



## Gold Coast Airport Marathon CUT OFF POLICY

Each race of the Gold Coast Airport Marathon has an official cut off time in which participants must complete their race. These cut off times are enforced so roads can be re-opened to the public in accordance with event permits.

It is important that all participants read the full cut off policy. Six key points of information:

1. Start line time allowance
2. Official race times
3. Kilometre pace required to finish within the race cut off time
4. Progressive race cut off times along the course
5. Locations where officials will monitor and enforce the race cut off times
6. Disqualification

To ensure participants starting from the back of the field are not disadvantaged, a start line allowance has been applied to selected races. It is important to note that the start line allowance is not an extension of the official cut off time and it remains the participant's responsibility to ensure they finish with a net time within the official cut off time.

Official cut off times, start line allowances and selected locations for enforcement are detailed below in race specific sections. Course officials will issue warnings throughout the course and have the authority to remove participants from the race at any of the listed cut off locations where a participant is behind the cut off time and their safety or event progress is compromised. The kilometre pace required to finish within the cut off time has also been listed for each specific race.

Event organisers are committed to all participants having a great experience at the Gold Coast Airport Marathon. To avoid disqualification, event organisers strongly suggest that all participants acknowledge the cut policy for their chosen race.

## Cut Off Enforcement Points

### Saturday 5 July 2014

#### SOUTHERN CROSS UNIVERSITY 10KM RUN

Start Time: 6:30am  
 Official Cut Off Time: 1 hour 30 minutes  
 Start Line Allowance: 10 minutes  
 Pace: Participants must maintain a 9 minute per kilometre pace or better

Cut Off Point	Location	Intersection (Approximate)	KM Mark	Cut Off	Time
1. Start	Gold Coast Highway	Nerang Street	0	10mins	6:40am
2. Sundale Bridge	Gold Coast Highway	Ada Bell Way	2	28mins	6:58am
3. Marine Parade	Marine Parade	Central St	8	1hr 22mins	7:52am
4. Gold Coast Highway	Gold Coast Highway	Stevens Street	9	1hr 31mins	8:01am
5. Finish	Broadwater Parklands	Nind Street	10	1hr 40mins	8:10am

#### SUNCORP BANK 5.7KM CHALLENGE

Start Time: 8:00am  
 Official Cut Off Time: 1 hour 10 minutes  
 Start Line Allowance: 10 minutes  
 Pace: Participants must maintain a 12 minute 16 second per kilometre pace or better

Cut Off Point	Location	Intersection (Approximate)	KM Mark	Cut Off	Time
1. Start	Gold Coast Highway	Nind Street	0	10 mins	8:10am
2. Marine Pde	Marine Parade	Robert Street	4	1hr	9:00am
3. Gold Coast Highway	Gold Coast Highway	North St	5	1hr 12mins	9:12am
4. Finish	Broadwater Parklands	Nind Street	5.7	1hr 20 mins	9:20am

#### 2KM JUNIOR DASH

Start Time: 9:25am  
 Official Cut Off Time: 20 minutes  
 Start Line Allowance: Not applicable  
 Pace: Participants must maintain a 10 minute per kilometre pace or better

Cut Off Point	Location	Intersection (Approximate)	KM Mark	Cut Off	Time
1. Start	Gold Coast Highway	Nind Street	0	0 mins	9:26am
2. Finish	Broadwater Parklands	Nind Street	2	20 mins	9:45am

#### 4KM JUNIOR DASH

Start Time: 9:40am  
 Official Cut Off Time: 40 minutes  
 Start Line Allowance: Not applicable  
 Pace: Participants must maintain a 10 minute per kilometre pace or better

Cut Off Point	Location	Intersection (Approximate)	KM Mark	Cut Off	Time
1. Start	Gold Coast Highway	Nind Street	0	0 mins	9:46am
2. Finish	Broadwater Parklands	Nind Street	4	40 mins	10:20am

## Cut Off Enforcement Points Sunday 6 July 2014

### ASICS HALF MARATHON

Start Time: 6:00am  
 Official Cut Off Time: 3 hours  
 Start Line Allowance: 20 minutes  
 Pace: Participants must maintain an 8 minute 30 second per kilometre pace or better

Cut Off Point	Location	Intersection (Approximate)	KM Mark	Cut Off	Time
1. Start	Gold Coast Highway	Nind Street	0	20mins	6:20am
2. Runaway Bay Shopping Centre	Bayview Street	Lae Drive	6	1hr 12mins	7:12am
3. South of Northern Turn	Esplanade	Bruce Ave	10	1hr 46mins	7:46am
4. Runaway Bay	Bayview Street	Jenifer Ave	15	2hrs 29mins	8:29am
5. Marine Parade	Marine Parade	Broad Street	18	2hrs 54mins	8:54am
6. Finish	Broadwater Parklands	Nind Street	21.1	3hrs 20mins	9:20am

### WHEELCHAIR 15KM

Start Time: 7:15am  
 Official Cut Off Time: 2 hours  
 Start Line Allowance: 0 minutes  
 Pace: Participants must maintain a 8 minute per kilometre pace or better

Cut Off Point	Location	Intersection (Approximate)	KM Mark	Cut Off	Time
1. Start	Gold Coast Highway	Nerang Street	0	0mins	7:15am
2. Finish	Burleigh Heads	Fourth Avenue	15	2hrs	9:15am

### WHEELCHAIR MARATHON \*

Start Time: 7:15am  
 Official Cut Off Time: 6 hours 30 minutes  
 Start Line Allowance: 0 minutes  
 Pace: Participants must maintain a 9 minute 14 second per kilometre pace or better

Cut Off Point	Location	Intersection (Approximate)	KM Mark	Cut Off	Time
1. Start	Gold Coast Highway	Nerang Street	0	0mins	7:15am
2. Finish	Broadwater Parklands	Nind Street	42.2	6hrs 30mins	1:45pm

\* Additional Wheelchair Marathon cut off points will be enforced in line with the Gold Coast Airport Marathon cut off times listed below

### GOLD COAST AIRPORT MARATHON

Start Time: 7:20am  
 Official Cut Off Time: 6 hours 30 minutes  
 Start Line Allowance: 10 minutes  
 Pace: Participants must maintain a 9 minute 14 second per kilometre pace or better

Cut Off Point	Location	Intersection (Approximate)	KM Mark	Cut Off	Time
1. Start	Gold Coast Highway	Nerang Street	0	10mins	7:30am
2. Nth of Southern Turn	The Esplanade	Third Avenue	15	2 hrs 29 mins	9:49am
3. Hythe Street	Gold Coast Highway	Hythe Street	18	2 hrs 57 mins	10:17am
4. Hedges Avenue	Hedges Avenue	Seashell Avenue	20	3 hrs 15 mins	10:35am
5. Garfield Terrace	Garfield Terrace	Vista Avenue	25	4 hrs 02 mins	11:22am
6. Sundale Bridge	Gold Coast Highway	Waterways Drive	30	4 hrs 48 mins	12:08am
7. Marine Parade	Marine Parade	Clark Street	35	5 hrs 34 mins	12:54pm
8. Central Street	Marine Parade	Central Street	40	6 hrs 20 mins	1:40pm
9. Finish	Broadwater Parklands	Nind Street	42.2	6 hrs 40 mins	2:00pm