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On behalf of the City of Busselton, I extend a warm welcome to you, your family and friends. The City of Busselton is excited to again sponsor and host the 2023 GWM IRONMAN Western Australia in Busselton.

In its 19th year, this world-class event provides a wonderful opportunity to showcase the region’s natural beauty, taking place on the iconic Busselton foreshore and Tuart forest.

The race will bring together athletes of all ages and abilities. 2023 IRONMAN Western Australia has qualifying slots for the 2024 VinFast IRONMAN World Championships. Coupled with Busselton being renowned for the place for a personal best, the competition is set to be fierce.

Don’t forget to take advantage of direct flights between Melbourne and Busselton. Busselton Margaret River Airport is located 6.5km from the Busselton town centre.

Our wider region offers many other attractions. Known for its world-class craft breweries, wineries, beaches and surf breaks. Busselton, Dunsborough and Yallingup are friendly and bustling towns offering great relaxed dining and fantastic entertainment. Discover locally owned retailers with a diverse mix of clothes, gifts, books, gourmet produce and homewares.

Thank you to the hundreds of local volunteers, key partners, sponsors and event organisers who make this exceptional event the success that it is.

I wish you all a safe and memorable race.

Tony Nottle
Chief Executive Officer - City of Busselton
Welcome to GWM IRONMAN Western Australia and to the spectacular Busselton region, an outstanding event destination and a favorite of the IRONMAN Oceania team. We thank Tourism Western Australia, the City of Busselton and GWM for their continued support of this great event that allows us to return to this spectacular location again this year.

The 2023 edition of IRONMAN Western Australia is the 19th edition of the event, which debuted in 2004. The event will continue to include the IRONMAN 70.3 on the same day.

GWM IRONMAN Western Australia offers a great opportunity for those Athletes looking to qualify for the 2024 IRONMAN World Championships in Kailua-Kona, Hawaii or Nice, France, where there are 50 Female slots (Nice) and 20 Male spots (Kona) up for grabs.

After four successful years The ROKA Swim Course will remain in the 2-lap rolling Swim Start format along the Busselton Foreshore, athletes will need to leave the water, complete a short run on the sand and re-enter the water for their second lap.

The bike course this year will depart town via Marine Terrace to allow for a new finish line layout. The HOKA run course changes direction this year heading east to begin with four laps of the scenic Busselton foreshore and thanks to our title partner GWM there will be increased course entertainment for you to enjoy as you pass the famous Busselton Jetty.

This year see’s the finish line relocating to the lawn in front of Shelter Brewing, with a beer garden, live entertainment, big screen, and lots of athletes achieving their dreams we invite the entire community to join in the fun.

We here at IRONMAN Oceania are continuing to take steps forward to be more sustainable. Working closely with the City of Busselton we hope to ensure the City and the Busselton Foreshore is kept in pristine condition post event. We ask all Athletes to assist us on this journey and ensure that you are discarding of rubbish in the appropriate manner and using the discard areas out on course at the Aid Stations.

Please ensure that you read the entire Athlete Information Guide before the race to ensure you have all the information you need for racing.

We wish all participants the best of luck and hope that you enjoy your time in Busselton and the South West region.

We look forward to seeing you all cross the Iconic Finish Line.

Kieran Burgess
Race Director
To minimise the possibility of infringing the rules on race day and avoiding a visit to the penalty tent, please observe the following:

- Ride on the left side of the bike lane
- Crossing the Centreline – do not cross the centreline at any time during the Cycle leg
- Keep 12 metres between yourself and the cyclist in front of you – front wheel to front wheel
- Pass on the right of the cyclist in front (never on the left)
- Complete your pass within 25-seconds
- If passed, drop back immediately 12 metres and ensure you have dropped back the full 12 metres before re-passing

Triathlon is an individual race, and it is your responsibility to fully understand the rules and avoid infringements. A technical official’s ruling is final in the case of drafting, blocking, and illegal pass infringements (judgment calls) and these are not subject to either protest or appeal.

Following are the most common rule infringements:

**Blue card 5-minute penalties include:**

- Drafting – following a leading cyclist closer than 12 metres and failing to pass in 25 seconds OR after being passed, failing to drop back 12 metres before re-passing
- Illegal pass – passing on the left
- Littering – discarding items, e.g., tyres, bottles, gel wrappers etc., this applies on any part of the course, except within designated litter zones near aid stations
- Passing more than one athlete - the athlete who is making the pass can only 'drop in' between other athletes if the distance between the athletes is more than the legal draft zone.

A technical official will advise you of any time penalty by calling your number, advising you of the nature of the infringement and showing you a blue card. It will be then your responsibility to serve the 5-minute time penalty(s) at the next penalty tent.

**Yellow card 30-second penalties to be served at the next penalty tent include:**

- Blocking – riding on the right side of an athlete without passing or riding on the right-hand side of the bike lane when clear of other athletes
- Helmet – failing to have your chin strap securely fastened when moving with your bike, this penalty will be served in transition

**Note:** that any 3 infringements across the course during the event may result in a disqualification.

**Other infringements which may result in disqualification include:**

- Offensive and unsportsmanlike behaviour
- Public personal toilet
- Outside assistance (from anyone other than a race official)
- Use of a device that will distract the athlete from paying full attention to their surroundings. For the avoidance of doubt mobile phones may be carried by an athlete during the race (for example, for the use of tracking apps such as Strava). However, during the race, the communication functions (voice calls, text messaging, email or any other form of electronic communication or messaging) of these devices may not be used. Nor may any device be used to play music, with or without the use of headphones or headsets

**Disqualification Process**

- A technical official will advise you of your disqualification by blowing a whistle, calling your number, advising you of the nature of the infringement and showing you a red card
- Having been disqualified you have the option to continue in the race and protest the disqualification to the Head Referee after you finish the race. Note that you must signal your intention to protest within 15 minutes of finishing and complete the protest paperwork within 30 minutes of finishing

Always remember to treat other athletes, volunteers and officials with courtesy and consideration as they are important in keeping the event safe and fair.

