

## Gai Duffy

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**Subject:** Travel to Roma St Station  
**Location:** Pat to drop Minister off - main entrance

**Start:** Wed 4/04/2018 1:45 PM  
**End:** Wed 4/04/2018 2:00 PM

**Recurrence:** (none)

**Meeting Status:** Meeting organizer

**Organizer:** Mark Bailey  
**Required Attendees:** External - Miller Electorate Office; Tam van Alphen; Chris Vernon

**Categories:** Travel

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**Subject:** Travel by train to Gold Coast  
**Location:** Depart Roma St Station 2.25pm, arrive Nerang Station 3.37pm

**Start:** Wed 4/04/2018 2:25 PM  
**End:** Wed 4/04/2018 3:37 PM

**Recurrence:** (none)

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Chris Vernon to staff the Minister

Min de Brenni to join the train at Loganlea

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**Subject:** Brock to pick up Minister from Nerang Station to travel to TCC

**Start:** Wed 4/04/2018 3:40 PM  
**End:** Wed 4/04/2018 3:50 PM

**Recurrence:** (none)

**Meeting Status:** Meeting organizer

**Organizer:** Mark Bailey  
**Required Attendees:** External - Miller Electorate Office; Tam van Alphen; Brock Taylor; Emily Brogan

**Categories:** Travel

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**Subject:** Travel to Nerang station  
**Start:** Wed 4/04/2018 4:30 PM  
**End:** Wed 4/04/2018 4:35 PM  
**Recurrence:** (none)  
**Organizer:** Mark Bailey  
**Categories:** Travel

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**Subject:** Catch shuttle bus to Carrara Stadium

**Start:** Wed 4/04/2018 4:45 PM

**End:** Wed 4/04/2018 5:15 PM

**Recurrence:** (none)

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**From:** BUSSIAN Rachael <Rachael.Bussian@ditid.qld.gov.au>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, 27 March 2018 7:45 PM  
**Subject:** GC2018 Opening Ceremony - 4 April 2018  
**Attachments:** Invitation Pre-Opening Ceremony cocktail reception Trade 2018.pdf  
**Categories:** PRINTED

Hello

A ticket is available for the Minister to attend the Gold Coast 2018 Commonwealth Games Opening Ceremony on Wednesday 4 April 2018 at Carrara Stadium. Gates will open for the Ceremony at 5:30pm, with the event scheduled to conclude at 10:15pm.

Please note there is only one ticket for the Minister, with no provision for an accompanying guest or advisor. There is no hospitality offered with the ticket.

The Ceremony ticket will be delivered to your office on Tuesday 3 April 2018 – please advise as soon as possible if this will not be a convenient option for the Minister.

As part of the TRADE 2018 Program a Pre-opening Ceremony Cocktail Reception (hosted by the Attorney-General in collaboration with the Gold Coast City Council) will be held from 4:00pm to 5:00pm at the RACV Royal Pines Resort. Coach transfers will be available to and from Royal Pines and the Opening Ceremony. An invitation has been extended to the Minister to attend the Cocktail Reception and then transfer to the stadium for the Opening Ceremony. I've attached for your information a copy of the invitation. I would ask that you please RSVP for this event so that adequate transfer provisions can be made.

Please call if you have any questions or concerns.

Kind regards,

Rachael



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**From:** BUSSIAN Rachael <Rachael.Bussian@ditid.qld.gov.au>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, 3 April 2018 3:54 PM  
**To:** Gai Duffy  
**Subject:** Re: Pre- Opening Ceremony Trade 2018 Cocktail Reception, Wednesday 4 April

No problem Gai. I'll let them know. I'm guessing he doesn't want to take the bus from Royal Pines anyway?

