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**MESSAGE FROM THE EVENT DIRECTOR  
MANAGING DIRECTOR  
CONNECT SPORT AUSTRALIA PTY LTD  
FOUNDER OF RUN PORT DOUGLAS**

**BADE STAPLETON**



Welcome to the very first Run Port Douglas! Following three incredible years of the Port Douglas Gran Fondo Festival and fantastic feedback from participants, we're thrilled to bring you an even bigger and better Festival in 2025!

**New for 2025: RUN PORT DOUGLAS**

We're excited to introduce RUN PORT DOUGLAS to the festival lineup! On Saturday, 13 September, take part in:

- 21.1km Half Marathon
- Pacific Toyota 10km Run
- 5km & 2km Run/Walk presented by the Sheraton Grand Mirage Resort Port Douglas

All running events will finish on the beautiful sands of Four Mile Beach. And as the final runners cross the line, the first finishers of the Hartley's to Port MTB Race will begin arriving at the same finish – an exhilarating start to a weekend full of action!

**Port Douglas Gran Fondo**

The Port Douglas Gran Fondo rides are held on Sunday and include the 136km & 100km Gran Fondo, 60km Semi Fondo and the 48km Medio Fondo.

We can't wait to welcome you back to Port Douglas and Cairns. Whether you're running, riding, cheering, or exploring, we hope you have an unforgettable time.



## MESSAGE FROM THE MINISTER FOR ENVIRONMENT AND TOURISM AND THE MINISTER FOR SCIENCE AND INNOVATION

**ANDREW POWELL MP**



Message from the Minister for Environment and Tourism and the Minister for Science and Innovation, the Honourable Andrew Powell MP

It's a pleasure to welcome you to the 2025 edition of the Port Douglas Gran Fondo Festival, an event that truly captures the character and charm of Port Douglas.

Supported by the Queensland Government through Round 30 of Tourism and Events Queensland's Destination Events Program, this event showcases the unique connection between our state's vibrant communities and the diverse regions they call home.

Events like the Port Douglas Gran Fondo Festival bring people together, celebrate local culture and contribute significantly to the community's pride and economy.

While you're here, I encourage you to explore all that the Tropical North Queensland Region has to offer—whether it's its scenic beauty, local flavours, or the warm hospitality that makes this part of Queensland so special.

A big congratulations to the organisers and everyone who worked hard to bring this wonderful event to life. Thank you for being part of the thriving Queensland Destination Events Program.





## MESSAGE FROM DOUGLAS SHIRE COUNCIL MAYOR

**LISA SCOMAZZON**



Welcome to the Douglas Shire!

It is with great pride that I welcome you to the 2025 Port Douglas Gran Fondo Festival - now bigger and better with the exciting addition of RUN PORT DOUGLAS. Whether you are here to ride, run, cheer or simply soak up the atmosphere, this weekend is a celebration of everything that makes our region so special.

This year, we're thrilled to see so many participants and supporters descend on Port Douglas for a weekend of fitness and fun. From the breathtaking ride along the Great Barrier Reef Drive to the scenic run which will include Flagstaff Hill and Four Mile Beach, these events offer a unique way to experience our stunning coastal town.

What makes this festival truly special is its inclusivity - there's something for everyone, from seasoned athletes to families enjoying a 2km walk together. And for those taking on the ultimate challenge across all three major events - we can't wait to see you proudly wearing your medals around town! Council is proud to continue its strong support of this event, helping it grow into one of the region's most anticipated weekends. It's another example of Council's commitment to promoting active lifestyles and tourism.

I encourage everyone, visitors and locals alike, to make the most of the weekend. Support our cafes, restaurants and shops, share your stories on social media and explore everything the Douglas Shire has to offer. Events like this not only showcase the beauty of our backyard but also bring a welcome boost to our local economy and community spirit.

Thank you for being part of this incredible festival. I look forward to seeing you out on the course, at the finish line and around town – enjoy!



## MESSAGE FROM CAIRNS REGIONAL COUNCIL MAYOR

**AMY EDEN**

It is my pleasure, on behalf of Cairns Regional Council and our community, to welcome all competitors, officials, volunteers and supporters to this year's Gran Fondo Festival.

Proudly backed by Council in partnership with Tourism Tropical North Queensland, this festival is a celebration of our tropical paradise. Over three action-packed days, locals and visitors alike get to soak it all in, and we couldn't be more excited.

With the introduction of RUN PORT DOUGLAS, the festival takes on a new dimension. Runners will be crossing the finish line on the world-famous Four Mile Beach, with the Great Barrier Reef on one side and the Wet Tropics Rainforest on the other. This is the magic of our region, and it's what keeps athletes coming back year after year.

This festival shines a spotlight on Tropical North Queensland as an adventure and lifestyle destination, while also giving locals the chance to get involved, whether on the bike, on the track, or cheering from the sidelines. I encourage everyone to explore all our region has to offer; from reef trips and rainforest trails to our vibrant food and cultural scene, there is something for everyone.

I wish you a safe run, a strong finish, and memories that will last long after the event.





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# FESTIVAL FOR EVERYONE!



## THURSDAY 11 SEPTEMBER

- We have a great Expo this year (details on page 19). This opens at 4:00pm along with our Registration at Crystalbrook Superyacht Marina
- Come and visit the exhibitors who have travelled from far and wide to be part of our event.
- We also have a great range of merchandise this year!
- Registration also commences at The Pier Cairns & opposite the Palm Cove Surf Club.

## FRIDAY 12 SEPTEMBER

- With all the runners needing to pick up their packs our Expo and Rego will be open from 10am - 6:00pm in Port Douglas.
- Registration will also be open in Cairns and Palm Cove 10am - 6:00pm.

