



# PADDLE AUSTRALIA 2022 CANOE MARATHON CHAMPIONSHIPS GOLD COAST 22-24 APRIL

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# **CEO'S WELCOME**

On behalf of Paddle Australia (PA), the PA Canoe Marathon Technical Committee, and the entire paddling community, I am delighted to welcome you on behalf of the Event Host Paddle Queensland (PQ) and the local organisers to the PA 2022 Canoe Marathon Championships.

I would like to respectfully acknowledge the traditional owners of the land on which we gather, the Yugambeh People and pay my respects to their Elders past and present. I extend that respect to Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people in attendance.

It has been 24 months since the last national level Canoe Marathon event with the PA 2019 Canoe Marathon Championships in Perth, WA. We are so excited to finally be returning to competition again from the 22-24 April on the Gold Coast in the sunshine state of Queensland.

Canoe Marathon is a wonderful paddle discipline that can be enjoyed by all age groups. Marathon paddling involves paddling over longer distances with regular portages, with the paddler carrying the canoe or kayak. However, for this event there will be a non-portage option included for the beginner paddlers. PA and PQ encourage inclusiveness and invite all keen paddlers to come and try paddling Canoe Marathon.

This National Championships event for Canoe Marathon will be held over distances ranging from the shorter (3.7km) for the younger paddler, to the longer (29.6km) for the older and more experienced paddler.

There will also be selections for the 2022 Australian Marathon Team, and 2022 Australian Marathon Masters Team to compete overseas in Portugal later in the year,

The PA 2022 Canoe Marathon Championships would not be possible without the support of the Event Host PQ, the Canoe Marathon Technical Committee, the local organising committee, and the volunteers whom without we would not be able to run such a great competition.

Finally, thank you to Major Events Gold Coast for your support.

Phil Jones Executive Officer Paddle Australia

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# **MAYOR'S WELCOME**

How lucky we are here on the Gold Coast.

We get to live the coastal lifestyle and we get to attract the best events and sports festivals from across the country.

To host the Paddle Australia Canoe Marathon Championships is a huge coup.

Here on the coast, we are water people with a strong affiliation to the ocean, the broadwater and majestic rivers.

Over the past 60 years, some of our finest athletes have carved their careers on surf boards, in kayaks, dragon boats, sail craft and canoes.

World champions are made from the right stuff and the Paddle Australia Canoe Marathon Championships will bring out the best in athletes, spectators and officials.

I love that the age demographic for competition is eight to 80! I fit in there somewhere but would need to polish up my stand-up paddle boarding skills to have any chance of a podium finish.

This is the first time since 2019 that the championships have been held so I expect the rivalry will be intense across all courses and disciplines.

To officials, sponsors and organisers, thank you for choosing the Gold Coast for the 2022 event.

We are a rapidly growing city that thrives on excitement. Annually, we welcome more than 13 million visitors from Australia and around the world.

When it comes to red carpets, ours is gold and we are delighted to roll out the gold carpet for your festival in 2022.

While here, please find time away from the action to explore what we have to offer – from magical hinterland trails and waterfalls, to our boutique breweries, theme parks, shopping precincts and foreshore restaurants.

Good luck to all competitors and we hope to see you back here in the years to come.

Tom Tate Mayor.

