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Welcome to the 2026 Our City Real Estate Orange Running Festival

We are pleased and excited to welcome each of you to the 2026 Orange Running Festival. This year is particularly meaningful for us, as it is the 20th running of the festival. From its beginnings as a grassroots event in 2007, the running festival has grown to become an iconic event on the regional NSW running calendar, now attracting over 2,500 participants each year from near and far.

As in previous years, our Sunday race program kicks off with our four longer distances – the Marathon and Half Marathon, followed by the 10K and 5K. We are thrilled to see how each of these events has grown in popularity over the years, now often selling out.

Following these four races, we'll hold our three Mile events. Our Secondary School Dash and Primary School Dash are always a highlight, featuring some of the best local emerging running talent and deciding the winners of the annual School Challenges. The action will conclude with the Orange Community Mile. This event will welcome all runners and walkers who would like to participate over the shorter distance, including our fastest male and female runners up front, with runners and walkers of all abilities lining up as well to complete their lap of the reserve.

We acknowledge our many sponsors who make this event possible, led by Event Partner Our City Real Estate and Community Partner Cook & Roe. We are indebted to the NSW Office of Sport for their generous funding of the 2026 Orange Running Festival, with the support of our local Member for Orange, Mr. Philip Donato, MP. In addition, we benefit greatly from the support of several local community groups and the Orange Runners Club who put in countless hours to make this event happen.

We are proud and humbled to see how the Orange Running Festival has grown over the past 20 years. We are grateful to all of you who participate, whether you are a long-time participant or attending for your first time. We hope you enjoy your time with us on event weekend.

Anthony Daintith
Orange Running Festival Coordinator

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Important Dates

Early Bird Registrations close	Wednesday, 31st December, 2025
Registrations close	Saturday, 14th March at 4pm
Bib pickup	Saturday, 14th March, 1pm - 5pm Sunday, 15th March, from 5:45am
All race events	Sunday, 15th March

Please note: races may sell out and registrations may close before the final deadline. We recommend registering early to avoid any disappointment.



Event Schedule and Race Start Times

Saturday, 14th March 2026

1:00 - 5:00pm

Bib & Shirt collection
Gosling Creek Race Precinct

Sunday, 15th March 2026

5:45 - 10:00am

Bib & Merchandise collection
Gosling Creek Race Precinct

6:50am

Marathon briefing

7:00am

Marathon start

7:20am

Half Marathon briefing

7:30am

Half Marathon start

8:20am

10K briefing

8:30am

10K start

9:35am

5K race briefing

9:45am

5K start

9:50am

Half Marathon presentation

10:00am

10K Presentation

10:45am

Marathon presentation

5K presentation

10:50am

Secondary School Dash briefing

11:00am

Secondary School Dash start

11:10am

Primary School Dash Briefing

11:20am

Primary School Dash start

11:30am

Orange Community Mile briefing

11:40am

Orange Community Mile start

12:00pm

Mile and School Challenge presentations



Getting to Gosling Creek Reserve

All Orange Running Festival races start and finish at Gosling Creek Reserve, located just south of Orange. All festival parking at Gosling Creek Reserve is accessed from Bloomfield Road.

To reach the festival site, take Forest Road south from Orange, going past the Orange Hospital. Just after the hospital, turn left onto Bloomfield Road. Parking marshals will provide directions to available parking from there.

Travelling from Canberra/Cowra

From Canberra, head out on the Barton Highway towards Yass and turn left onto the Hume Highway towards Gundagai. Turn right onto Lachlan Valley Way towards Boorowa and Cowra. From Cowra head north to Canowindra, turning off shortly after onto the Cargo Road toward Orange. The drive is approximately 3 and a 1/4 hours.

Travelling from Sydney/Bathurst

From Sydney, head west along the Great Western Highway through the Blue Mountains. Travel through Lithgow and Bathurst before arriving in Orange. The drive is approximately 3 and a 1/2 hours.

Travelling from Dubbo

From Dubbo, head south east toward Wellington along the Mitchell Highway. Travel through Wellington and Molong before arriving in Orange. The drive is approximately 1 and 3/4 hours.

Travelling from Orange Airport

From Orange Airport, the Gosling Creek Race Precinct is a 10 minute drive. Head out west along Aerodrome Road which becomes Huntley Road. Huntley Road turns right soon after and continues to the north. Turn left onto Bloomfield Road to the Festival.

Parking

Saturday

Self parking will be available along Bloomfield and Bargwanna Roads.

Sunday

Parking is available along Bloomfield and Bargwanna Roads, and in Bloomfield Reserve, in the Dog Park oval area. Those arriving from Forest Road are asked to use available parking on Bloomfield or Bargwanna Roads until that reaches capacity. The site can also be accessed from Huntley Road, leading to the Dog Park Oval parking area.

Accessible Parking & Drop-off Zone

We will have a dedicated accessible parking and drop-off zone for anyone requiring assistance getting to the event. This will be located at Bargwanna Road, the closest point to the event site.

For those in the Community Dash who wish to use the shorter course option, there is a second drop-off location at Forest Road and Bloomfield Roads. The shorter course Community Dash start is near this accessible parking, with the full event site approximately 450 metres away.