## SATURDAY 13 SEPTEMBER

- The first ever RUN PORT DOUGLAS event kicks off the weekend of events. The below events will start on Wharf Street, right in front of the Crystalbrook Superyacht Marina:
  - 21.1km Half Marathon - Start time: 6:30am
  - Pacific Toyota 10km - Start time: 7:00am
  - 5km - Start time: 7:30am
- The 2km Run/Walk presented by the Sheraton Grand Mirage Resort Port Douglas starts from the Sunbird Village car park in front of the Sheraton at 8:00am
- All the running events will finish on Four Mile Beach, in front of The Surfy Cafe, with the Recovery Lawn the perfect place to celebrate after running in paradise and crossing one of the most spectacular finish lines in the world!
- The Hartley's to Port MTB Race starts at 9:30am from Hartley's Crocodile Adventures in Wangetti. The riders will start crossing the finish line on Four Mile Beach after all our runners have finished at around 11:00am. Come and cheer them home!
- The Four Mile Beach MTB Sprint is on again! See 2 riders at a time sprint down the sand over 250mts in a knockout competition to find our Four Mile Beach MTB Sprint champions! This will run straight after the finish of the Hartley's to Port down on the sand in front of The Surfy Cafe.

## SUNDAY 14 SEPTEMBER

- The Gran Fondo event starts in Port Douglas at 6:15am as the 136km & 100km Gran Fondo riders depart the NEW start line at the Port Douglas Sports Complex, Wharf St, Port Douglas.
- The 60km Semi Fondo will follow at 7:15am from the same location.
- The 48km Medio Fondo ride starts in Palm Cove at 7:00am.
- The finish area in Port Douglas is the perfect place to kick back and celebrate an amazing ride on one of the most spectacular roads in the world!





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# EVENT SCHEDULE



*Run Port Douglas* is the perfect excuse to visit Port Douglas and explore one of the most beautiful parts of Australia. There are events across the weekend, with something for everyone. Whether you are a participant or a spectator, you are in for a wonderful action-packed weekend. This Event Schedule is up to date as at 19 August 2025 and is subject to change. Click this [link](#) to view the Event Schedule on our website for the most up-to-date information.

THURSDAY 11TH SEPTEMBER 2025		
4pm – 6pm	Rider/Runner Registration – Port Douglas	Crystalbrook Superyacht Marina
4pm – 6pm	Rider/Runner Registration – Palm Cove	Surf Club Palm Cove
4pm – 6pm	Rider/Runner Registration – Cairns	TBC
FRIDAY 12TH SEPTEMBER 2025		
10am – 6pm	Rider/Runner Registration – Port Douglas	Crystalbrook Superyacht Marina
10am – 6pm	Rider/Runner Registration – Palm Cove	Surf Club Palm Cove
10am – 6pm	Rider/Runner Registration – Cairns	TBC
10am – 6pm	Crystalbrook Superyacht Marina EXPO	Crystalbrook Superyacht Marina
SATURDAY 13TH SEPTEMBER 2025		
6:30am	Run Port Douglas – 21.1km Half Marathon Start	Crystalbrook Superyacht Marina
7:00am	Run Port Douglas – 10km Start	Crystalbrook Superyacht Marina
7:30am	Run Port Douglas – 5km Start	Crystalbrook Superyacht Marina
8:00am	Run Port Douglas – 2km Run/Walk Start	Sunbird Village carpark
8:00am	Run Port Douglas – 21.1km Half Marathon & 10km Presentations	Port Douglas Surf Club
8:30am	Run Port Douglas – 5km & 2km Presentations	Port Douglas Surf Club
9:30am	Hartley's to Port MTB Race Start	Hartley's Crocodile Adventures
12:00pm	Hartley's to Port MTB Race Presentations	Port Douglas Surf Club
12:30pm	Four Mile Beach MTB Sprint Race & Presentations	Four Mile Beach
10am – 6pm	Crystalbrook Superyacht Marina Festival EXPO	Crystalbrook Superyacht Marina
10am – 6pm	Rider Registration – Port Douglas	Crystalbrook Superyacht Marina
12pm – 5pm	Rider Registration & 48km Medio Fondo Bag Drop	Surf Club Palm Cove
SUNDAY 14TH SEPTEMBER 2025		
6:15am – 6:35am	136km Gran Fondo Start 100km Gran Fondo Start	Port Douglas Sports Complex, Wharf Street, Port Douglas
7:15am – 7:35am	60km Gran Fondo Start	Port Douglas Sports Complex, Wharf Street, Port Douglas
7:00am – 7:20am	48km Medio Fondo Start	Palm Cove
8:00am – 1.30pm	Crystalbrook Superyacht Marina Festival EXPO Entertainment & Live Music from 10:00am	Crystalbrook Superyacht Marina
8:00am – 12noon	48km Medio Fondo Expected Finishers	Crystalbrook Superyacht Marina
8:45am – 12:30pm	60km Gran Fondo Expected Finishers	Crystalbrook Superyacht Marina
8:45am – 1:30pm	100km Gran Fondo Expected Finishers	Crystalbrook Superyacht Marina
9:30am – 1:30pm	136km Gran Fondo Expected Finishers	Crystalbrook Superyacht Marina
6:30pm – 11:00pm	After Party	Central Hotel, Port Douglas



# RUN CHECKLIST



## PRE-EVENT

- Check your event registration is confirmed
- Check where you have nominated to collect your race BIB
- Familiarise yourself with the event schedule
- Review/update medical emergency contact

## ONCE I ARRIVE (PRE-RUN)

- Check-in at Registration to collect BIB
- Visit the Expo in Port Douglas
- Plan how you will arrive at the start arch
- Familiarise yourself with the course

## RACE DAY

- Check you have all run necessities
- Drop off gear bag at start (if applicable)
- Pin on your BIB to your run top
- Arrive at start arch 15 mins before the start
- Enjoy your run in paradise
- Run safely
- Take photos and post to your social media
- Explore Port Douglas
- Tell your friends
- Plan your next trip back to Port Douglas

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## RUN PORT DOUGLAS



BIB number (this incorporates your timing chip on the back)

Bag Tag label with matching number which can be torn off the BIB and placed on your bag

4 Safety pins

\*Please complete the emergency contact information on the back of the BIB before pinning it to your run top.