We sincerely hope you have a great race, enjoy the experience, and achieve your IRONMAN goals.

Sue Fairweather
Race Referee
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The event is sanctioned by Aus Triathlon and race under IRONMAN Race Rules. All Athletes should read and understand the Race Rules prior to race day. Below highlights some of the Race Rules.

**RACE FINISH, TIMING, AND RESULTS**

**Section 2.05**

(e) An athlete or relay team who fails to start an Event, is disqualified from an Event, fails to finish an Event, or finishes before the course closes but outside the Event time limit, will be designated in the results as:

- (i) Did not start ("DNS") – Enters an Event but fails to start;
- (ii) Disqualified ("DSQ") – Starts an Event and was disqualified;
- (iii) Did not finish ("DNF") – Starts an Event but fails to cross the finish line, or crosses the finish line after the course closes; and
- (iv) Not classified ("NC") – Starts an event and crosses the finish line before the course closes but fails to meet an established course or discipline cut-off time, or the overall event course cut-off.

**SWIM**

Section 4.01 General

(c) The use of snorkels, fins, gloves, paddles, or flotation devices of any kind (including pull buoys) is prohibited; (DSQ)

(g) Individual paddlers or escorts are prohibited; (DSQ)

Section 4.02 Wetsuit Rules

(c) A wetsuit may cover any part of the body except the face, hands, or feet;

(e) The thickness of the wetsuit may not exceed 5mm. If the wetsuit consists of two or more pieces then the combined thickness of the overlapping pieces may not exceed 5 mm; (DSQ) and

Section 4.04 Illegal Equipment

(a) Headsets or headphones are prohibited during the swim segment of the race. (30 or 60 second time penalty (as applicable), DSQ if not remedied promptly).

**BIKE**

Section 5.01 General

(a) The bicycle shall be propelled solely, through a chainset, by the legs moving in a circular movement, without electric or other assistance. Other than pushing or carrying a bicycle, any propulsive action brought on by use of the hands is prohibited (except with respect to PC/ID Open Athletes and HC Athletes in accordance with Article VIII and Article IX); (DSQ and indefinite suspension)

(c) It is the sole responsibility of each Athlete to know and follow the prescribed cycling course. No adjustments in times or results will be made, for any reason whatsoever, for athletes who fail to follow the proper course;

(h) Cycling with a bare torso is prohibited. Athletes must wear a shirt, jersey, or sport top/sports bra at all times during the cycling segment of the race; (30 or 60 second time penalty (as applicable), DSQ if not remedied promptly)

Section 5.02 Equipment

Illegal Equipment

(iv) Headsets or headphones are prohibited during the bike segment of the race; (1:00 minute penalty, DSQ if not remedied promptly); and

**RUN**

Section 6.01 General

(a) Athletes may run, walk, or crawl;

(b) It is the sole responsibility of each Athlete to know and follow the prescribed running course. No adjustments in times or results will be made, for any reason whatsoever, for athletes who fail to follow the proper course (e.g., if the Athlete runs in the wrong direction or runs more than necessary, time will not be subtracted from the Athlete’s final race time);

(d) Running with a bare torso is prohibited. Athletes must wear a shirt, jersey, or sport top/sports bra at all times during the run segment of the race; (30 or 60 second time penalty (as applicable), DSQ if not remedied promptly)

Section 6.02 Illegal Equipment

(a) Headsets or headphones are prohibited during the run segment of the race. (1:00 minute penalty, DSQ if not remedied promptly)
**FINISH LINE**

Section 6.03 Finish Line Conduct

Friends, family members, and/or other spectators are not permitted to cross the finish line or enter the finish chute with participating Athletes. (Please note: IRONMAN desires for each Athlete to be able to celebrate his/her accomplishment without risking the safety of other event participants, volunteers, and/or spectators). Athletes who choose not to respect the foregoing finish line policy will be disqualified.

**PROTESTS**

Section 3.06 Right of Protest or Appeal

(a) The Athlete’s right to protest or appeal, if any, will be governed and handled by the event's sanctioning body and/or the Competition Rules of the relevant National Federation, provided, however, that if no formal process exists for the applicable National Federation then IRONMAN may elect to handle protests and appeals for such event in a manner that is substantially similar to the to the process set forth by the then-current International Triathlon Union Competition Rules.

**COMPETITION AGE**

All age-group athletes must participate and compete in the age-group division corresponding to the Athlete’s age as of December 31 of the year of the Event.

**ANTI-DOPING**

Each Athlete acknowledges notice of the Anti-Doping Rules (as such term is defined below), and acknowledges that he/she is bound by, confirms he/she shall comply with, and voluntarily consents to all provisions of the Anti-Doping Rules. (i) “Anti-Doping Rules” means all anti-doping rules adopted by IRONMAN including, without limitation, the World Anti-Doping Code (the “WADA Code”), all associated International Standards, including, without limitation the List of Prohibited Substances and Prohibited Methods (the “Prohibited List”) as issued by the World Anti-Doping Agency (“WADA”), and all other rules, policies, and/or procedures adopted by IRONMAN.
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ATHLETE CHECK LIST

PRE EVENT
- Book/confirm accommodation & flights (if applicable).
- Ensure event registration is confirmed (check for confirmation email).
- Familiarise yourself with Event Schedule (know all check-in/drop off times).
- Pre-book massage (see pages 22-23).
- Pack photo ID in your luggage.
- Familiarise yourself with the course - it is your responsibility to know this on race day.
- Check athlete list on event app. Event app will be updated at close of Check-In prior to race day. If any details are wrong contact us via 1300 761 384 or westernaustralia@ironman.com

ONCE I ARRIVE (PRE RACE)
- Familiarise yourself with the event venue and key areas (Check-In, bike racking, swim start, finish line, presentations & WC Roll Down).
- Familiarise yourself with road closures.
- Check-In and collect race kit.
- Rack bike and drop off transition bags (see pages 26-27 for suggested items in your transition bags).
- Attend official practice swim during designated times.
- Pack items for race day.

