



DARREN SMITH CLASSIC

2025

RACE HANDBOOK



This document is designed to support event volunteers, officials and competitors. Government authorities, emergency services, and traffic control should also refer to the accompanying Road Race Event Management Plan (EMP). Commissaires should also refer to Chief Commissaire's Race Briefing.

GOLD COAST CYCLING CLUB - DARREN SMITH CLASSIC 2025 - DAY 1 DUTY ROSTER **Saturday 2nd of August 2025**

GENERAL			
Role	Name	Mobile No.	Radio
Race Director	Damien McFarline	0400 586 047	
Assis. Race Director	Tim Hutch	0409 763 562	
Club President (Promoter)	Tim Hutch	0409 763 562	
President Commissaire Panel	Wayne Pomario	0447 443 758	
First Aid	Ebony Martin (Assist FA)	0467 663 956	
Secretary	Caitlin Leach	0473 338 944	
Results	Neil Hamey	0424 882 728	
Finances / Prize Money	Sandy Kistas	0413 089 199	
Start Lists	Nanette Richert	0420 352 924	
Registration Race Day 6:45-10am	Alyssa Donovan	0417 695 001	
Registration Race Day 6:45-10am	Cassie Hayden	0402 218 722	
Registration Race Day 10-1pm	Caitlin Leach	0473 338 944	
Registration Race Day 10-1pm	Eriko Yamashita	0416 239 423	
Marshal			
Commentator			
Public Address	Damien McFarline	0400 586 047	
Presentations Coordinator	Nanette Richert	0420 352 924	
Set Up Team Coordinator / Keys	Damien McFarline	0400 586 047	
Set Up	Stuart Smith	0488 969 002	
Volunteer Coordinator	Damien McFarline	0400 586 047	
Volunteer Catering	Caitlin Leach	0473 338 944	
Coffee Van – The Rich Pour	Christie-lee Gulley	0449 006 309	
Club Van	Damien McFarline	0400 586 047	

RADIO CHANNELS
AC1

COMMISSAIRES			
Role	Name	Mobile No.	Radio
PCP	Wayne Pomario	0447 443 758	
Clerk of the Course	Nanette Richert	0420 352 924	
Starter	Nanette Richert	0420 352 924	
Chief Judge	Michael Keetman	0421 730 131	
Timekeeper	Nanette Richert	0420 352 924	
Laps /Bell	Michael Keetman	0421 730 131	
Machinery (U17) / Spares Pit	Wayne / Nanette	0420 352 924	



GOLD COAST CYCLING CLUB - DARREN SMITH CLASSIC 2025 - DAY 2 DUTY ROSTER Sunday 3rd of August 2025

GENERAL			
Role	Name	Mobile No.	Radio
Race Director	Damien McFarlane	0400 586 047	
Assis. Race Director	Tim Hutch	0409 763 562	
Club President (Promoter)	Tim Hutch	0409 763 562	
President Commissaire Panel	Wayne Pomario	0447 443 758	
Chief Judge	Nanette / Lise	0420 352 924	
Clerk of the Course / Starter	Wayne Pomario	0447 443 758	
J17 Roll Outs	Comm 1&2 of race + PCP	0447 443 758	
Convoy Coordinator	Damien McFarlane	0400 586 047	
First Aid – Base (school)	Luke Bamford	0439 715 855	
Secretary	Caitlin Leach	0473 338 944	
Finances / Prize Money	Sandy Kistas	0413 089 199	
Results	Neil Hamey	0424 882 728	
Start Lists	Nanette Richert	0420 352 924	
Registration Race Day	Caitlin Leach	0473 338 944	
Registration Race Day	Hannah McFarlane	0402 768 453	
Media	Craig Render RCPix	0411 567 689	
Public Address	Damien McFarlane	0400 586 047	
Presentations Coordinator	Caitlin Leach	0473 338 944	
Convoy - Radios/Lights/Sign Kits	Damien McFarlane	0400 586 047	
Set Up Team Coordinator	Damien McFarlane	0400 586 047	
Volunteer Coordinator	Damien McFarlane	0400 586 047	
Volunteer Lunch Packs	Caitlin Leach	0473 338 944	
Coffee Van Scenic Rim Espresso	Marion Kotzur	0490 110 555	
Trailer / Road Repair Material	Tim Hutch	0409 763 562	
Public Notice Signs	Damien McFarlane	0400 586 047	
TC Overall Supervisor - Altus	James Pullen	0477 116 121	

RADIO CHANNELS
Convoy: AC1
Traffic Control: 14

FIRST AID BASE
Luke Bamford
0439 715 855

CONVOYS							
CONVOY A - RACE 1 (8:00am) Men C & Masters B				3 laps 79KM			
Convoy Role	Name	Mobile No.	Radio	Light	Signage		
Lead Vehicle	Glynn Catherall	0423 842 094					
Moto Comm (1)	----	----	own	n/a			
Comm 1	Tony Clarke	0493 214 701					
Comm 1 Driver	----	----	n/a	n/a	n/a		
Comm 2	Straughan Briggs	0435 130 236					
First Aid Mobile 1	Ebony Martin (Assist)	0467 663 956					
First Aid Mobile 2	Tahlie Henderson (Assist)	0456 071 205					
Spares	Stuart Smith	0488 969 002					
Sag Wagon – circulating course	Dominique Verstrecken	0417 285 642					
KOM Judge	Angus Rausch	0406 667 003		n/a	n/a		

CONVOY B - RACE 2 (8:10am) J17 Men							
				2 laps 52km			
Convoy Role	Name	Mobile No.	Radio	Light	Signage		
Lead Vehicle							
Moto Comm (2)	----	----	own	n/a			
Comm 1	Wayne Pomario	0447 443 758					
Comm 1 Driver	----	----	n/a	n/a	n/a		
Comm 2	----	----					
First Aid Mobile 1	Ebony Martin (Assist)	0467 663 956					
First Aid Mobile 2	Tahlie Henderson (Assist)	0456 071 205					
Spares							
Sag Wagon – circulating course	Dominique Verstrecken	0417 285 642					
KOM Judge				n/a	n/a		

