

PROGRAM DAY 1

Thursday 20 July 2017



8.00am	Registration	
8.45am - 9.00am	Welcome and Opening by Hon John Eren MP - Minister for Sport, Tourism and Major Events	
9.00am-10.30am	<p>KEYNOTE SESSION 1 Activating Broader Community Participation in Sport and Recreation Part 1: Global Insights Influencing Local Collaborations - England and Australia <i>Chair: Sharelle McMahon, Master of Ceremonies</i></p> <p>1. England: Growing Participation in Local Settings <i>Jennie Price, Chief Executive - Sport England</i></p> <p>2. Australia: Reimagining Sports Policy to Position Australia as the World's Most Successful Sporting Nation <i>Kate Palmer, Chief Executive Officer - Australian Sports Commission</i></p>	<p>Sponsored by</p>
10.30am - 11.15am	Morning Networking and Refreshment Break in Expo	
11.15am - 12.45pm	<p>KEYNOTE SESSION 2 Activating Broader Community Participation in Sport and Recreation Part 2: National Strategy Influencing Locally Led Delivery - New Zealand <i>Chair: Sharelle McMahon, Master of Ceremonies</i></p> <p>1. New Zealand: Locally Led Planning and Delivery <i>Peter Miskimmin, Chief Executive Officer - Sport New Zealand</i></p> <p>2. New Zealand: Customer Insights Driving Community Participation <i>Rob McGee, Head of Active Recreation for the Parks Sport and Recreation Department - Auckland Council</i></p>	<p>Sponsored by</p>
12.45pm - 1.45pm	<p>Lunch and Networking in Expo - Sponsored by</p>	
1.45pm - 3.00pm	<p>STREAM 1 People and Programs</p> <p>Unpacking the Barriers to Participation and Identifying Solutions to Increase Community Sports Participation for Adolescents <i>Chair: Jan Sutherland, Chief Executive Officer, Sport SA</i></p> <p>1. AusPlay - Understanding the Pathway Between Physical Activity and Recreation to Community Sport for Adolescents <i>Paul Fairweather, Deputy General Manager Sports Insights - Australian Sports Commission</i></p> <p>2. Round Table Discussion: Reducing the Large Drop-off in Participation Amongst Adolescents from a Sport and Participation Perspective <i>Ned Coten, Chairman - Basketball Australia; Mark Rendell, Chief Executive Officer - Gymnastics Australia; Tim Klar, General Manager - Participation Products - Netball Australia; Rebecca McDonald, Tennis in Schools Manager - Tennis Australia and Nick Buskens, Action Sports Manager - YMCA Victoria</i></p>	<p>STREAM 2 Partnerships</p> <p>Supporting Partnerships to Build Club Capacity and Provide Participation Opportunities <i>Chair: Wayne Stuart, Facilities Planning Coordinator, City of Swan</i></p> <p>1. Delivering Partnerships and Innovation to Improve Participation Outcomes <i>Graham Brimage, Director Strategic Policy and Regions - WA Department of Sport and Recreation</i></p> <p>2. Optimising Sport Peak Bodies and Government Support for Local Clubs to Grow Capacity <i>Iliia Houridis, Director, Facility Development and Infrastructure - Office of Recreation and Sport, South Australia</i></p> <p>3. Utilising IT and Apps to Support Local Clubs Build their Capacity, Capability and Financial Support <i>Rob Fletcher, General Manager - Team App</i></p>