Gosling Creek Reserve - Event Site Map



Volunteers

Orange Running Festival simply couldn't happen without our amazing volunteers. Each year, dozens of generous, helpful people donate their time to help with bib pickup, course setup, marshal and water station roles and the finish line crew.

It's not too late - we're always on the lookout for additional hands to help. Please see the Volunteers page on our website for more information. It's a great way for friends and family to get involved and be part of the fun! Just contact our volunteer coordinator at orfvolunteers@outlook.com.



Race Bib and Merchandise Collection

Race bibs and pre-ordered merchandise can be picked up on Saturday or Sunday from our Runners HQ tent at the times below. We recommend arriving at least 40 minutes prior to your start time, if you are picking up your race bib on the same day.

Saturday, 14th March 1:00pm to 5:00pm Gosling Creek Reserve

Sunday, 15th March From 5:45am Gosling Creek Reserve

Your registration email includes a QR code that we will use for bib pickup. Please bring this QR code in a printout of your registration email or have your registration email and QR code visible on your mobile.

If someone else is picking up your race bib, please ensure they have your QR code. Our volunteers will scan the QR code to find your bib and any pre-ordered merchandise.



Merchandise

Orange Running Festival has a whole new look for 2026! We're offering race shirts this year with with a cool orange design and sketch of our iconic event site at Gosling Creek Reserve.

Black running festival caps are also available for purchase. Place your order during the registration process, with gear available for pickup on event weekend. Supplies will be limited so don't delay!



Pre-Race Information

Bag Drop

Bag drop will be available at the Runner HQ tent. Please allow plenty of time to drop off your bag ahead of your start time.

BYO Drink Drop-off

(For Marathoners and Half-Marathoners only)

For runners who would like to bring their own drinks, we offer a drop-off service to any of the water stations indicated on the course map.

Drinks can be dropped off at the Runner HQ tent from 5:45am to 6:20am on Sunday. Please ensure they are clearly identifiable to you. A volunteer will assign your drinks to the desired water station as per your instructions when you drop them off.



Pre-race Briefing

Fifteen minutes prior to each event, participants will be called to the start area over the PA and then directed to the start line by our volunteers. A race briefing will be provided approximately ten minutes before your race start. Please ensure that you are at the start ahead of time and listen to instructions provided by the race starter.

Please self seed, as per the race starters instructions, with faster competitors near the front, and enter the start area in line with your target time.

Pre-Race Preparation and Advice

- Be sun smart – apply sunscreen.
- Ensure you are hydrated. Drink water before your race and bring your own water to the event.
- Participants are encouraged to wear reflective clothing if they will be arriving or starting their event in the early hours when visibility is limited, or if weather conditions are poor and impact visibility.
- Please ensure that any pre-existing medical conditions are advised on your online entry.
- The Race Starter will gain everyone's attention prior to starting the race briefing. Participants are reminded that the briefing is provided with health and safety in mind – so please pay attention.
- A lead cyclist will lead and direct the front runners.
- If you need help or have questions ask at the Runner HQ Tent or talk to any official wearing a orange-coloured Orange Running Festival cap.

Race Bibs and Timing Details

Race Bibs and Timing Chips

Each participant must wear their race bib on the front their outermost clothing so it is visible to the marshals. If you have misplaced your race bib, please visit the Runner HQ tent.

All race bibs include a timing chip that will be activated when you cross the start line of your event, and again when you cross the finish. Your net time will be recorded as your race time. Please do not alter the race bib or timing chip in any way or they may not work properly. The race bib and timing chip are yours to keep after the running festival.

Results will be available real-time after each event on our website.

Start Waves

Our larger three events (Half Marathon, 10K and 5K) have start wave groups based on estimated finishing time. Each participant will have selected a wave group at the time of registration and that wave group will be shown on each participant's race bib.

When approaching the start area, please look for your correct wave group. If you feel you are not in the right wave group, please talk with one of the start area volunteers who will do their best to help.

Pacers

Sydney Striders will be providing pacers for two of our larger events - the Half Marathon and 10K. Each year, these races attract hundreds of runners of all abilities, including many runners looking to hit a goal time or run a personal best.

- Half Marathon pacing times range from 1 hour, 30 minutes to 2 hours, 30 minutes
- 10K packing times range from 45 minutes to 65 minutes

Sydney Striders pacers will be in the start area well ahead of the Half Marathon and 10K, easily recognisable pacers vests and flags. There is no need to reserve a place in a pacing groups ahead of time. Runners may simply meet the pacer on race day. The pacers will focus on encouragement and an even pacing strategy, giving runners the best chance to achieve their race day goals.



Runners Etiquette

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We intend to stage an awesome, fun event in a safe and friendly environment for all competitors to enjoy. We ask that you be mindful of race etiquette. While it's a race for many of us, we ask that participants look out for each other and show respect for everyone at the event.