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Sent from my iPhone

> On 3 Apr 2018, at 15:51, Gai Duffy <Gai.Duffy@ministerial.qld.gov.au> wrote:  
>  
> Rachael  
>  
> A change of plans for Minister Bailey tomorrow. He won't be attending the pre-opening cocktail reception as he  
wants to monitor the transport situation ahead of the opening ceremony.  
>  
> He will get himself to Carrara Stadium.  
>  
> Sorry for any inconvenience.  
>  
> Regards  
> Gai  
>  
> Gai Duffy  
> Executive Assistant and Office Manager Office of the Hon. Mark Bailey  
> MP Minister for Transport and Main Roads

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> -----Original Message-----

> From: BUSSIAN Rachael [mailto:Rachael.Bussian@ditid.qld.gov.au]  
> Sent: Tuesday, 3 April 2018 1:41 PM  
> To: Gai Duffy <Gai.Duffy@ministerial.qld.gov.au>  
> Subject: Re: Pre- Opening Ceremony Trade 2018 Cocktail Reception,  
> Wednesday 4 April

>  
> It should be, I'll get it updated. Min Ryan is not attending the function.

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> Sent from my iPhone

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> On 3 Apr 2018, at 13:33, Gai Duffy <Gai.Duffy@ministerial.qld.gov.au<mailto:Gai.Duffy@ministerial.qld.gov.au>>  
wrote:

>  
> Rachael - Luke Moore sent this through to me. The title against Min Bailey in the attendees list is wrong - it shows  
him as the Min for Police. Should be Minister for Transport and Main Roads.

> The Opening Ceremony ticket for the Minister will be delivered to your office today by one of our staff.

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> Kind regards,

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> Rachael

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> <image007.png>Rachael Bussian

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> <Invitees as at 31 March.XLSX>

> <Opening Ceremony Reception Runsheet.docx> This email, together with

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**From:** Kelly McMahon  
**Sent:** Tuesday, 3 April 2018 5:50 PM  
**To:** Gai Duffy  
**Subject:** RE: Tomorrow's opening ceremony

**Categories:** PRINTED

Hi Gai

Minister de Brenni is interested in travelling with Minister Bailey, Could you please let me know what train number and carriage as Minister will jump on at Loganlea.

Kind Regards

### Kelly McMahon

A/Executive Assistant/Office Manager

Office of the Hon. Mick de Brenni MP



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**From:** Gai Duffy

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**To:** Adriana Chilnicean <[Adriana.Chilnicean@ministerial.qld.gov.au](mailto:Adriana.Chilnicean@ministerial.qld.gov.au)>; Aisha Sidhu <[Aisha.Sidhu@ministerial.qld.gov.au](mailto:Aisha.Sidhu@ministerial.qld.gov.au)>; Cheryl Packer <[Cheryl.Packer@ministerial.qld.gov.au](mailto:Cheryl.Packer@ministerial.qld.gov.au)>; Emma Knudsen <[Emma.Knudsen@ministerial.qld.gov.au](mailto:Emma.Knudsen@ministerial.qld.gov.au)>; Gai Duffy <[Gai.Duffy@ministerial.qld.gov.au](mailto:Gai.Duffy@ministerial.qld.gov.au)>; Genevieve Newton <[Genevieve.Newton@ministerial.qld.gov.au](mailto:Genevieve.Newton@ministerial.qld.gov.au)>; Hayley Lockyer <[Hayley.Lockyer@ministerial.qld.gov.au](mailto:Hayley.Lockyer@ministerial.qld.gov.au)>; Helen O'Mara <[helen.o'mara@ministerial.qld.gov.au](mailto:helen.o'mara@ministerial.qld.gov.au)>; Jackie Hughes <[Jackie.Hughes@ministerial.qld.gov.au](mailto:Jackie.Hughes@ministerial.qld.gov.au)>; Josh Lockyer <[Josh.Lockyer@ministerial.qld.gov.au](mailto:Josh.Lockyer@ministerial.qld.gov.au)>; Kelly McMahon <[Kelly.McMahon@ministerial.qld.gov.au](mailto:Kelly.McMahon@ministerial.qld.gov.au)>; Kirsten Ram <[Kirsten.Ram@ministerial.qld.gov.au](mailto:Kirsten.Ram@ministerial.qld.gov.au)>; Lucia Neale <[Lucia.Neale@ministerial.qld.gov.au](mailto:Lucia.Neale@ministerial.qld.gov.au)>; Lucy Gazenbeek <[Lucy.Gazenbeek@ministerial.qld.gov.au](mailto:Lucy.Gazenbeek@ministerial.qld.gov.au)>; Luke Moore <[Luke.Moore@ministerial.qld.gov.au](mailto:Luke.Moore@ministerial.qld.gov.au)>; Monica Irvine <[Monica.Irvine@ministerial.qld.gov.au](mailto:Monica.Irvine@ministerial.qld.gov.au)>; Yvonne Smallman <[Yvonne.Smallman@ministerial.qld.gov.au](mailto:Yvonne.Smallman@ministerial.qld.gov.au)>; Zoe Bos <[Zoe.Bos@ministerial.qld.gov.au](mailto:Zoe.Bos@ministerial.qld.gov.au)>

