

# the **TAX** centre



**MAY 24<sup>TH</sup>, 2026**

## **EVENT INFORMATION BOOKLET**



**KIDS 400M**

**KIDS 2KM**

**3.5KM**

**7KM**

# BIB COLLECTION

**FRIDAY 22<sup>ND</sup> OF MAY**

10:00A.M. - 4:00 P.M. ( TAX CENTRE)

**SATURDAY 23<sup>RD</sup> OF MAY**

10:00 A.M - 4:00 P.M. ( TAX CENTRE )

**SUNDAY 24<sup>TH</sup> OF MAY**

FROM 6:00 A.M. (DON RIVER RAILWAY)



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**7KM | 3.5 KM | 2KM | KIDS 400M**



# TIMETABLE OF EVENTS

8:00 A.M - 3.5KM

9:00 A.M - 7KM

10:00 A.M- 2KM

10:30 AM - KIDS 400M



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# The Great Train Race schedule



## 3.5 km Great Train Race. ( Spectators board same train )

7:15 a.m. - 3.5 km participants can the board train

7:30 a.m. - 3.5 km participants train leaves the Don River Railway and makes it way to Coles Beach.

7:45 a.m. – The train arrives at Coles Beach

8:00 a.m. – 3.5 km event starts and runners make their way to Don River Railway.

## 7 km Spectator Train

8:45 a.m. spectators can board the train

9:00 a.m. sharp the train leaves station and make it way from Don River Railway to Coles Beach. and return.

## 7 km Great Train Race

9:00 a.m. – 7 km event Starts at the Don River Railway and participants make their way to Coles Beach and return to Don River Railway. (out and back)

## 2km Great Train Race

10:00 a.m. – 2 km Kids race starts from Don River Railway and turns half way along the zig zag Don walking track (1 km) and returns back to Don River Railway. (out and back)

## 400m Kids Great Train Race

10:30 a.m. – 400m kids race starts from Don River Railway and turns just before the Don Cricket Club nets and returns back to railway. (out and back)

## Presentations

11:00 a.m. – Presentations and Random draw inside the Don River Railway Courtyard.

End of programme.