\*Start times are listed on the back of the BIB

\*Get your results online by scanning the QR code



## BRANDS



We have some great brands joining us this year in our Crystalbrook Superyacht Marina EXPO. Please support these companies who have travelled from far and wide to be a part of our EXPO in 2025.

We also have a great range of *Port Douglas Gran Fondo Festival* merchandise, so make sure you pick up a great memento of your time here is paradise.

## OPENING HOURS

- THURSDAY 11 SEPTEMBER - 4:00PM - 6:00PM
- FRIDAY 12 SEPTEMBER - 10:00AM - 6:00PM
- SATURDAY 13 SEPTEMBER - 10:00AM - 6:00PM
- SUNDAY 14 SEPTEMBER - 8:00AM - 1:30PM



## REGISTRATION PACK COLLECTION

All runners must collect their registration pack from the registration area you selected when you registered, either Port Douglas, Palm Cove or Cairns CBD. **Please check you nominated the correct location on your registration. All registration packs are pre-delivered to your nominated location and will cause delays or non-start of some runners if you have nominated the incorrect area.** We strongly recommend picking up your registration pack on Thursday or Friday to avoid the long queues on Saturday morning, which may result in you missing your start time.

Please bring your registration confirmation email with the QR code to ensure the process is quick and easy.

Locations for collection are:

### CAIRNS CBD

#### THE PIER SHOPPING COMPLEX, THE PIER, CAIRNS

- Thursday, 11 September 2025 - 4:00pm - 6:00pm
- Friday, 12 September 2025 - 10:00am - 6:00pm

### PALM COVE

#### IN FRONT OF SURF CLUB PALM COVE, 135 WILLIAMS ESPLANADE, PALM COVE

- Thursday, 11 September 2025 - 4:00pm - 6:00pm
- Friday, 12 September 2025 - 10:00am - 6:00pm

### PORT DOUGLAS

#### PORT DOUGLAS GRAN FONDO FESTIVAL EXPO - INSIDE CRYSTALBROOK SUPERYACHT MARINA, WHARF STREET, PORT DOUGLAS

- Thursday, 11 September 2025 - 4:00pm - 6:00pm
- Friday, 12 September 2025 - 10:00am - 6:00pm

If you arrive to collect your rego pack from a different location than you nominated as you entered you will need to arrive early at the start line on Saturday 13 September and go to the registration tent on the decking area at the Crystalbrook Superyacht Marina.

Please allow plenty of time as we expect to see a number of late collections.





## PARKING

Parking will be surrounding local streets. Please ensure that you are aware of any parking restrictions and changed traffic conditions.

**SATURDAY, 13 SEPTEMBER 2025**

### - PORT DOUGLAS

- Free parking will be available at the Crystalbrook Superyacht Marina and surrounding roads.
- Free parking will be available at the Port Douglas Sports Complex, Wharf Street, Port Douglas.
  - No access off Wharf Street. Please use Mudlo Street to access parking.

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# PRE-EVENT INFORMATION



## CHANGED TRAFFIC CONDITIONS

Check the event website for up-to-date changes using this [link](#).

### SATURDAY, 13 SEPTEMBER 2025 - PORT DOUGLAS ONLY

MAP KEY	STREET	FROM	TO	CLOSED	OPEN
	Wharf St	Mudlo St	Island Point Rd	5:00	8:00
	Grant St	Wharf St	Mowbray St	6:15	7:00
	Mowbray St	Grant St	Mudlow St	6:15	7:00
	Mudlow St	Mowbray St	Port St	6:15	7:00
	Island Point Rd	Wharf St	Murphy St	6:15	7:15
	Murphy St	Island Point Rd	Grant St	6:15	7:15
	Macrossan St	Wharf St	Esplanade	6:15	8:00
	Esplanade	Macrossan St	Mowbray St	6:15	13:00
	Mowbray St	Esplanade	Garrick St	6:15	13:00
	Garrick St	Mowbray St	Tide St	6:30	8:30
	Beryl St	Garrick St	Sand St	6:30	8:30
	Blake St	Garrick St	Davidson St	6:30	8:30
	Davidson St	Blake St	Barrier St	Access both directions	



MAP KEY	STREET	FROM	TO	CLOSED	OPEN	NOTES
	Barrier St	Port Douglas Rd	Reef St	6:45	8:30	Access in both directions
	Reef St	Barrier St	Nautilus St	6:45	10:00	Traffic control to allow access to Mitre St via Nautilus St
	Nautilus St	Reef St	Mitre St	6:45	10:00	Access remains open to residents & those exiting out of Conch St (left turn only)
	Pecten Ave & Conch St	Reef St	Reef St	6:45	10:00	Reef St exit closed. Access remains open to those exiting out of Conch St (left turn only). Access back into Conch St is also under Traffic Control
	Nautilus St	Mitre St	Reef St	6:45	10:00	Traffic control to allow access from & into Conch St & Mitre St via Nautilus St and Reef St
	Limpet Ave, Reef St (past Nautilus), Helmet St, Baler St, Cowrie St & Trochus Cl	Nautilus St	Reef St	6:45	10:00	Full closure. Parking available the night prior in Nautilus St (BLUE line side) and exit onto Reef St managed by traffic controllers
	Nautilus St	Mitre St	Old Port Rd	6:45	10:00	Full closure. Parking available the night prior in Golf Club parking and exit onto Old Port Rd via Clubhouse Dv/Cascade Dv
	Old Port Rd	Nautilus St	Downing St	6:45	10:00	Full closure. Access to Golf Club from Old Port Rd via Clubhouse Dv/Cascade Dv
	Port Douglas Rd	Barrier St	Blake St	5:00	8:30	Full access in both directions



