



# EVENT INFORMATION

AUSTRALIAN INTERSCHOOLS



# SURFING CHAMPIONSHIPS

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# ABOUT

**ABOUT THE AUSTRALIAN INTERSCHOOLS SURFING CHAMPIONSHIPS PRESENTED BY BREAKA:**  
THE AUSTRALIAN INTERSCHOOLS SURFING CHAMPIONSHIPS IS OPEN TO ALL SECONDARY SCHOOLS, INCLUDING GOVERNMENT, CATHOLIC AND INDEPENDENT SCHOOLS ACROSS AUSTRALIA, TO COMPETE AND FIELD TEAMS IN EACH DIVISION. SCHOOLS CAN ENTER MULTIPLE TEAMS ACROSS BOYS AND GIRLS DIVISIONS FROM YEAR 7-12 OR JUST ONE TEAM.

THE AUSTRALIAN INTERSCHOOLS SURFING CHAMPIONSHIPS PRESENTED BY BREAKA ARE PROUDLY SUPPORTED BY EXPERIENCE GOLD COAST, BABYBEL, FUJIFILM PHOTOS, SURFERS FOR CLIMATE, BLUEMINDS AND SURFING QUEENSLAND.



# WHATS HAPPENING

SURFING AUSTRALIA AND SURFING QUEENSLAND WELCOMES ALL COMPETITORS TO THE AUSTRALIAN INTERSCHOOLS SURFING CHAMPIONSHIPS PRESENTED BY BREAKA, WHICH WILL BE HELD ON THE STUNNING GOLD COAST IN QUEENSLAND, MAY 14TH – MAY 15TH, 2026.

# WHAT TO EXPECT

THE GOLD COAST IS HOME TO BEACH BREAK AND POINT BREAKS THAT WORK IN A VARIETY OF CONDITIONS. THE MAIN BASES FOR THE EVENT WILL BE MIAMI AND KIRRA, HOWEVER, THE EVENT IS MOBILE WITH NUMEROUS OPTIONS AVAILABLE WITHIN CLOSE PROXIMITY, INCLUDING TUGAN, PALM BEACH, TALLEBUDGERA, AND CURRUMBIN BEACHES. ALL EVENT OPTIONS OFFER A VARIETY OF WAVES THAT WORK IN A VARIETY OF CONDITIONS. EXPECT WAVES IN THE 2-4 FOOT RANGE. EXPECT WATER TEMPS APPROX. 23 - 24C, 2MM SPRINGSUITS/VESTS ARE RECOMMENDED, BUT STEAMERS ARE ALSO ADVISED.



# EVENT SCHEDULE

WEDNESDAY 13TH MAY, 2026

OPENING CEREMONY & BRIEFING

4 PM – 5:30 PM

VENUE: [SOUTHERN CROSS UNIVERSITY – GOLD COAST CAMPUS](#)

THURSDAY 14TH – FRIDAY 15TH, 2026

(COMPETITION WINDOW – MOBILE EVENT – CONDITIONS DEPENDANT)

PRIME VENUES: KIRRA BEACH & MIAMI BEACH, GOLD COAST, QLD

BACKUP VENUES: TUGAN BEACH, TALLEBUDGERA BEACH, CURRUMBIN BEACH, PALM BEACH

EVENT PRESENTATION: ON BEACH 4 PM FRIDAY 15<sup>TH</sup>

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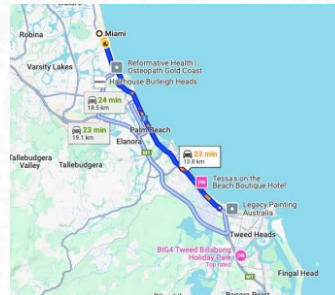
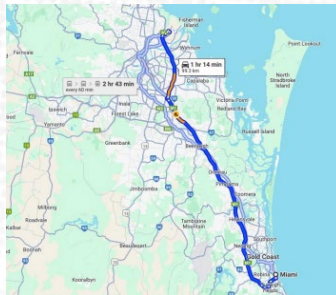
# TRAVEL

THE GOLD COAST IS LOCATED 50 MIN SOUTH OF BRISBANE AND IS A CITY HUB WITH LOADS OF GREAT SURFING OPTIONS.

