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**PACIFIC AIRSHOW GOLD COAST
14-16 AUGUST 2026****1. INTRODUCTION**

- 1.1 The Pacific Airshow Gold Coast 2026 (PAGC26) will be held during the period Friday 14 to Sunday 16 August 2026, with additional restrictions on Thursday 13 August. The use of surrounding airspace, aerodromes and facilities vary from those published in AIP Charts, DAP and ERSA.

Note: The airspace surrounding the Gold Coast will become extremely congested and a high degree of airmanship and situational awareness will be required by pilots.

- 1.2 Temporary Restricted Areas (TRA) will be declared, and specific air traffic services and procedures defined (refer Section 6 and Appendices 1 and 2).
- 1.3 Transit flights through the restricted areas will not normally be permitted. Emergency traffic requiring operations in the restricted areas will be processed according to their priority requirements.
- 1.4 All operations within the TRA during this period require prior permission from Pacific Airshow.
- 1.5 In the weeks leading up to PAGC26, further briefing material (photographs and diagrams) will be available on the Pacific Airshow website: <https://pacificairshowaus.com/>.
- 1.6 Consistent with other AIP products, unless otherwise stated, all altitudes published in this SUP are AMSL.
- 1.7 Unless marked otherwise, all times used in this document are Local Times.

2. SIGNIFICANT ISSUES GOLD COAST 2026

2.1 TRA designated R930ABCDE and associated operational restrictions and procedure changes will be active from:

a) 1030-1530 on 13 August (Local time)

Note: R930 A and B active.

b) 1000-1700 on 14-16 August (Local time).

Note: Refer Appendix 1 and 2 for TRA volume, height and other details.

2.2 Airshow procedures apply.

3. FLY IN ELIGIBILITY AND PRIOR PERMISSION

3.1 The event organiser is Pacific Airshow.

3.2 Contact Pacific Airshow for eligibility and prior permission at:

PH: 0407 952 795

Email: info@pacificairshow.com

Website: <https://pacificairshowaus.com/>

4. GOLD COAST (YBCG), BRISBANE (YBBN) AND SURROUNDING AIRSPACE IMPACTS

4.1 Operations to and from YBCG, YBBN and surrounding airspace during the period 13 to 16 August will be impacted for the duration of the display events inside the TRA.

4.1.1 Multiple aircraft performing at PACG26 will be transiting between Gold Coast (YBCG), Southport (YSPT), Brisbane (YBBN), Amberley (YAMB), Ballina/Byron Gateway (YBNA) and Williamtown (YWLM) both OCTA and within CTA.

4.1.2 Performing aircraft may be entering the PACG26 TRA transiting OCTA via YSPT, ROTC (VFR waypoint: Robina Town Centre) or from over water.

4.1.3 Performing aircraft may be exiting the PACG26 TRA transiting via PRP (VFR waypoint: Porpoise Point) or from over water OCTA.

- 4.2 The following operational restrictions will be in force due to the inability to guarantee a required buffer zone with the 3NM TRA:
- 4.2.1 YBCG Standard Instrument Departures (SID) and Instrument Approach Procedures (IAP)
- a) RNP Z RWY 14 Not Available
 - b) RNP W RWY 14 (AR) Not available
 - c) ILS or LOC-Z RWY 14 Not Available
 - d) NDB or VOR RWY 14 Not Available
 - e) DME or GNSS Arrival Sector A Not Available
 - f) DME or GNSS Arrival Sector B reference NDB Not Available
 - g) RNP Z RWY 32 Not Available - Replaced by RNP T RWY 32(AIP SUP)
 - h) RNP Y RWY 32 Not Available – Replaced by RNP R RWY 32(AIP SUP)
 - i) RNP X RWY 32 Not Available – Replaced by RNP S RWY 21 (AIP SUP)
 - j) NDB-Y or VOR-Y RWY 32 Not Available
 - k) NDB-Z or VOR-Z RWY 32 Not Available
 - l) SID RWY 14 RNP 0.3 CUDGN FOUR **Available**
 - m) SID RWY 14/32 SOUTH JET APAGI FIVE **Available**
 - n) SID RADAR RWY 32 (GOLD COAST SEVEN) – **Available** for Left turn only, max assignable heading 280 anticlockwise to 100°
 - o) SID RADAR RWY 14 (GOLD COAST SEVEN) **Available**
 - p) RNP T RWY 32 (AIP SUP) **Available**
 - q) RNP R RWY 32 (AIP SUP) **Available**
 - r) RNP S RWY 21 (AIP SUP) **Available**
 - s) RNP Y RWY 14 (AR) (AIP SUP) **Available**
 - t) NDB- A or VOR- A **Available**
 - u) DME or GNSS Arrival Sector B reference the VOR **Available**
 - v) RWY 14 Visual Approach (VSA) – **Available**. Restrictions will apply:

ATC will monitor aircraft clear of R930A/B and apply either of the following:

- i) Require aircraft to remain within 4 DME YBCG
- ii) Require aircraft to remain south of Burleigh Heads (BLGH) at all times.