# PRE-EVENT INFORMATION



## CHANGED TRAFFIC CONDITIONS

**SUNDAY, 14 SEPTEMBER 2025 - PORT DOUGLAS & PALM COVE**

### SUNDAY 14 SEPTEMBER 2025 - PORT DOUGLAS

MAP KEY	STREET	FROM	TO	CLOSED	OPEN	NOTES
	Wharf St	Port St	Grant St	5:30	8:00	
	Grant St	Wharf St	Mowbray St	6:00	7:00	
	Mowbray St	Grant St	Mudlow St	6:00	7:00	
	Mudlow St	Mowbray St	Port St	6:00	7:00	



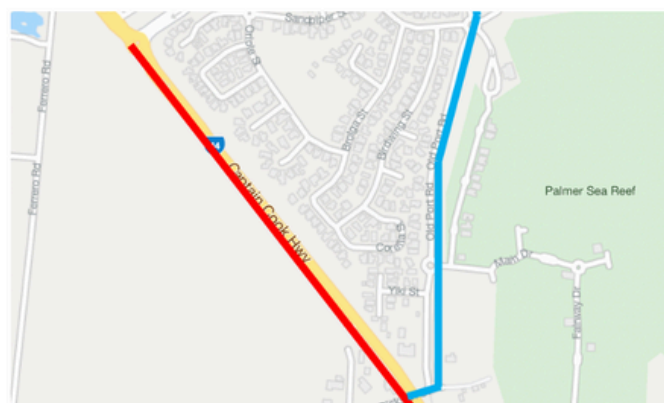
### SUNDAY 14 SEPTEMBER 2025 - PORT DOUGLAS

MAP KEY	STREET	FROM	TO	CLOSED	OPEN	NOTES
	Capt Cook Hwy	Beor St Craiglie	Palm Cove Boulevard	6:00	13:30	
	Mowbray River Rd	Capt Cook Hwy	Spring Creek Rd	6:00	13:30	Contact us if you need an escort out to Port Douglas
	Treize Rd	Capt Cook Hwy	Spring Creek Rd	6:00	13:30	Contact us if you need an escort out to Port Douglas



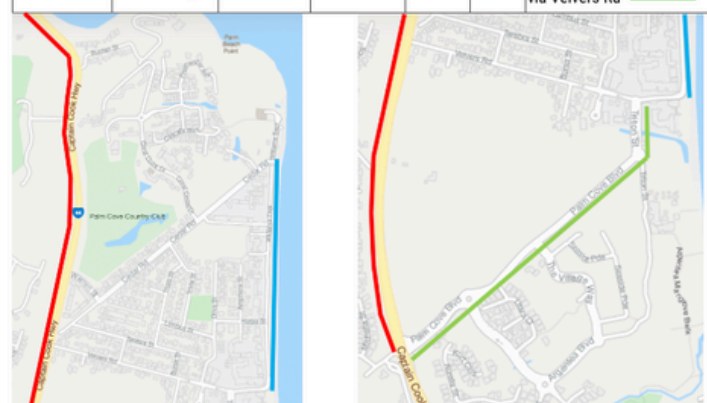
### SUNDAY 14 SEPTEMBER 2025 - PORT DOUGLAS

MAP KEY	STREET	FROM	TO	CLOSED	OPEN	NOTES
	Old Port Rd / Dickson St	Port Douglas Rd	Capt Cook Hwy	6:15	8:00	Southbound lanes only
	Capt Cook Hwy	Port Douglas Rd	Beor St Craiglie	6:00	13:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Southbound open - traffic control in place</li> <li>- Northbound closed from Old Port Rd to Port Douglas Rd</li> <li>- Local access from Beor St Craiglie to Port Douglas and Mossman via Dickson St &amp; Old Port Rd from 8:00AM</li> </ul>



### SUNDAY 14 SEPTEMBER 2025 - PALM COVE

MAP KEY	STREET	FROM	TO	CLOSED	OPEN	NOTES
	Capt Cook Hwy	Palm Cove Blvd	Beor St, Craiglie (Port Douglas)	5:30	13:30	Access to Wangetti from 11:30am
	Capt Cook Hwy	Palm Cove Blvd	Wangetti Beach Rd	5:30	11:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Access to Palm Cove via Palm Cove Boulevard &amp; Triton St (<b>Expect delays</b>)</li> <li>Access to Foley Rd under direction from Traffic Management</li> </ul>
	Capt Cook Hwy	Wangetti Beach Rd	Port Douglas Rd	6:00	13:30	
	Williams Esp	Cedar Rd	Veivers Rd	5:00	10:30	Resident access maintained via Veivers Rd





# EVENT DAY INFORMATION



## DAY BAG DROP (21.1KM, 10KM & 5KM ONLY)

To ensure you can enjoy a few hours in Port Douglas at the end of your run we are offering a Bag Drop Transfer service. If you want a spare change of clothes, shoes, toiletries etc. when you arrive at the finish line on Four Mile Beach Port Douglas after your run, please utilise this bag drop service. Only small bags will be accepted in our bag drop service, (our transport vehicle has limited space and cannot transport other luggage).

Within your registration pack you will find a bag tag runner number at the base of the BIB. Simply tear off and attach this label to the outside of your bag so it is clearly visible. This number **must** match your BIB number!