RACE DAY
- Ensure you have all items for your race including, helmet, timing chip & wetsuit/trisuit.
- Enter Transition for last minute checks & drop off bike pump (if relevant).
- Drop off street gear bag (if relevant).
- Drop off personal needs bags (if relevant).
- Start the race - be at the start line at least 15 minutes prior.
- Finish the race.
- Receive your medal.
- Grab your finisher towel.
- Collect your finisher shirt.
- Recover.
- Collect your items – transition bags, personal needs bags (available Monday only), street gear bag, bike pump, bike.

POST RACE
- Have your medal engraved at the Official IRONMAN Merchandise Tent.
- Attend World Championship Roll Down, presentations & after party.
- Upload your #medalmonday photo on your social media.

IRONMAN WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP QUALIFYING ROLL DOWN
- Bring photo ID.
- Bring your physical credit card (no apple pay etc accepted). See page 54
- Bring friends and family to celebrate.

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RACE KIT

RACE KIT COLOURS
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1. RACE BIB NUMBER
Worn on the front and attach with race belt (supplied by athlete) or safety pins (available at Event Information). Do not fold or alter race bib number.

Note: Timing Chips are to be collected during bike racking. For more information see pages 22

2. ATHLETE WRISTBAND
Secured at Athlete Check-In and must be worn at all times until after presentations. The IRONMAN Group will not allow access into athlete restricted areas without athletes wearing their wristband.
NO WRISTBAND = NO ACCESS.

3. TATTOOS
Number Tattoo - Right bicep or forearm if tri-suit has sleeves.
Category Tattoo - Left calf

Application:
Apply by peeling the clear film off, placing the tattoo face-down on your right arm, firmly pressing the paper side with a damp cloth or sponge, holding for 60 seconds and gently peel back the paper.

Tattoos are compulsory to wear. In the case your tattoo becomes faulty please see the Event Information Staff who will be able to assist by writing your number/letter on with a permanent marker.

4. SWIM CAP
Provided ROKA swim cap must be worn during swim leg. If wearing another cap, the official cap must be worn on top.
Swim caps are latex – please contact event team if you have a latex allergy.

5. TRANSITION BAGS
Use bag supplied and attach relevant sticker.
Includes equipment and items required for the race. Must be handed in on Saturday during bike racking.

6. STREET GEAR BAG
Place items required for post race (collected in the recovery area at finish line). Drop off race morning. Must use bag supplied.

7. BIKE SEAT POST STICKER
Place this sticker around the seat post with the number facing backwards to be read from the side. Attach prior to bike racking.

8. HELMET STICKER
Place sticker on front of helmet. Attach prior to helmet check on race day.

9. BIKE PUMP STICKER
Place sticker on bike pump prior to drop off on race day.

10. STREET GEAR BAG STICKER
Remove sticker from backing sheet wrap the label around the string on the bottom right-hand corner of your street gear bag and stick securely onto the back of itself.

11. PERSONAL NEEDS STICKERS
Remove sticker from backing sheet wrap the label around the handle of your personal needs bag and stick securely back onto itself. Place corresponding coloured sticker to personal needs bag.

12. BIKE TRANSITION BAG
Remove sticker from backing sheet and place on handles of bike bag.

13. RUN TRANSITION BAG
Remove sticker from backing sheet and place on handles of run bag.

14. RESTAURANT VOUCHER
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ATHLETE CHECK-IN
See pages 14-17 for time and location.
All packs will need to be collected during Athlete Check-In opening hours. **Please note, no packs will be posted out prior to the event.**

What you will need to bring:
- Photo ID (driver’s licence or passport).

Who can collect?:
Only the person registered can pick up their race kit at Check-In. Please note that it is not permitted for someone else to compete under your name or for you to compete under someone else’s name. This will result in suspension from your State Triathlon Association and banning both parties from future IRONMAN Oceania/Multisport Triathlon Races.

WEIGH-IN
All athletes are required to complete the compulsory weigh-in process at Check-In. This record is critical for the medical response team to assist with the correct treatment if required.

TIMING CHIP
Pick Up: Upon exit during bike racking

Hot Tip: Place the timing chip somewhere safe after collection, eg with your helmet.

Drop Off: Timing chips will be collected after the finish arch and prior to entering Recovery.

Lost During Race: If you lose your timing chip during the race, inform Event Staff within Transition, so that timing providers can do their best to replace the chip.

Drop Out: If you do not start the race or pull out of the race, please return the timing chip to a drop out clerk located at Event Information or if unable to reach this location to an Event Staff member. Where possible only hand to an official Event Staff member not a volunteer.

Lost Timing Chips: If your timing chip is not returned or is lost, you will be charged $150AUD for a replacement.
PRE RACE INFORMATION

MASSAGE
Massage will be available for athletes post event at the Recovery marquee.
For any pre-race massage or post-race day massage, please refer to our Massage Services Directory to find and book in with a local massage therapist, on our website here.

BIKE MECHANICS
Thursday, Friday and Saturday bike mechanics from Bike Dr will be available to offer minor mechanic services. This is a paid service.
A limited ‘emergency service’ will be available on race morning at transition for all athletes.
See Bike Course information on page 49 or on course support.

FINAL RACE DIRECTOR UPDATE AND Q & A
The Final Race Director Update and Q & A is your opportunity to ask any last-minute questions and it’s a great opportunity for both seasoned triathletes or first timers.
View the Event Schedule (pages 14-17) for times and location.