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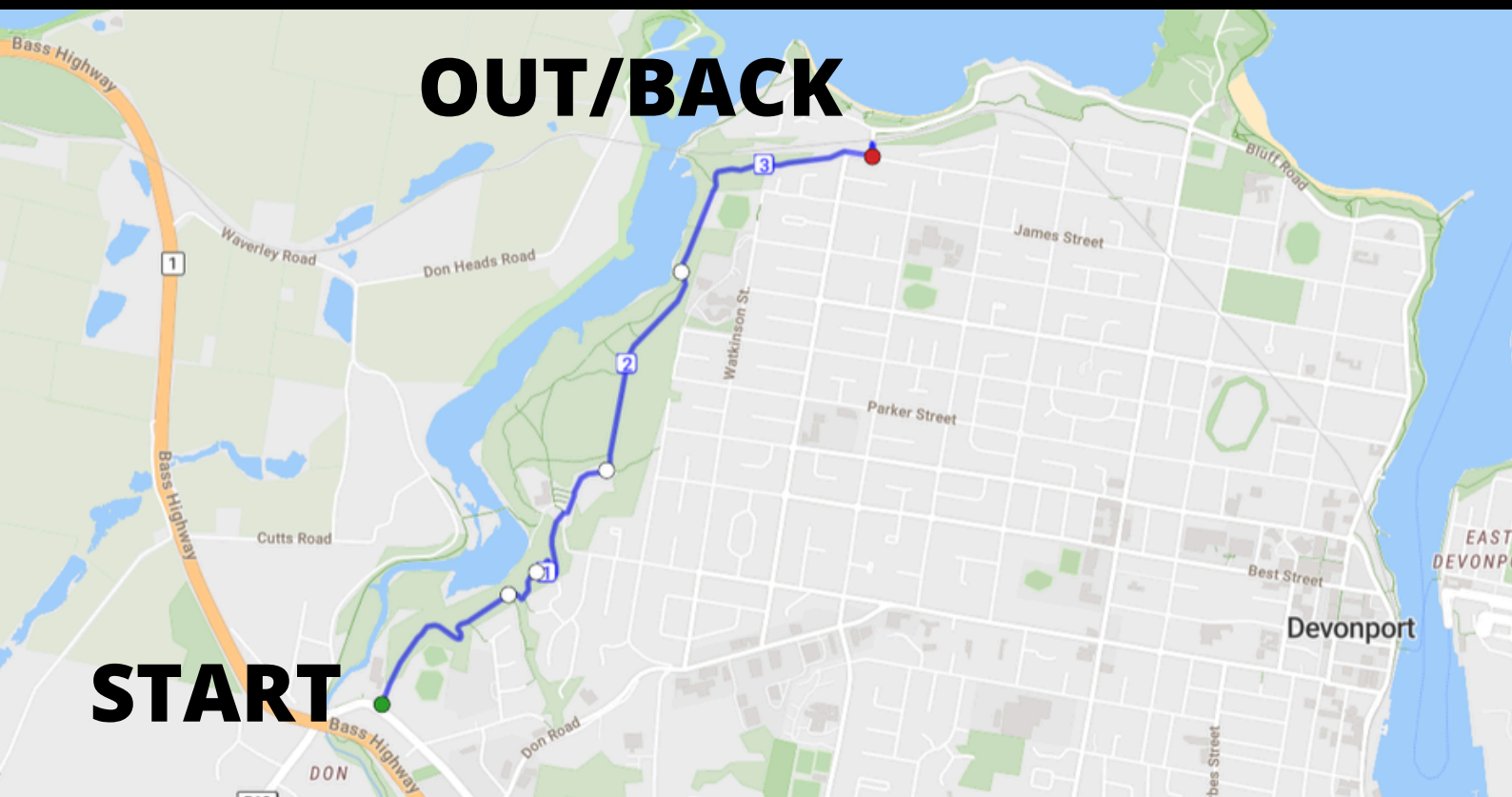
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# BAG DROP

**Yes, you will be able to safely leave your bags during the event while you are running or walking.**

**For the 3.5km event, bags can be left on the train and will be transported safely back to the start/finish area.**

**For the 7km event, bags can be left at the designated bag drop gazebo located at the start/finish line, where volunteers will supervise them during the event.**

**To use the bag drop service, please remove the tear-off tag from your race bib and attach it securely to your bag before leaving it.**

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# SPECTATOR TRAIN TICKETS

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BOTH THE 3.5KM AND 7KM EVENTS

**\$15:00** plus processing fee





# GUARDIAN WRIST BAND

## CAN PARENTS/GUARDIANS RUN WITH THEIR CHILD?

Parents and guardians can run free of charge, but will be required to wear a wristband. You will be able to pick this up at bib collection or on race day.

**Note - parents or guardians will not be eligible for a medal unless they registered in the event they are running in with their child.**