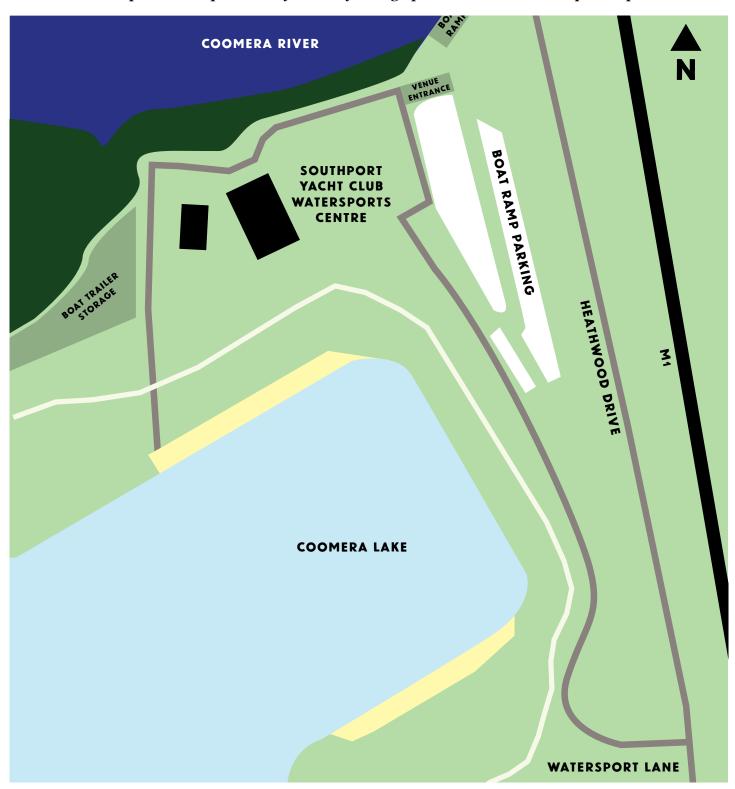




# **VENUE**

The event will be held at Coomera Watersports Club, 33 Watersport Lane, Oxenford QLD 4210.

The information provided is preliminary and may change prior to, or at the championships.





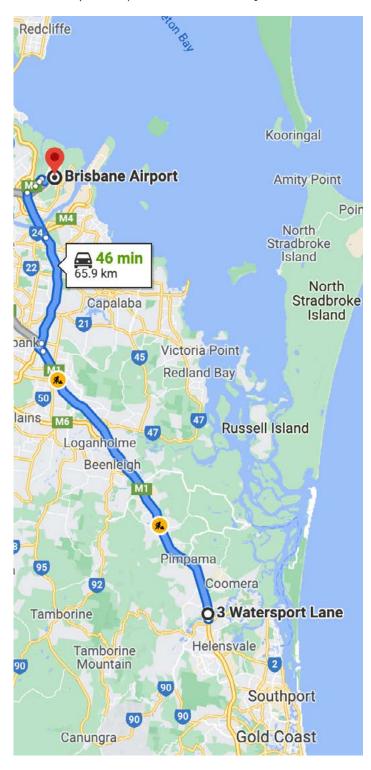
# **GETTING THERE**

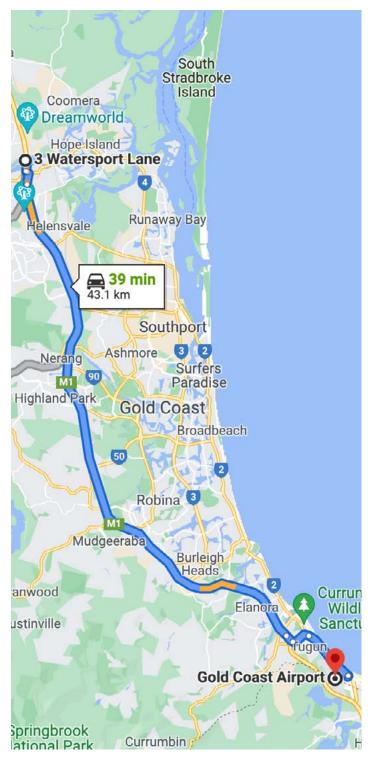
Coomera Watersports Club is located at 33 Watersport Lane, Oxenford, on the banks of the Coomera River.

It is approximately:

• 70 km (45 min) from Brisbane Airport

• 45 km (45 min) from Gold Coast Airport







## **ENTRY INFORMATION**

• A Single Event Fee of \$20.00 for Seniors and \$10.00 for Juniors is applicable to all Non PA Members.

ENTRY FEES	EARLY BIRD FEE: CLOSES 11:59 PM 8 APR	STANDARD FEE: CLOSES 11:59 PM 18 APR
Juniors: One Event.	\$70	\$80
Juniors: Two Events.	\$90	\$103
Juniors: Three Events.	\$105	\$120
Open: One Event.	\$90	\$100
Open: Two Events.	\$116	\$129
Open: Three Events.	\$135	\$150
Masters: One Event.	\$90	\$100
Masters: Two Events.	\$116	\$129
Masters: Three Events.	\$135	\$150
Masters 60 <sup>+</sup> : One Event.	\$70	\$80
Masters 60 <sup>+</sup> : Two Events.	\$90	\$103
Masters 60+: Three Events.	\$105	\$120

# **REFUND POLICY**

- Paddle Australia's Refund Policy (8th May 2020) click <u>here</u>.
- Notice of event cancellation will be given to competitors via the email address supplied upon registration and will be made no later than **COB Wednesday 20 April 2022**.

