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Dear Resident or Business

## 2019 CADEL EVANS GREAT OCEAN ROAD RACE – EVENT NOTIFICATION

The City of Greater Geelong is once again proudly hosting the Cadel Evans Great Ocean Road Race from Friday 25 January to Sunday 27 January 2019.

We are writing to advise you that there will be changed traffic conditions in your area during the event. We have enclosed an event **Fact Sheet** and **Course Map** which provides you with a summary of the event schedule, the roads to be used for each of the courses and the estimated time the event is likely to pass through your area.

Again in 2019, the course travels through Barwon Heads, past Thirteenth Beach, Torquay and Bells Beach before heading into the hinterland to Moriac. Cyclists head back to Geelong via Barrabool and Ceres, before riding parts of the 2010 UCI Road World Championship and UCI Women's World Cup courses including Highton, Manifold Heights and Drumcondra.

The UCI WorldTour sanctioned Men's Road Race (Sunday only) will finish with a further three laps of a challenging Geelong circuit. Cyclists will race through Central Geelong via Yarra Street and the river end of Moorabool Street to Highton, Manifold Heights and along the Geelong Waterfront.

For some properties on the course, the races will pass by on both Saturday and Sunday. For others, the racing will only be in your area on Sunday afternoon and will pass by 4 times over a 2-3 hour period.

For most parts of the course, local access will be maintained wherever possible, other than during the short periods that the race will pass by your location for approximately 15 –20 minutes. Emergency access is a priority and will always take precedence over the event.

The course has many crossing points for both vehicles and pedestrians. This race does not require a fully closed course and therefore major intersections along the course will continue to operate normally, with the exception of when the race is passing by. General public traffic will be restricted on the course itself, however vehicles will be able to cross the course roads at most intersections.



To allow safe passage for the riders and to keep the course clear for the rolling road closure, there will be parking restrictions on the course roads. We will be asking you to park your vehicles off the road in private driveways or side streets on the event days. If you are located on the course and park in your driveway, you will still be able to enter and exit your property while the race is on under the guidance of traffic marshals, other than when the race is passing by.

Please note in 2019 there will be changes to the traffic management arrangements on Barwon Heads Road and Thirteenth Beach Road. Please read the enclosed Fact Sheet for further details, if you plan to travel in this area on Saturday 26th January.

Detailed event and traffic information is available on the event website [www.cadelroadrace.com](http://www.cadelroadrace.com) and will be regularly updated with the latest information as the event draws closer. All efforts are being made to minimise the impacts to those residents and businesses located on the course and therefore the traffic planning will continue to be fine-tuned right up to the event. Using the information on the enclosed map, on the website and planning your travel times accordingly will help you minimise delays.

There are many ways you can be a part of the Cadel Evans Great Ocean Road Race weekend;

- Have you considered Volunteering? With fundraising opportunities available for groups & clubs, it's a great way to be a part of the race and kick start your 2019 fundraising efforts.
- Find your greatness in the 2019 Swisse People's Ride! Ride alongside Cadel Evans as we celebrate 10 years since he raced to UCI Road World Championship victory on a special Australia Day edition on Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> Jan.
- Back in 2019 bigger than ever – Join us on the Geelong Waterfront on Friday 25<sup>th</sup> Jan for a safe and fun twilight edition of our iconic Vegemite Family Ride. After the ride, stick around for Elite Men's and Women's Team Presentations, family activities and giveaways.
- In addition to cheering on the cyclists as they pass by your 'roadside best seat in the house', catch the rest of the race(s) on the Seven Network across Saturday and Sunday.
- Dress up your house and invite your mates over for a bbq to be in the running to win some great prizes.
- Head to one of the key spectator locations and enjoy the race amongst other fans at Challambra Climb, Barwon Heads or the Waterfront!

You can find more information on all of these options at [www.cadelroadrace.com](http://www.cadelroadrace.com). Stay connected to the Cadel Evans Great Ocean Road Race through Facebook, Twitter, Instagram and the website.

If you have any questions regarding access or travel during the event, please contact the event organisers Sport Projects via email at [traffic@cadelevansgreatoceanroadrace.com.au](mailto:traffic@cadelevansgreatoceanroadrace.com.au), or call the event help line on 0400 076 093.

