



Community Open Training Protocol

Training Protocol

This training protocol has been developed by the Centennial Park and Moore Park Trust to assist users of ES Marks Athletics Stadium and the Trust to maintain a safe and healthy environment for all users. The stadium is a multipurpose facility and the Trust will do all within its powers to ensure it remains available to all activity requests that are deemed to be suitable. This protocol should be considered to be a part of the conditions of use associated with the open training program. The Trust reserves the right to remove any persons found not adhering to this protocol, or any other conditions of use which in turn has created an unsafe facility.

Group sizes

Groups no larger than 50 people are permitted at Open Training. For groups that exceed 50 people, a booking must be made with the Sport and recreation department outside of Open Training Hours. Please contact our office using the contact details below.

Throwing

Throwing events are inherently dangerous. To minimise the risk of personal injury the Trust has adopted very strict policies regarding undertaking throwing activities at the stadium.

Shot Put

The throwing of shot Put during training is restricted to the practice throwing circles located outside the running track at the northern end of the Stadium.

Javelin and Discus

During Open Training periods or when the venue is shared is not permitted. The throwing of javelins and discus for training is permitted under strict supervision by a qualified safety officer when the stadium is booked exclusively for athletics training or competition. During training javelin is restricted to the southern throwing sector (please see attached map).

Hammer Throw

The throwing of hammer at the Stadium is prohibited at all times.

Sprinting

On occasions groups will hire the in-field during periods of non-exclusive use. When sprint training along the eastern straight occurs at that time, there exists a risk of collision between athletes. As such, the Trust will impose some restrictive conditions upon these bookings to mitigate the risk. This may include directing sprint training to the western straight or refusing the availability of the venue to sprint training during in-field use.

Respect Other Users

Respect the wellbeing, possessions and space of other athletes.

Follow Instructions

Follow any instructions given by the Trust or its representatives. This might be from a Parklands Ranger, Facility Attendant, or from signage posted around the Stadium.

Open Night Training Protocol

Infield

Infield usage is not permitted for sprint training, laps or other athletics style activities during Open Night Training. Patrons must train on the specified training areas in the below map.

Incident Reporting

Report any incidents or potential incidents witnessed directly to the Facility Attendant located near the entry gate. Incidents are taken seriously by the Trust as it strives to ensure the highest standard of safety and quality.

Hazard Reporting

Damaged equipment can create safety hazards or affect the operation of the venue. All hazards observed must be reported to the Facility Attendant ASAP.

First Aid

A first aid qualified person is available to assist you should you receive an injury. If in need of first aid ask your hiring organisation or Facility Attendant.

Coach Qualifications

All people providing coaching at the stadium must be either an accredited coach or be working under the direct supervision of an accredited coach. Coaching accreditation must be recognised under the National Coaching Accreditation Scheme implemented by the Australian Coaching Council. All coaches must be nominated at the time of hire and show proof of insurance. Any individual coach wishing to provide coaching and not nominated under a hire agreement must apply for permission.

Parking

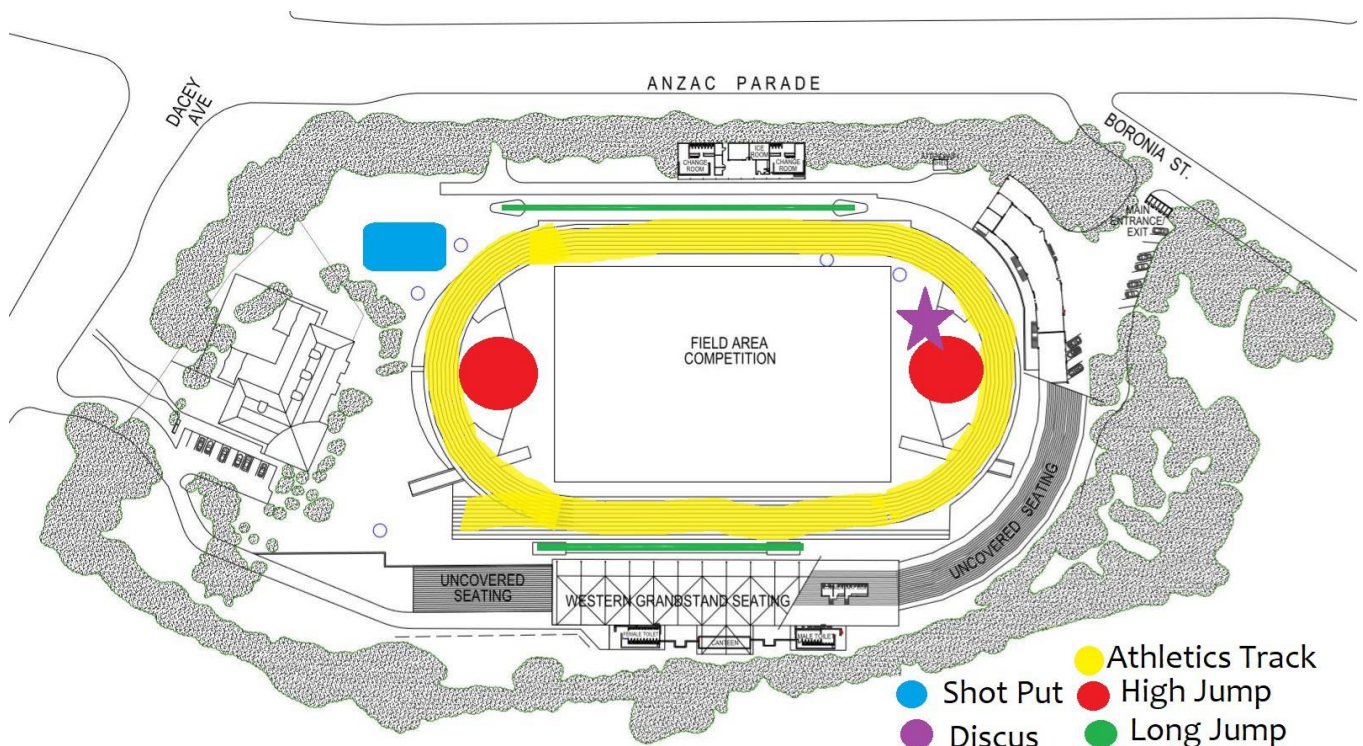
All vehicle parked within the facility must be parked within marked parking spaces unless otherwise approved by the Trust. No person is permitted to drive and or park a vehicle in an area that is not normally permitted unless approval has been given in writing by the Trust. Any persons found not to be complying with parking conditions may be issued an infringement notice.

Authorised Hirers

Athletes are not permitted to use the venue without a booking, or as a legitimate fee paying casual hirer.

Obstructing Other Athletes

Care should be taken when training as to not obstruct other athletes. Do not walk on the track or runway without looking both ways to check that an event is not being conducted or athlete is approaching at speed.



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