PRE RACE TRAINING
Ensure you are always aware of and obey the town/state road rules. We highly recommend always training with at least one other person. Roads will remain open until race day; therefore we ask you to be cautious at all times and courteous to the local community.

Swim: The swim is an open water ocean swim. Please take time to familiarise yourself with the swim course prior to your race start.

Bike: Remember to obey the road rules and do not ride two abreast on narrow road sections. Be courteous to motorists. Wearing your helmet whilst cycling is compulsory in Australia and Police can issue on-the-spot fines for breach of this law. Lock your bike whenever you leave it (unless it's during bike racking).

Run: Run on footpaths where possible and do not run more than two abreast.

PARKING
Parking will be on surrounding local streets (please ensure that you are aware of the any parking restrictions and changed traffic conditions).

CHANGED TRAFFIC CONDITIONS
Please take time to make yourself aware of all changed traffic conditions for yourself and all athletes on race day. Scan QR code to learn more about changed traffic conditions.
Don’t try this on race day*

* A bold statement from the brand that wants to sell you the product, sure. But getting used to nutrition is one thing many athletes don’t prioritize in training. Some even risk it all by trying new products on race day. So, use whatever you’ve trained with or get used to what you’re getting on-course. In this case the GEL 100 and GEL 100 CAF 100.

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SHUTTLE BUSES
This year a shuttle bus service will be provided by Gannaways Charters & Tours for race weekend only, operating between Busselton and Dunsborough.

Shuttle buses are available to spectators and athletes.

Please follow this link: https://events.humanitix.com/ironman-event-shuttle-service to find out more about what shuttle services are available.

Please note that bikes will not be accepted onto this service.
STREET GEAR BAG

Your street gear bag consists of any clothes you require post-race and is collected at recovery. **You must use the IRONMAN drawstring bag provided to you during athlete check-in as your street gear bag.** No other bag will be accepted. Please ensure that you have the gear bag sticker (provided in your race kit) clearly stuck to the bottom of the handle.

Bag drop will be open race morning between transition and the start line, it will then be transported to the finish line, to be collected from the recovery tent.

**Examples of items to Include:**
- Warm clothing (jumper, tracksuit pants)
- Different footwear
- Please refrain from placing any valuables in your bag where possible.

PERSONAL NEEDS BAGS

**Bag contents:** Personal needs bags are used for special items required during the race, either nutritional or clothing items (eg extra pair of socks or light weight jacket). Please note the items will need to be able to fit within the bag dimensions. **No valuable items should be placed within the personal needs bags.**

**How to purchase Personal Needs Bags:**
IRONMAN branded bags can be pre-purchased online through your Active Portal or onsite at Athlete Check-In. Collection of the pre-purchased bags will be at Athlete Check-In. Alternatively, you can bring your own reusable bag (no larger than 20cm x 20cm).

**Bag dimensions:** 15cm (H) x 19cm (W) x 15cm (D)

BIKE AND RUN TRANSITION BAGS

Bike and run transition bags contain items an athlete requires during the race. Any items required during for the race that cannot be attached to your bike must be placed within the relevant bag.

Your transition bags will be located within the change tent located in transition and are able to be accessed during the transition process. See pages 30-31 for transition process.

**Drop off/collection:** Dropped off during bike racking, collected with bike. Refer to pages 26-27 for more details.

**Note:** No access to transition bags on race morning.

**Handy tip:** Remember blue bike (blue bike transition Bag) and red run (red run transition bag).

**Suggested Transition Bag Items Include:**

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**DROP OFF BEFORE RACE DAY**

| BIKE TRANSITION BAG | Drop off at transition change tent (Signal Park)  
Saturday 2 December, 11:00am – 4:00pm |
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| **Swim to Bike**    | **During race** Collect your bag from your numbered hook in T1.  
Remove your bike gear and place all swim gear into Blue Bike Transition Bag inside changing tent. Hand to volunteers on exit. |
|                    | **Collect from Signal Park**  
Sunday 3 Dec, 6:00pm – 10:30pm  
Monday 4 Dec, 7:00am – 10:00am |
| **RUN TRANSITION BAG** | Drop off at transition change tent (Signal Park)  
Saturday 2 December, 11:00am – 4:00pm |
| **Bike to Run**     | **During race** Collect your bag from your numbered hook in T2  
Remove your run gear and place all bike gear into Red Run Transition Bag inside the change tent. Hand to volunteers on exit. |
|                    | **Collect from Signal Park**  
Sunday 3 Dec, 6:00pm – 10:30pm  
Monday 4 Dec, 7:00am – 10:00am |

**DROP OFF RACE MORNING**

| STREET GEAR BAG | Drop into street gear bag truck (Signal Park)  
Sunday 3 Dec, 4:15am – 6:30am |
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|                | Street gear bag will meet you at the finish line in recovery. |
|                | **Collect immediately post-race from recovery area**  
**There is no access during race after exiting recovery.** |

| PERSONAL NEEDS BAGS (if required) | Drop at Personal Needs truck (Signal Park)  
Sunday 3 Dec, 4:15am – 6:30am |
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| **Blue: Bike Personal Needs – Marine Tce**, 0.8KM & 90.8KM available lap 1 & 2 |
| **Red: Run Personal Needs – Barnard Park**, 0.9KM, 11.3KM, 21.8KM, 32.2KM |
| **Collect from Signal Park** - **Note: All uncollected bags will be donated or discarded**  
Monday 4 Dec, 7:00am – 10:00am |

| BIKE PUMPS | Drop at bike pump area in transition after pumping tyres before race start  
Sunday 3 Dec, 4:15am – 6:00am |
|------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------
|            | **Collect from Signal Park** – **No access during transition**  
Sunday 3 Dec, 6:00pm – 10:30pm  
Monday 4 Dec, 7:00am – 10:00am |

**Note:** When you collect your bike post race, all transition bags and bike pumps should be collected at the same time. *Personal needs bags* to be collected Monday 7am – 10am.
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PRE RACE

TRANSITION TOURS

Tours will be held by Rob Gough and take approximately 30 minutes. The tour will include:

- Flow of transition
- Change tent functionality
- Entry/exit points
- Suggested setup
- Opportunity for Q&A

View the Event Schedule (pages 14-17) for times and location.

