



RAPID ASCENT - CORONA VIRUS UPDATE

X-Adventure Dunsborough

18 March 2020



X-ADVENTURE DUNSBOROUGH 2020 - CANCELLED

Dear X-Adventure 2020 competitors,

Rapid Ascent advises that due to the COVID-19 (Coronavirus) pandemic, we have been forced to **cancel the 2020 X-Adventure Dunsborough** off-road triathlon that was to be held on 4-5 April at Dunsborough, WA.

Our greatest priority is the health and safety of our staff, volunteers, contractors, and all event attendees, and we have been monitoring the localised situation like hawks. When the Government banned non-essential gatherings to fewer than 500 people, we put forward a range of measures to conduct the event whilst fulfilling the requirements. Sadly, these measures were not approved by the authorities and we are unable to receive a permit to conduct the event in April, a decision we respect as the safest for our community.

Due to Coronavirus uncertainties and the busy event calendar towards the end of the year, we have been unable to reschedule the event to another 2020 date and are forced to cancel the event entirely.

As a paid entrant into this year's event, you have the following options with regard to your entry fee:

1. Receive a credit of your full entry fee that you can put towards another Rapid Ascent event in the future. We encourage you to consider:
 - a. Eagle Bay Epic, 7-8 November 2020 at Eagle Bay, WA.
 - b. Margaret River Ultra Marathon (that will be rescheduled to Nov/Oct 2020) at Margaret River, WA.
 - c. 2021 X-Adventure Dunsborough to be held on 10-11 April 2021.
 - d. Or any other Rapid Ascent event as [listed here](#).

2. Receive a refund of your full entry fee if you need the money.

In order to claim your credit/refund please e-mail info@rapidascent.com.au with your preferred outcome by 5:00 pm AEST on Friday 3rd April. Entry fees not claimed by this date will be forfeited. Processing of refund requests will commence on Monday 23rd March and may take 1-2 weeks.

We are all very disappointed by this outcome - as I'm sure you have committed a lot to training just as we have committed a lot of work and expenditure to the 2020 event.

Thank you for your understanding. We wish you good health and fresh air.

Sam, John and the Rapid Ascent team.