

Road Closures

Saturday 4 July	Closed	Open
Paradise Point		
The Esplanade: Eider Ave to Falkinder Ave	3:30am	8:45am
Bayview St: Falkinder Ave to Matthew Flinders Dr	3:30am	8:45am
Hollywell		
Bayview St: Matthew Flinders Dr to Holly Ave	3:30am	8:45am
Runaway Bay		
Bayview St: Holly Ave to Lae Dr	3:30am	9:00am
Lae Dr: Bayview St to Morala Ave	3:30am	7:30am
Bayview St: Lae Dr to Jennifer Ave	3:30am	9:15am
Bayview St: Jennifer Ave to Ocean St	3:30am	9:15am
Biggera Waters		
Marine Pde: Ocean St to Brisbane Rd	3:30am	9:30am
Labrador		
Brisbane Rd: Eastbound traffic from Turpin Rd to Marine Pde	3:30am	11:15am
Marine Pde: Brisbane Rd to Broad St	3:30am	11:15am
Frank St: Robert St to Broad St*	3:30am	1:15pm
Marine Pde: Broad St to Imperial Pde	3:30am	11:15am
Marine Pde: Imperial Pde to Frank St	3:30am	1:15pm
Southport		
Marine Pde: Frank St to North St	3:30am	1:30pm
North St: Eastbound lanes High St to Gold Coast Highway	3:30am	1:30pm
Marine Pde: North St to Ada Bell Way	3:30am	1:30pm
Queen St: Eastbound traffic from Scarborough St to GC Highway	6:00am	7:30am
Gold Coast Hwy: Ada Bell Way to Waterways Dr (Southbound Lanes)	8:45am	10:15am
Southport Bridge - FULL CLOSURE Gold Coast Hwy: Ada Bell Way to Tedder Ave	8:45am	10:15am

Sunday 5 July	Closed	Open
Biggera Waters		
Marine Pde: Ocean St to Brisbane Rd	3:30am	1:30pm
Bayview St: Ocean St to Madang Cres - North	3:30am	1:00pm
Labrador		
Brisbane Rd: Eastbound traffic from Turpin Rd to Marine Pde	3:30am	1:30pm
Marine Pde: Brisbane Rd to Broad St	3:30am	2:15pm
Frank St	3:30am	12:45pm
Marine Pde: Broad St to Frank St	3:30am	2:15pm

Sunday 5 July (continued)	Closed	Open
Southport		
Marine Pde: Frank St to North St	3:30am	2:30pm
North St: Eastbound lanes High St to Gold Coast Highway	3:30am	2:30pm
Marine Pde: North St to Ada Bell Way	3:30am	2:30pm
Queen St: Scarborough St to Gold Coast Hwy (Eastbound lanes)	5:45am	7:15am
Gold Coast Hwy: Ada Bell Way to Waterways Dr (Southbound Lanes)	3:30am	12:00pm
Southport Bridge - FULL CLOSURE Gold Coast Hwy: Ada Bell Way to Tedder Ave		
Main Beach		
Waterways Dr: Gold Coast Hwy to MacArthur Pde	3:30am	12:00pm
Seaworld Dr: Full Closure Seaworld Dr **	3:30am	8:00am
Main Beach Pde: Waterways Dr to MacArthur Pde	3:30am	11:45am
Main Beach Pde: MacArthur Pde to Ferny Ave	3:30am	11:45am
Surfers Paradise		
Esplanade: Ferny Ave to Clifford St	3:30am	11:45am
Clifford St: Esplanade to Surfers Paradise Blvd	3:30am	11:30am
Surfers Paradise Blvd: Clifford St to Gold Coast Highway	3:30am	11:30am
Gold Coast Highway: Surfers Paradise Blvd to Fern St	3:30am	11:30am
Northcliffe Tce: Fern St to Clifford St	3:30am	11:30am
Fern St: Gold Coast Highway to Old Burleigh Rd	3:30am	11:30am
Old Burleigh Rd: Fern St to First Ave	3:30am	11:00am
Broadbeach		
Broadbeach Blvd: First Ave to Queensland Ave	3:30am	11:00am
Old Burleigh Rd: Queensland Ave to Alexandra Ave	3:30am	11:00am
Mermaid Beach		
Alexandra Ave: Old Burleigh Rd to Gold Coast Highway	3:30am	10:45am
Gold Coast Highway: Hooker Blvd to Seashell Ave	3:30am	10:45am
Seashell Ave: Gold Coast Highway to Albatross Ave	3:30am	10:30am
Hedges Ave: Alexandra Ave to Seashell Ave	3:30am	10:45am
Albatross Ave: Seashell Ave to Chairlift Ave	3:30am	10:30am
Miami		
Marine Pde: Chairlift Ave to Hythe St	3:30am	10:15am

*Roadway open but changed traffic conditions apply (11:15am - 1:15pm)
Full closure: 9:00am - 11:15am

**Northbound lanes will open at 7:35am under Queensland Police direction and changed traffic conditions.



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IMPORTANT ROAD CLOSURE INFORMATION





GOLD COAST GCM MARATHON

4-5 JULY 2026



- ASICS Gold Coast Marathon
- China Airlines Half Marathon
- Southern Cross University 10km Run
- Gold Coast Airport 5km
- Australia Fair 2km Junior Dash
- Entertainment

The ASICS Gold Coast Marathon will be held on Saturday 4 and Sunday 5 July 2026. For the safety of participants, volunteers and spectators police-controlled road closures will be in place from Paradise Point to Miami (see over). Please refer to the official program for more information. goldcoastmarathon.com.au/community/road-closures

Race Weekend travel tips

If you live in affected suburbs or need to access these suburbs during the Gold Coast Marathon weekend, please consider these travel tips.

- Add additional time to your journey in anticipation of delays.
- Due to this event, traffic in Southport and surrounding suburbs will be heavily congested.
- Use either Benowa Road or Currumburra Road when travelling north and south.
- Use High Street and Scarborough Street to access parking in Southport.
- Use Olsen Avenue and Oxley Drive to enter/exit Labrador, Runaway Bay and Paradise Point.
- If coming from Brisbane or north along the Pacific Motorway (M1), use Nerang-Broadbeach Road to access Surfers Paradise or any suburbs further south.
- Avoid travelling along the Gold Coast Highway between Southport and Mermaid Beach on Sunday 5 July as heavy traffic delays are expected from 7am to 12pm.

- Please note, to increase course capacity, this year the Gold Coast Highway in Mermaid Beach will be affected from Alexandra Ave to Seashell Ave and in Surfers Paradise from Enderley Ave to Fern Street. Road will be open but changed traffic conditions apply.
- Access across the course will be permitted under the direction of traffic controllers and police when deemed safe. There will be periods when the number of runners using the road restricts access.

Tow Away Zones

Parking restrictions will apply on the course and vehicles will be towed at the owner's expense. Refer to event signage for these locations.

Broadwater Parklands Car Park (Gold Coast Aquatic Centre Car Park)

The Broadwater Parklands Car Park in Southport will be fully closed from 6pm Sunday 21 June to 5pm Thursday 9 July.

Boat Ramps

Access to boat ramps along the event course will be restricted during the race weekend. Please refer to the road closure summary for details.



Spectators

The ASICS Gold Coast Marathon is famous for its atmosphere created by the cheering and buzz of the crowds and entertainment on course. If you're not running at this year's event, we encourage you to share in the excitement and atmosphere by cheering on the runners along the course from Paradise Point to Miami. See course map above for the best locations to watch the race and scan the QR code to download your new app to follow and track your friends and family.



goldcoastmarathon.com.au/community/spectators

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