# ULTRA

10KM | 21.1 KM | 42.2KM | 64KM | 100KM



**OCTOBER 4TH, 2026**

**ENTRIES NOW OPEN**

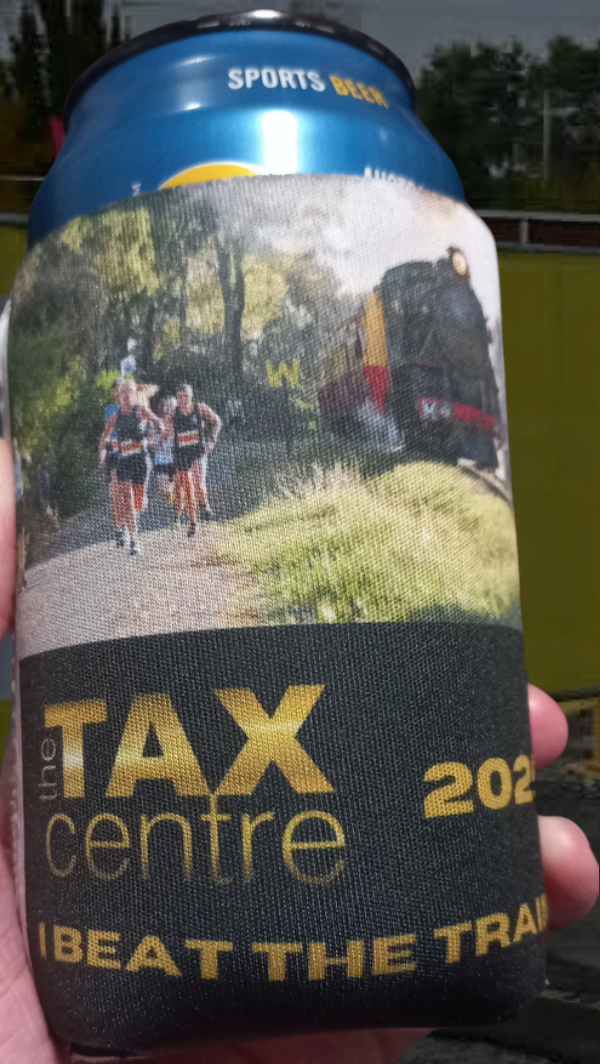
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# WHAT TIME DO I HAVE TO RUN TO BEAT THE TRAIN ??

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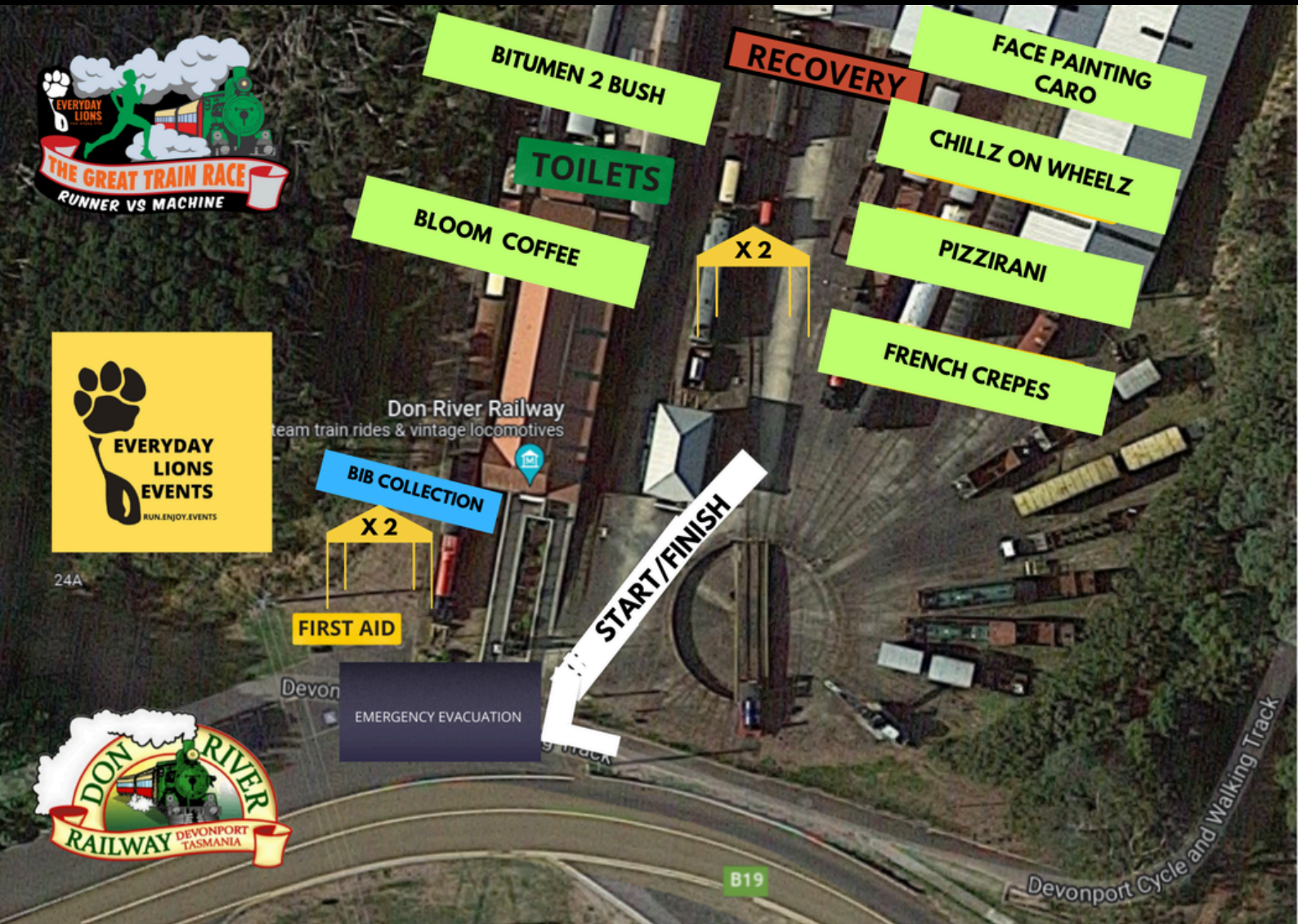