- Please observe the marshal's directions. They are there to ensure your safety and that you stay on course. All marshals will have phone access back to Race HQ & emergency services.
- At the start, please ensure that you self-seed based on your target time. The Race Starter will assist with this, with faster competitors at the front.
- Prams are allowed in the Orange Community Mile, 5K and 10K events ONLY. If you are running or walking with a pram, please start near the back of the field.
- Cycling, roller blading, rope skipping, scooters, skateboards and nordic pole assisted walking are not permitted in any of the events.
- It is preferred that you do not wear earphones. If you do, please wear only one earpiece and adjust the volume to a level where you can hear and respond to approaching runners, directions from marshals and hazards.
- Take care at the short transition from Gosling Creek Reserve to Forest Road. The surface is unsealed and narrow. Upon your return there may be runners coming in the opposite direction so please keep to the right hand side of the barrier.
- Please keep to the right hand side of the road on all sections of the course.
- Please be aware of cars being on the road. Roads will be closed to general traffic but local residents will have access to their properties (via an escort vehicle).
- Many events have cutoff times. Please be aware of these. If you may fall behind this pace, marshals may ask you to leave the race course via an official vehicle.
- Please vacate the finish area immediately after your event as this area can become crowded.
- There will be photographers at the start, on course and at the finish line. If you do not wish to have your photograph taken, please cross your arms in front of you.
- If walking or running in groups, don't take up the full width of the path and allow others to pass.
- Please do NOT bring your dogs or other pets to the festival. Due to the wildlife in the area, dogs (including on leads) are not permitted in the Gosling Creek Reserve, with the exception of accredited assistance animals.
- Most importantly, enjoy your time at the Orange Running Festival!



Event Site Services

Drink Stations

Drink stations providing both water and sports drink will be placed at regular intervals along the course and at the finish line within the Gosling Creek precinct.

Locations of the water stations are shown on each course map in this guide, and on the event website.

Fresh Fruit

Country Fruit Distributors will provide fresh fruit for all finishers on Sunday. If you've completed the Marathon, Half Marathon, 10K, 5K or Mile, bananas, apples and oranges will be available at the drink station near the finish.

First Aid

Rural Fire Service volunteers will provide first aid at the finish line within the Gosling Creek precinct and out on course at the intersection of Forest & Orchard Roads. If you or someone near you requires assistance, please look for the first aid volunteers, or ask any Orange Running Festival volunteer wearing a volunteer vest.

Toilets

Toilets, including accessible toilets are located at the start/finish area.

On the race course, toilets will be located at the intersection of Failford Lane & Forest Road, at the intersection of Orchard & Forest Road, at the turnaround on Spring Terrace Road and at Gosling Creek, as noted on the course maps.



Massage

On Sunday morning after our races, physiotherapists from The Pinnacle Physiotherapy Clinic will be available in our massage tent to offer quick after-event massage and physio treatment to relieve muscle tightness, increase blood circulation, reduce inflammation and muscle soreness and hasten recovery.

They'll be with us until noon to look after you.

Food and Drink Providers

The event site will feature food and drink vendors on Sunday with plenty of choices for participants, as well as friends and family. Additional providers may be added in the coming weeks to provide a wide range of options. Award presentations will also take place throughout the morning. So come along for your race event, and plan to stay a while!

Coffee Just Rocks



Coffee, tea and hot chocolate

Rotary BBQ



Burgers and sausage sandwiches

CAJE Kitchen



Sandwiches, muffins, sweet treats

Cafe Latte



Coffee, tea, hot chocolate and sweet treats

Swirl & Dip Ice Cream



Ice cream, milkshakes, slushies & coffee

OMG Decadent Donuts



100% natural donuts



The Colliers Marathon

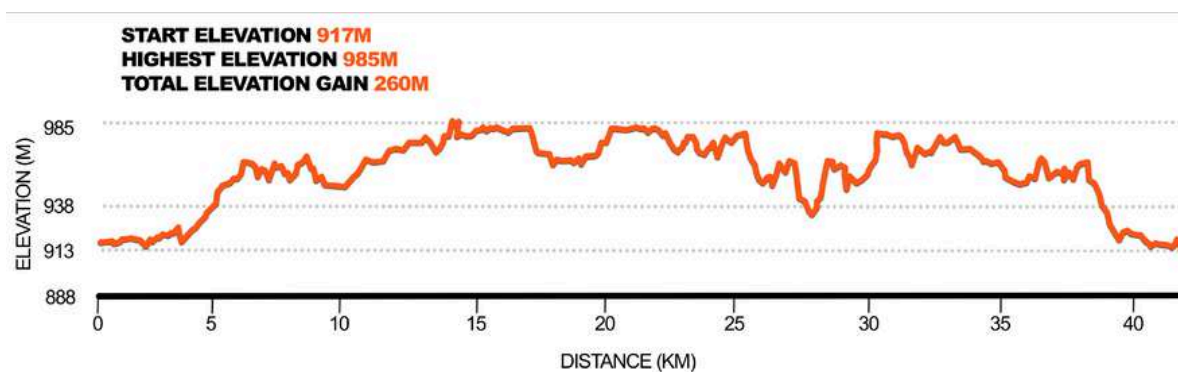


The Colliers Marathon starts and finishes within the Gosling Creek Reserve. After completion of part of the internal Gosling Creek loop, the course exits out onto Forest Road and head in a southerly direction (keeping to the right hand side of the road). Following completion of “loops” down Orchard Road, Forest Reefs Road and Spring Terrace Road, runners return back to Gosling Creek Reserve along Forest Road. Upon re-entering Gosling Creek Reserve, runners complete the internal Gosling Creek loop to the finish line.

