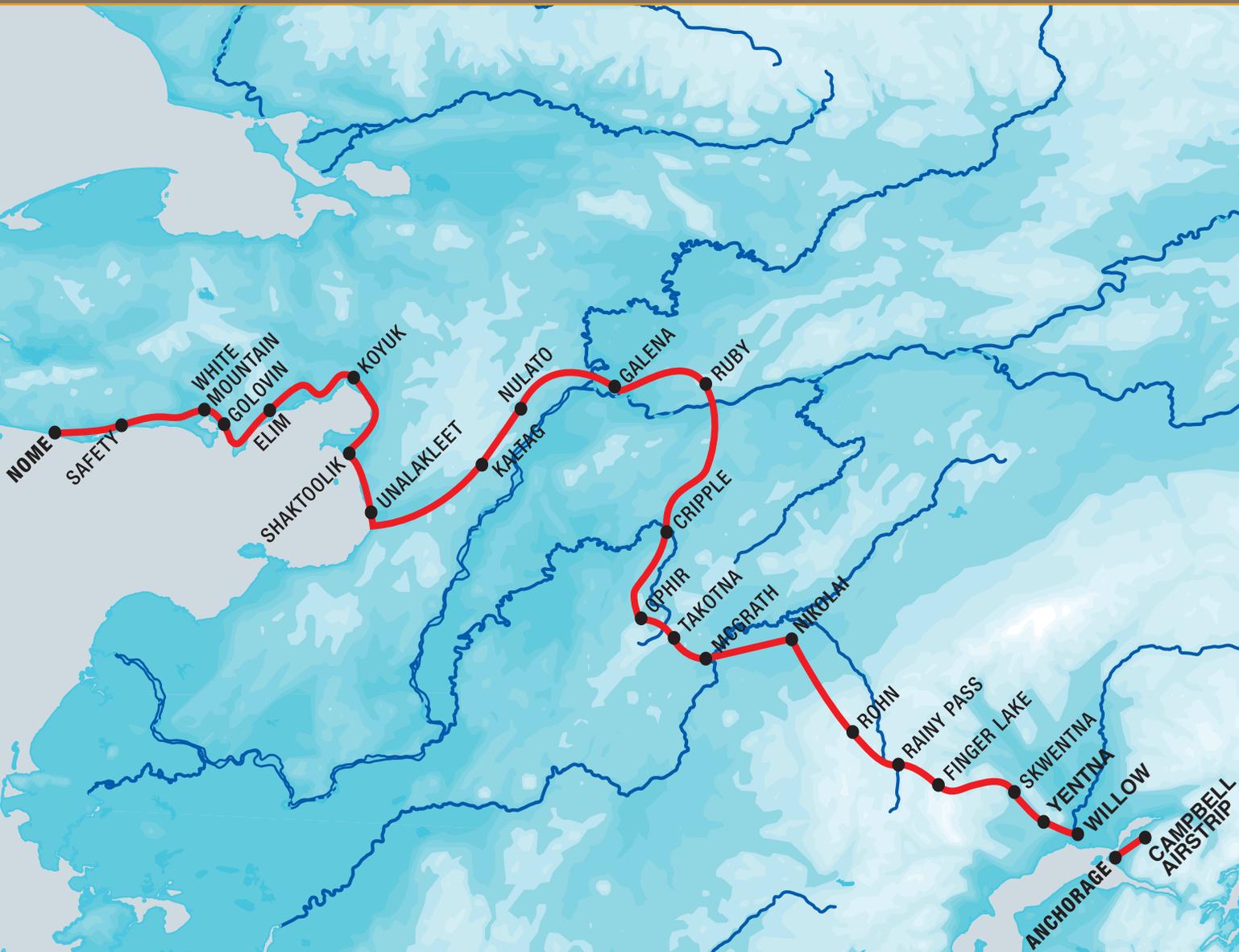


## Northern Route (Even Years)



Checkpoints .....	Distance	Checkpoints .....	Distance
Anchorage to Campbell Airstrip .....	11	Cripple to Ruby .....	70
Willow to Yentna Station .....	42	Ruby to Galena .....	50
Yentna Station to Skwentna .....	30	Galena to Nulato .....	37
Skwentna to Finger Lake .....	40	Nulato to Kaltag .....	47
Finger Lake to Rainy Pass .....	30	Kaltag to Unalakleet .....	85
Rainy Pass to Rohn .....	35	Unalakleet to Shaktoolik .....	40
Rohn to Nikolai .....	75	Shaktoolik to Koyuk .....	50
Nikolai to McGrath .....	48	Koyuk to Elim .....	48
McGrath to Takotna .....	18	Elim to Golovin .....	28
Takotna to Ophir .....	23	Golovin to White Mountain .....	18
Ophir to Cripple .....	73	White Mountain to Safety .....	55
		Safety to Nome .....	22

Note: As of 2012 the Northern Route distance is approximately 975 miles. In prior years the distance was always over 1,000 miles. However, with the change in the Ceremonial Start (running from downtown Anchorage to Campbell Airstrip instead of Eagle River) and the change of the Restart location from Wasilla to Willow (loss of the Wasilla-Knik-Yentna River runs), and since the actual year to year trail conditions can affect trail routing, the trail distance has been readjusted by approximately 74 miles. The symbolic figure of 1,049 miles still stands to signify the historical 1,000 miles of the race and 49 is added to identify Alaska as the 49th state.