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# TRAFFIC ALTERATIONS & ROLLING ROAD CLOSURE TIMES

## SURF COAST LOOP

FOR MORE INFORMATION  
PLEASE REFER TO INSET



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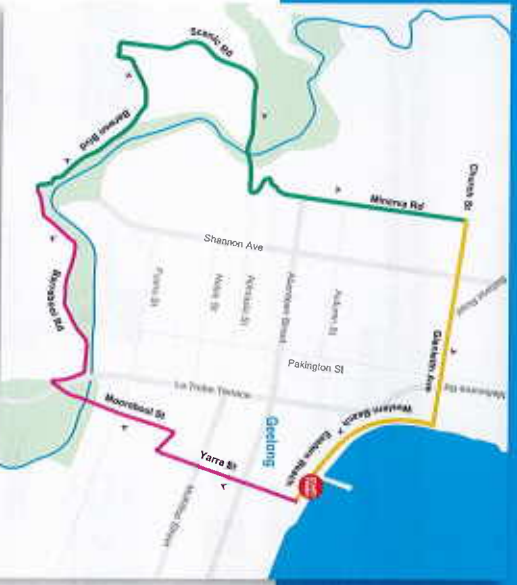
### Swisse People's Ride Saturday 26 Jan

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Details:

- The Barwon Heads bound lane only of Barwon Heads Road between Breakwater Rd & Golf Links Rd will be **CLOSED** to traffic between 7:00am and 9:30am.
- The Surf Coast bound lane only of Thirteenth Beach Rd between Bluff Rd and Blackrock Rd will also be **CLOSED** to traffic between 7:30am and 10:00am.
- Detours will be in place via Bellarine Hwy and Lower Dunedel Rd via Surf Coast Hwy to get to Barwon Heads.

## GEELONG CIRCUIT



## SURF COAST LOOP

Estimated arrival of rolling road closures for elite road races:

SATURDAY 26 JAN & SUNDAY 27 JAN	11:00 - 13:00
Eastern Beach Rd > Hearne Pde > Ryrie St > Boundary Rd Fellmongers Rd > Barwon Heads Rd	
SATURDAY 26 JAN & SUNDAY 27 JAN	11:30 - 13:45
Barwon Heads Rd > Hitchcock Ave > Bridge Rd > Ewing Blythe Dr - Thirteenth Beach Rd > Black Rock Rd Brearlea Rd > Blackgate Rd	
SATURDAY 26 JAN & SUNDAY 27 JAN	12:00 - 14:15
Horseshoe Bend Rd > The Esplanade > Bell St > Great Ocean Rd > Bells Blvd > Bells Beach Rd > Jarostite Rd	
SATURDAY 26 JAN & SUNDAY 27 JAN	12:30 - 14:45
Great Ocean Rd > Forest Rd	
SATURDAY 26 JAN & SUNDAY 27 JAN	12:50 - 15:00
Larcombes Rd > Hendy Main Rd > Cape Otway Rd > Hendy Main Rd	
SATURDAY 26 JAN & SUNDAY 27 JAN	13:10 - 15:30
Barrabool Rd (joins the Geelong Circuit at Mt Pleasant Rd)	
SUNDAY 27 JAN	13:30 - 15:30
Yarra St > Carr St > Moorabool St > Barrabool Rd	
SATURDAY 26 JAN SUNDAY 27 JAN	14:45 - 15:45 13:20 - 15:45
Mt Pleasant Rd > Barwon Blvd > Challambra Cres > Westbury Toe > The Ridge > Scenic Rd > Queens Park Rd > Melville Ave > Minerva Rd	
SATURDAY 26 JAN SUNDAY 27 JAN	15:00 - 16:00 13:25 - 16:00
Church St > Glenleith Ave > The Esplanade > Western Beach Rd > Eastern Beach Rd	

## EVENT DATES

DATE	EVENT	START TIME
Fri 25 Jan 2019	Vegemite Family Ride	16:30
Sat 26 Jan 2019	Swisse People's Ride	07:00
Sat 26 Jan 2019	Deakin University Elite Women's Race	12:25
Sun 27 Jan 2019	Elite Men's UCI WorldTour Race	11:10

\*Please note the full Geelong Circuit is only applicable on Sunday 27 Jan

## INTRO

The Cadel Evans Great Ocean Road Race is Australia's premier weekend of cycling. It is a UCI sanctioned WorldTour event, which will bring together the world's best male and female teams to one iconic location to compete in Australia's modern version of the European Classic race. Former world champion and Australia's only Tour de France winner, Cadel Evans will once again generously share his enduring love of cycling by participating in the Swiss People's Ride.