4.2.2 RWY 14 RNP Z approach will be available during “windows of opportunity” made available by Pacific Airshow; expect airborne delays. RNP Z RWY 14 availability will be dependent upon weather conditions at YBCG. RNP Y RWY 14 (AR) or VSA are the preference for arriving jet aircraft.

4.3 The following operational restrictions will be in force due to the inability to guarantee a required buffer zone with the 5NM TRA:

4.3.1 YBCG Standard Instrument Departures (SID) and Instrument Approach Procedures (IAP)

- a) All RWY 14 and RWY 32 IAP Not Available
- b) SID RWY 32 RNP 0.3 BURLI FIVE Not Available
- c) SID RWY 32 SOUTH JET APAGI FIVE Not Available
- d) SID RWY 14 SOUTH JET APAGI FIVE **Available**
- e) SID RWY 14 RNP 0.3 CUDGN FOUR **Available**
- f) SID RADAR RWY 14 (GOLD COAST SEVEN) **Available**
- g) RWY 14/32 Visual Approach (VSA) – **Available** to light (L) category aircraft only. Restrictions will apply:

ATC will monitor aircraft clear of R930C, D or E and apply the following:

- i) Require aircraft to remain south of Currumbin Creek.

4.4 Circuit and Overflying Touch and Go Operations

4.4.1 Not Available at YBCG between 1030-1530 on 13 August.

4.4.2 Not Available at YBCG between 1000-1700 on 14-16 August.

4.5 General Aviation Parking

4.5.1 General Aviation Parking at YBCG between 14-16 August is as per ERSA but may be subject to NOTAM restrictions.

4.6 Parachute Jump Exercise (PJE) Operations

4.6.1 Not Available at YBCG and Tyagarah (YTYH) between 1030-1530 on 13 August.

4.6.2 Not Available at YBCG and YTYH between 1000-1700 on 14-16 August.

4.7 Helicopter Tours/Joyflights

4.7.1 Not Available at YBCG between 1030-1530 on 13 August.

4.7.2 Not Available at YBCG between 1000-1700 on 14-16 August.

4.7.3 Operations within the CG Control Zone may have restrictions in place due to high traffic workload associated with the airshow activity.

4.8 Instrument Calibration Testing

4.8.1 AUSCAL calibration will not be available at YBBN and YBCG between 1030-1530 on 13 August.

4.8.2 AUSCAL calibration will not be available at YBBN and YBCG between 1000-1700 on 14-16 August.

4.9 Survey Work

4.9.1 Survey work will not be available at YBBN and YBCG between 1030-1530 on 13 August.

4.9.2 Survey work will not be available at YBBN and YBCG between 1000-1700 on 14-16 August

4.10 YBBN STARS

4.10.1 YBBN arrivals from the south will be restricted to the BLAKA STAR between 1000-1700 on 14-16 August. NOTAM will refer amended routes.

4.11 WESTERN VFR ROUTE and VFR Tracking

4.11.1 The Gold Coast Western VFR Route is available as per ERSA subject to normal ATC restrictions.

4.11.2 VFR Aircraft tracking OCTA on or west of the M1 will remain clear of R930ABCDE.

4.12 Flight Plans

4.12.1 Acceptance of a flight plan by Airservices Australia does not constitute receipt of Pacific Airshow permission.

5. AIR TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT

- 5.1 Unless specifically approved by Pacific Airshow, all aircraft operating within the TRA airspace must carry a serviceable VHF radio and transponder.

6. AIRSHOW AIRSPACE

- 6.1 The Controlling Authority for the TRA will be the Air Boss on behalf of Pacific Airshow.

- 6.2 There is no ATC service provided within the TRA.

- 6.3 The TRA and associated operational restrictions are active at changeable times between:

- a) 1030-1530 on 13 August

Note: R930 A and B only

- b) 1000-1700 on 14-16 August

Note: Refer Appendix 1 and 2 for TRA volume, height and other details.

- 6.4 The TRA will operate two advisory frequencies:

- a) CTAF 119.0 will operate as a UNICOM Frequency. Pilots are required to carry out all normal CTAF radio procedures.

- b) Frequency 127.9 will operate as the 'Air Boss' frequency.

- 6.5 RPAS Operations within the designated TRA:

- a) RPAS operations will require written permission from the controlling authority (Pacific Airshow) for any operations within active TRA.

7. AIRSHOW DISPLAY AREA

- 7.1 The Airshow Display Area airspace is contained within a 5NM arc to the east of the coastline. Refer to Appendix 3.

- 7.2 High speed aerobatic displays will be conducted in this area. Display operations will be conducted on the Air Boss discrete frequency as described in Section 6.

- 7.3 Detailed Display Procedures will be provided by Pacific Airshows to participating aircraft.

