

## BIVOUAC ASSESSMENT, A7. – A9.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Circle True or False:

1. **T / F** If rain is expected, to channel water away from your tent, dig a shallow trench around the tent.

Fill in the blanks:

2. When considering a tent/shelter location, low ground should be avoided because:
- Low ground is \_\_\_\_\_ than surrounding high ground
  - Possible \_\_\_\_\_.

Circle the correct answer:

3. Which of the following bivouac hygiene essentials is not true:
- Wash at least 1x a day
  - Brush your teeth
  - Break in new shoes before a bivouac
  - Change your T-shirt, underwear, and socks daily
  - Keep hands and feet clean
  - Keep your hair clean
  - All of the above are true
4. Which of the following is not true about treating a blister:
- Do not put moleskin padding directly over a blister
  - A small blister should be opened and drained
  - To keep a large blister from bursting or tearing, run a sterilized needle and thread through the blister, and leave both ends of the thread hanging out of the blister
  - All of the above are true
5. Which of the following is the correct way to remove a tick that has attached itself to your skin:
- Use a pair of tweezers, grasp the tick nears its head, and quickly twist and pull out the tick
  - Use a pair of tweezers, grasp the tick nears its head, and gently, slowly pull the tick straight out
  - Either a. or b. is acceptable
6. Which of the following is the “North” shown on both the Lensatic and the Silva compasses:
- Grid North
  - True North
  - Magnetic North

7. *Azimuth* are the degrees from 0 to 360 shown on a compass. Which of these is not correct when “shooting an azimuth” in a compass course:
- Turn the dial of the compass to the given azimuth
  - Keep the compass at a slight upward angle in front of you with the red compass needle pointing straight ahead
  - Turn your body so the red compass needle lines up inside the red housing on the base of the compass
  - All of the above are true

Circle True or False:

8. **T/F** When determining an individual Pace Count, it should be done two times and then averaged