The City of Greater Geelong and the Surf Coast Shire Council are pleased to extend their support again in 2019, as we celebrate ten years since Cadel won his UCI Road World Championship.

## ELITE MEN'S AND DEakin UNIVERSITY ELITE WOMEN'S RACE

- » Victoria Police will facilitate a rolling road closure for these races, which reduces the impact of the event. Vehicles will not be able to travel on or cross the route while the rolling road closures passes through. Delays of 15-20 minutes are expected.
  - » The course roads must be free of traffic as the race approaches. Therefore, vehicle access on the busier course roads on the Geelong Circuit will be restricted to local access only. All other traffic will be directed to use alternate routes or side roads.
  - » It is expected that traffic on the Geelong Circuit roads will be restricted for approximately one hour on Saturday and approximately a two to three hour period on Sunday.
  - » Latrobe Terrace (Princes Hwy) in Geelong and the Geelong Ring Road will remain open at all times during the weekend to ensure north/south traffic movements through the City of Greater Geelong are maintained.
  - » Pedestrian access will be maintained at all times during the events via existing footpaths. Where roads are closed for short periods, access across roads will be via marshalled course crossing points.
  - » It is advised to allow extra travel time during the weekend in case you experience short delays whilst travelling near the courses.
  - » The rolling road closure will be supported by some fixed road closures to assist in keeping the course roads free of traffic when the race is coming through. These additional road closures will be in Geelong, Barwon Heads and Torquay on most side streets where they intersect with the course. All major intersections remain open, except when the race passes by.
  - » If you are travelling along a course road as a rolling road closure comes through, you will be stopped by the lead police vehicle and asked to park in a safe area on the side of the road.
  - » Once the race has passed the rear police car will inform you that it is safe for you to move off.
  - » In order to safely deliver a world-class cycling event, the routes must be secure and vehicle-free. There will be restricted parking on any road which the course travels along. To assist, please ensure you park your car either on a driveway if available or on a side street off the course.
  - » There will be changes to public transport services on Saturday and Sunday and customers are advised to check the PTV website for further updates: <https://www.ptv.vic.gov.au/news-and-events/events/>
- All towns will remain open and accessible including Barwon Heads, Torquay and Moriac, with the exception of when the race passes through for a maximum of 15 - 20 minutes.

## SWISS PEOPLE'S RIDE

» This is a recreation ride and is not a race, with cyclists adhering to normal road rules. There will be minor changed traffic conditions in some areas, such as traffic diversions, lane closures, reduced speed limits and intersection management.

### » Please note there are changed traffic conditions for 2019.

- The Barwon Heads bound lane only of Barwon Heads Road between Breakwater Rd & Golf Links Rd will be closed to traffic between 7.00am and 9.30am.
- The Surf Coast bound lane only of Thirteenth Beach Rd between Bluff Rd and Blackrock Rd will also be closed to traffic between 7.30am and 10.00am.
- Refer to map on the otherside for further details.

» Due to the large number of cyclists on the roads during this event, please take extra care when driving and allow extra travel time.

## VEGEMITE FAMILY RIDE

- » The Family Ride is back in 2019. Join Cadel Evans, elite riders and other local celebrities for the ride along the Geelong Waterfront.
- » After the ride, enjoy the festival at Steampacket Gardens Event Village including family activities, team presentations, giveaways and food stalls.

## EMERGENCY ACCESS

Emergency access will be maintained at all times. In an emergency please call 000.

## GET INVOLVED

Fans are encouraged to get out their BBQ's, don their best costumes and decorate their house while cheering on cycling's elite across the Australia Day weekend! Stay tuned for more information regarding our live sites across the course.

To participate, to volunteer or to find out how you can support this event please visit [www.cadelroadrace.com](http://www.cadelroadrace.com).

## CONTACT US

**THERE ARE MANY WAYS TO RECEIVE EVENT UPDATES. GET THE LATEST TRAFFIC AND TRANSPORT ADVICE OR TO CONTACT US FOR FURTHER INFORMATION;**



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# 2019 BUSINESS AND RESIDENT FACT SHEET



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