Arrival Time - suggested	6:30am
Race Briefing	6:50am
Start Time	7:00am
Cutoff Times	You must reach the following points on the course by: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 21k (intersection of Orchard Road and Forest Road) by 9:45am • 34k (intersection of Forest Road and Orchard Road) by 11:50am • 41k (rear entrance to Gosling Creek Reserve) by 12:30pm
Award Presentation Time	10:45am
Prizes and Trophies	1st Place Male & Female Finisher: \$400 2nd Place Male & Female Finisher: \$250 3rd Place Male & Female Finisher: \$150 Prizes will also be awarded to first, second and third places for each age category. Every finisher receives a medal.

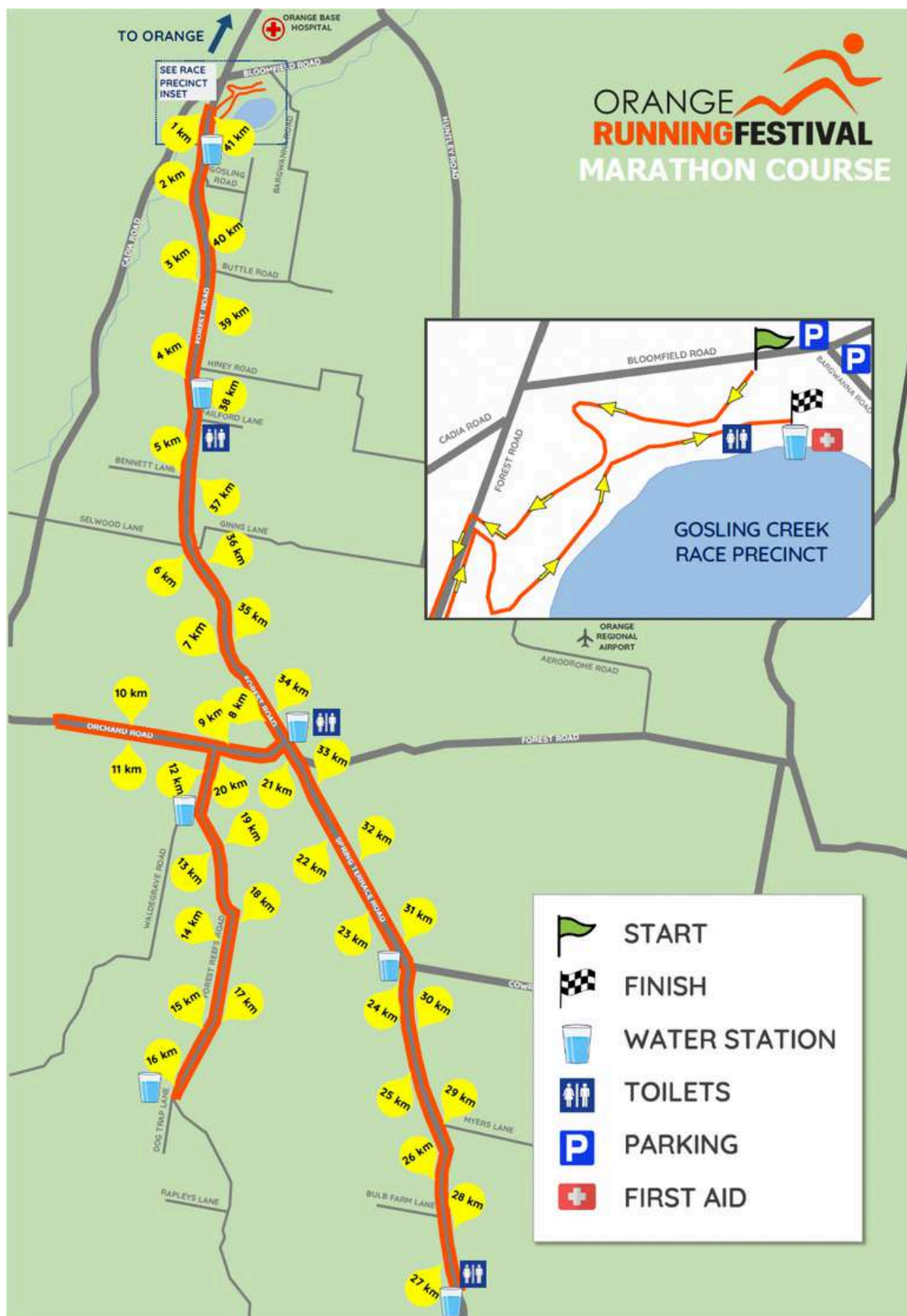
The minimum age requirement for the Marathon is 18 on race day.