CONVOY C - RACE 3 (8:15am) Masters C & Masters D							
				2 laps 52km			
Convoy Role	Name	Mobile No.	Radio	Light	Signage		
Lead Vehicle	Anita Kent	0400 343 262					
Moto Comm (3)	----	----	own	n/a			
Comm 1	Michael Keetman	0421 730 131					
Comm 1 Driver	----	----	n/a	n/a	n/a		
Comm 2	Kalvin Bartlett	0407 022 081					
First Aid Mobile 1	Ebony Martin (Assist)	0467 663 956					
First Aid Mobile 2	Tahlie Henderson (Assist)	0456 071 205					
Spares	Jamie Cosier	0410 357 680					
Sag Wagon – circulating course	Dominique Verstrecken	0417 285 642					
KOM Judge	Angus Rausch	0406 667 003		n/a	n/a		



CONVOY D - RACE 4 (8:20am) Women C & Women D				2 laps 52km		
Convoy Role	Name	Mobile No.	Radio	Light	Signage	
Lead Vehicle	Justin Palmer	0410 454 994				
Moto Comm (4)	Paul Thompson	0451 178 001		n/a		
Comm 1	Lise Benjamin	0412 202 379				
Comm 1 Driver	-----	-----	n/a	n/a	n/a	
Comm 2	-----	-----				
First Aid Mobile 1	Ebony Martin (Assist)	0467 663 956				
First Aid Mobile 2	Tahlie Henderson (Assist)	0456 071 205				
Spares	Nicko Friman	0402 326 630				
Sag Wagon – circulating course	Dominique Verstrecken	0417 285 642				
KOM Judge	Angus Rausch	0406 667 003		n/a	n/a	

30 Minute Break

CONVOYS						
CONVOY A - RACE 5 (10:45am) Men A				5 laps 131km		
Convoy Role	Name	Mobile No.	Radio	Light	Signage	
Lead Vehicle	Karsten Richert	0409 688 810				
Moto Comm (1)	Paul Thompson	0451 178 001	own	n/a		
Comm 1	Michael Keetman	0421 730 131				
Comm 1 Driver				n/a	n/a	
Comm 2	-----	-----				
First Aid Mobile 1	Ebony Martin (Assist)	0467 663 956				
First Aid Mobile 2	Tahlie Henderson (Assist)	0456 071 205				
Spares	Stuart Smith	0488 969 002				
Sag Wagon – circulating course	Dominique Verstrecken	0417 285 642				
KOM Judge	Straughan Briggs	0435 130 236		n/a	n/a	

CONVOY B - RACE 6 (10:55am) Men B & Masters A + J17M (first 2 laps)				4 laps 105km		
Convoy Role	Name	Mobile No.	Radio	Light	Signage	
Lead Vehicle	Cassie & Alysha	0402 218 722				
Moto Comm (2)	-----	-----	own	n/a		
Comm 1	Tony Clarke	0493 214 701				
Comm 2	Nanette Richert	0420 352 924	n/a	n/a	n/a	
First Aid Mobile 1	Ebony Martin (Assist)	0467 663 956				
First Aid Mobile 2	Tahlie Henderson (Assist)	0456 071 205				
J17M Spares / Support	Phil Soegaard	0419 024 095				
Spares	Nicko Friman	0402 326 630				
Sag Wagon – circulating course	Dominique Verstrecken	0417 285 642				
KOM Judge	Straughan Briggs	0435 130 236		n/a	n/a	

CONVOY C - RACE 7 (11:00am) Women A + WOMEN B + J17W				2 laps 52km		
Convoy Role	Name	Mobile No.	Radio	Light	Signage	
Lead Vehicle	Justin Palmer	0410 454 994				
Moto Comm (3)	-----	-----	own	n/a		
Comm 1	Angus Rausch	0406 667 003				
Comm 1 Driver	-----	-----	n/a	n/a	n/a	
Comm 2	Kalvin Bartlett	0407 022 081				
First Aid Mobile 1	Ebony Martin (Assist)	0467 663 956				
First Aid Mobile 2	Tahlie Henderson (Assist)	0456 071 205				
Spares	Tim Hutch	0409 763 562				
Sag Wagon – circulating course	Dominique Verstrecken	0417 285 642				
KOM Judge	Straughan Briggs	0435 130 236		n/a	n/a	

CONVOY D - RACE 8 (11:05am) Women B & J17 Women				2 laps 52km		
Convoy Role	Name	Mobile No.	Radio	Light	Signage	
Lead Vehicle						
Moto Comm (4)	-----	-----		n/a		
Comm 1	Wayne Pomario	0447 443 758				
Comm 1 Driver	-----	-----	n/a	n/a	n/a	
Comm 2	-----	-----				
First Aid Mobile 1	Ebony Martin (Assist)	0467 663 956				
First Aid Mobile 2	Tahlie Henderson (Assist)	0456 071 205				
Spares						
Sag Wagon – circulating course	Dominique Verstrecken	0417 285 642				
KOM Judge				n/a	n/a	



Dear Volunteer, Commissaire or Competitor,

Thank you for being part of the Darren Smith Classic. Please find included in this document the duty roster, operations plan and site maps for the event.

Key Contact Personnel:

Race Director: Damien McFarlane, 0400 586 047
President Commissaire Panel - Criterium: Wayne Pomario, 0447 443 758
President Commissaire Panel - Road Race: Wayne Pomario, 0447 443 758
Club President (Promoter): Tim Hutch, 0409 763 562
First Aid: Assist First Aid (Sunday: Luke Bamford, 0439 715 855)
Traffic Control Supervisor: Altus Traffic, James Pullen, 0447 116 121

Technical Regulations

The event will be conducted under the rules and regulations of AusCycling. The AusCycling scale of penalties will apply. For more information, please refer to the AusCycling website: <https://www.auscycling.org.au/page/about/policies-rules>

Event Description:

The Gold Coast Cycling Club has been conducting the Darren Smith Classic for the last 31 years in memory of Olympic cyclist, Darren Smith, who was tragically killed in a cycling accident in 1992. The event was originally conducted from Elanora on a course that took in Mount Tomewin and northern NSW before finishing back in Elanora. It then moved to a road circuit at Pimpama for several years before moving to the Gold Coast Cycle Centre in Nerang where it was staged between 2004 and 2017. Between 2018 and 2020 the event moved to a challenging road circuit around Hinze Dam.



In 2021 the road race took place on a 26km circuit starting from Mt Alford State School in the Boonah area. Due to the successful running of the event around the Mt Alford course, the event will again be conducted on the same Mt Alford course in 2025.