**Do not leave any personal valuables within the bag. We accept no responsibility for any lost, damaged or stolen items.**

## WHERE AND WHEN?

- **No bags** will be accepted at registration on Saturday, 13 September 2025 (Crystalbrook Superyacht Marina).
- Please drop your bag to the team at the Bag Drop truck which will be parked near the start arch on Wharf Street.
- The truck will depart after the 5km run starts at 7:30am
- Your bags will be transported to the Recovery Lawn and will be available for collection from the bag drop truck parked on the Esplanade.



## SUNSET SESSIONS

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SATURDAY, 13 SEPTEMBER  
4:30PM TO 8:30PM



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# EVENT DAY INFORMATION



## RUN DAY SERVICES

### FIRST AID / AMBULANCE

If you need medical assistance, please phone the number on back of your BIB to arrange help or wave down the nearest Event Official for assistance. Quote your BIB number.





- There will be an ambulance and roaming first aid responders on the course.
- Runners are responsible for any costs incurred as a result of a medical incident, this includes but is not limited to ambulance transfers, hospital stays, specialist treatment, medical appointments etc. It is strongly advised that all runners have adequate personal insurance.
- All runners are responsible for understanding the terms and conditions for this event and the terms and conditions of insurances held.

### SAG WAGON

If you need SAG Wagon assistance please phone the number on the back of your race BIB to arrange help or wave down the nearest Event Official for assistance. Quote your BIB number.

- SAG Wagon will collect runners who are unable to complete the event or are unable to finish within the course cut-off time. Collected athletes will be transported back to the finish area at Four Mile Beach.
- Delays in SAG Wagon transport are expected. To assist with a prompt pickup, please do not move from your reported location once a SAG Wagon has been requested as this can affect their ability to locate you.


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## 21.1KM

## KOM



## QOM

The 21.1km Half Marathon includes the climb up to the Flagstaff Hill Lookout, which is one of the most photographed locations in the region.

So why not make it interesting and see who can be the fastest to run up the hill?

There will be a sign on the road where the official climb starts and another sign where the timing will finish. The distance is 810mtrs.

We are looking for the fastest man (KOM) and our fastest woman (QOM).

Have you got what it takes to be the fastest?

Otherwise, we hope you enjoy the challenge of running/walking up to this amazing lookout!



# EVENT DAY INFORMATION



## AID STATIONS

There are multiple Aid Stations spread across the course. Each station is equipped with water, Winners electrolyte, Premax sunscreen, public and/or portable toilets. Winners Gels will also be available for the Pacific Toyota 10km and 21.1km Half Marathon runners.

Location and distances of each Aid Station vary by event. Please see the following course maps for your race to see where they are located for your race.

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## FINISH AND CUT OFF TIMES

To meet the road re-opening times which are a condition of our road closure permits, we have set cut-off times for some events.

21.1km Half Marathon	Pacific Toyota 10km
4HRS 45MINS 11:15AM	3HRS 10:00AM

- If you are still on the course when the roads need to re-open the crew will ask you to continue your run/walk along the footpaths.

## FINISH LINE & RECOVERY LAWN AREA

Once you have crossed the finish line and recieved your medal please make your way up to the Recovery Lawn, just up the steps/ramp from Four Mile Beach

The recovery area includes:

- **Winner Electrolyte**
- **Water**
- **Banana's & Oranges**
- **Food trucks**
- **Live music**
- **Run Expo**
- **Tables & chairs**



Or head back down to the beach and cheer on the runners who are crossing our amazing finish line on Four Mile Beach. You can even go for a swim to cool down!





## RESULTS & PRESENTATIONS

Presentation times are listed in the Event Schedule. They will be conducted on the Inspired Signs Stage on The Esplanade next to the Recovery Lawn. The team will announce when these are starting over the sound system. Make sure you stick around as we will also be announcing the winners of the best dressed and most entertaining finish line crossing!

Results for all events can be found on the website.

## OFFICIAL PHOTOS

This year we're teaming up with NORTHSOUTH LIVE to bring you your same-day participant photos!

You can check for your photos [HERE](#).

You'll receive a text message as soon as new photos are added to your gallery, and another when all your photos are processed.

**Plus, NORTHSOUTH is offering a special race day discount: get 20% off all purchases until midnight on event day with the code: BEACH20.**