Aid Stations		
Forest Road, south of Gosling Creek Reserve	1.5k	Water and sports drink
Forest Road and Failford Lane	4.5k	Water and sports drink, toilets
Forest Road and Orchard Road	8.5k	Water and sports drink, toilets
Forest Reefs Road and Waldegrave Road	12.5k	Water and sports drink
Forest Reefs Road and Dog Trap Lane	16k	Water and sports drink
Forest Reefs Road and Waldegrave Road	19.5k	Water and sports drink
Forest Road and Orchard Road	21k	Water and sports drink, toilets
Spring Terrace Road and Cowriga Road	23.5k	Water and sports drink
Spring Terrace Road turnaround	27k	Water and sports drink, toilets
Spring Terrace Road and Cowriga Road	31k	Water and sports drink
Forest Road and Orchard Road	33.5k	Water and sports drink, toilets
Forest Road and Failford Lane	38k	Water and sports drink, toilets
Forest Road, south of Gosling Creek Reserve	41k	Water and sports drink



The Colliers Marathon

Course Map

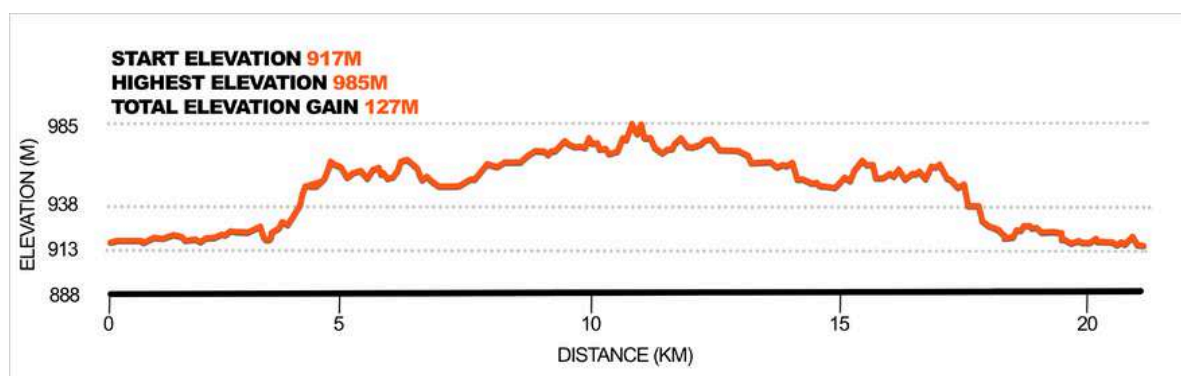


The Athlete's Foot Half Marathon starts and finishes within the Gosling Creek Reserve. After completion of part of the internal Gosling Creek loop, the course exits out onto Forest Road and heads in a southerly direction (keeping to the right hand side of the road). Following completion of the "loop" down Orchard Road, runners return to Gosling Creek Reserve along Forest Road. Upon re-entering Gosling Creek Reserve, runners complete the internal Gosling Creek loop to the finish line.

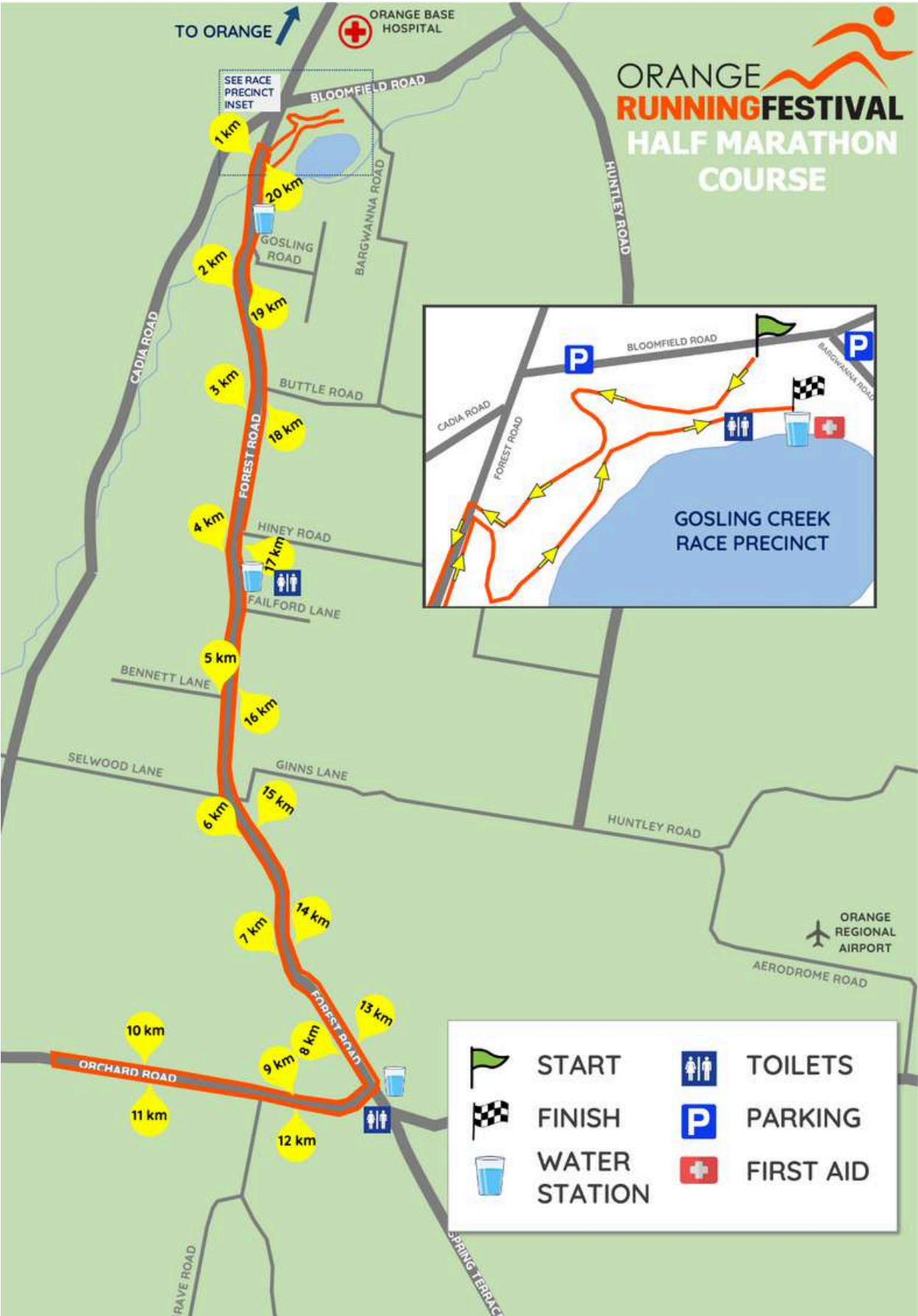
Arrival Time - suggested	7:00am
Race Briefing	7:20am
Start Time	7:30am
Cutoff Time	You must be back within the rear entrance of Gosling Creek Reserve by 12:30pm.
Award Presentation Time	9:50am
Prizes and Trophies	1st Place Male & Female Finisher: \$300 2nd Place Male & Female Finisher: \$200 3rd Place Male & Female Finisher: \$100 Prizes will also be awarded to first, second and third places for each age category. Every finisher receives a medal.