**Subject:** Tomorrow's opening ceremony

Hi

Minister Bailey will be travelling to the Gold Coast tomorrow by train to attend the opening ceremony.

There is a possibility the Premier will also go by train.

But while we wait for confirmation of that, we were wondering if there were any other Minister's planning on going and might be interested in travelling by train as well. This would be a great social media opp.

We are looking at leaving from South Bank approx. 2pm.

**Gai Duffy**

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**From:** Mark Bailey  
**Sent:** Wednesday, 4 April 2018 10:20 AM  
**To:** Brock Taylor  
**Cc:** Tam van Alphen; Emily Brogan; Dominic Geiger  
**Subject:** RE: Release for today for approval

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## Dominic Geiger

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**From:** Media Statements QLD <statements@qld.gov.au>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, 3 April 2018 9:17 AM  
**To:** Dominic Geiger  
**Subject:** Games transport plans successfully put to the test



## Media release

Minister for Transport and Main Roads  
The Honourable Mark Bailey

### Games transport plans successfully put to the test

The transport network is ready to go for the Commonwealth Games after being put through its paces during the two Opening Ceremony dress rehearsals held at Carrara Stadium over the Easter long weekend.

Minister for Transport and Main Roads Mark Bailey said several years of planning had been put in to action and the results had been pleasing.

"The two dress rehearsals, on Saturday 31 March and Monday 2 April, provided the perfect trial run for our Games-time public transport planning," Mr Bailey said.

"With just one day to go until the start of the Games I am pleased to say the network has performed well and delivered as we expected.

"About 30,000 spectators attended the two rehearsal events from all over South-East Queensland and we were able to respond quickly and effectively to deal with this extra demand.

"The whole precinct was cleared in just over an hour which is a fantastic result when you're moving that many people."

Mr Bailey said it was fantastic to see so many people make use of active and public transport to get to the event.

"It was also good to see so many spectators walking from Nerang Station to Carrara Stadium for the event," Mr Bailey said.

"There are significant traffic changes and road closures in place around Games venues and these will impact how spectators travel to and from events.

"I'd like to remind spectators there is no parking available at event venues and it is crucial that all spectators plan their travel ahead of time."

Mr Bailey said high-frequency public transport timetables were being rolled out across the Gold Coast during the Games.

"G:Link services began 24/7 operations on Sunday while trains on the Gold Coast line will begin 24 hour service on Thursday with trains set to run on average every 10 minutes or better.

"We'll also run extra special event train services to support the Opening and Closing Ceremonies on 4 and 15 April.

"By providing more seats and higher frequency services across heavy rail, light rail and Game's shuttle buses we can help keep spectators moving and provide a seamless end-to-end journey for all commuters."

Mr Bailey said the best way to plan travel was via the GC2018 Journey Planner.

"The planner provides Games-specific information for spectators travelling to and from event venues, Festival 2018 or other locations," Mr Bailey said.

"I encourage everyone to plan their journey through the GC2018 Journey Planner website or through the official GC2018 app."

For more information on the journey planner visit [jp.gc2018.com](http://jp.gc2018.com) or download the Official GC2018 App.

**ENDS**

**Media contact: Brock Taylor – 0427 018 178**

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