## LOST PROPERTY

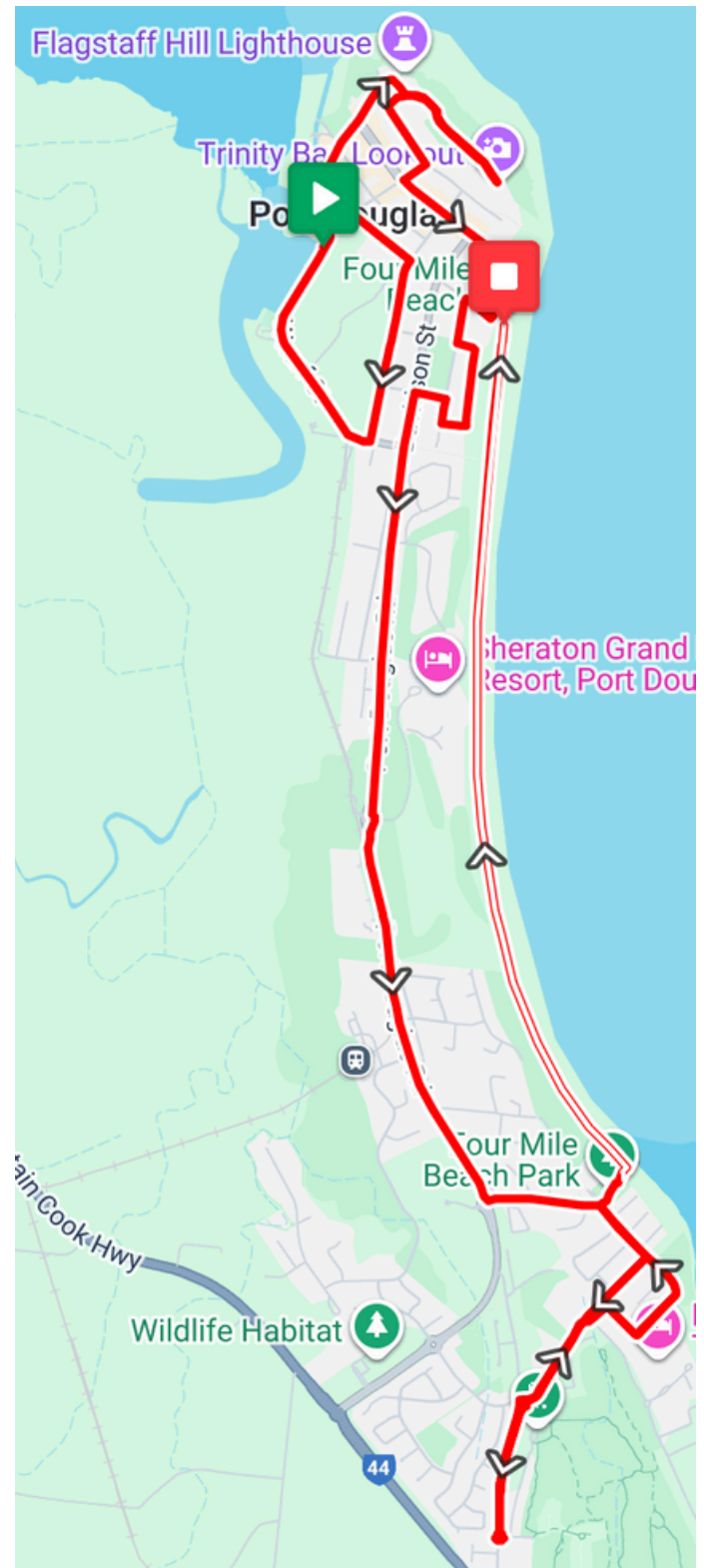
Any property lost or found will be handed to Event Officials at the registration desk at the Crystalbrook Superyacht Marina. Please visit this to check if your property is here. **We accept no responsibility for any lost, damaged or stolen items.**

# 21.1KM HALF MARATHON



## KEY INFORMATION

- Date: Saturday, 13 September 2025
- Distance: 21.1km
- Elevation: 120m
- Start: 6:30am
- Start Location: Wharf Street, in front of Choo Choo at the Marina at Crystalbrook Superyacht Marina
- Finish Location: Four Mile Beach, Port Douglas
- KOM/QOM Start – Cnr Wharf Street & Macrossan Street – 2.8km
- KOM/QOM Finish – Island Point Rd – 3.6km
- Aid Station – Flagstaff Hill Lookout – 3.7km
- Aid Station – Julian Park, Port Douglas Esplanade – 5.3km
- Toilets – Mowbray Street – 5.5km
- Aid Station – Port Douglas Road – 7.6km
- Aid Station – Barrier Street – 10.4km
- Aid Station/Toilets – Old Port Road – 12.2km
- Aid Station/Toilets – Old Port Road – 15.4km
- Aid Station/Toilets – Four Mile Beach Park – 17.4km
- Recovery Lawn: The Esplanade, Four Mile Beach, Port Douglas