The minimum age requirement for the Half Marathon is 16 on race day.

Aid Stations		
Forest Road, south of Gosling Creek Reserve	1.5k	Water and sports drink
Forest Road and Failford Lane	4.5k	Water and sports drink, toilets
Forest Road and Orchard Road	8.5k	Water and sports drink, toilets
Forest Road and Orchard Road	12.5k	Water and sports drink, toilets
Forest Road and Failford Lane	17k	Water and sports drink, toilets
Forest Road, south of Gosling Creek Reserve	19.5k	Water and sports drink



Course Map



The Race Track Car Wash 10K

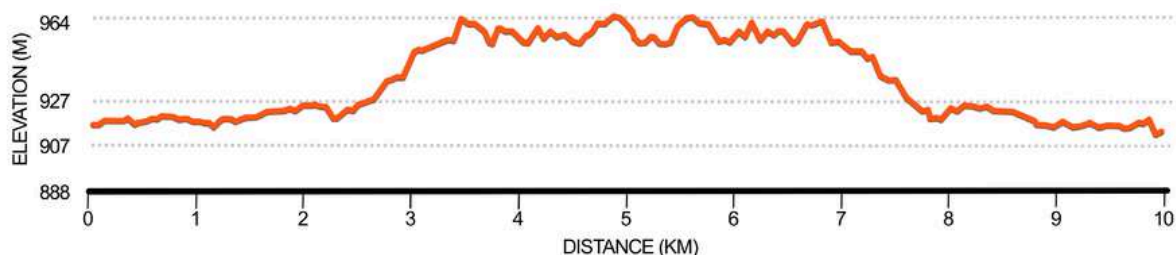


The Race Track Car Wash 10K race starts and finishes within the Gosling Creek Reserve. After completion of part of the internal Gosling Creek loop, the course exits out onto Forest Road and heads in a southerly direction (keeping to the right hand side of the road) to the turn point just short of Bennetts Lane, returning to Gosling Creek Reserve along Forest Road. Upon re-entering Gosling Creek Reserve, competitors complete the internal Gosling Creek loop to the finish line.

Arrival Time - suggested	8:00am
Race Briefing	8:20am
Start Time	8:30am
Cutoff Time	You must be back within the rear entrance of Gosling Creek Reserve by 12:30pm.
Award Presentation Time	10:00am
Prizes and Trophies	1st Place Male & Female Finisher: \$250 2nd Place Male & Female Finisher: \$150 3rd Place Male & Female Finisher: \$100 Prizes will also be awarded to first, second and third places for each age category. Every finisher receives a medal.

There is no minimum age requirement for the 10K.
Prams are allowed, but must start at the back of the pack.

Aid Stations		
Forest Road, south of Gosling Creek Reserve	1.5k	Water and sports drink
Forest Road and Failford Lane	4.5k	Water and sports drink, toilets
Forest Road and Failford Lane	5.5k	Water and sports drink, toilets
Forest Road, south of Gosling Creek Reserve	8.5k	Water and sports drink



The Race Track Car Wash 10K



Course Map



The Orange Family Dental 5K



The Orange Family Dental 5K run and walk starts and finishes within the Gosling Creek Reserve. After completion of part of the internal Gosling Creek loop, the course exits out onto Forest Road and heads in a southerly direction (keeping to the right hand side of the road) to the turn point just short of Buttle Road, return to Gosling Creek Reserve along Forest Road. Upon re-entering Gosling Creek Reserve, competitors complete the internal Gosling Creek loop back to the finish line.

Arrival Time - suggested	9:15am
Race Briefing	9:35am
Start Time	9:45am
Cutoff Time	You must be back within the rear entrance of Gosling Creek Reserve by 12:30pm.
Award Presentation Time	10:45am
Prizes and Trophies	1st Place Male & Female Finisher: \$150 2nd Place Male & Female Finisher: \$100 3rd Place Male & Female Finisher: \$75 Prizes will also be awarded to first, second and third places for each age category. Every finisher receives a medal.