**ALL PARTICIPANTS THAT  
BEAT THE TRAIN WILL  
RECEIVE A DRINK HOLDER**

**7KM - 32 MINUTES  
3.5 KM - 15 MINUTES**

- **ONLY 7KM AND 3.5 KM EVENTS, IF THE TRAIN HAS MECHANICAL ISSUES , THE FINISH TIME IS DECIDED BY EVERYDAY LIONS EVENTS CLOCK , NOT WHEN THE TRAIN FINISHES**

# SITEMAP



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# 3.5KM START

# TOILETS

The toilets, including accessible are situated at the Don hall, Don River Railway and Don Rugby Club

These will be available from 6:30 a.m until 12:00 p.m. event day.



# LATE ENTRIES

Online entries can be taken 45 MINUTES before any of our events starting

You can enter via [www.thegreattrainrace.com](http://www.thegreattrainrace.com)



# SOCIAL MEDIA

We ask for you to use #ruunermachine2026 if you post about our event on either Instagram or Facebook.

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# PACING & FOOT SOLDIERS

## Great Train Race

TRR ANGELS + FOOT SOLDIER



### 7 km Event

4:35-45 min/km ("Train")

5:00 min/km (35 min)

6:00 min/km (42 min)

6:30 min/km (45:30 min)

Foot Soldier (they come last, so you don't have to!)



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# PARKING



**Please refrain from parking at Don Market during our event. This is reserved for market patrons and stall holders.**



**We have allocated parking at the Don Cricket, Rugby Car park and the Don railway station. (Accessible parking available)**

**Please respect our request.**

**Thank you, Everyday Lions Events**



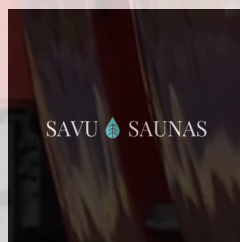
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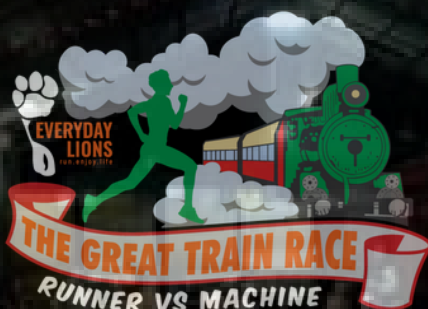


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