BIKE RACKING

View the Event Schedule (pages 14-17) for times and location.

Prior to Entry:

- Attend Athlete Check-In
- Secure bike seat post sticker

Bike Checks:

- Conducted by AusTriathlon upon entry.
- You, the athlete are responsible for your bike being in safe working order.
- Officials will be checking for things such as:
  - End plugs on handle bars
  - Tyres in reasonable condition
  - Stripped cabling
  - At least one water bottle cage
  - Brakes in working order
  - Compliance with IRONMAN Rules.

How to Rack your Bike: Rack your bike by the handlebars. On race morning you may change your bike to be racked by the seat, front wheel facing outward from the rack.

Covers: No full bike covers will be allowed for overnight racking. These will be removed and can be collected at Event Information (lost & found).

Note: No Helmets are to be left overnight as a compulsory helmet check is conducted on race morning.

TIMING CHIPS

Pick Up: Upon exit during bike racking/on exit of athlete check-in.

Hot Tip: Place the timing chip somewhere safe after collection, e.g. with your helmet.

Drop Off: Timing chips will be collected within recovery.

Lost During Race: If you lose your timing chip during the race, inform Event Staff within transition, so that timing providers can do their best to replace the chip.

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**TRANSITION**

**RACE DAY**

**HELMET CHECK**
AusTriathlon officials will be conducting compulsory helmet checks as you enter the Transition area. Please ensure you have your helmet on and secured (with your helmet sticker on the front of your helmet) prior to entering Transition.

You will need to place your helmet on your bike as you will have no access to your Bike Transition Bag on race morning.

Competitors are responsible for ensuring that their bike helmet is in a safe working order, prior to presenting them at Transition. See **IRONMAN Rules**.

**BIKE PUMPS**
Bike pump drop off will be available on race morning within Transition and can be collected post event during bike collection. Please ensure your bike pump is labelled using the sticker within your race kit.

All bike pumps which aren’t collected during bike collection times will be donated.

You will have the opportunity to make any last-minute tweaks/adjustments to your bike. Ensure all items are either attached to your bike, or transition rack. No items will be allowed on the ground next to your bike. This includes any tubs, bags etc.

**POST RACE**

**BIKE COLLECTION**
View the Event Schedule on pages 14-17 for collection times. Ensure you are aware of the closing time as, after this time Transition will become unsecure.

When collecting your bike, please ensure all transition bags, personal needs bags and bike pumps are collected at the same time.

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- Sunblock
- Toilets

BIKE AID STATIONS
In Australia we ride on the left-hand side of the road and aid stations and take-ups will normally be with the left hand.

Aid Station Locations:
The Bike Course has 4 aid stations located approximately 20km apart.
- B1 – Tuart Drive - 23km, 113km
- B2 - Stirling Rd - 44km, 134km
- B3 - Ludlow-Hithergreen Road - 66km, 156km
- B4 – Marine Terrace (Lap 2 Only) - 90.8km

Will offer:
- Water
- Gatorade (Lemon-Lime flavour)
- Maurten Energy Gels – caffeinated and non-cafeinated
- HIGH5 Energy Bars – Berry flavour
- Vaseline (situated in toilets)
- Sunscreen
- Insect repellent
- Toilets

Process:
Slow down when entering a bike aid station, don’t stop! If you do not require any product from a bike aid station please stay to the right of the roadway. There will be signs along the aid station listing what is on offer. Volunteers will be also calling out what they are offering. Please politely advise the by calling out as per your needs.

AID STATION LAYOUT
RUN AID STATIONS
The Run Course has 3 aid stations located approximately 2km apart.
• R1 - Volunteer Marine Rescue, Double Sided - 1.5km, 6.7km, 12km, 17.1km, 22.4km, 27.6km, 32.8km, 38km
• R2 – Russel St, Double Sided - 3.3km, 5km, 13.7km, 15.4km, 24.2km, 25.8km, 34.6km, 36.3km
• R3 – Gale St, Double Sided - 8.2km, 10.1km, 18.6km, 20.5km, 29.1km, 31km, 39.5km, 41.4km
Will offer:
• Water
• Gatorade (Lemon-Lime flavour)
• Maurten Energy Gels – caffeinated and non-caffeinated
• HIGH5 Energy Bars – Berry flavour
• Red bull will be supplied on course at Run Aid Station 1 only and served in a diluted formula of 50% Red Bull and 50% water
• Cola
• Bananas
• Anzac Biscuits
• Lollies
• Vegemite
• Pretzels
• Vaseline (situated in toilets)
• Ice
• Sunscreen
• Insect Repellent
• Visibility Aids
• Toilets

PROCESS:
Keep left when approaching a run aid station, don’t stop! If you do not require any product from a run aid station, please stay to the right of the roadway. There will be signs along the aid station listing what is on offer. Volunteers will be also calling out what they are offering. Please politely advise the by calling out as per your needs.

DISCARD DROP ZONES
Please discard any unwanted items post the discard zone start sign and pre the discard zone finish sign. Anything discarded outside this area will be penalised.

AID STATION LAYOUT
VIPER TRISUIT, A WORLD CHAMPION TRISUIT
CUT OFF TIMES

Both cumulative and intermediate cut off times for the swim, bike and run will be based on an individual’s swim start time. Below cut off times provide absolute cut off locations and time of day based on the predicted last starter at time of publishing this document. These times will be adjusted and enforced per individual by the Race Director on race day.