There is no minimum age requirement for the 5K.
Prams are allowed, but must start at the back of the pack.

Aid Stations		
Forest Road, south of Gosling Creek Reserve	1.5k	Water and sports drink
Forest Road, south of Gosling Creek Reserve	3.5k	Water and sports drink



The Orange Family Dental 5K



Course Map



The Advance Accounting Secondary School Dash

The Advance Accounting Secondary School Dash course consists of a one mile lap of the asphalt Gosling Creek Reserve bike/running track. Participants start at the start line and head west following the running and bike path. The course then turns south as they approach the corner of the reserve. Runners will then make their way south west, turning toward the water, and then back east to the finish.



Arrival Time - suggested	10:15am
Race Briefing	10:50am
Start Time	11:00am
Cutoff Time	There is no cutoff time for the Secodary School Dash.
Award Presentation Time	12:00pm
Prizes and Trophies	1st Place Male & Female Finisher: \$75 2nd Place Male & Female Finisher: \$50 3rd Place Male & Female Finisher: \$25 Prizes will also be awarded to first, second and third places for each age category. Every finisher receives a medal.

The Secondary School Dash is for runners and walkers in years 7-12.

Course Map



High School Challenge

The High School Challenge brings together high school teams from across Orange and the Central Tablelands, as they battle for the bragging rights over the one mile distance. During the registration process, competitors are able to select their school team. The fastest five times from each team will be used to determine the overall winning team.

The winning team will be awarded the perpetual shield for their school for the year, along with a \$250 prize for their school. The second place team will win \$150 for their school, and the third place team will win \$100.

The Blatch's Primary School Dash



The Blatch's Primary School Dash course consists of a one mile lap of the asphalt Gosling Creek Reserve bike/running track. Participants start at the start line and head west following the running and bike path. The course then turns south as they approach the corner of the reserve. Runners will then make their way south west, turning toward the water, and then back east to the finish.

Arrival Time - suggested	10:15am
Race Briefing	10:50am
Start Time	11:00am
Cutoff Time	There is no cutoff time for the Primary School Dash.
Award Presentation Time	12:00pm
Prizes and Trophies	1st Place Male & Female Finisher: \$75 2nd Place Male & Female Finisher: \$50 3rd Place Male & Female Finisher: \$25 Prizes will also be awarded to first, second and third places for each age category. Every finisher receives a medal.

The Primary School Dash is for runners and walkers in years K-6.
Parents or carers may accompany younger competitors if desired.

Course Map



Primary School Challenge

The Primary School Challenge brings together primary school teams from across Orange and the Central Tablelands, as they battle for the bragging rights over the one mile distance. During the registration process, competitors are able to select their school team. The fastest five times from each team will be used to determine the overall winning team.

The winning team will be awarded the perpetual shield for their school for the year, along with a \$250 prize for their school. The second place team will win \$150 for their school, and the third place team will win \$100.

The Cook & Roe Orange Community Mile



The Cook & Roe Orange Community Mile is a one mile run and walk for everyone. The course consists of a two kilometre lap of the asphalt Gosling Creek Reserve bike/running track. Participants start at the start line and head west following the running and bike path. The course then turns south as they approach the corner of the reserve. Runners will then make their way south west, turning toward the water, and then back east to the finish.

Although not a competitive race, all participants are given a race bib with a numbered timing transponder to enable them to receive a position and time.

If you're concerned that one mile might be too long for you, there is an optional 450m short course version. The start point will be at the Western end of the course adjacent to the Forest Road / Bloomfield Road intersection. Just let us know on the day that you'll prefer this shorter course.

Arrival Time - suggested	11:00am
Race Briefing	11:20am
Start Time	11:30am
Cutoff Time	The cutoff time is 12:30pm.
Medals	Every finisher receives a medal.

There is no minimum age requirement for the Community Dash.
Parents or carers may accompany competitors if desired.
Prms are allowed, but must start at the back of the pack.

Course Map



Medals, Prizes and Trophies



Trophies

Trophies will be awarded to the 1st, 2nd and 3rd overall male and female finisher for each event based on gun times. There are prizes for the top three finishers in many of our events as well. Please refer to the race details page for each event for details.

Finishers Medal

All competitors will receive a finishers medal. One of our volunteers will hand you your medal as you cross the finish line.

Age Category Prizes

Prizes will be awarded to first, second and third place for each male and female age category winner based on net time. Prizes must be picked up on the day and will not be mailed out.

Results and Photos

We know how important it is to see official results soon after your race. We will have real-time results on our website on race day so you'll know exactly where you placed. Photos will also be online, available to download for free within a few days after the event. Emails will be sent to all participants notifying you when photos are live.



Orange Runners Club



For the past twenty years, Orange Running Festival has been proudly hosted by the Orange Runners Club. Through the event committee and dozens of members who volunteer on event weekend, we are able to deliver the festival each year. We also love to see so many club members participating in the running festival along with their families and friends. We would like to thank the Orange Runners Club members who give so much of their time to make this all possible!

The Orange Runners Club welcomes runners and walkers of all ages and abilities. Club membership offers twice-weekly timed runs and walks, trail runs, an achievement recognition program and a family friendly, supportive atmosphere.

More information is available on the club website: www.orangerunners.com.au.



