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SCHOOLS CHALLENGE

SUNDAY 31 MAY 2026

Join the exciting Schools Challenge!

For the chance to win a cash prize for your school

We are delighted to announce that the School Challenge with continue in 2026!

This event is open to all schools and provides an opportunity for students and their greater school community to race against other schools outside of existing school cross country events.

The Finer Details:

- Participants may choose to compete in the 2.5km, 5km or 10km runs.
- The top 10 placed participants (aged 18 and under) in each race will receive bonus points for their school team
- Schools Challenge runners are also eligible to win Logan Fun Run overall and age group prizes in their chosen distance.
- School teams are also eligible to win Logan Fun Run novelty team awards.
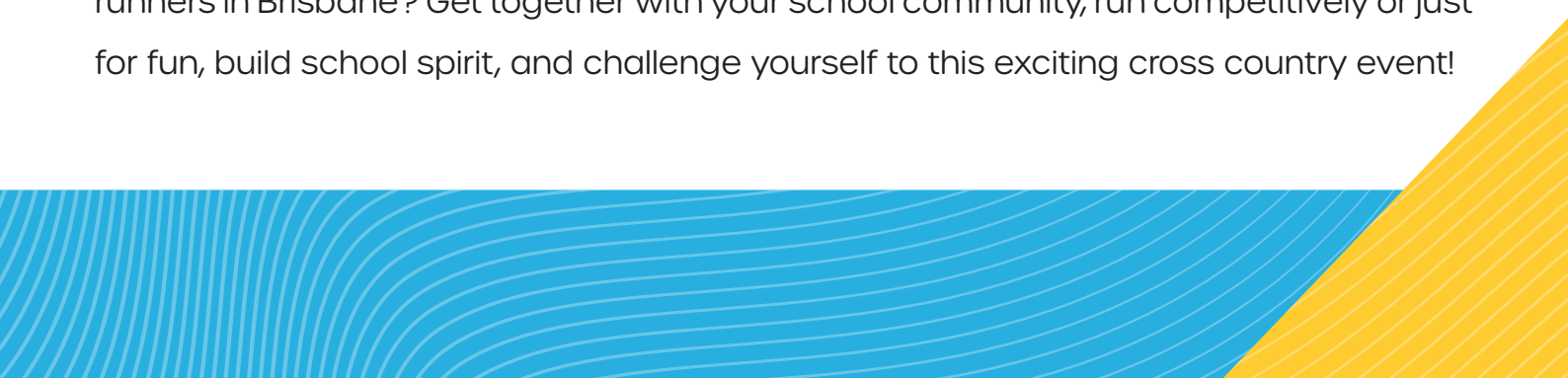
Who can join?

Anybody within the school community can join the school team (students, teachers, parents, siblings etc), one point is awarded for every team member in a school team.

Students will register as School Challenge runners in their chosen distance and join the school team, while teachers, family and friends will register in their chosen distance and join the school team.

How do you Win?

The school with the highest number of points at the end of the event will be awarded the Schools Challenge Champion and take home the cash prize.

Which school will walk away with the bragging rights of having the best cross country runners in Brisbane? Get together with your school community, run competitively or just for fun, build school spirit, and challenge yourself to this exciting cross country event!

POINTS AND PRIZE

Category	Results	Points		
		2.5km	5km	10km
School Team Member	Any participant registered in a school team.	1 Point per person	1 Point per person	1 Point per person
Final Placings* (Male/Female)	1st Place	15	20	25
	2nd Place	14	18	22
	3rd Place	13	16	18
	4th Place	11	14	16
	5th Place	9	12	14
	6th Place	8	10	12
	7th Place	7	8	10
	8th Place	5	6	8
	9th Place	3	4	5
	10th Place	2	3	4

*Note: Only participants aged 18 and under are eligible for bonus points based on placing in their chosen distance

Category	Results	Prize
Schools Challenge Team	Team with the highest points at the end of the event	$1000

WIN $1000 CASH PRIZE

BENEFITS TO GETTING YOUR SCHOOL INVOLVED IN THE SCHOOLS CHALLENGE

An opportunity:

- To win cash for your school and for individual runners
- To build school spirit through engagement with the school community
- For families to compete together
- To build awareness of your school within the Greater Brisbane community
- To engage with the Greater Brisbane community
- For representative students to gain race experience before representing the school at the next cross country event
- For students who did not make representative teams to run as part of a school team and gain race experience

HOW TO GET YOUR SCHOOL INVOLVED IN THE SCHOOLS CHALLENGE

1. Nominate a team captain to set up your team in Race Roster, our registration system (scan Qr code on how to set up a team)

2. Create a team under your school's name

3. Share the team URL to anyone interested in being a part of the team or registrants can pick the team name from a drop down menu when registering.

4. Encourage as many of your school community to be involved in the event, your team will receive one point for every team member registered and points based on your results on the day, so the bigger your team the better your chance of walking away as the Schools Challenge Champion

COSTS

Students pay their own registration (set price inclusive of team 10% discount, available for the full registration period)

Distance	Per Child
2.5 KM	$41
5 KM	$61
10 KM	$71

School Community runners will pay the registration fee, current at the time of registration, and receive the **10% team discount** when the join the school team during registration.

TEAM CAPTAIN

- Will create the team within the registration system for all runners to join

- Will be a key point of contact to receive important event information pre-event

- Can view team participants to see numbers of team members etc

Schools can be as hands on or hands off with team management as they would like. Once the team is set up in the system, runners can register individually and self-manage their event day experience. Team managers can do bulk race kit collection, set up a school marquee and manage runners on the day. Schools can choose to have runners participating in school colours or runners can self-manage their running attire. The choice is up to each school.

Each registered runner will receive all important event day information via email and can deal directly with Griffith Sport to manage any registration questions or changes.

If you have any questions about the Schools Challenge, please contact **sportevents@griffith.edu.au**