Swim – 2 hours 20 minutes from athlete’s individuals start time
- 1hr 19min - Aussie Exit, Start Lap 2

Bike – 10 hours 30 minutes from athlete’s individual start time
- 6hr 30min – Start Lap 2 at Queen St Lap Turn – 90km
- 7hr 25min - Forest Beach Rd/Layman Rd intersection outbound – 110km
- 8hr 27min - Stirling Rd U-Turn – 134km
- 9hr 50min - Tall Tree Crescent U-Turn – 165km

Run – 17 hours from athlete’s individual start time
- 13hr 51min – Passing Finish Line outbound, Start Lap 3 – 21.2km
- 15hr 25min – Passing Finish Line outbound, Start Lap 4 – 31.6km
- 16hr 7min - Russel St Aid Station (R2), Lap 4 inbound – 36.3km
- 16hr 32min – Passing Finish Line inbound on Lap 4 – 39.1km
- 16hr 45min - King St Turnaround – 40.5km

Should an athlete fail to meet their individual race leg cut off time, they will be listed as not classified (NC) and not be ineligible for any awards or world championship slots. Should an athlete fail to meet the course closure times (based on the final athlete in the water), they will be listed as a DNF.

In addition to the above cut off times, athletes may be cut-off at any time based on the Race Director’s discretion and judgement. Reasons for this may include, but are not limited to; medical, contingency, logistical and/or race rule violations. In the situation of one or more legs (swim, bike, run) being modified under contingency scenarios, the Race Director also reserves the right to announce new cut off times.

CONTINGENCY PLAN

If/when the contingency plan needs to be implemented you will be notified by the Race Director. This will be communicated by the event app or by the commentator.

RACE DAY SERVICES

Medical

A first aid provider will be engaged to provide first aid at all events operated by The IRONMAN Group.

Athletes are responsible for any costs incurred as a result of a medical incident, this includes but is not limited to ambulance transfers, hospital stays, specialist treatment. It is therefore strongly advised that all athletes hold adequate personal insurance. Australian residents are recommended to hold valid private health insurance (inclusive of ambulance cover) whilst international athletes are strongly advised to have adequate travel or personal insurance that will provide coverage for participation in an IRONMAN Group event. Athletes are responsible for understanding the terms and conditions of insurances held.

SAG wagon

The SAG Wagon will collect athletes who are unable to complete the event or are unable to finish within the course cut-off time. Collected athletes will be transported back to the event venue.

Should you require a SAG Wagon at any time, please wave down a motorbike official and they will contact IRONMAN for SAG Wagon deployment. Alternatively advise volunteers at the nearest aid station.

Please Note: delays in SAG Wagon transport are expected. To assist with a prompt response, please do not move from your reported location once a SAG Wagon has been requested as this could affect their ability to locate and transport you.
FINISH LINE PHOTO
Sportograf is the official event photographer.

How to Get your Best Photos:
Ensure your helmet sticker visible on the FRONT of your bike helmet.
• Keep your race bib number visible on the FRONT of your body during the run and whilst entering the finish line.
• Smile and celebrate when you cross the finish line! Don’t worry about touching your watch, the timing company will ensure an accurate record of your achievement.
• Smile and have your photo taken with your finisher medal and towel at the photo wall available within recovery

Your personal race photos will be available within 24-48hrs after the race at https://www.sportograf.com/en

FINISHER SHIRTS
Finisher shirts will be available to all official finishers post-race and can be collected from the designated area within Recovery.

RECOVERY PROCESS & AREA
After passing the finish line arch, volunteers will present you with your finisher’s medal and towel.

You will then follow the recovery process and have the below available to you:
• Timing chip removal
• Weigh-in
• Street gear bag & bike transition bag collection
• Finisher t-shirt collection
• Recovery food/drink
• Massage
• Medical support (if required)
• Male, Female, Non-Binary change tents
• Official finisher photo by Sportograf

Important: Make the most of the facilities post finish before you exit the area and return to your family or friends. There is a no re-entry policy so make sure you are comfortable before you exit.

THE POST FINISH RECOVERY AREA WILL OFFER:
• Water
• Gatorade Electrolyte – Lemon Lime
• Soft drinks
• Chocolate Milk
• Fruit
• Variety of hot foods
• Ice Cream
• Red Bull

POST RACE

RESULTS
Results can be viewed at the following locations:
• IRONMAN Oceania App
• Event website

No access to online services? Visit our Event Information who can assist.

MEDAL ENGRAVING
Medal engraving is available at the Official IRONMAN Merchandise store. View the Event Schedule (pages 14-17) for times and location. The process takes anywhere from 5 to 25 minutes. Please note all medals must be dropped off and collected at the Official IRONMAN Merchandise Store. No medals will be posted.

LOST & FOUND PROPERTY
Any lost or found property that is handed in will be taken to the Event Information. You can lodge your own lost items here:

Please note: No responsibility or liability is taken by the Race Organisers for lost property.

All lost property will be held for 30 days post event. After this time all left over items will be donated to charity. For any enquiries after the event please contact IRONMAN on 1300 761 384 or westernaustralia@ironman.com
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Cut off – 2 hours 20 mins from athlete’s individuals start time

WARM UP SWIM

Professional & Age Group Athletes: There will be a warm up swim available to the side of the swim starting area.

PROFESSIONAL SWIM START

Professional athletes will start their race in a mass start format from the beach. View the Event Schedule (pages 14-17) for start times.

PHYSICALLY CHALLENGED / INTELLECTUAL DISABILITY SWIM START

Physically Challenged and Intellectually Disability athletes will be communicated to by the Race Director of their start time and process.