**BRISBANE AIRPORT – MIAMI BEACH (Prime Comp Site B)**

**GOLD COAST AIRPORT – MIAMI BEACH (Prime Comp Site B)**

**VIEW IN GOOGLE MAPS BY CLICKING IMAGES**



# WHERE TO STAY



Schools and families can receive 15% off their stay at Red Star Hotel Palm Beach by booking direct and using the code REDSTAR1026 at checkout.



# EVENT FORMAT + INFO

THE 2026 AUSTRALIAN INTERSCHOOLS SURFING CHAMPIONSHIPS PRESENTED BY BREAKA WILL UTILISE THE AUSTRALIAN BOARDRIDERS BATTLE FORMAT FROM LAST YEAR'S EVENT DESIGNED BY SURFING AUSTRALIA.

## FORMAT:

### TAG TEAM DIVISIONS

- 3 SURFERS PER TEAM (WITH NOMINATED RESERVES – WHICH CAN INTERCHANGED BETWEEN ROUNDS)
- ONCE NOMINATED, A SURFER CANNOT SURF IN ANOTHER SCHOOL TEAM.
- HEAT TIME IS **30 MINS & BEST 1 WAVE COUNTS** PER SURFER (UNLIMITED WAVE COUNT PER SURFER)
- **ALL TEAM SURFERS MUST START IN THE DESIGNATED BEACH CHANGE-OVER AREA**
- **SURFERS IN THE WATER (1 & 2) CAN RELEASE THE NEXT SURFER BY RAISING BOTH HANDS AT THE END OF THEIR FINAL RIDE**



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## FORMAT CONT'D:

### TAG TEAM DIVISIONS

- **THE FINAL SURFER (3<sup>RD</sup>) MUST RETURN TO THE BEACH AND ENTERS THE CHANGE-OVER ZONE BEFORE THE HEAT TIME EXPIRES**
- **A TEAM WHO FINISHED WITH ALL (3) SURFERS IN THE CHANGE-OVER AREA BEFORE THE HEAT EXPIRES WILL RESULT IN A 3-POINT BONUS TO THE TEAM TOTAL**
- **THERE WILL BE NO PRIORITY IN ALL HEATS**
- **INTERFERENCES WILL BE AS THE 2026 SURFING AUSTRALIA RULE BOOK. THE INTERFERING SURFER WILL HAVE HIS OR HERS HIGHEST COUNTING WAVE HALVED (50%) AND ADDED TO THE TEAM TOTAL**
- **THE BEST RESULT (1) FROM YOUR SCHOOL TEAMS WILL DETERMINE A CHAMPION SCHOOL AND OVERALL PLACING IN EACH DIVISION**
- **RESULTS WILL BE TALLIED ON THE MAIN LEADERBOARD TO DETERMINE THE TOP OVERALL SCHOOL CHAMPION**



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## DIVISIONS

SENIOR GIRLS TEAMS DIVISION – YEAR 10, 11 & 12 STUDENTS

SENIOR BOYS TEAMS DIVISION – YEAR 10, 11 & 12 STUDENTS

JUNIOR GIRLS TEAMS DIVISION – YEAR 7, 8 & 9 STUDENTS

JUNIOR BOYS TEAMS DIVISION – YEAR 7, 8 & 9 STUDENTS

COST: \$450 + GST PER TEAM (FIVE SURFERS = \$99 EACH / THREE SURFERS = \$165 EACH)

THIS EVENT WILL BE USING A DOUBLE BANK SYSTEM

BOTH BANKS WILL BE SCORED BY A COMPLETE JUDGING PANEL

BOTH BANKS WILL BE RUNNING ON LIVEHEATS

ALL DIVISIONS SHOULD BE PREPARED TO SURF ON BOTH DAYS OF THE COMPETITION

[EVENT WEBSITE](#) | [EVENT ENTRY PORTAL](#)



# RULEBOOK & EVENT WEBSITE

CLICK ON RULEBOOK IMAGE TO ACCESS THE 2026 SURFING AUSTRALIA RULEBOOK



# KEY CONTACTS

## EVENT MANAGEMENT CONTACTS:

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BROADBEACH POLICE STATION – (07) 5581 2800

