

GBC Athletics Carnival

Thursday 31st August 2023

Final Information for Schools:

VENUE:

The GBC Athletics carnival will be held at the State Athletics Facility (smaller outdoor track adjacent to the Main Stadium) at QSAC



PARKING:

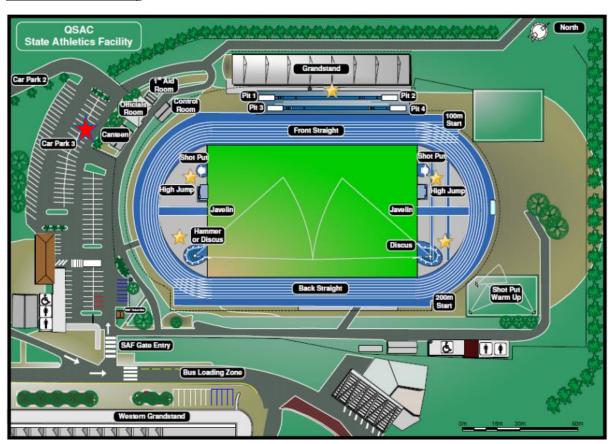
Officials, Athletes and Spectators must park in **Car Park 2**, entry via Kessels road. The only entrance and exit for all buses bringing students to QSAC Gate A located on Mains Road and Gate B located on Kessels Road. All other gate entry points at QSAC are not wide enough to accommodate buses.

Buses arriving onsite are able to drop students off on the Ring Road directly in front of the State Athletics Facility.

The Gate C entrance on Kessels Road is only accessible for cars, not buses as this entrance is not wide enough to allow buses through.

QSAC strongly encourages car pooling where possible for spectators coming for the event and spectator should allow plenty of time to arrive at the event and find a car parking space. QSAC staff will be in the car parking areas to assist where possible.

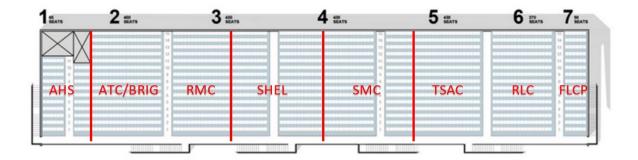
State Athletics Facility:



SEATING:

The Grandstand is only available to competitors and school staff. Teachers are to ensure that no spectators are accessing the grandstand. Please feel free to bring your school signs/flags/banners etc.

Grandstand Seating



There is ample space for parents/spectators to set up a camping chair around the outside of the track.

Schools are also encouraged to bring their own pop up style marquees/tents for competitor and spectator use.

CANTEEN:

The canteen is located at the southern end of the track and will be available for competitors and spectators between 10:00am and 3:00pm. Please note that no commercial food or beverage of any kind is permitted to be bought into the venue for consumption or sale (eg, uber eats/pizza delivery) Home packed lunches/drinks are ok.

Morning Tea and Lunch Packs will be provided to carnival officials/marshals.

ATHLETE NUMBERS:

Every student competing on the day has been allocated a bib number. Bibs, pins and athlete number lists will be available for collection from the recoding hut on arrival at the carnival. Please ensure that each student is wearing their correct bib # as it will be used as their entry into each event that they will be participating. Teams will have to move quickly to distribute bibs prior to the first event starting at 8:30am.

Please ensure that students know which category of event (A or B) they will be competing in when arriving at Field Events so that the field marshal can allocate accordingly.

Late changes on the day are possible and should be made upon arrival at the carnival. Please have ready the new students Name, Age Group, DOB, Gender, School name.

OFFICIALS/STAFF:

The Brisbane Athletics Officials Club Inc will be providing the officials for the event. Additionally, each school will be asked to staff one field event (allocation below) and also provide 1 x additional adult to assist with track marshalling. We will be operating on a tight time frame to fit all events in so the more assistance we have, the smoother things will run.

There will be a quick Team Officials meeting/briefing at **8:15am** outside the announcer hut Staff required:

Duty	School				
Head Marshal	Sheldon				
Check Starter	Brigidine				
Track Marshal 1	Redeemer				
Track Marshal 2	TSAC				
Track Marshal 3	Ambrose Treacy				
Finish Judge 1	Faith Plainlands				
Finish Judge 2	Staines Memorial				
Finish Judge 3	Rivermount				
High Jump Pit 1	Faith Plainlands				
High Jump Pit 2	All Hallows				
Long Jump Pit 1	Sheldon				
Long Jump Pit 2	Redeemer				
Triple Jump	Brigidine				
Shot Put 1	Ambrose Treacy				
Shot Put 2	Rivermount				
Discus	Staines Memorial				
Javelin	TSAC				
Announcer	TSAC				
Recorder	GBC				
Relays	1 Staff member from				
	each school to assist				
	with marshalling and				
	relay changeovers				

FIRST AID:

The first aid room is located at the Southern end of the track and will be staffed by the team from Emergency Medics.

