

# MCG Emergency Evacuation Brief



## EVACUATION PROCEDURE

In an emergency at the MCG you may be notified and requested to leave the venue by the following methods:

1. Emergency Warning Sirens
2. Message on the Ponsford Stand and Southern Stand Scoreboards
3. Instructions from MCC Staff and or Security Staff

Following these instructions you will need to move calmly to the nearest and safest exit. You may be directed to a different exit point than your entry point into the venue depending on where the cause of the evacuation is located. Please follow the instructions of MCC and Security Staff.

All exit doors automatically demagnetize and release upon the alarm tones sounding. All doors are staffed and opened by MCC Event or Security. They will direct patrons to the exit the venue safely and calmly and to the

DO NOT use your mobile phone to record the incident or call family and friends until outside the venue. The aim is to keep cellular networks free for Venue Management and Emergency Services during this time.

DO NOT return to your vehicle to leave the venue. Egress points via the B2 Car Park onto Brunton Ave will be closed. They will only be open in the event emergency services vehicles need access.

Access to your vehicle via Yarra Park will also be restricted as these paths for access will be reserved for emergency services vehicles.

DO NOT use lifts or escalators to leave the venue. Stairs and ramps should be accessed. Stairs are adjacent to all lift lobbies across the venue, if you are mobility impaired, please make yourself know to an Event Staff Supervisor in green. They will take you to a mobility impaired collection point adjacent to the lift lobby and notify emergency services of your location.

## EMERGENCY WARNING SIREN

**ALERT:** The FIRST tone you will hear will be: “beep.....beep.....beep” you are required to cease all activities and prepare to evacuate

**EVACUATE:** The SECOND tone you will hear will be “whoop.....whoop.....whoop” you are required to leave the MCG via the nearest and safest exit point.

**ALL CLEAR:** After the emergency is resolved or deemed safe you will hear a continuous “beeeeeeeeeep” which marks the all clear and you can return to your designated seat via your original entry point.

## ASSEMBLY POINTS

There are two designated assembly area points in Yarra Park that are used for NON EVENT DAY shown in the diagram below. We understand on EVENT DAY assembly at these areas is not realistic but patron will be directed there by Event Staff and Security.



- EMERGENCY EVACUATION ASSEMBLY AREA
- ALL STAFF / CONTRACTORS
- DESIGNATED TRIAGE AREAS (AREA C - SECONDARY OPTION NOT AVAILABLE FOR ALL EVENTS)
- EOC PRIMARY LOCATION (EMERGENCY OPERATION CENTRE)
- SMC (STADIUM MANAGEMENT CENTRE)
- VICTORIA POLICE OFFICE
- ST JOHN MAIN OFFICE



## MCG YARRA PARK EMERGENCY PLAN