## EVENT WHATSAPP & EVENT UPDATES:

JOIN WHATSAPP GROUP – DAILY CALL POSTED AFTER  
6:30 PM EACH DAY

[LIVE EVENT WEBSITE – LIVE SCORES & RESULTS,  
INFO, NEWS, GALLERY & VIDEOS](#)

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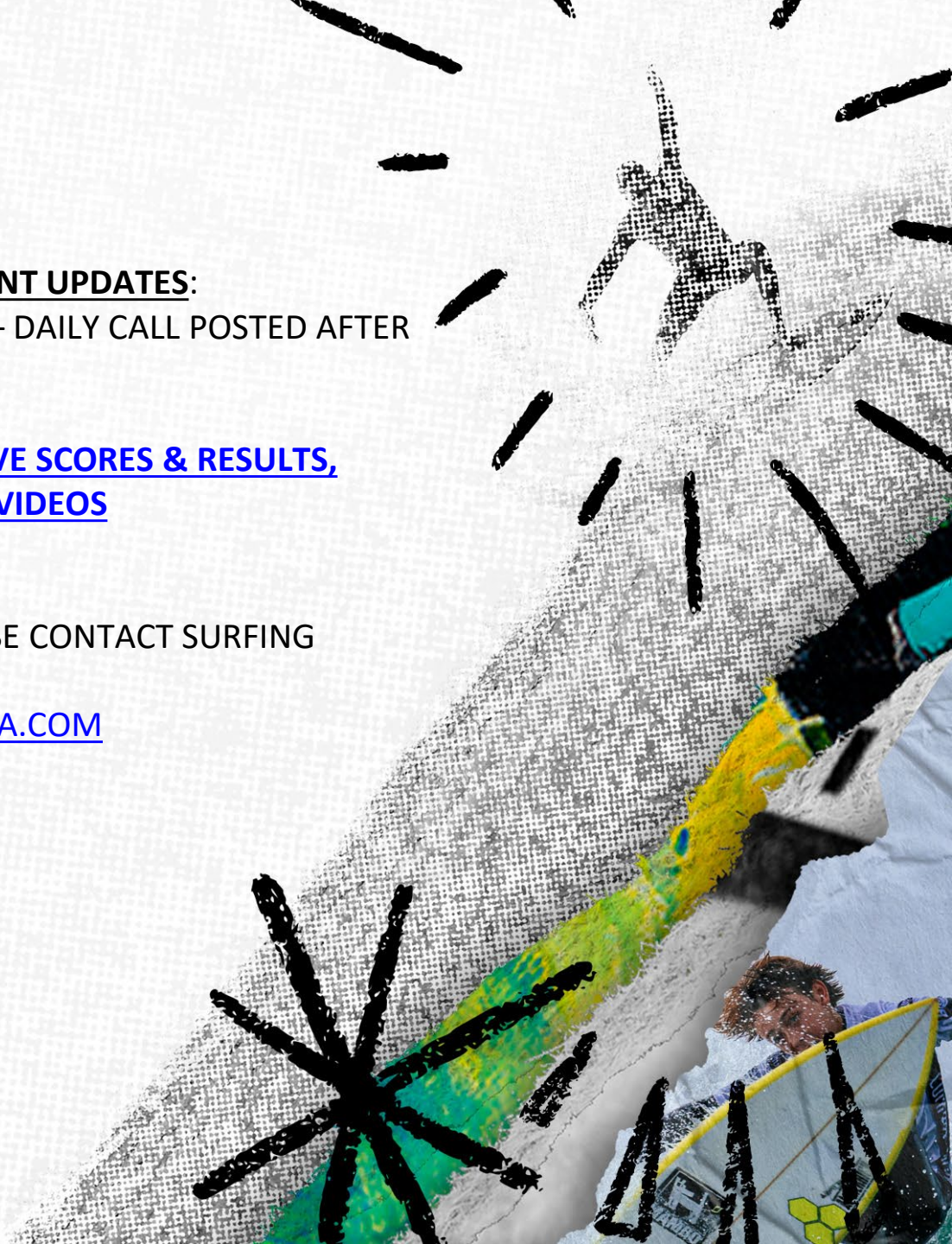
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