LANE ALLOCATION:

For the 100m, 200m, 400m and Relays the following lane allocation will apply

LANE #	School
1	AHS
2	RMC
3	TSAC
4	SMC
5	RLC
6	SHEL
7	ATC/BRIG
8	FLCP

Photo finish technology will be used to record finish times and places so please ask students to stay within their lanes.

If the carnival is running behind time, some 1500m events may be combined and run at the same time (eg, 14yr and 15yr, 16yr and Open) however the results will be split at the end of the race.

FIELD EVENTS:

Discus will be thrown from the Cage located at the Southern End of the Track

Javelin will be thrown from the Northern End

High Jump pit 1 will be at the Southern End of the track. High jump pit 2 will be at the Northern End Shot Put circle 1 will be at the Southern End of the track. Shot Put circle 2 will be at the Northern End

HIGH JUMP:

9yr, 10yr and 11yr olds competing in the High Jump must use the scissor kick technique (Scissor mats will be available)

MASCOT RELAY:

As per tradition, a mascot relay (over the gruelling distance of 50m) will be run while final scores are being tallied and presentations set up. Please ensure your school mascot will be in attendance and ready to run FAST!

Places and Points:

In all (A) division events all competitors, unless disqualified or unable to meet the qualifying standards, shall be allocated points as follows:

- $1^{st} 9$ points
- 2^{nd} 7 points
- $3^{rd} 6$ points
- 4^{th} 5 points
- 5th 4 points
- 6^{th} 3 points
- $7^{th} 2$ points
- 8th 1 point

In (B) to (D) division events only, all competitors, unless disqualified, shall be allotted HALF (A) points above.

In Relay events, all teams, unless disqualified, shall be allocated DOUBLE (A) points above

A competitor must record a distance/time/height in an event to receive points for that event.

PRESENTATION/TROPHIES:

Trophies and Pennants will be awarded to the winning school for each Age Group (Boys and Girls from 9yrs through to Opens)

Individual Age Group winners will receive a Medal and Certificate

Trophies and Pennants will also be awarded for:

- Primary Boys/Girls Aggregate
- Secondary Boys/Girls Aggregate
- Primary Boys/Girls Percentage
- Secondary Boys/Girls Percentage
- Primary Co-Educational
- Secondary Co-Educational

Please bring along any trophies your school won from last year.

EVENT LIST:

FIELD EVENTS

Event	8:30	9:05	9:40	10:15	10:50	11:25	12:00	12:15	12:50	1:25	2:00	2:40	
Long Jump 1	9Yr G	9Yr B	15yG	15YB				13G	13B	14Yr G	14Yr B		
Long Jump 2	16 Yr G	16YrB	10Yr G	10Y B	12Yr G	12Yr B		Open G	Open B	11Yr G	11Yr B		
Triple Jump 1	14Yr G	14Yr B	13G	13B	Open G	Open B		15yG	15YB	16 Yr G	16YrB		
High Jump 1			14Yr G	14Yr B	16 Yr G	16YrB		12Yr G	12Yr B	15yr G	15YB		
High Jump 2	11Yr G	11Yr B	Open G	Open B	13 Yr G	13Yr B		9Yr G	9Yr B	10Yr G	10Y B		
Shotput 1	13G	13B	Open B	Open G	11Yr G	11Yr B	Lunch	10Yr G	10Y B				
Shotput 2	15yG	15YB	9Yr G	9Yr B	14yr G	14Yr B	Lunch	16 Yr G	16YrB	12Yr G	12Yr B		
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Discus 1	В	G	G	В	G	В		В	G	Open G	Open B		
Javelin 1	Open G	Open B	16 Yr G	16YrB	15yG	15YB		14Yr G	14Yr B	13G	13B		
TRACK											G&B:		
EVENTS	3000m	G: 200m	B:200m	G:800m	B:800m	G:100m		B:100m	G:1500m	B:1500m	400m	RELAYS	