# REGISTRATION

Registrations are available through Webscoref

Key dates, subject to final confirmation, include the following.

1. Early bird closes: 8th April 2022 2. Entries close: 18th April 2022

# NATIONAL TEAM SELECTION POLICY

- Paddle Australia's Selection Procedures Policy (December 2021) click here.
- To be eligible for selection, athletes must comply with the policy in particular Clause 6, Eligibility.





#### AGE GROUPS

- Age Groups (read in conjunction with ICF Canoe Marathon Competition Rules 1.4).
- Paddlers may only enter into one age category for single and double craft in each distance.
- Mixed Masters K2 35-59 and 60<sup>+</sup> available.

AGE AT 31 DECEMBER	AGE GROUP	ENTRY FEE BRACKET
10 or younger	U10	
12 or younger	U12	
14 or younger	U14	JUNIORS
16 or younger	U16	
18 or younger	U18	
23 or younger	U23	<b>ODEN</b>
All ages	Opens	OPEN
35 or older	M35 <sup>+</sup>	
40 or older	M40+	
45 or older	M45 <sup>+</sup>	
50 or older	M50 <sup>+</sup>	
55 or older	M55 <sup>+</sup>	MASTERS
60 or older	M60 <sup>+</sup>	
65 or older	M65 <sup>+</sup>	
70 or older	M70 <sup>+</sup>	

For example – a person who turns 18 at the commencement of the competition is eligible to enter the Under 18 Age Group.

## **AMALGAMATIONS**

**Note:** This is applied when competition in conducted in classes ie not divisional.

- Where there are not sufficient entries or starters to contest a certain event, competitors can be moved into a relevant event.
- Juniors (18 and under) will not be amalgamated.
- Masters age groups will not amalgamate any further than ten (10) years and not change distance unless agreed by the competitors.



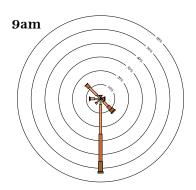
## WEATHER

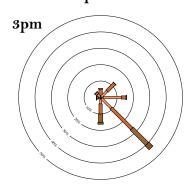
The average weather conditions for April on the Gold Coast are below:

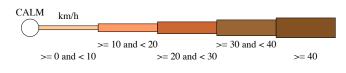
- Mean max. temp (°C): 26
- Mean min. temp (°C): 18.3

- Mean rainfall (mm): 120.6
- Mean # of days of rain  $\geq$  1mm: 8.7

#### Rose of Wind direction versus Wind speed in km/h







# **STORAGE**

Secure overnight storage will be provided from 21 to 23 April by prior arrangement with the organising committee through your state team leaders. Please note capacity is limited.

# **FOOD**

Food vendors will be available on site from Friday to Sunday. Coffee vendors will be on site from Thursday to Sunday. Water fountains will be available to re-fill water bottles.

## MEDICAL

Gold Coast University Hospital, 1 Hospital Blvd, Southport QLD 4215, 1300 744 284

# FIRST AID

A First Aid station will be available at the venue in the Southport Yacht Club.

# COVID=19

The Championships will operate under the Queensland Government, COVID Safe future road map. To view Paddle Australia's COVID-19 Guidelines for Events click <u>here</u>.



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# ANTI-DOPING

Competitors, officials, volunteers and support persons participating in the Championships are bound by and must comply with Paddle Australia's Anti-Doping Policy (1st January 2021) click <u>here</u>.

All participants should be familiar with the policy as the Australian Sports Anti- Doping Authority (ASADA) is authorised to undertake testing during the Championships.

# **MERCHANDISE**

Will be available for competitors, friends and family to purchase prior to the event. Items include:

- Ladies and men's T-Shirt in grey marl with the event logo on the front.
- Baseball cap with the event logo on the front.