If you are a PC/ID athlete and require support, please contact us at westernaustralia@ironman.com or on 1300 761 384.

ROLLING START

View the Event Schedule (pages 14-17) for start times.

For Age Group Athletes, the race start will be a Rolling Swim Start. Athletes are to self-seed themselves into Start Zones prior to race start.

Four different Start Zones are available, depending on an athlete’s expected swim time:

- Zone 1. Under 1hr 5 minutes
- Zone 2. 1hr 5 minutes to 1hr 16 minutes
- Zone 3. 1hr 16 minutes to 1hr 25 minutes
- Zone 4. Over 1hr 25 minutes

Zone signage will be displayed within the Swim Start area. To access the Start Zones, athletes will need to follow the directional signage and instructions of Event Staff.

At the official start time, the Rolling Start will begin with athletes being released in intervals across the start line and timing mat.

As you cross the start, your timing chip will activate, and your individual time will start. The rolling start will continue from Zone 1 to Zone 4 until all athletes have crossed the timing mat and begun the race.

GLASSES DROP/COLLECTION

A glasses drop & collection point will be available at the swim start/swim exit. Please ensure your glasses are labeled with your race number prior to drop off. Where possible drop your glasses at the swim exit collection point. If unable to, a drop off point will be available at swim start.

WETSUIT RULING

Wetsuits will be optional if the water temperature is up to and including 24.5 degrees Celsius and mandatory if the water temperature is below 16 degrees Celsius. See Race Rules on page 5-6 for more information.

A provisional wetsuit ruling will be posted at Athlete Check-In and Event Information on Saturday from 11am. The official wetsuit ruling will be announced race morning by the commentary team.

See Race Rules on pages 11-12 for more information.

Professional athlete wetsuit ruling will vary – see IRONMAN Race Rules.

SWIM CAPS

All Roka swim caps provided will be latex based. If you have a latex allergy, please contact us at westernaustralia@ironman.com or 1300 761 384.
ROKA SWIM COURSE

Cut off – 2 hours & 20 minutes from athlete’s individual start time.

3.8km – Incorporating the superb Busselton Foreshore start that we know that you love, the course sees the swimmers stay closer to shore, meaning less exposure to the weather and better swim conditions. This 2-lap course sees athletes exit the water after the first lap, complete a short run, and re-enter the water to start their second lap.

SWIM SAFETY

Water safety personnel and craft will be located on the water during the swim. They will have relevant equipment and are there to support you should you require.

At any time should you require the assistance of water safety please raise one arm into the air and they will come to your aid. Should at any point in time you decide to abandon the swim, you will be taken to one of the swim extraction points. At this point in time, if required you will be checked over by medical and your timing band removed. If your timing band has been removed, do not attempt to re-enter the race.

SWIM CAPS

All Roka swim caps provided will be latex based. In the case you are allergic, please contact us at westernaustralia@ironman.com or via 1300 761 384.

Click here to view Age Group swim cap colours.
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- Paul, Seattle, WA

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FASTEST IRONMAN SWIMMER ON THE PLANET
Cut off – 10 hours 30mins from athlete’s individual start time

180km – The fast and 2-lap course starts by heading along the coast initially, before entering the spectacular Tuart Forest. There’s great views of both coast and bushland to keep your mind occupied, as well as some great wildlife to keep an eye out for.

Please be aware of the physically challenged athletes that are on the course for the safety of all.

TRAFFIC
Event and personnel vehicles/motorbikes will be out on course during the event.
A STEP AHEAD OF YOUR TRAINING PLAN?

RED BULL GIVES YOU WINGS.
Cut off – 17 hours from athlete’s individual start time

42.2km – The relatively flat 4-lap course heads East before heading back West to pass along the iconic Busselton Jetty. Enjoy views across the amazing Geographe Bay and soak up the atmosphere along the newly redeveloped Busselton Foreshore.

Please be aware of the physically challenged athletes that are on the course for the safety of all.

TRAFFIC
Event and personnel vehicles/motorbikes will be out on course during the event.

NIGHT VISIBILITY
Athletes who are running post sunset will be required to wear glow sticks or provide a suitable alternative to increase athlete visibility. Glow sticks will be provided at the relevant aid station.
PROGRESS HAS NO PAUSE

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CARBON X 3
THE REVOLUTIONARY CARBON RACER, JUST GOT FASTER.

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PRESENTATIONS

View the Event Schedule (pages 14-17) for time and location.

- Age Group - each age group will be awarded 1st-3rd place trophies.
- Professional athletes - will be recognised 1st – 8th place.
- 5-time Finisher Awards.
- Legends Inductions and Milestone Awards.
QUALIFYING SLOTS:

This event offers **50 Female Age Group** Qualifying Slots to the 2024 VinFast IRONMAN World Championship in Nice, France on September 22, 2024, and **20 Male Age Group** Qualifying Slots to the 2024 VinFast IRONMAN World Championship Kailua-Kona, Hawaii, on October 26, 2024.

Please note, slot allocations are subject to change and may be verified, [here](#).

To accept a slot to the 2024 VinFast IRONMAN World Championship, qualified athletes must claim their slot in-person at the Rolldown Ceremony at the advertised time and location, as detailed in the event guide. Photo ID is required to be presented and payment must be made at this point in time.

PAYMENT:

**Male 2024 IRONMAN World Championship, Kona, Hawaii** - USD $1450 (inclusive of taxes and processing fees) / AUD $2275.12

**Female 2024 IRONMAN World Championship, Nice, France** – USD $1450 (inclusive of taxes and processing fees) / AUD $2275.12

• Credit card only (no amex, diners or cash payment).
• Physical card including full card number, expiry date and cvv must be available (no applepay or digital card accepted).
• Only one card accepted (split payment will not be accepted).