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1.45pm - 3.00pm	STREAM 3 Sports Surfaces	STREAM 4 Sport, Aquatic and Recreation Facilities
	<p style="text-align: right;">Sponsored by SPORTENG™</p> <p>Optimising Playing Capacity on Natural and Hybrid Fields <i>Chair: Jarrod Hill, Director, SportEng</i></p> <p>1. Increasing Playing Capacity by Reducing Stress on Natural Turf Playing Fields <i>Murray Fraser, Soil Scientist - Benedict Industries</i></p> <p>2. Exploring Variations in Technology known as the Hybrid Surface <i>Erik Kinlon, General Manager - HG Sports Turf</i></p> <p>3. Incorporating Hybrid Technology into Playing Field Strategy, the Benefits to Local Government <i>Mark Bowater, Head of Parks Services - Auckland Council</i></p>	<p>Aquatic and Recreation Centre Refurbishment and Redevelopments <i>Chair: Grant Connors, Chief Executive Officer, Aquatics and Recreation Victoria</i></p> <p>1. Incorporating Global Trends and Funding Strategies for Facility Developments <i>Andy Farr, Director - FMG Consulting (UK)</i></p> <p>2. Shifting the Paradigm for Community Leisure Centre Development and Management <i>Malcolm Kuhn, Manager, Leisure Services - City of Greater Geelong</i></p> <p>3. Redevelopment of Facilities with Flexible Design Space to Create Programmable Areas that Reposition Service Delivery in the Community <i>Kris Miller, State Manager - Victoria/Tasmania - Belgravia Leisure</i></p>
3.00pm - 3.45pm	Afternoon Networking and Refreshment Break in Expo	
3.45pm - 5.15pm	STREAM 1 People and Programs	STREAM 2 Partnerships
	<p>Growing Participation by Understanding the Health, Fitness and Sports Drivers for Active Participation for People Over 60 Years of Age <i>Chair: Rob Thompson, Chief Executive Officer, WA Sports Federation</i></p> <p>1. Insights and Drivers of Participation for Over 60 Year Olds <i>Michelle Wilson, National Manager – Walking and Community Engagement - Heart Foundation</i></p> <p>2. Solutions and Programs to Break Down the Barriers and Allow the Older Generation to Increase their Physical Activity <i>Graham Brimage, Director Strategic Policy and Regions - WA Department of Sport and Recreation</i></p> <p>3. Approaches and Strategies for Sustained Engagement of Older People in Physical Activity and Recreation: The Recent Victorian Experience <i>Genevieve Nolan, Programs Manager - MOVE muscle, bone & joint health</i></p>	<p>Sport and Recreation Partnerships to Invest in Local Facilities <i>Chair: Nick Mooney, Strategic Manager, School Sport Victoria</i></p> <p>1. An Evidence-based Approach to Facility Development Partnerships: Insights from the National Cricket Facility Audit <i>Jake McMinn, National Community Facilities Manager - Cricket Australia</i></p> <p>2. An Approach to Drawing Collaborators Together and Maximising Potential Community Growth in Participation <i>Warren Green, Managing Director - Warren Green Consulting</i></p> <p>3. Alternative Investment Models for Sport and Government Sectors to Grow Grass Roots Participation through Investment in Local Facilities <i>Jamie Parsons, Chief Executive Officer - Gymnastics Victoria</i></p>
5.15pm - 7.30pm	STREAM 3 Sports Surfaces	STREAM 4 Sport, Aquatic and Recreation Facilities
	<p style="text-align: right;">Sponsored by SPORTENG™</p> <p>Round Table Discussion: Synthetic Sports Fields – The Latest Designs and Standards for Future Innovations <i>Chair: Martin Sheppard, Managing Director, Smart Connection Consultancy</i></p> <p>Exploring the Latest Technology, Solutions and Challenges from Experts in the Industry <i>Martin Sheppard, Managing Director - Smart Connection Consultancy; Rob Kirkwood, National Sales Manager - Polytan Asia Pacific; Andrew Morrow, Senior Engineer - Turf One; Fraser Gehrig, Director - Tuff Turf and Anthony Saba, Director - Greenplay Australia</i></p>	<p>Understanding How to ‘Package and Promote’ Programs and Activities to Grow Community Participation in Recreation and Sport <i>Chair: Grant Connors, Chief Executive Officer, Aquatics and Recreation Victoria</i></p> <p>1. Understanding Consumer Insights will Assist the Development of Future Programs and Activities to Maximise Growth in Participation <i>Rayoni Nelson, Acting Manager - Physical Activity, Sport & Healthy Eating - VicHealth</i></p> <p>2. Redefining the Position of City Swim Schools to Increase Quality, Improve Brand Awareness and Grow Participation <i>Ros Pullen, Marketing and Communications Coordinator and Kathy Rieksen, Blacktown Key Venues Aquatic & Leisure Centres Coordinator - Blacktown City Council</i></p> <p>3. Activating your Community using Social Media <i>Loren Bartley, Managing Director - Impactiv8</i></p>
5.15pm - 7.30pm	Australian Sport, Recreation and Play Innovation Awards Industry Networking Evening - Expo Area sponsored by	
		