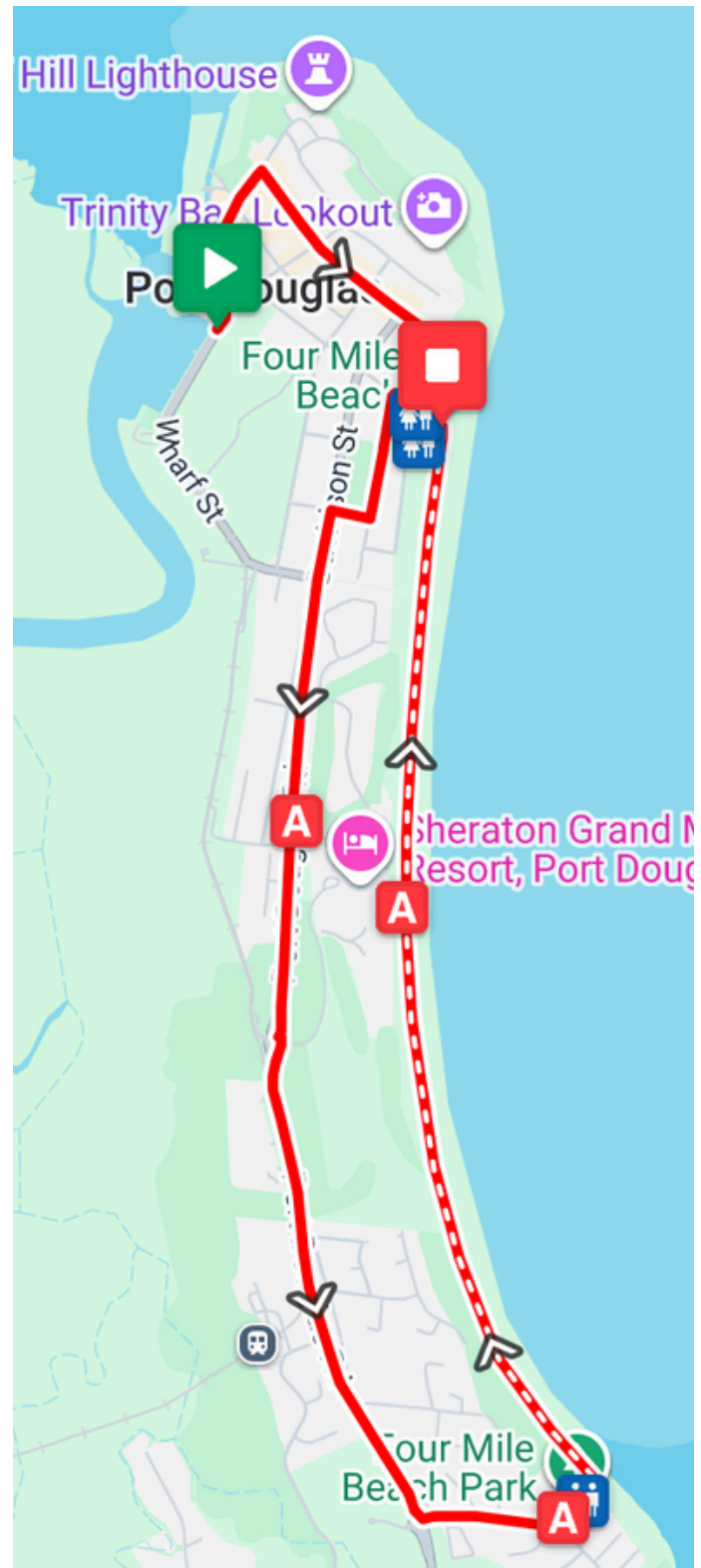


## KEY INFORMATION

- Date: Saturday, 13 September 2025
- Distance: 10km
- Elevation: 46m
- Start: 7:00am
- Start Location: Wharf Street, in front of Choo Choo at the Marina at Crystalbrook Superyacht Marina
- Finish Location: Four Mile Beach, Port Douglas
- Aid Station – Julian Park, Port Douglas Esplanade – 1.4km
- Toilets – Mowbray Street – 1.7km
- Aid Station – Port Douglas Road – 3.8km
- Aid Station & Toilets – Four Mile Beach Park, Barrier Street – 6.6km
- Recovery Lawn: The Esplanade, Four Mile Beach, Port Douglas



# Pacific Toyota

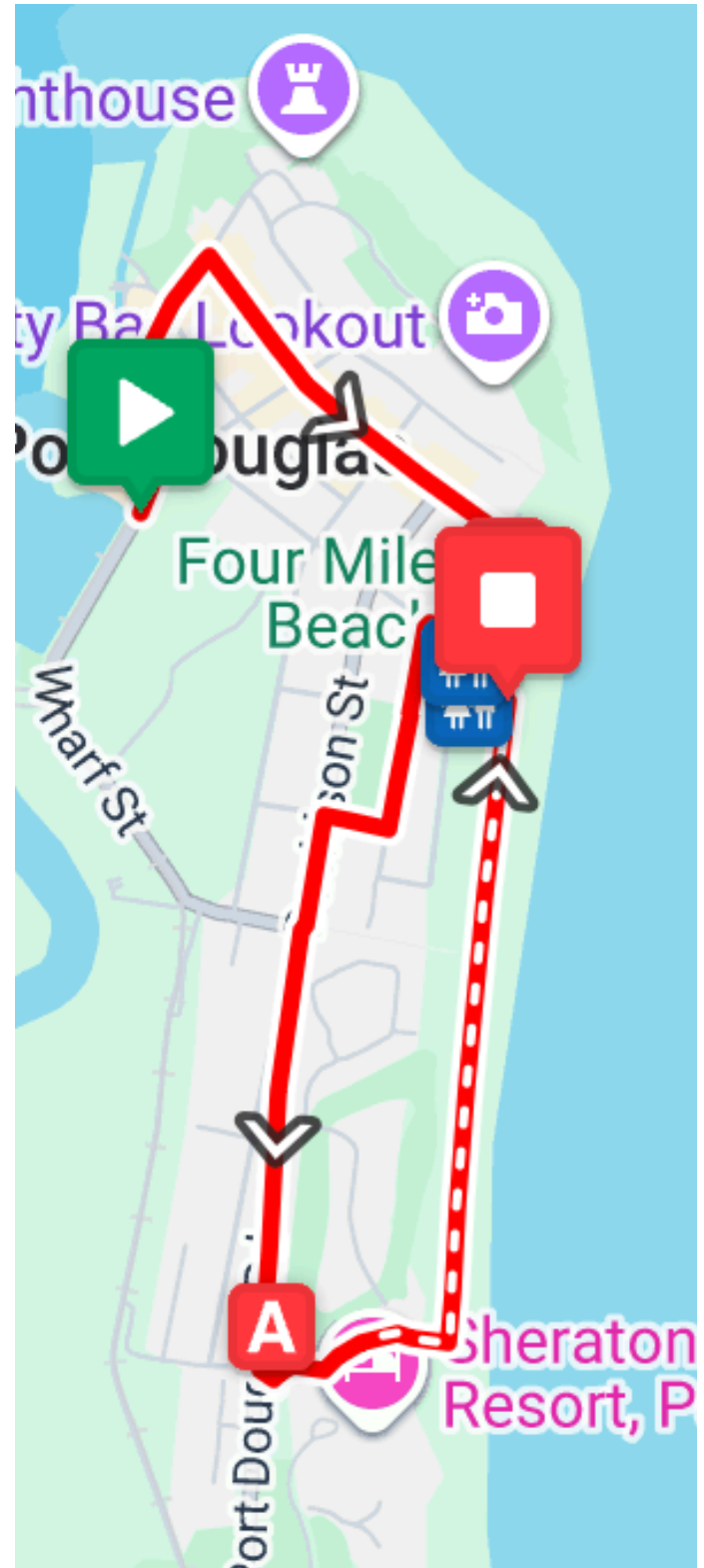


# 5KM RUN



## KEY INFORMATION

- Date: Saturday, 13 September 2025
- Distance: 5km
- Elevation: 24m
- Start: 7:30am
- Start Location: Wharf Street, in front of Choo Choo at the Marina at Crystalbrook Superyacht Marina
- Finish Location: Four Mile Beach, Port Douglas
- Aid Station – Julian Park, Port Douglas Esplanade – 1.4km
- Toilets – Mowbray Street – 1.7km
- Aid Station – Port Douglas Road – 3.3km
- Recovery Lawn: The Esplanade, Four Mile Beach, Port Douglas