8. CANCELLATION

8.1 This SUP self-cancels at 202608160730 UTC.

9. DISTRIBUTION

9.1 Airservices Australia website only.

Appendices

1. TRA R930ABCDE Details
2. 5NM and 3NM TRA Areas
3. Airshow Display Area

1. TRA R930ABCDE Details

TRA Activation Times

R930 A and B active 1030-1530 on 13 August 2026 (note: R930 A and B only)

R930 A,B,C,D and E active 1000-1700 on 14-16 August 2026 inclusive

YBBB/R930A GOLD COAST

AIR DISPLAY

LATERAL LIMITS: A circle radius 3.00NM centre 280006S 1532617E

VERTICAL LIMITS: SFC-1000

HOURS OF ACTIVITY: NOTAM

CONTROLLING AUTHORITY: Pacific Airshow

YBBB/R930B GOLD COAST

AIR DISPLAY

LATERAL LIMITS: A circle radius 3.00NM centre 280006S 1532617E

VERTICAL LIMITS: 1000-9000

HOURS OF ACTIVITY: NOTAM

CONTROLLING AUTHORITY: Pacific Airshow

YBBB/R930C GOLD COAST

AIR DISPLAY

LATERAL LIMITS: 275605S 1532255E then along the clockwise arc of a circle radius 5.00NM centre 280006S 1532617E to 280303S 1532143E - 275605S 1532255E

VERTICAL LIMITS: SFC-1000

HOURS OF ACTIVITY: NOTAM

CONTROLLING AUTHORITY: Pacific Airshow

YBBB/R930D GOLD COAST

AIR DISPLAY

LATERAL LIMITS: 275605S 1532255E then along the clockwise arc of a circle radius 5.00NM centre 280006S 1532617E to 280303S 1532143E - 275605S 1532255E

VERTICAL LIMITS: 1000-9000

HOURS OF ACTIVITY: NOTAM

CONTROLLING AUTHORITY: Pacific Airshow

YBBB/R930E GOLD COAST

AIR DISPLAY

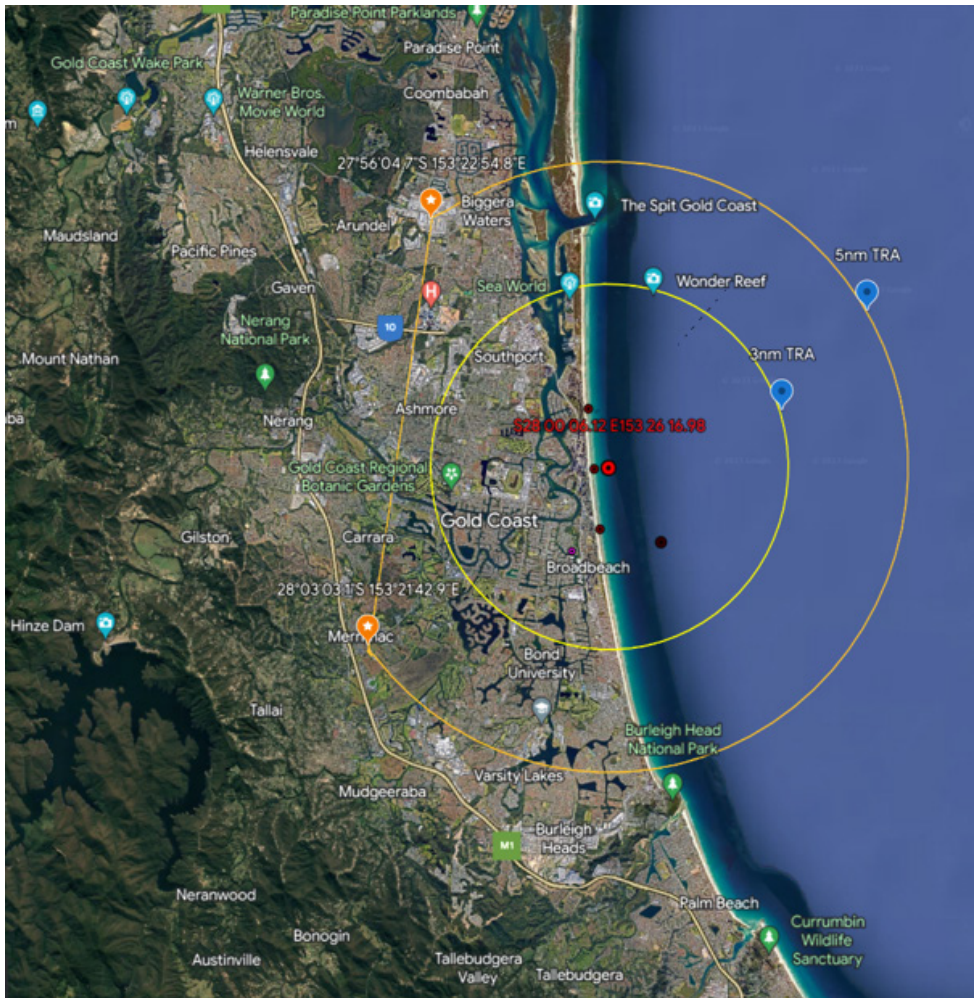
LATERAL LIMITS: 275605S 1532255E then along the clockwise arc of a circle radius 5.00NM centre 280006S 1532617E to 280303S 1532143E - 275605S 1532255E

VERTICAL LIMITS: 9000 to FL160

HOURS OF ACTIVITY: NOTAM

CONTROLLING AUTHORITY: Pacific Airshow

2. 5NM and 3NM TRA Areas



3. Airshow Display Area