HOW DOES THE AGE GROUP SLOT ALLOCATION WORK?

“Age Group” refers to a grouping of athlete peers based on their gender and age range. For example, ‘Male 25-29’ is one Age Group, and ‘Female 25-29’ is another. Your Age Group is determined by your age as of December 31 of the year of the event. For example, if you are Male and turn 25 in 2023, then your Age Group Category for any race in 2023 is M25 – 29.

THE SLOT ALLOCATION PROCESS:

_The following Slot Allocation Process will be conducted for each gender separately:_

**Before race day:**

• Each Age Group with registered athletes is tentatively allocated one slot each (an “Initially Allocated Slot”)

• All other slots available for the race (the “Proportionally Allocated Slots”) are not allocated until race day

**On race day:**

• If there are no starters in an Age Group, then that Age Group’s Initially Allocated Slot is removed and pooled with the Proportionally Allocated Slot

• The Proportionally Allocated Slots are then distributed among all Age Groups based on the number of starters in each Age Group. This allocation is based on the ratio of athletes in each Age Group within the gender, i.e., the more athletes in an Age Group, the more slot allocations they receive

**After the race:**

• **Before Rolldown:**
  • If there are no finishers in an Age Group that had one or more starters, then the Initially Allocated Slot for that Age Group is re-allocated, within the same gender, to the Age Group with the highest ratio of starters to slots

• **During Rolldown:**
  • If any slot allocated to an Age Group is unclaimed (after Roll Down for that Age Group is completed), then that unclaimed slot is re-allocated, within the same gender, to the Age Group with the highest ratio of starters to slots

**OTHER INFORMATION:**

Only Age Group Athletes are eligible to receive Age Group World Championship Qualifying Slots. Athletes holding current Professional or Elite status with any World Triathlon Member National Triathlon Governing Body, WTC’s Pro Membership program or having raced as an elite athlete in any international events during the calendar year, are not eligible for Age Group Slots. Athletes may not at the time of the event, nor at the time of the World Championship event they qualified for, hold Professional or Elite status.

Any change in an athlete’s status prior to any event participation or a qualified World Championship event must be disclosed to WTC immediately. Failure of the athlete to make such disclosure will be cause for disqualification from such event and may result in sanction from WTC Events.
RESTAURANT PROGRAM

The 2023 GWM IRONMAN Western Australia Restaurant Program will return this year from Thursday 30 November to Thursday 7 December.

Collect your $35 voucher when you Check-In, this voucher can then be used at any of the participating restaurants in exchange for a meal or drink.

See this link for more information on the restaurant program or follow the QR code below.

AWARDS FUNCTION

The awards and after party is open to all athletes, friends and families. Athletes upon entry will receive 6 tokens to be used for food &/or beverages. Please ensure you are wearing your athlete wristband to receive the tokens.

No wristband = no entry tokens.

2 token = one food item
1 token = one soft drink
2 tokens = one beer or wine

If you run out of tokens, we will have additional food tokens available for purchase onsite at $35AUD for a set of 6 food tokens. The bar will be accepting cash. Friends and family will be able to purchase tokens also.

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The City offers a place that is relaxed, safe and friendly, supporting healthy lifestyles and wellbeing. Sheltered along the shores of Geographe Bay, Busselton is a perfect location to host this world class event.

With much to do, we hope you have time to enjoy all that the South West region has to offer. You will be spoilt for choice with wineries, micro-breweries, gourmet produce and boutique retail offerings. Our beautiful landscapes, beaches and natural forests are well worth a visit.
VOLUNTEERS & LOC

The 2023 GWM IRONMAN Western Australia event requires the support of over 1,500 volunteers in order to deliver the event.

Our team of Volunteers at the event will be there to assist, support and motivate you from the start to the finish of your IRONMAN journey.

We encourage you to say THANK YOU to the Volunteers whenever possible! Without the Volunteers we wouldn't be able to run any IRONMAN events.

We would also like to thank the Local Organising Committee (LOC) for the hard work and dedication to the event.

OFFICIAL EVENT APP

The IRONMAN Oceania app has everything you need to know as an athlete or a spectator.

Available for both Iphone and Android, the app includes live athlete tracking, race leaderboard, race results, course maps and event schedule.

- Update it to get the latest race info.
- Track the athletes live throughout the course, including their time splits.
- Live leaderboard to keep you up front with who’s in the lead. And you can filter by age group.
- It’s super easy to find and create your own list of your fav athletes to follow.
- You can receive notifications when the athletes you’re following cross key race points.
- Check out the final results post-race.
- Watch live video coverage throughout the day.
- Always know where you are and want to be with interactive maps.
- Event info and clear schedules ensure you know what’s going on, where and when.

Get all the race info and updates in your pocket. Download the IRONMAN Oceania App now!

IRONMAN LIVE

A static camera will be available at the finish line from the first finisher to the last.

You can find IRONMAN Live on the top left-hand corner of the webpage > www.ironman.com and the event name will appear. Alternatively, you can visit Event Information onsite if you need assistance.

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WOMENFORTRI

WomenForTri’s mission is simple: “To identify and diminish primary barriers to entry and mobilize triathlon advocates to encourage and engage female athletes across all distances and representing all athletic abilities.” In keeping with this positive and empowering mindset Women For Tri launched [WHY], which is aimed at focusing on what triathlon adds to your life, not any perceived “barriers.”

#whywetri is all about highlighting your [WHY] in hopes of getting other women thinking about how triathlon can add to their life, too.

View the Event Schedule on page 14-17 for Women For Tri events.

ADDITIONAL EVENTS

- IRONKIDS Busselton

If you have any further questions, please don’t hesitate to contact us at westernaustralia@ironman.com or via 1300 761 384. Our team is here to support you along your IRONMAN journey and we look forward to seeing you at the finish line!

See you soon,

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