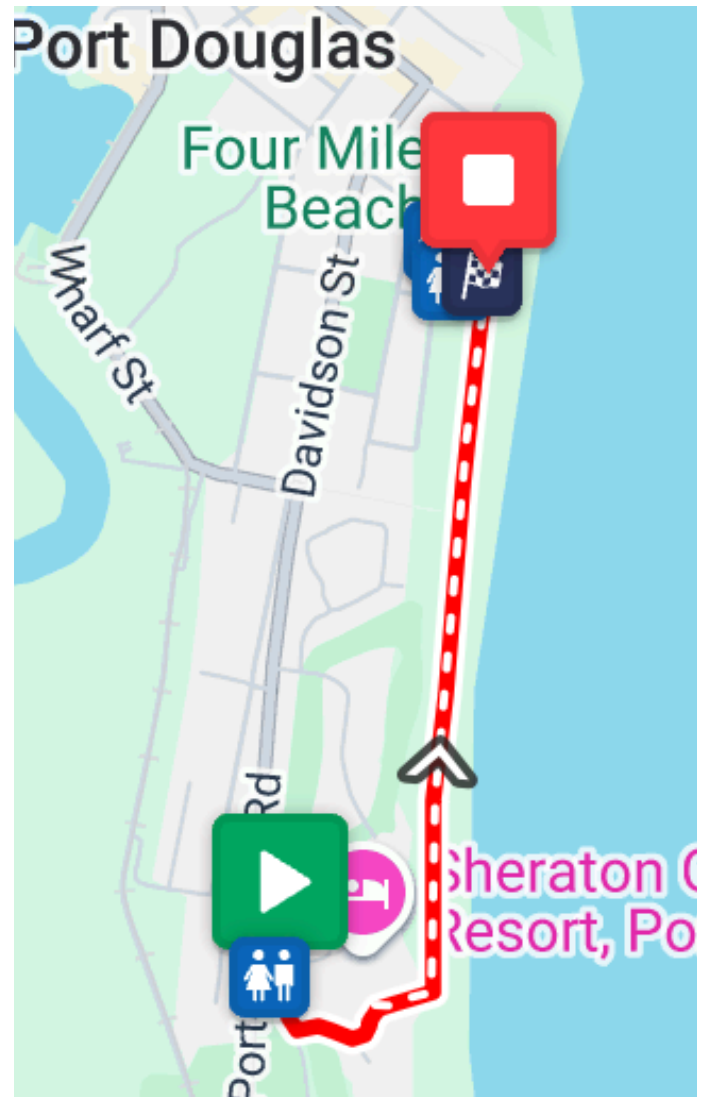


# 2KM RUN/WALK



## KEY INFORMATION

- Date: Saturday, 13 September 2025
- Distance: 2km
- Elevation: 15m
- Start: 8:00am
- Start Location: Sunbird Village Car Park - Enter from Port Douglas Rd, in front of the Sheraton Grand Mirage Resort Port Douglas
- Finish Location: Four Mile Beach, Port Douglas
- Recovery Lawn: The Esplanade, Four Mile Beach, Port Douglas



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### CHOO CHOOS AT THE MARINA

Choo Choos at the Marina is located at the end of the Crystalbrook Superyacht Marina. It runs alongside the historic Bally Hooley rail station and has one of the most beautiful dining views in all of Port Douglas and includes an Ice Creamery.





# THINGS TO DO



## HARTLEY'S CROCODILE ADVENTURES

Hartley's Crocodile Adventures is an Advanced Eco Accredited sanctuary, located in World Heritage wilderness at Wangetti, just 25 minutes south of Port Douglas.

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## PORT DOUGLAS MARKETS

The iconic Port Douglas Markets are famous for serving up a wide variety of hand-crafted goods, locally produced food and seasonal fresh produce. Renowned for lovingly made treasures, the Port Douglas Markets is a proud icon of the region. A must see on Sunday morning!



## FLAGSTAFF HILL LOOKOUT

Here you will witness sweeping views of Four Mile Beach and the rainforest-clad mountain ranges to the south. Venture along the Flagstaff Hill Walking Trail down to Four Mile Beach and walk the plank (or viewing platform) and take in the 180-degree views to the Coral Sea, Low Isles and Snapper Island.





# THINGS TO DO



## HEMINGWAY'S BREWERY

Hemingway's Brewery Port Douglas situated on the beautiful Crystalbrook Superyacht Marina in Port Douglas. Hemingway's is unique in Tropical North Queensland and offers a relaxed vibe where you can enjoy hand crafted beers suited to the tropical climate and fresh local produce.



## FOUR MILE BEACH

With golden sand stretching as far as the eye can see, crystal clear water lapping gently against the shore, and palm trees swaying in the cool breeze it is easy to lose track of time when walking on Four Mile Beach as it unfolds in a gentle curve along Port Douglas beachfront.



## WILDLIFE HABITAT

Providing visitors with a chance to experience the wildlife of Wetlands, Rainforest, Woodland and Savannah environments up close. Enjoy Breakfast with the Birds, hand-feed kangaroos and wallabies, observe cassowaries, cuddle Koalas and even Swim With The Salties in the new CrocArena!



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