



2021

GBC CROSS COUNTRY CHAMPIONSHIPS

HOSTED BY RIVERMOUNT COLLEGE



MONDAY 17 MAY 2021

Rivermount College

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TIME

Course Open: 8.00am

Course Close: 8.45am

Event 1: 9.00am

VENUE

Rivermount College is located at Rivermount Drive, Yatala. Queensland

GBC EXECUTIVE

Chair

Dr Lyn Bishop – Principal, Sheldon College

Deputy Chair

Mr Steven Morris - Principal, The Springfield Anglican College

Treasurer

Mrs Tanya Crooks - Principal, Redeemer Lutheran College


Executive Officer

Mr Eddie Fardell

DIRECTORS OF SPORT - PARTICIPATING SCHOOLS

Ms Nicole Barrie	All Hallows' School
Mr Jarrod Turner	Ambrose Treacy College
Ms Laura David	Brigidine College
Mr Kale Reed	Faith Lutheran College, Plainland
Mr Luke Curran	Redeemer Lutheran College
Mr Andy Knapper	Rivermount College
Mr Nathan Burgess	Sheldon College
Mr Brad Kelman	The Springfield Anglican College

REFRESHMENTS:

- Hot and cold, food and drink will be available for purchase at the back of the main hall. This includes barista coffee, snow cones, hot dogs and bacon and egg rolls.
 - Refreshments will be provided for all officials.
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GENERAL INFORMATION:

Access

- Schools may access Rivermount College via Belair Drive or by the main entrance.
- Buses may drop off students on campus and then exit the College.
- Parking is very limited for spectators.

Housekeeping Matters

- Visitors are politely requested to keep out of the main area of the school.
- Students are not to play or warm up in and around any classrooms.
- Dogs are not to be brought to the campus.
- Schools are to bring their own shade and pegs.
- Sports medical personnel will be located close to the finish line.

Changing & Toilets

- Toilets and changing facilities are located within the main hall.

Water

- There will be a 'water station' located at the midpoint of the course.

Staff

- Each school is required to have a minimum of one Team Manager, and 2 other members of staff who can be used as officials.
- Staff acting as marshalls are advised of the need for appropriate footwear to access parts of the course as the course can be very wet. An umbrella may also be useful.
- Staff will be allocated marshalling points at the officials briefing; the event cannot start until all course marshals are in position.
- Course marshals are to be in possession of their personal mobile phone in the event of an emergency on the course.
- The carnival convenor, Andy Knapper can be contacted on: 0408 679 988 in the event of any 'on course' injuries.

Timing

8.00am	8.15am	8.30am	8.45am
Course Open	Team Managers Meeting	Officials' Meeting	Course Closure

RACE SCHEDULE

Start Time	Age Group	Distance
9.00am	9 Years Girls	2km
9.15am	9 Years Boys	2km
9.30am	10 Years Girls	2km
9.45am	10 Years Boys	2km
10.00am	11 Years Girls	2km
10.15am	11 Years Boys	2km
10.30am	12 Years Girls	3km
10.45am	12 Years Boys	3km
11.00am	13 Years Girls	3km
11.15am	13 Years Boys	3km
11.30am	14 Years Girls	3km
11.45am	14 Years Boys	3km
12.00pm	Primary Relays	
12.15pm	15 Years Girls	3km
12.15pm	Primary Presentations	
12.30pm	15 Years Boys	3km
12.45pm	16 Years Girls	3km
1.00pm	Open Girls	3km
1.15pm	16 Years Boys	4km
1.45pm	Open Boys	4km
2.30pm	Secondary Relays	
2.45pm	Secondary Presentations	

CHECK POINTS

Check Point	Description	Radio	School Official
1	Top of Paddock	No	Brigidine
2	Northern corner of Paddock	No	ATC
3	Ditch Crossing	No	TSAC
4	Corner of Lama Loop	No	Redeemer
5	Shady Corner	No	Sheldon
6	Dead Dogs Gully	No	Rivermount
	Water Station	No	Rivermount Students
7	Tree next to Albert River	No	Rivermount
8	Camp Turn	No	ATC
9	Finish and Junction	No	TSAC
10	Oval South East	No	Sheldon
11	End of Oval	No	Faith
12	Oval Kicker	No	Brigidine
13	Rugby Post Junction	No	Faith

COMPETITION AND CARNIVAL GUIDELINES:

All schools are reminded of the GBC by-laws which govern this event. Team managers are advised to familiarise themselves with the by-laws to avoid any misunderstandings.

Points

All events will be scored with the winning runner scoring one point and each subsequent runner scoring one point more. All schools will have their top 5 runners score points for team scores.

Starting

The starting command is based on the IAAF Rule for races greater than 400m. The command will be 'On your marks' and when all athletes are steady the gun will be fired. The starter needs to wait for a signal from the timekeeper before starting the race.

Recording

The Greater Brisbane Conference will be using Queensland Athletics to provide electronic timing for our carnival. Each athlete will be provided with a bib that will correspond to a specific athlete's name. Schools are responsible for ensuring the correct student receives the correct bib.

Officials

The following official duties have been allocated to schools:

Carnival Director :	Andy Knapper, Rivermount College
Carnival Referee:	Queensland Athletics
Starter:	Faith
Finish Marshalls:	Sheldon, Redeemer ATC and Brigidine - Distribute place numbers to athletes. Ensure that athletes stay in their finishing order.
Announcer:	Andy Knapper, Rivermount College
Presentations:	Andy Knapper, Rivermount College
Recording:	Queensland Athletics & Redeemer