Road Closures

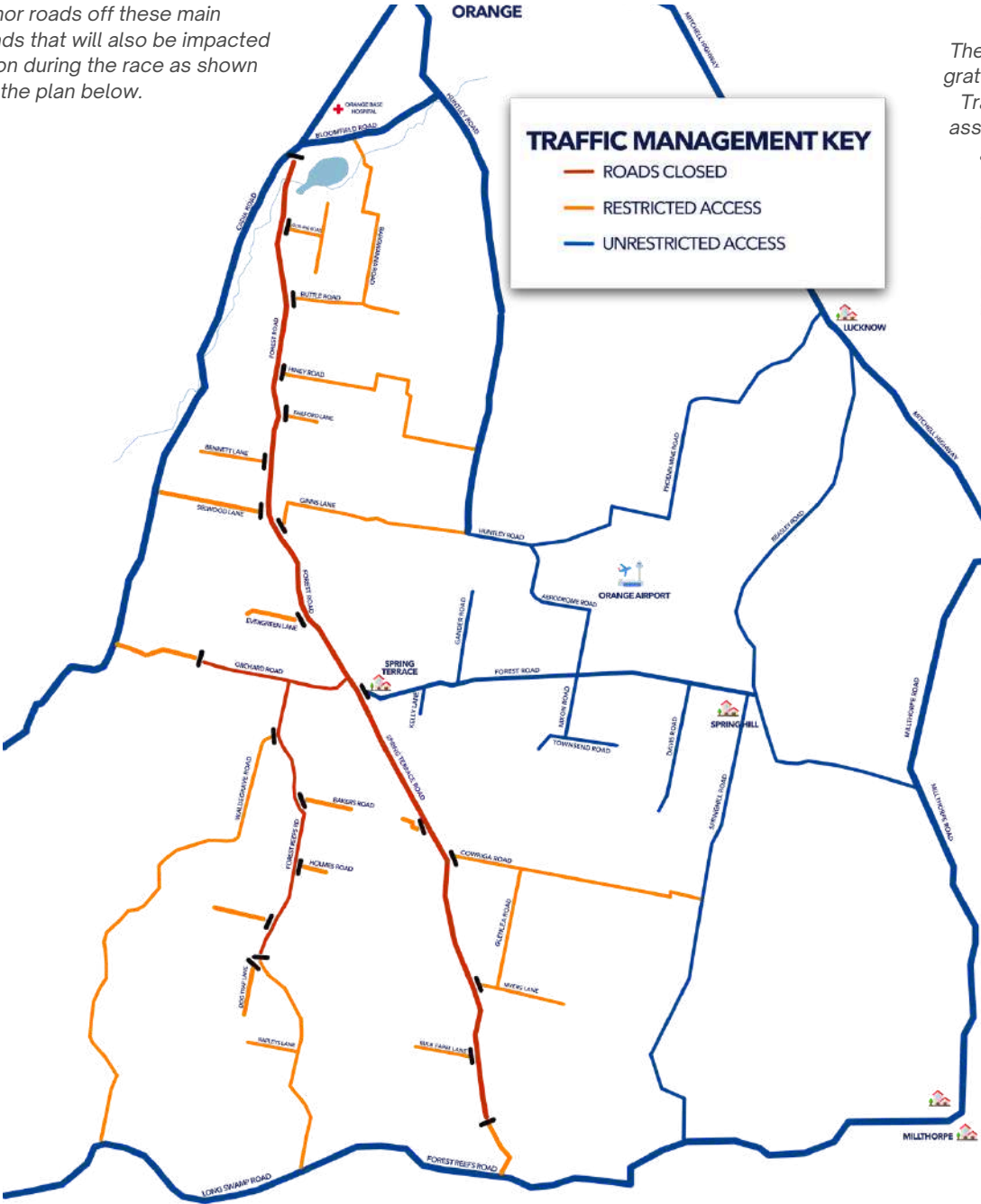
The map below provides details of the location of the road closures. Affected roads will be closed from 6:00am until 1:00pm on Sunday, 15th March, however we will re-open earlier if it is safe to do so.

Arrangements have been made for local residents to access their property during the event where needed. In the interest of participant safety, residents have been asked to keep traffic movements during the event to a minimum and to use the alternative routes wherever possible.

Temporary Road Closure	From	To
Forest Road	Cadia Road	Aerodrome Road
Orchard Road	Forest Road	Cadia Road
Forest Reefs Road	Orchard Road	Dog Trap Lane
Spring Terrace Road	Forest Road	Forest Reefs Road

Please note: There are other minor roads off these main roads that will also be impacted upon during the race as shown on the plan below.

The Orange Running Festival is grateful to our sponsor Midwest Traffic Management for their assistance with traffic planning and traffic management.



Our Sponsors

The Orange Running Festival would like to thank our wonderful sponsors!

The Festival's continued success is a testament to the support from these organisations. In particular we would like to recognise the ongoing support from our Event Partner Our City Real Estate, and our Community Partner, Cook & Roe. We are also extremely grateful for funding for 2026 provided by the NSW Government Office of Sport.

We encourage you to check out and support these amazing local businesses!

Event Partner



Community Partner



Proudly funded by the NSW Government



Race Sponsors



The Athlete's Foot



In-Kind and Supporting Sponsors