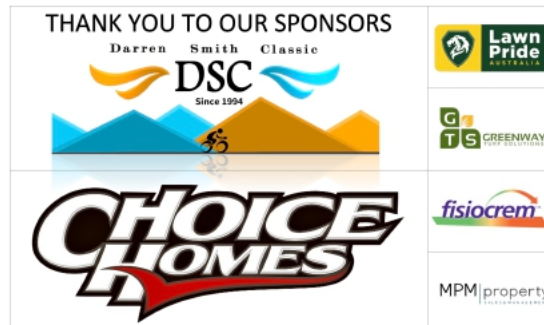
Day 1: The criterium will take place at the [Brisbane International Cycle Park, Murarrie, Brisbane](#).

Day 2: The road race will start and finish at [Mt Alford State School, Mt Alford](#). The course is a 26km circuit in an anti-clockwise direction. The event will comprise of 8 Races. The road race is a round of the **QCRS – Qld Classic Road Series** managed by AusCycling.

The criterium and the road race do not form a stage/tour event. They are two separate events and there are no carry over points or stage times.

The Darren Smith Classic Honour Board

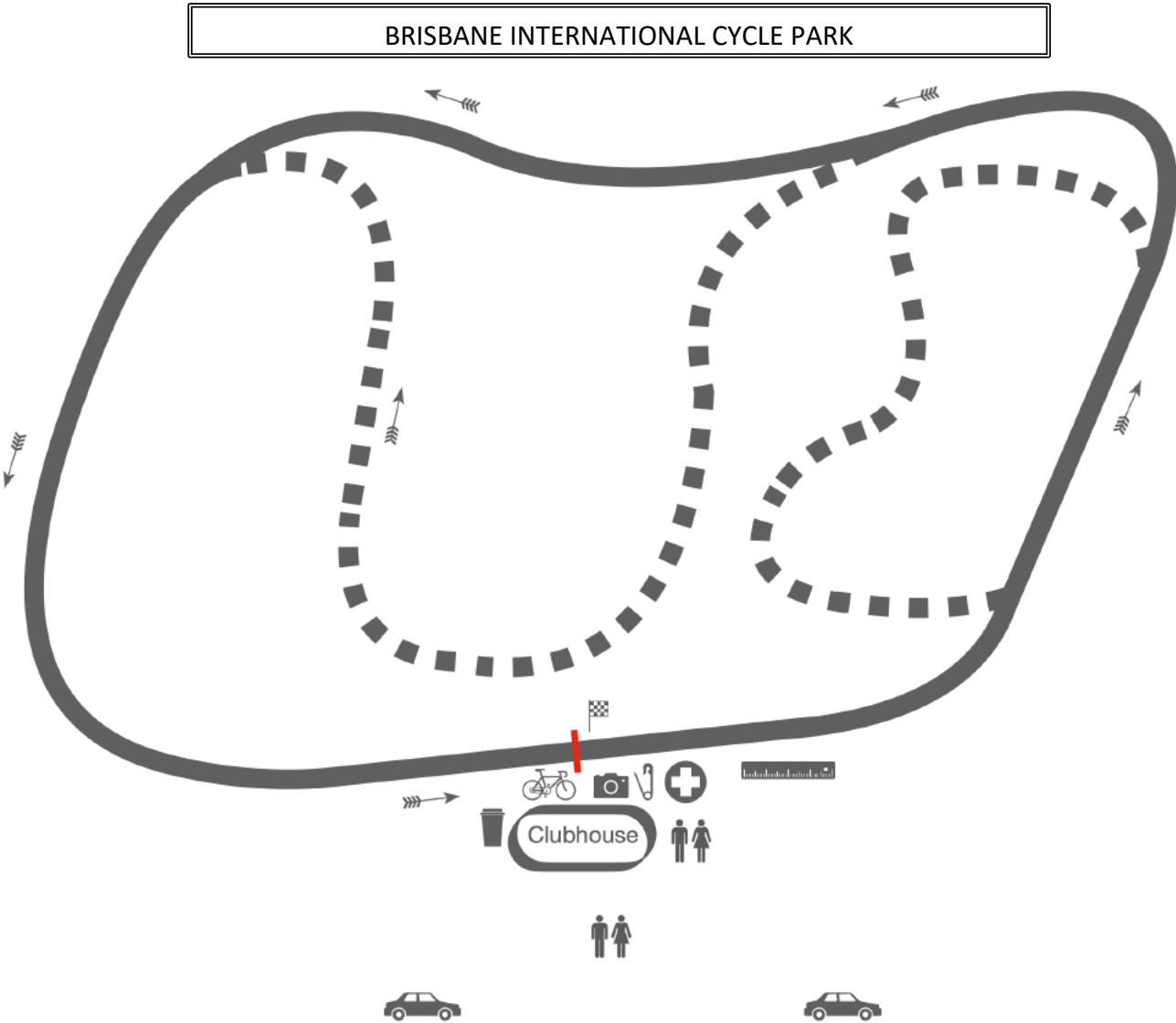
Year	MEN	WOMEN
1994	Henk Vogels	
1995	Adrian Nolan	
1996	Rodney McGee	
1997	Nathan O'Neil	
1998	Greg Scott	
1999	Cameron Jennings	
2000	No Event	
2001	Brendan Howard	
2002	Brendan Howard	
2003	Anthony Kellen	
2004	Daniel Newnham	
2005	Jason Phillips	
2006	Jason Phillips	
2007	Robbie McEwen	
2008	Robbie McEwen	
2009	Jonathon Cantwell	
2010	Jackson Wardrop	
2011	Robbie McEwen	
2012	Luke Durbidge	
2013	Jonathon Cantwell	
2014	David Edwards	
2015	Alex Grunke	
2016	Kaden Groves	
2017	Kane Richards	
2018	Joe Cooper	Jessica Pratt
2019	Carter Bettles	Jenelle Crooks
2020	Ben Carmen	Danielle DeFrancesco
2021	Jesse Ewart	Danielle DeFrancesco
2022	Troy Herfoss	Danielle DeFrancesco
2023	Ryan Cavanagh	Isabelle Carnes
2024	Max Campbell	Vanessa Nanfra
2025		



DAY 1 - CRITERIUM

Projected Schedule:

06:15	Setup Team on site	10:10	R4 Men B & C J15M Start
06:45	Registration opens	10:20	Presentations
07:00	Commissaire / Volunteer briefing	11:10	R5 Women A/B & Women C/D
07:20	R1 Mas A & C Start	11:15	Presentations
08:20	R2 Men A Start	12:05	R6 J13B/G, J11 B/G & J9 B/G
08:30	Presentations	12:10	Presentations
09:20	R3 Mas B & D Start	12:30	R7
09:30	Presentations	12:40	Presentations 12:50 Presentations
		13:00	Pack Up