Merchandise is available through the online shop. Orders will need to be completed Thursday, 31 March 2022. Items will be available for collection at the event.

## DINNER

The Dinner will be held following presentations from 5:00pm (TBC) on Sunday 24th April. Tickets for the dinner are available through webscorer.





# ICF SELECTION CLASSES

CLASS	SHORT	STANDARD COURSE (1 LAP = 3.7 KM)						
KM	3.4	7.4	11.1	14.8	18.5	22.2	25.9	29.6
LAPS	3	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
PORTAGES	2	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
U18	MK1, MC1, WK1, WC1, Para		WC1, WC2		WK1, WK2, MC1	MK1, MK2		
U23	MK1, MC1, WK1, WC1, Para			WC1		WK1, MC1	MK1	
Open¹	MK1, MC1, WK1, WC1, Para	WVL2, WVL1, MVL1	WKL2, MVL2, MKL1, WVL3	WC1, WC2, MVL3, WKL3, MKL2	MKL3		WK1, WK2, MC1	MK1, MK2
<b>35</b> <sup>+</sup>					WK1, WK2, MC1	MK1, MK2		
40 <sup>+</sup>					WK1, WK2, MC1	MK1, MK2		
<b>45</b> <sup>+</sup>					WK1, WK2, MC1	MK1, MK2		
<b>50</b> <sup>+</sup>					WK1, WK2, MC1	MK1, MK2		
<b>55</b> <sup>+</sup>				WK1, WK2, MC1	MK1, MK2			
60 <sup>+</sup>				WK1, WK2, MC1	MK1, MK2			
65+			WK1, WK2, MC1	MK1, MK2				
70 <sup>+</sup>			WK1, WK2, MC1	MK1, MK2				
<b>75</b> <sup>+</sup>		WK1, WK2, MC1	MK1, MK2					

 $<sup>^{\</sup>scriptscriptstyle 1}$ No portages for Paracanoe. No portages on the first lap or for Masters  $65^{\scriptscriptstyle +}$ .



# NON=SELECTION CLASSES (U10 = 40')

CLASS	STANDARD COURSE							
КМ	3.7	7.4	11.1	14.8	18.5	22.2	25.9	29.6
LAPS	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
PORTAGES	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
U10	MK1, MK2, WK1, WK2							
U12		MK1, MK2, WK1, WK2						
U14			MK1, MK2, WK1, WK2					
U16				MK1, MK2, WK1, WK2				
U18	MVL2, MKL1, WVL3, WVL2, WVL1, MVL1	MVL3, WKL3, MKL2	WC1, WC2, MKL3		WK1, WK2, MC1	MK1, MK2		
U23	WVL1, MVL1	MKL1		WC1		WK1, MC1	MK1	
Open¹				WC1, WC2			WK1, WK2, MC1	MK1, MK2
<b>35</b> <sup>+</sup>			WC1, WC2		WK1, WK2, Ski, SUP, MC1, MC2, OC1	MK1, MK2, Ski, SUP, OC1		
<b>40</b> <sup>+</sup>			WC1, WC2		WK1, WK2, Ski, SUP, MC1, MC2, OC1	MK1, MK2, Ski, SUP, OC1		

 $<sup>^{1}</sup>No$  portages for Paracanoe. No portages on the first lap. Only U18, Open and  $35^{+}$  portage.





# NON=SELECTION CLASSES [45' = 75']

CLASS		STANDARD COURSE						
КМ	3.7	7.4	11.1	14.8	18.5	22.2	25.9	29.6
LAPS	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
PORTAGES	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
<b>4</b> 5 <sup>+</sup>			WC1, WC2		WK1, WK2, Ski, SUP, MC1, MC2, OC1	MK1, MK2, Ski, SUP, OC1		
50 <sup>+</sup>			WC1, WC2		WK1, WK2, Ski, SUP, MC1, MC2, OC1	MK1, MK2, Ski, SUP, OC1		
<b>55</b> <sup>+</sup>		WC1, WC2		WK1, WK2, Ski, SUP, MC1, MC2, OC1	MK1, MK2, Ski, SUP, OC1			
60 <sup>+</sup>		WC1, WC2		WK1, WK2, Ski, SUP, MC1, MC2, OC1	MK1, MK2, Ski, SUP, OC1			
65 <sup>+</sup>	WC1, WC2		WK1, WK2, Ski, SUP, MC1, MC2, OC1	MK1, MK2, Ski, SUP, OC1				
70 <sup>+</sup>	WC1, WC2		WK1, WK2, Ski, SUP, MC1, MC2, OC1	MK1, MK2, Ski, SUP, OC1				
<b>75</b> <sup>+</sup>	WC1, WC2	WK1, WK2, Ski, SUP, MC1, MC2, OC1	MK1, MK2, Ski, SUP, OC1					