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8.00am	Registration	
8.45am-10.15am	<p>KEYNOTE SESSION 3 Activating Broader Community Participation in Sport and Recreation Part 3: A Collaborative Agenda to Achieve a Single Vision and Greater Participation - Canada and Asia <i>Chair: Sharelle McMahon, Master of Ceremonies</i></p> <p>1. Canada: A Framework for Recreation <i>Cathy Jo Noble, Executive Director - Canadian Parks and Recreation Association</i></p> <p>2. Asia: Understanding Cultural Differences to Grow Participation <i>Moya Dodd, Executive Committee Member - Asian Football Confederation (AFC); Chair, Women's Football Committee - AFC and Board Member - Football Federation Australia</i></p>	<p>Sponsored by</p> 
10.15am - 11.00am	Morning Networking and Refreshment Break in Expo	
11.00am - 12.15pm	<p>KEYNOTE SESSION 4 Activating Broader Community Participation in Sport and Recreation Part 4: Global Planning to Local Learning - National, State and Local Perspectives <i>Chair: Sharelle McMahon, Master of Ceremonies</i></p> <p>1. Innovative Approaches to Building Healthier Communities within Victoria <i>Jerril Rechter, Chief Executive Officer - VicHealth</i></p> <p>2. Value Proposition Planning <i>Kay Thomson, Strategic Policy Lead - Sport New Zealand</i></p> <p>3. A Strategy to Activate our Community <i>Nigel Brown, Sport, Leisure and Facilities Manager - Logan City Council (Qld)</i></p>	<p>Sponsored by</p> 
12.15pm - 1.15pm	<p>Lunch and Networking in Expo - Sponsored by</p> 	
1.15pm - 2.30pm	<p>STREAM 1 People and Programs</p> <p>Driving Gender Equality in Community Sport and Recreation <i>Chair: Darren Simpson, Chief Executive Officer, Sport NSW</i></p> <p>1. Insights from Market Segmentation of Victorians Across Five Life Stages <i>Stefan Grun, Executive Manager - Marketing & Communications - VicHealth</i></p> <p>2. Measuring the Impact of Policy to Encourage Females in Sport Clubs <i>Dr Clare Hanlon, Associate Professor, Sport Management - Victoria University</i></p> <p>3. How Gender Equality Policies and Strategies Can Guide Organisations and Impact on Development of Innovative Program and Solutions to Grow Participation <i>Renée Robson, Learning & Organisational Development Manager - YMCA Victoria</i></p>	<p>STREAM 2 Partnerships</p> <p>Collaborating Between Local Government, Education, Sport and the Commercial Sectors <i>Chair: Nigel Benton, Publisher, Australasian Leisure Management</i></p> <p>1. Driving Strategy Between Education, Sport and Government to Open Schools for Recreation and Sport Usage <i>Justin Burney, Director, Sport and Recreation and Industry Development – Sport and Recreation Victoria</i></p> <p>2. Local and State Government Collaborations to Maximise Facility Development and Opportunity Creating Benefits for Schools and Local Communities <i>Andy Farr, Director - FMG Consulting (UK)</i></p> <p>3. Victoria's First State Sports School 10 Years on, Lessons Learnt and Future Direction <i>Mark McAllion, Sports Director - Maribymong Sports Academy</i></p>

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	STREAM 3 Sports Surfaces Sponsored by SPORTENG™	STREAM 4 Sport, Aquatic and Recreation Facilities
1.15pm - 2.30pm	Challenging the Status Quo: Designing Sustainable Sports Hubs that are Carbon Neutral <i>Chair: Martin Sheppard, Managing Director, Smart Connection Consultancy</i> 1. Innovative Technology to Support Green Engineering for Future designs of Sporting Hubs <i>Martin Sheppard, Managing Director - Smart Connection Consultancy</i> 2. Designing a Sustainable Sports Hub that combines Sustainability, Innovation, and Green Infrastructure <i>Mark Bowater, Head of Parks Services - Auckland Council and Tracy Talbot, Work Group Manager Infrastructure Development - Opus International Consultants Ltd</i>	Planning and Designing Facilities for the Next Generations of Users <i>Chair: Grant Connors, Chief Executive Officer, Aquatics and Recreation Victoria</i> 1. Sport and Recreation Spatial – Sport Participation Trends and Future Facility Requirements <i>Rochelle Eime, Associate Professor - Federation University and Victoria University</i> 2. State Government Strategic Support for Local Provision - A Joint Vision for Collaborators to Invest Resources in the Same Priorities <i>Ilia Houridis, Director, Facility Development and Infrastructure - Office of Recreation and Sport, South Australia</i> 3. Innovation and Design, Funding, and Management of Facilities to Entice Future Generations of Users <i>Michael King, Director - Otium Planning Group</i>
2.30pm - 3.15pm	Afternoon Networking and Refreshment Break in Expo	
3.15pm - 4.15pm	KEYNOTE SESSION 5 The Future of Community Sport and Recreation in Australia A 'fireside' interview with key Australian and global policy makers on the future needs to grow participation in recreation and sport. <i>Chair: Sharelle McMahon, Master of Ceremonies</i> <i>Kate Palmer, Chief Executive Officer - Australian Sports Commission</i> <i>Jennie Price, Chief Executive - Sport England</i> <i>Jerril Rechter, Chief Executive Officer - VicHealth</i> <i>Anthony Moore, Chief Executive Officer - Basketball Australia</i> <i>Jason Linnane, General Manager - Singleton Council</i> <i>Dr Andi Diamond, Chief Executive Officer - Monash City Council</i> <i>Kay Thomson, Strategic Policy Lead - Sport New Zealand</i> <i>Glen McGoldrick, Chief Executive Officer - SportsTG</i>	
4.15pm	Convention and Expo Closes	



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