OG Circuit Anticlockwise		Projected Schedule:	
1 Lap = 1.5km		06:15	Setup Team on site
Race Direction	Junior Roll Out	06:45	Registration opens
First Aid	Spares Pit	07:00	Commissaire briefing
Safety Marshal	Coffee Van / Drinks	07:20	Race 1 Start
Rider Briefing	Toilets	11:30	J15 Junior Roll Outs Begin
Finish Line	Car Park	12:50	Final Presentation
Registration	Presentations	1:00	Pack Up Team Complete

Darren Smith Classic 2025 – Day 1 (02.08.25) Criterium
Brisbane International Cycle Park – Murarrie

Race #	Category ^	Duration + 2 Laps	Start	Entry Fee	Presentations
Race 1	Masters A	50 mins	7:20am	\$30	8:30am
	Masters C	40 mins	7:21am	\$30	
Race 2	Men A	50 mins	8:20am	\$30	9:30am
Race 3	Masters B	40 mins	9:20am	\$30	10:20am
	Masters D	35 mins	9:21am	\$30	
Race 4	Men B	50 mins	10:10am	\$30	11:15am
	Men C	40 mins	10:11am	\$30	
Race 5	Women A/B *	45 mins	11:10am	\$30	12:10pm
	Women C/D *	40 mins	11:11am	\$30	
Race 6	J15 M&W	20 mins + 1 lap	12:05pm	\$15	12:40pm
	J13 B&G	15 mins + 1 lap	12:06pm	\$15	
Race 7	J11 B&G	15 mins + 1 lap	12:30pm	\$15	12:50pm
	J9 B&G	10 mins + 1 lap	12:31pm	\$15	

* Combined event – separate podiums

^ J17 M&W graded according to Open Grading – supported by GREENWAY TURF SOLUTIONS

DSC Criterium Race Details

Registration:

- All riders will receive two numbers. For the criterium TWO race numbers are to be worn on either side of the back in a vertical position (AC Tech Reg 1.00.04). See picture.
- Riders who are NOT racing in the road race are to return transponders to the number return area of the registration desk (riders will be charged at \$95 for each transponder not returned).
- Riders who are racing in the road race, keep the two numbers and transponder to use at the road race.
- Placegetters return to the podium area near the start / finish line for presentation in correct attire.



Racing:

- Racing will be in an anti-clockwise direction.
- Marshal and briefing will be at the club house track 10 minutes before the beginning of the race.
- After the race, riders may complete one warm-down lap and exit the track at the western gate to the carpark.
- Spares must be placed in the signed area near the finish line. No neutral spares.
- Commissaire permission is required to race with an on-board camera. You cannot race with headphone devices.
- For most races, there will be 2 grades on the track at any one time. For rider safety, and to ensure fair and competitive racing for all riders, please follow these rules:
 - If you are passing another grade, pass on the outside of the track, and maintain speed until well clear of the other grade.
 - Your race is neutralised while another grade passes. Ride on the inside of the track and slow down to allow safe passing. Do not chase the passing grade.
 - Riders are not permitted to obtain an unfair advantage by joining/riding on the back of another grade.
 - When another race is given the final lap bell, give them the respect of a clear, safe run to the finish.

Junior Roll Out:

All junior riders must comply with AusCycling regulations, which can be found [here](#). All juniors roll-out before marshalling for their race/s. Rolls outs will commence at **9:30am for J17s and 11:30am for riders J15.**

J17: 7.0m | J15: 6.10m | J13: 5.5m | J11: 5.5m | J9: 5.5m |

First Aid: A first aid officer will be based at the start/finish line. **Assist First Aid**



DAY 2 - ROAD RACE

Projected Schedule:

05:00 Setup Team on site
 07:00 **Registration opens**
 07:00 Commissaires & volunteers on site (convoy assemble)
 07:00 Commissaire briefing
 07:10 Volunteer (Course Marshals & Convoy Drivers) briefing
 07:30 Traffic Control on site
 07:40 J17 rollouts open
 07:40 Convoys assemble
 07:50 Race 1, 2, 3 & 4 rider briefing
 08:00 **Race 1 depart**
 08:10 ~~**Race 2 depart**~~
 08:15 **Race 3 depart**
 08:20 **Race 4 depart**
 10:15 Officials Break
 10:40 Race 5, 6, 7 & 8 rider briefing
 10:45 **Race 5 depart**
 10:55 **Race 6 depart**
 11:00 **Race 7 depart**
 11:05 ~~**Race 8 depart**~~
 14:30 Pack up and clean up



Overview:

Darren Smith Classic 2025 – Day 2 (03.08.25) Road Race Mt Alford State School, Mt Alford

Race #	Category	Laps	Distance 1 lap = 26.2km	Start Time	Approx. Finish Time	Approx. Duration	Entry Fee *	Presentations
Race 1 Convoy A	Men C Masters B	3	79 km	8:00am	10:15am	2:15 hrs.	\$95 \$95	10:20am
Race 2 Convoy B	J17 Men	2	52.6 km	8:10am	9:40am	1:30hrs.	\$55	10:00am
Race 3 Convoy C	Masters C Masters D	2	52.6 km	8:15am	9:45am	1:30 hrs.	\$85 \$85	10:00am
Race 4 Convoy D	Women C Women D	2	52.6 km	8:20am	10:00am	1:40 hrs.	\$85 \$85	10:20am
Officials Break (30 minutes)								
Race 5 Convoy A	Men A	5	131 km	10:45am	2:00pm	3:15 hrs.	\$95 \$95	2:20pm
Race 6 Convoy B	Men B Masters A	4	105 km	10:55am	1:35pm	2:40 hrs.	\$95 \$95	2:00pm
Race 7 Convoy C	Women A	3	79 km	11:00am	1:25pm	2:25 hrs.	\$95	1:35pm
Race 8 Convoy D	Women B J17 Women	2	52.6 km	11:05am	12:45pm	1:40 hrs.	\$85 \$55	1:35pm

J17 Women / Men supported by GREENWAY TURF SOLUTIONS

Riders will compete in 'Races'. Within each race there may be multiple grades that normally demonstrate similar abilities and average speeds. Riders within a race are competing as a group, e.g., if a rider attempts to breakaway, anyone, regardless of grade, may work with that rider. However, in order for all riders to have the opportunity to feel competitive in their race, enjoy the event and have the opportunity to stand up on the podium, the Gold Coast Cycling Club **will be presenting podiums for all grades within each Race**. The Gold Coast Cycling Club also proactively promotes equal prizes for women and men where possible.