# **CHAMPIONSHIP SCHEDULE**

Provisional Timetable for the 2022 Paddle Australia Canoe Marathon Championships.

TIME	EVENT / ACTIVITY
THURSDAY	, 21 APRIL 2022 = TRAINING
12:00 pm	Boat control available
Afternoon	Short and standard courses set
4:00 pm	Boat control closes
4:30 pm	Team leaders meeting
FRIDAY, 22	APRIL 2022 = SHORT COURSE EVENTS
8:30 am	Number collection available
9:00 am	Open K1, C1, Under 23 K1 Men and Women
9:30 am	Under 18 K1 Men and Women
10:00 am	Paracanoe and Masters Men and Women
11:30 am	Presentations
2:00 pm	Team information briefing (Team Manager / SSEC)
3:00 pm	Volunteer / Officials briefing
SATURDAY	, 23 APRIL 2022 = STANDARD COURSE EVENTS
7:00 am	Number collection available
9:00 am	Junior Doubles, Masters Men 65 <sup>+</sup> to 75 <sup>+</sup> , Women 55 <sup>+</sup> to 75 <sup>+</sup> and Paracanoe Singles
10:30 am	Senior Singles
1:30 pm	Masters Men 35 <sup>+</sup> to 60 <sup>+</sup> and Women 35 <sup>+</sup> to 50 <sup>+</sup> Singles
3:00 pm	Final Presentations
SUNDAY, 2	4 APRIL 2022 = STANDARD COURSE EVENTS
7:00 am	Number collection available
8:00 am	Junior Singles, Masters Men 65 <sup>+</sup> to 75 <sup>+</sup> , Women 55 <sup>+</sup> to 75 <sup>+</sup> and Paracanoe Doubles
10:30 am	Senior Doubles
1:30 pm	Masters Men 35 <sup>+</sup> to 60 <sup>+</sup> and Women 35 <sup>+</sup> to 50 <sup>+</sup> Doubles
3:00 pm	State v State Short Course Novelty Race
4:00 pm	Final Presentations
5:00 pm	Championship Dinner





# **SHORT + STANDARD COURSES**

Provisional Timetable for Friday 22 and Saturday 23 April 2022.

SHO	SHORT COURSE = FRIDAY					
EVENT	DISTANCE	LAPS	TIME			
Open K1	3.4 km	3	9:30			
U23 K1	3.4 km	3	10:00			
U18 K1	3.4 km	3	10:30			
Paracanoe	3.4 km	3	11:00			
	PRESENTATIO	ONS				
STANDA	RD COURSE	SATURI	DAY			
U16 K2	14.8 km	4	8:00			
U14 K2	11.1 km	3	8:12			
U12 K2	7.4 km	2	8:14			
U10 K2	3.7 km	1	8:16			
PC M VL3	14.8 km	4				
PC W KL3	14.8 km	4				
M65 <sup>+</sup> M K1	14.8 km	4				
M70 <sup>+</sup> M K1	14.8 km	4	0.10			
M55+ W K1	14.8 km	4	8:18			
M60+ W K1	14.8 km	4				
PC M VL2	14.8 km	4				
PC W KL2	14.8 km	4				
M75 <sup>+</sup> M K1	11.1 km	3				
M65 <sup>+</sup> W K1	11.1 km	3	8:20			
M70+ W K1	11.1 km	3				
PC M VL1	7.4 km	2				
PC W KL1	7.4 km	2	8:22			
M75+ W K1	7.4 km	2				

