# Mackay Aquatic, Sport & Recreational Centre

The new \$24 million dollar Mackay Aquatic, Sport & Recreational Centre commenced development at CQUniversity Mackay's Ooralea Campus in Mackay, Queensland, Australia and is located 7km from the Mackay CBD. The precinct is due for completion in February 2019.



#### **IAAF Class 2 Athletics Facility consisting of:**

- a synthetic surface running track consisting of an eight lane x 400 metre track, a nine lane 113 metre main sprint straight and an eight lane 103 metre secondary sprint straight;
- four long jump pits and two triple jump options;
- a steeplechase water jump;
- one discus circle; •one discus/hammer circle;
- three shot put circles; •two javelin runways;
- two high jump fans;
- one dual pole vaulting runway;

#### **Aquatic Centre consisting of:**

- one 50 metre, 10 lane outdoor heated competition pool;
- one 25 metre, 6 lane covered heated warm-up program pool;
- one 15 metre, 5 lane covered heated pool;



Mackay is one of Queensland's most accessible regional destinations by air, road or rail.

Affordable and frequent air services into Mackay Airport with more than 110 flights to the region each from Brisbane, Rockhampton, Townsville and Cairns - serviced by Virgin Australia, QantasLink and Jetstar airlines. Mackay Airport is located 5km kilometres from the Mackay CBD. Rail access is also available via Queensland Railways "Spirit of Queensland" train service which travels the state's coastline from Cairns to Brisbane and all regions in between.

# **Accommodation Options**

The Mackay Tourism Information link on the event website has a list of accommodation options and contacts

# Looking for more information?











# **EVENT GUIDE**

Mackay, Queensland
Australia

Mackay Aquatic, Sport & Recreational Centre

Saturday 31 August 2019 to Saturday 7 September 2019

(Information as at 26 Sept 2018)

# **Program / Dates**

#### Day 1—Saturday 31 August

Registration

5000m

Weight Throw (Men & Women)

Triple Jump (Men & Women)

#### Day 2—Sunday 1 September

**Opening Ceremony** 

10km Road Walk

Heptathlon—Day 1

Decathlon—Day 1

60m Heats & Finals

800m Heats

Long Hurdles

Hammer (Women)

Discus (Men)

#### Day 3—Monday 2 September

Heptathlon—Day 2

Decathlon—Day 2

800m Finals

**Sprint Hurdles** 

Shot Put (Women)

Hammer (Men)

#### Day 4—Tuesday 3 September

6/8km Cross Country

100m Heats & Finals

200m Heats

5000m Track Walk

Long Jump (Women)

High Jump (Men)

Javelin (Women)

Shot Put (Men)

Formal Dinner

#### Day 5—Wednesday 4 September

**General Assembly** 

#### Day 6—Thursday 5 September

Pentathlon (Men & Women)

200m Finals

400m Heats

Steeplechase

Javelin (Men)

Discus (Women)

Long Jump (Men)

High Jump (Women)

#### Day 7—Friday 6 September

Throws Pentathlon (Men & Women)

400m Finals

3000m Race Walk

1500m

4 x 100m Relays

Medley Relays (800/400/200/200)

Pole Vault (Men and Women)

**Closing Ceremony** 

#### Day 8—Saturday 7 September

Half Marathon

These events have been timetabled on these days but may change due to the number of entries received in events.

## **Event Registration & Fees**

Registrations are taken online on the event website. Refer to the website for closing dates .

Administration Fee AU\$90.00

Entry Fee per Event AU\$10.00

Entry Fee per

Combined Event AU\$20.00

(Heptathlon, Decathlon, Pentathlon, Throw Pentathlon)



Mackay is one of Australia's fastest growing, yet most idyllic regions, where lifestyle and prosperity are the daily currency and the world is increasingly gathering to meet, work and play. A fresh new event destination, Mackay boasts affordable world -class facilities and services with small town hospitality and excellence in customer service.

- Rainforests with Platypus viewing
- Spectacular salt and freshwater fishing
- The sparkling blue of the Pioneer River
- Spot migrating whales
- An impressive marina village with alfresco dining
- Admire Queensland's best collection of art deco architecture (20 lovingly restored heritage listed buildings)
- Southern Hemisphere's largest Coal Export Facility and largest bulk sugar terminal
- The gateway to the mining trail
- 120km from Airlie Beach the gateway to the Great Barrier Reef

### **Climate**

MONTH	MEAN TEMP (C)	HUMIDITY (%)	RAINFALL (MM)
August	22	14	30
September	25	16	15
October	27	20	38