This event is part of the Queensland Classic Road Series. This is a points-based series, and as such, depending on points, series leaders will be presented with QCRS jerseys with each grade podium presentation. AusCycling will be responsible for the calculation of points, publishing of tables and awarding of series jerseys.

Food, Drinks and Toilets:

Commissaires and course marshals will be supplied with items such as muffins, sandwiches, fruit and cold drinks (no coffee!). Toilets are located inside the school and the adjacent park public toilets. At this stage there will be no canteen run by the Club, however there will be a **coffee van present**. A voucher system will be used with the coffee van. There are hot meals and coffee available at the Mt Alford Hotel and Scenic Rim Brewery just 100m away.

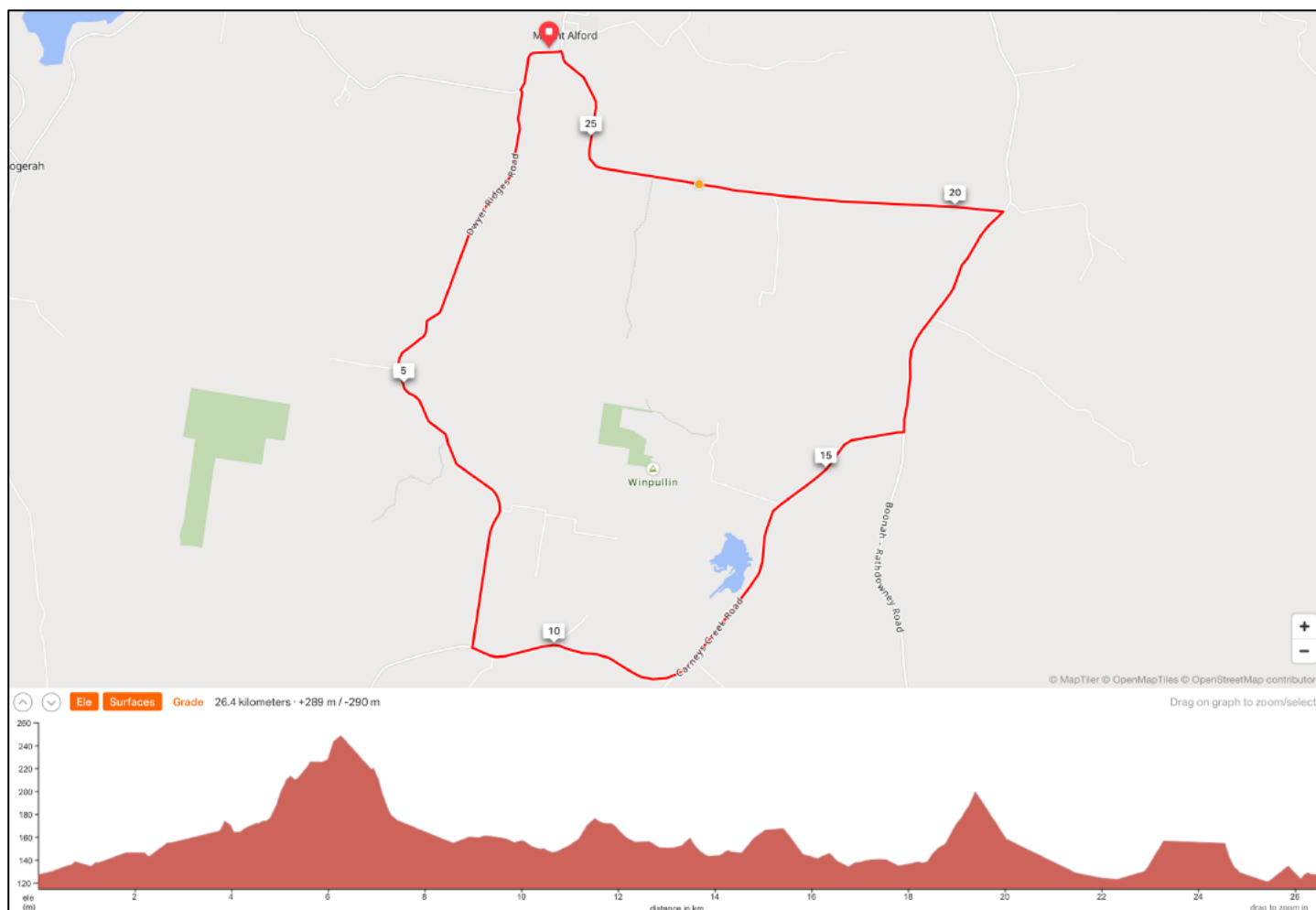


Registration, Race Bib Colours & Ranges:

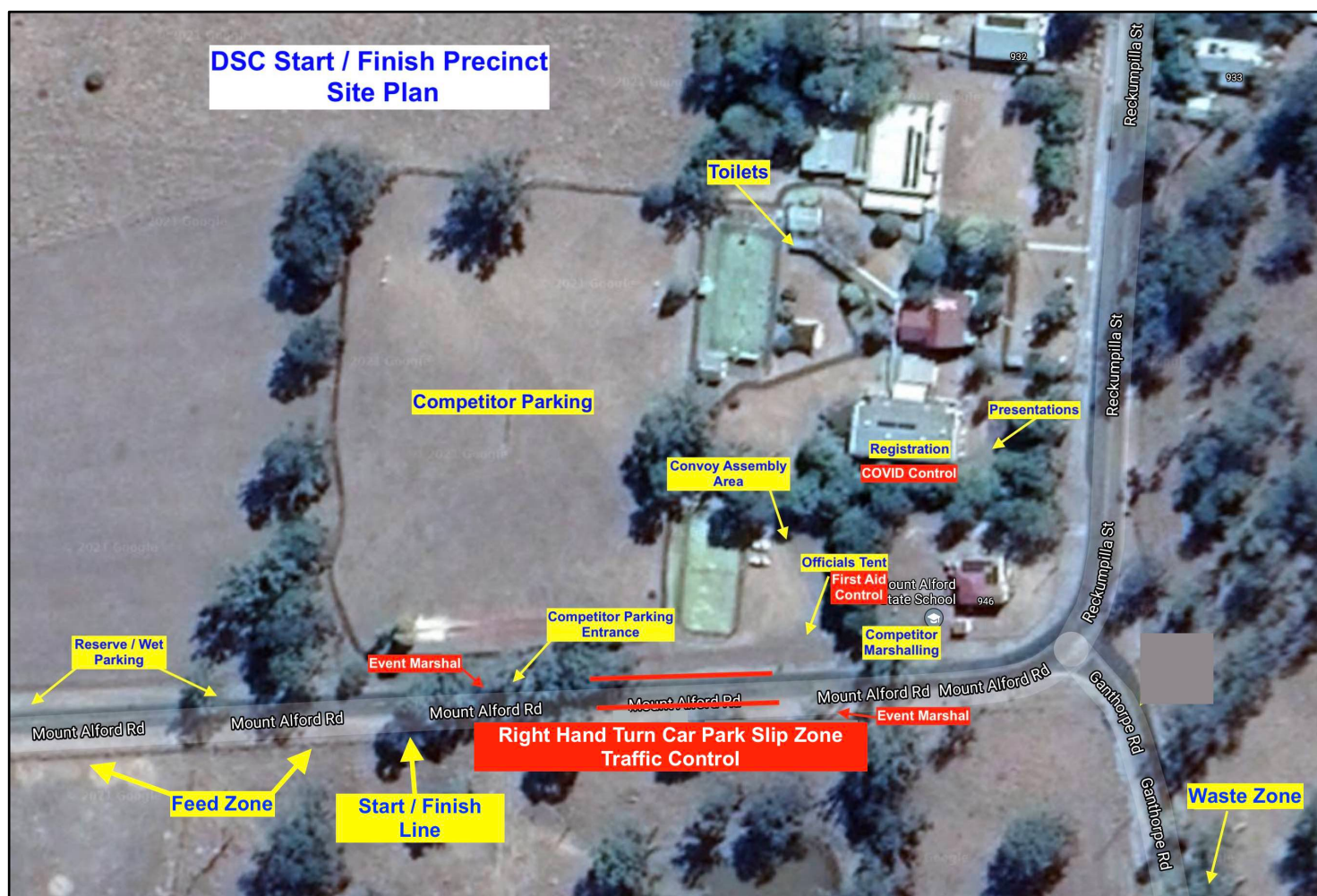
- Registration and rider sign-on opens at 7.00am and is under the school building.
- **Riders still need to sign on even if they raced in Saturday's criterium.**
- All riders will receive two numbers. For the road race TWO race numbers are to be worn on either side of the back in a vertical position (AC Tech Reg 1.00.04). See picture.
- All transponders to be returned at the end of the road race or riders will incur a fee (\$95).
- Riders may keep their race numbers.



Course Map:



Site Map:



Convoy Drivers:

We would like commissaires and volunteers to be on site from 7:00am onwards.

Drivers, please ensure you have a **full tank of fuel** when you arrive. All convoys will be assembled at the same time due to the close start times. Once you arrive in the carpark, we will assist you in moving your vehicle into the correct position.

CONVOY SIGN COLOURS	
CONVOY A	PINK
CONVOY B	BLUE
CONVOY C	YELLOW
CONVOY D	ORANGE
CONVOY MOTOS	YELLOW
CONVOY SUPPORT	GREEN

If you are driving a convoy vehicle you must pick up your **SIGN, LIGHT & RADIO**. There are **2 signs** for your vehicle to be stuck on the front and back. These can be found at the official's area and must be signed out with our volunteer's coordinator. In between your two races there will be a short break to go to the toilet and restock before assembling and heading back out for the second convoy window. It is important that you can do the races you have been assigned to, as it is very difficult to find a replacement if you decide to leave. **Please make sure you have been to the toilet first before heading out.**

Commissaires:

Please follow the same general instructions above in relation to positioning your vehicle. The PCP will provide you with more specific instructions in regard to how the convoys and riders are managed.

Please ensure you have picked up your **SIGN (x2), LIGHT & RADIO**. Moto Comms will also be supplied with a convoy sign and a numbered vest. If you are a commissaire, you have arrived early, and you have your **SIGN, LIGHT & RADIO**, the course is open for you to drive before the event commences.

J17 Junior Roll Outs: 7:40am onwards. J17 will be required to roll out as per usual. This will take place on the path near the official's tent in the official's carpark 30 minutes prior to the race. J17 convoy commissaires to complete roll outs.



Briefing:

Riders will be briefed on the finish line by the commissaires adjacent to the start finish line. Convoy vehicles that are required in front of the peloton should line up on the course in front of the field with the rest of the convoy situated behind the field in the carpark. **Lead vehicles should always be well ahead of the peloton before riders begin their descent of the climbs.**

Neutral Zone:

The race will start neutrally until the commissaires have decided that all riders are properly on course after which the red flag will be withdrawn and the race will officially start. A red flag will be provided to either Comm 2, the Lead vehicle or the Moto Comm depending on convoy composition.

Feed Zone: *** PCP (Chief Comm) decision is to allow feeding on the 2nd lap of all races ***

The Feed Zone is located after the start/finish line on Mt Alford Rd extending for 80m (see map below). Unless additional provisions are made by the commissaires, feeding is not permitted during the first 30km and the final 20km of a race. One lap of the DSC circuit is 26km. Therefore, the following groups are permitted to feed:

Race 1, 2, 3, 4 & 8: Feeding is being permitted on lap 2

Race 5 (131km): Men A – laps 2, 3, 4 & 5

Race 6 (105km): Men B / Masters A – laps 2, 3 & 4

Race 7 (79km): Women A/B/J17W – lap 2 & 3

Waste Zone:

This course has a dedicated waste zone. There will be a waste zone 200 meters prior to the left hand turn on Ganthorpe Rd, where riders will be allowed to dispose of their water bottles and rubbish. This will be cleaned up at the end of the last race. **Fines will be imposed by the commissaires if riders litter outside the Waste Zone.**



Spares:

- Spare wheels are to be placed in the signed vehicle e.g.: 'Convoy C – Spares' (See below. Convoy category for each Race is also denoted on the flyer). Vehicles will be found in the official's carpark near Registration. Please collect spare wheels from this area after the race.
- Please ensure your wheels are labelled with name and race category.
- Riders should be prepared to attend to their own mechanical issues where possible and are encouraged to carry a pump and spare tube should you fall behind the spares vehicle.
- Spares will be on a "spares in, spares out basis". Neutral spares may be available. It may not be possible for spares vehicles to carry all spare wheels. Volunteers will do their best to include wheels of each specification in the vehicle.
- There are no rider/team support vehicles allowed on the course.