	MORNING BR	EAK	
Open M K1	29.6 km	8	10:30
U23 M K1	25.9 km	7	
Open W K1	25.9 km	7	10:32
Open M C1	25.9 km	7	
U23 M C1	22.2 km	6	
U23 W K1	22.2 km	6	10:34
U18 M K1	22.2 km	6	
U18 W K1	18.5 km	5	10:36
Open W C1	14.8 km	4	
U18 M C1	14.8 km	4	10:38
U23 W C1	14.8 km	4	
U18 W C1	11.1 km	3	10:40
	LUNCH BRE	AK	
M35 <sup>+</sup> M K1	22.2 km	6	
M40+ M K1	22.2 km	6	1:30
M45 <sup>+</sup> M K1	22.2 km	6	1:30
M50+ M K1	22.2 km	6	
M55 <sup>+</sup> M K1	18.5 km	5	
V60+ M K1	18.5 km	5	
M35+ W K1	18.5 km	5	1.00
M40+ W K1	18.5 km	5	1:32
M45+ W K1	18.5 km	5	
M50+ W K1	18.5 km	5	





# STANDARD COURSE

Provisional Timetable for Sunday 24 April 2022.

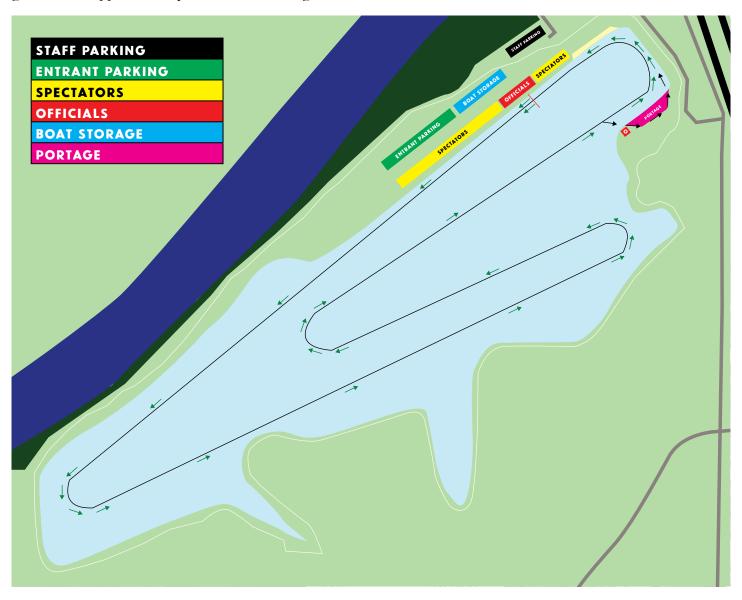
STANDARD COURSE = SUNDAY					
EVENT	DISTANCE	LAPS	TIME		
U16 M K1	14.8 km	4	0.00		
U16 W K1	14.8 km	4	8:00		
U14 M K1	11.1 km	3	0.00		
U14 W K1	11.1 km	3	8:02		
U12 M K1	7.4 km	2	0.04		
U12 W K1	7.4 km	2	8:04		
U10 M K1	3.7 km	1	0.00		
U10 W K1	3.7 km	1	8:06		
M65 <sup>+</sup> M K2	14.8 km	4			
M70 <sup>+</sup> M K2	14.8 km	4			
M55+ W K2	14.8 km	4	8:08		
M60 <sup>+</sup> W K2	14.8 km	4			
PC M KL2	14.8 km	4			
M75 <sup>+</sup> M K2	11.1 km	3			
M65+ W K2	11.1 km	3			
M70+ W K2	11.1 km	3	8:10		
PC M KL1	11.1 km	3			
PC W VL3	11.1 km	3			
M75+ W K2	7.4 km	2			
PC W VL2	7.4 km	2	8:12		
PC W VL1	7.4 km	2			
	MORNING BR	EAK			

Open M K2	29.6 km	8	10:30
U23 M K2	25.9 km	7	
Open W K2	25.9 km	7	10:32
Open M C2	25.9 km	7	
U23 M C2	22.2 km	6	
U23 W K2	22.2 km	6	10:34
U18 M K2	22.2 km	6	
U18 W K2	18.5 km	5	10:36
Open W C2	14.8 km	4	
U18 M C2	14.8 km	4	10:38
U23 W C2	14.8 km	4	
U18 W C2	11.1 km	3	10:40
	LUNCH BRE	AK	
M35 <sup>+</sup> M K2	22.2 km	6	
M40+ M K2	22.2 km	6	1:30
M45+ M K2	22.2 km	6	1:30
M50 <sup>+</sup> M K2	22.2 km	6	
M55 <sup>+</sup> M K2	18.5 km	5	
M60+ M K2	18.5 km	5	
M35 <sup>+</sup> W K2	18.5 km	5	
M40+ W K2	18.5 km	5	1:32
M45+ W K2	18.5 km	5	
M50+ W K2	18.5 km	5	
PC M KL3	18.5 km	5	
	PRESENTATIO	ONS	



# STANDARD COURSE

The course consists of multiple standard laps (3.7 km each), with portage for ICF craft in designated age groups. The course runs in an anti-clockwise direction. The portage has a beach entrance and exit and an grass track, approximately 100 metres in length. Coomera Lake is non-tidal with minimal current.



# **PORTAGE**

**Water Exit** 



**Running Surface** 



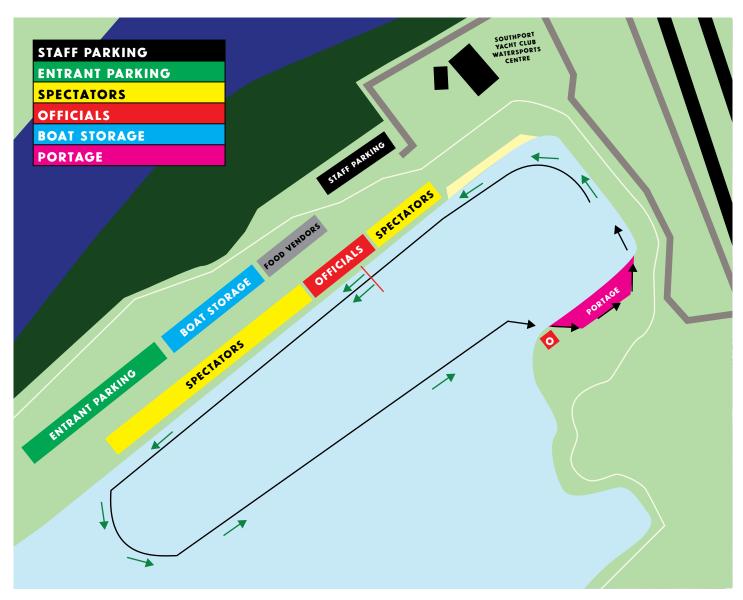
Water Entry





# **SHORT COURSE**

The course consists of three short laps (1.1 km each), with two portages The course runs in an anti-clockwise direction. The portage has a beach entrance and exit and an grass track, approximately 100 metres in length. Coomera Lake is non-tidal with minimal current.



**PORTAGE** 

**Water Exit** 



**Running Surface** 



Water Entry







## **RULES AND POLICIES**

- Paddle Australia's Competition Policy (17th June 2018) click here.
- Paddle Australia's Canoe Marathon Competition Rules (17th April 2020) click here.
- Paddle Australia's Extreme Weather and Conditions Policy (February 2020) click here.
- International Canoe Federation Canoe Marathon Competition Rules (2022) click here.

## LIFE JACKETS

Correctly fitted Type 50 life jackets must be worn by:

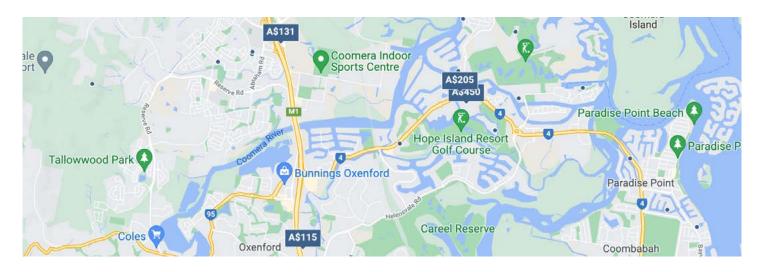
- 1. All paddlers competing in the Under 10, Under 12 and Under 14 categories;
- 2. Those who are not strong and confident swimmers;
- 3. All paddlers if the Competition Committee deems it necessary.