SPARES VEHICLE DESIGNATION					
FIRST CONVOY WINDOW			SECOND CONVOY WINDOW		
RACE 1	MEN C / MAS B	CONVOY A SPARES	RACE 5	MEN A	CONVOY A SPARES
RACE 2	J17 MEN	CONVOY B SPARES	RACE 6	MEN B / MAS A	CONVOY B SPARES
RACE 3	MAS C / MAS D	CONVOY C SPARES	RACE 7	WOM A	CONVOY C SPARES
RACE 4	WOM C / WOM D	CONVOY D SPARES	RACE 8	WOM B / J17 WOM	CONVOY D SPARES



KOM/QOM:

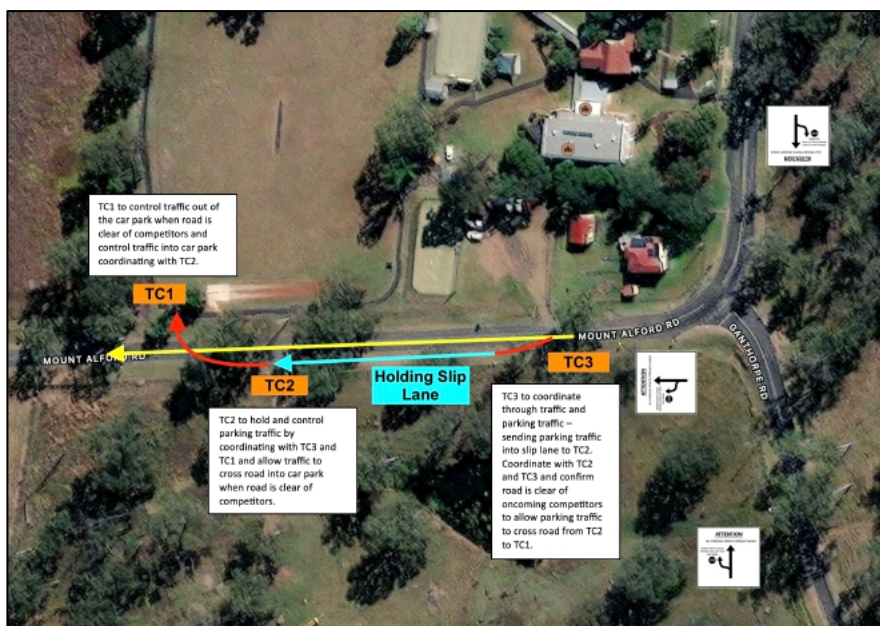
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Official Car Parking:

The school staff carpark adjacent to the finish line will be reserved for volunteers and commissaires (see site map above). Convoy vehicles will be lined up around the perimeter of the carpark ready to move out.

Competitor Car Parking – School Oval:

Entry: All competitors must enter the traffic-controlled holding slip lane in order to gain access to the oval car park. This is to ensure that the finish straight is kept clear of vehicles. If there has been recent rain then the school oval may not be useable and therefore competitors will be asked to park along the road.



ALL CARS LEAVING THE CAR PARK (SCHOOL OVAL) MUST FOLLOW THE DIRECTIONS OF TRAFFIC CONTROL. WHEN LEAVING, TURNING RIGHT IN THE DIRECTION OF RACE IS ADVISED

First Aid Control: Assist Medics

There will be a permanent first aid tent in the official's car park near registration to assist with ongoing treatment (see site map). There will be a minimum of two first aid officers circulating on the circuit. See duty roster for radio channels and mobile numbers.

FIRST AID TENT MOBILE NUMBER:

Photos courtesy of



GOLD COAST CYCLING CLUB - DSC CRITERIUM PRESENTATION SCHEDULE

TIME	RACE	CATEGORY	1 ST	2 nd	3 rd		
8:30	Race 1	MASTERS A	CASH ENVELOPE	CASH ENVELOPE	CASH ENVELOPE		
		MASTERS C	CASH ENVELOPE	CASH ENVELOPE	CASH ENVELOPE		
9:30	Race 2	MEN A	CASH ENVELOPE	CASH ENVELOPE	CASH ENVELOPE		
10:20	Race 3	MASTERS B	CASH ENVELOPE	CASH ENVELOPE	CASH ENVELOPE		
		MASTERS D	CASH ENVELOPE	CASH ENVELOPE	CASH ENVELOPE		
11:15	Race 4	MEN B	CASH ENVELOPE	CASH ENVELOPE	CASH ENVELOPE		
		MEN C	CASH ENVELOPE	CASH ENVELOPE	CASH ENVELOPE		
		J17 Men #	CASH ENVELOPE	CASH ENVELOPE	CASH ENVELOPE	# Sponsored	
12:10	Race 5	WOMEN A/B *	CASH ENVELOPE	CASH ENVELOPE	CASH ENVELOPE		
		WOMEN C/D *	CASH ENVELOPE	CASH ENVELOPE	CASH ENVELOPE		
		J17 Women #	CASH ENVELOPE	CASH ENVELOPE	CASH ENVELOPE	# Sponsored	
12:40	Race 6	J15 M&W	CASH ENVELOPE	CASH ENVELOPE	CASH ENVELOPE		
		J13 B&G	MEDALS	MEDALS	MEDALS		
12:50	Race 7	J11 B&G	MEDALS	MEDALS	MEDALS		
		J9 B&G	MEDALS	MEDALS	MEDALS		