Please note, inflatable life jackets are not acceptable due to the need for the paddler to be conscious to activate the life jacket and for the need for annual testing to ensure compliance.

## **ACCOMMODATION**

There is a range of accommodation options on the Gold Coast. The list below provides some options close to the event – please note that the organising committee has not contacted any of these, nor do they recommend any particular supplier.

ACCOMMODATION	DISTANCE FROM VENUE	CONTACT
BIG4 Gold Coast Holiday Park	2.7 km (6 min)	+61 07 5514 4400
Coomera Motor Inn	4.1 km (7 min)	+61 07 5573 2311
Residences at The Peninsula	5.4 km (10 min)	+61 407 898 838







## **TOURISM**



#### DISCOVER THE GOLD COAST

Are you looking for things to see and do while you're staying on the Gold Coast? You've come to the right place! We're celebrators of life with an energy all of our own and we welcome visitors with a smile, ready to share the best of the coast with you. With 56 kilometres of gorgeous coastline at your doorstep and 100,000 hectares of world heritage listed rainforest just a short drive away, there's plenty to discover. Browse accommodation, entertainment, attractions, tours and restaurants below.



#### DINE LIKE A LOCAL

The more the merrier, and there's plenty to go around! We love our farm-fresh produce on display at the local markets and awarded baristas pouring coffee just the way we like it. We're sure you will too. We love our pizzas cooked to perfection in wood-fired ovens and artful Japanese dishes equally delicate and delicious - we've become a coastline of passionate foodies who like nothing better than tasty and fresh. See our favourite local restaurants and cafes here and treat yourself and the family to a fresh new taste of the Gold Coast:

**Restaurants:** https://www.destinationgoldcoast.com/restaurants

**Food culture:** https://www.destinationgoldcoast.com/blog/category/eat-drink/







#### **ENTERTAINMENT**

Come for the entertainment, stay for our city! Here on the Gold Coast, we enjoy much more than great surf in the mornings. Our Home of the Arts (HOTA) centre is brimming with art to admire, concerts to rock out to and movies to make you and the kids laugh and cry. If live music and casual street eats are more your style, hit up the original Miami Marketta for tasty bites and a pulsing vibe the whole family will love. Besides golf, there are plenty of other sports to enjoy with games, matches and competitions hosted every week while the coast itself offers plenty of free-use courts and fields if you're happy to BYO equipment.

Find out more and keep up with the Gold Coast's latest sporting events, live music gigs and festivals here: https://www.destinationgoldcoast.com/whatson

#### **ACTIVITIES AND ADVENTURES**

The whole family can run wild at one of our world-class theme parks, from seals at SeaWorld, heated slides at White Water World and the giant Hypercoaster at Warner Bros. Movie World. For animal encounters, simply head into our wildlife parks on both ends of the coast or seek them out yourself on one of the winding walking tracks through our hinterland rainforests. If you're planning to do some designer shopping while you're here, we have plenty of that too! Otherwise, simply kick back by the pool or at one of our famous beaches and soak in some warm sunshine.

Before, after and in between the golf, check out what else there is to do on the Gold Coast here: https://www.destinationgoldcoast.com/things-to-do

#### ACCOMMODATION

Why not stay longer? Our city was born for hosting and we have accommodation options up to your eyes from no fuss hotels, luxe apartments, cabins and lodges, holiday parks, family resorts and much more. We can offer you a view of the beach, hinterland or a view over the many canals and waterways, a room by the pool and sauna or perhaps you'd prefer to be within walking distance to our favourite restaurants and shopping malls? From the coast to the hinterland we have room for everyone.

DGC's latest accommodation providers can be viewed here: https://www.destinationgoldcoast.com/where-to-stay



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# **MEDIA POLICIES**

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# **ORGANISING COMMITTEE:**

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Safety Officer: TBC Chief Course Umpire: TBC

Deputy Chief Official: Bob Turner Competition Manager: Scott Sharples Chief Portage Official: Martin Finn

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