* Combined Event – Separate podiums

J17 Men & Women – Separate sponsor

GOLD COAST CYCLING CLUB - DSC ROAD RACE PRESENTATION SCHEDULE

GRADES AWARDED WITHIN RACE

TIME	RACE	CATEGORY	KOM	1 ST	2 nd	3 rd	QCRS JERSEY	PERPETUAL TROPHY
10:00	RACE 2		KOM					
		U17 MEN		CASH ENVELOPE	CASH ENVELOPE	CASH ENVELOPE		
10:00	RACE 3	RACE - FIRST 3 OVERALL		PODIUM PHOTO				
			KOM					
		MASTERS C		CASH ENVELOPE	CASH ENVELOPE	CASH ENVELOPE	JERSEY *	
		MASTERS D		CASH ENVELOPE	CASH ENVELOPE	CASH ENVELOPE	JERSEY *	
10:20	RACE 4	RACE - FIRST 3 OVERALL		PODIUM PHOTO				
			QOM					
		WOMEN D		CASH ENVELOPE	CASH ENVELOPE	CASH ENVELOPE	JERSEY *	
		WOMEN C		CASH ENVELOPE	CASH ENVELOPE	CASH ENVELOPE	JERSEY *	
10:20	RACE 1	RACE - FIRST 3 OVERALL		PODIUM PHOTO				
			KOM					
		MEN C		CASH ENVELOPE	CASH ENVELOPE	CASH ENVELOPE	JERSEY *	
		MASTERS B		CASH ENVELOPE	CASH ENVELOPE	CASH ENVELOPE	JERSEY *	
13:35	RACE 8	RACE - FIRST 3 OVERALL		PODIUM PHOTO				
			QOM					
		U17 WOMEN		CASH ENVELOPE	CASH ENVELOPE	CASH ENVELOPE		
		WOMEN B		CASH ENVELOPE	CASH ENVELOPE	CASH ENVELOPE	JERSEY *	
13:35	RACE 7		QOM					
		WOMEN A		CASH ENVELOPE	CASH ENVELOPE	CASH ENVELOPE	JERSEY *	PERPETUAL
14:00	RACE 6	RACE - FIRST 3 OVERALL		PODIUM PHOTO				
			KOM					
		MEN B		CASH ENVELOPE	CASH ENVELOPE	CASH ENVELOPE	JERSEY *	
		MASTERS A		CASH ENVELOPE	CASH ENVELOPE	CASH ENVELOPE	JERSEY *	
14:20	RACE 5		KOM					
		MEN A		CASH ENVELOPE	CASH ENVELOPE	CASH ENVELOPE	JERSEY *	PERPETUAL

* QCRS Jersey awarded if necessary based on Series points

KOM presentation before Grade podium so that KOM can the join for photo

Presentation Notes:

- Cash Envelope - EFT will be required.
- QCRS Jersey awarded if necessary, based on Series points - supplied by AusCycling.
- Prizes for each grade regardless of where they placed in the Race. There is no prize for the 'Race' (only a photo).
- "A" Grade Men & Women will be paid equal prize money.
- There will be one KOM / QOM Winner for each 'Race' regardless of grade – See KOM/QOM points distribution below.



GOLD COAST CYCLING CLUB - DARREN SMITH CLASSIC - KOM / QOM RESULTS SHEET									
RACE NO.	COLOUR	LAPS	KOM EVERY LAP	LAP 1	LAP 2	LAP 3	LAP 4	LAP 5	RESULT
RACE 1 MEN C MASTERS B	BLACK RED	3	YES	1. _____ 2. _____ 3. _____	1. _____ 2. _____ 3. _____	1. _____ 2. _____ 3. _____			_____
RACE 2 U 17 MEN	GREEN	2	YES	1. _____ 2. _____ 3. _____	1. _____ 2. _____ 3. _____				_____
RACE 3 MASTERS C MASTERS D	LIGHT BLUE DARK BLUE	2	YES	1. _____ 2. _____ 3. _____	1. _____ 2. _____ 3. _____				_____
RACE 4 WOMEN C WOMEN D	YELLOW ORANGE	2	YES	1. _____ 2. _____ 3. _____	1. _____ 2. _____ 3. _____				_____
RACE 5 MEN A	BLACK	5	NO		1. _____ 2. _____ 3. _____	1. _____ 2. _____ 3. _____	1. _____ 2. _____ 3. _____	1. _____ 2. _____ 3. _____	_____
RACE 6 MEN B MASTERS A	LIGHT BLUE DARK BLUE	4	NO		1. _____ 2. _____ 3. _____	1. _____ 2. _____ 3. _____	1. _____ 2. _____ 3. _____		_____
RACE 7 WOMEN A	RED	3	YES	1. _____ 2. _____ 3. _____	1. _____ 2. _____ 3. _____	1. _____ 2. _____ 3. _____			_____
RACE 8 WOMEN B U 17 WOMEN	YELLOW ORANGE	2	YES	1. _____ 2. _____ 3. _____	1. _____ 2. _____ 3. _____				_____

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Race Flyer



Darren Smith Classic 2025

Gold Coast Cycling Club

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Darren Smith Classic 2025 - Day 1 (02.08.25) Criterium
Brisbane International Cycle Park - Murarrie

Race #	Category	Duration	Start	Entry Fee	Presentations
Race 1	Masters A	50 mins	7:20am	\$90	8:30am
Race 2	Men A	50 mins	8:20am	\$90	9:30am
Race 3	Masters B	40 mins	9:20am	\$90	10:20am
Race 4	Men B	50 mins	10:10am	\$90	11:10am
Race 5	Women A/B	40 mins	11:10am	\$90	12:05pm
Race 6	15 M&W	20 mins + 1 lap	12:05pm	\$15	12:40pm
Race 7	U11 B&G	15 mins + 1 lap	12:30pm	\$15	12:50pm
Race 8	U9 B&G	10 mins + 1 lap	12:33pm	\$15	

* Combined event - separate podiums
* U17 Women / Men graded according to Open Grading - supported by GREENWAY TURF SOLUTIONS

\$8000 PRIZE MONEY
02 | 03 August 2025
Saturday - Criterium - **Murarrie, Brisbane**
Sunday - Road Race - **Mt Alford**
Separate prize money for each grade.
Equal prize money for women and men (elite).
Late entries will incur a \$20 late fee.
Entries Close: **Sun, 27 July 2025 11:59 PM AEST**

Darren Smith Classic 2025 - Day 2 (03.08.25) Road Race
Mt Alford State School, Mt Alford

Race #	Category	Laps	Distance	Start Time	Approx. Finish Time	Approx. Duration	Entry Fee	Presentations
Race 1	Men C	3	79 km	8:00am	10:15am	2:15 hrs.	\$95	10:20am
Race 2	U17 Men	2	52.6 km	8:10am	9:40am	1:30hrs.	\$95	10:00am
Race 3	Masters C	2	52.6 km	8:15am	9:45am	1:30 hrs.	\$85	10:00am
Race 4	Women C	2	52.6 km	8:20am	10:00am	1:40 hrs.	\$85	10:20am
Race 5	Men A	5	131 km	10:45am	2:00pm	3:15 hrs.	\$95	2:20pm
Race 6	Men B	4	105 km	10:55am	1:35pm	2:40 hrs.	\$95	2:00pm
Race 7	Women A	3	79 km	11:00am	1:25pm	2:25 hrs.	\$95	1:35pm
Race 8	Women B	2	52.6 km	11:05am	12:45pm	1:40 hrs.	\$85	1:35pm

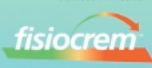
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