Anzac Day Dawn Service, Gallipoli, Turkey
Commemorative Service
25 April 2019
Information for Attendance Pass Holders
CONTENTS

Introduction 3
The Anzac Commemorative Site 4
Security measures for visitors 5
Public wreath-laying 5
After the Dawn Service 5
Your well being 6
- Medical support
- Food vendors
- Rubbish management
- Amenities
Seating and Accessible seating services 7
Transport arrangements 8
Before you depart 9-10
What to take 11
Prohibited items 11
Frequently asked questions 12
Attendance pass terms and conditions 13
Contact information 20

Cover image: (AWM C03420)
Introduction

About 60,000 Australians served on Gallipoli between 25 April and 20 December 1915. More than 8000 lost their lives, half in the two most intense periods of fighting during the week of the landing and in August during an offensive launched to break the deadlock that had prevailed since the first day. Gallipoli was the Australian Imperial Force’s introduction to war and though the campaign ended in failure and defeat, the anniversary of its beginning quickly became, and has remained, Australia’s principle day of commemoration.

Later in the war, veterans of the campaign were distinguished by the Anzac ‘A’ chevron worn over their battalion colour patch. To have served on Gallipoli remained a singular honour for the rest of the survivor’s lives. The Gallipoli and the Anzacs section of the Anzac Portal explores some of the campaign’s most important aspects, addressing significant themes and offering visitors a virtual tour of the key Allied battlefields, cemeteries and memorials.

On 25 April each year visitors gather to commemorate the Anzac Landings.
The Anzac Commemorative Site

The Australian and New Zealand Governments jointly conduct the Gallipoli Anzac Day Dawn Service on 25 April each year at the Anzac Commemorative Site, Turkey. This service takes place with the permission and support of the host nation, the Republic of Turkey. The commemorative sites at Gallipoli are the sovereign territory of the Turkish people and holding the annual Anzac Day commemorations is only possible with the cooperation and generous assistance of the Turkish Government.

Certain areas of the Anzac Commemorative Site, including the beach and VIP area, will not be accessible to the public. Please do not stand or sit on the road through the Anzac Commemorative Site or other fenced movement corridors. These areas must be kept clear for emergency access and to allow people access to food vendors and toilet facilities.

Overnight, a program of documentaries, music and reflective pieces will be played as we head towards the Dawn Service. Important safety and security information will also be announced and displayed on the screens. It is likely to have little or no opportunity for sleep overnight. Attending the Dawn Service should be considered to be a vigil – a period of solemn and wakeful reflection.

Should the site reach capacity, visitors on the grassed areas will be requested to gradually move forwards, and ultimately to stand, in order to make room for new arrivals. If this occurs, visitors in the grassed areas can expect to stand for long periods of time.
Conditions of entry to Commemorative sites

By entering the commemorative sites to attend the Anzac Day services, you have agreed to terms and conditions of entry that apply for all Gallipoli Anzac Day services. Full terms and conditions of visitor entry are available at www.dva.gov.au/attendanceTandCs.

Security measures for visitors

Please note the security measures in place for those visitors who have registered to attend the Anzac Day services on the Gallipoli Peninsula on 25 April 2019. Several checkpoints will be located across the Gallipoli Peninsula prior to accessing the Anzac Commemorative Site, Lone Pine Cemetery and Chunuk Bair where you will be required to produce your attendance pass as well as photographic identification, such as your passport or driver’s licence.

Airport-style screening will also occur, with no liquids, aerosols or gels permitted onto the sites. These will be confiscated by Turkish authorities and will not be returned to you. Please note that any suspicious behaviour or references to illegal activities will not be tolerated and you may be refused entry to the sites. Once inside the sites, you will be able to purchase food and water.

Public wreath-laying

Wreath-laying, by invited official representatives, will occur during the official part of the services.

Members of the public who wish to lay a wreath will have the opportunity to do so at the conclusion of the service. Contrary to previous services during the centenary period, it is no longer a requirement to pre-register the intention to lay a wreath. Individuals are to supply their own wreaths and it is their responsibility to carry it with them, care for it and transport it to the Memorial.

There are no facilities or arrangements for storage or transport of personal wreaths at the Memorial. Please note that taking any historical artefacts and items from the Gallipoli Campaign Historical Site is strictly prohibited and carries severe penalties under Turkish law.

After the Dawn Service

All visitors are to remain in their current position after the completion of the Dawn Service. Visitors will not be able to leave the Anzac Commemorative Site until after the VIP party has departed and public wreath laying has concluded.

An announcer will give directions as to when attendees can and should depart the Anzac Commemorative Site to walk to Lone Pine and Chunuk Bair. Those requiring assisted mobility should remain seated at the Anzac Commemorative Site until escorted by authorised event staff to shuttle bus transport.

There are only limited amenities elsewhere on the Gallipoli peninsula, including on Artillery Road, at Lone Pine and on Second Ridge Road. There will not be any food vendors at Lone Pine. You are encouraged to use the amenities at the Anzac Commemorative Site and access the food vendors for breakfast before departing from the Anzac Commemorative Site to Lone Pine and Chunuk Bair.

Visitors will have to make a choice to visit either the Australian Service at Lone Pine or the New Zealand Service at Chunuk Bair. There is not enough time to do both.

After departing the Anzac Commemorative Site, visitors should be mindful that the next opportunity to access food vendors may not be until after the conclusion of the New Zealand Memorial Service at Chunuk Bair. Some food vendors may be operating at Hill 261, adjacent to the New Zealand memorial at Chunuk Bair. The variety of food and beverage options at this site may be limited.

Please note that coach loading will occur at Hill 261 after the conclusion of the New Zealand Memorial Service.
Your wellbeing

Throughout your time on the Gallipoli peninsula, you can expect to walk about 10 kilometres. This walk can be challenging for elderly visitors or those with disabilities.

Limited mobility assistance is available to transport people unable to walk between the commemorative sites. If you are unable to walk between sites please proceed to the information tent before commencement of the Dawn Service to register for mobility assistance. Please refer to (page 7) for further detailed information about assisted mobility.

Public announcements will provide instructions in the event of an incident.

Medical support

Limited medical support is provided by local Turkish health authorities from the evening of 24 April to the afternoon of 25 April. If required visitors will need to bring their own prescription medication and basic first aid supplies, including non-prescription pain relief medication and Band-Aids. The medical support provided is equipped for medical emergencies and is not designed to treat minor ailments. Individuals requiring medical equipment, including medications, wheelchairs or mobility aids, will need to bring these items with them.

Food Vendors

Hot and cold food and drinks are available for purchase from the Turkish food vendors to the north of the Anzac Commemorative Site. The vendors only accept cash (Turkish Lira) and there are no ATMs on site. Food vendors will close at 4:00 am and will not reopen until after the Dawn Service. There will be some food vendors at Hill 261, adjacent to the New Zealand Memorial at Chunuk Bair. There will not be any food vendors at Lone Pine.

Rubbish management

The management and removal of rubbish is undertaken by volunteers and local authorities. Visitors will receive a biodegradable plastic bag for general mixed rubbish (e.g. food and drink bottles). Each attendee is required to carry their rubbish during their visit until departure and is responsible for its disposal.

Amenities

Very basic and limited facilities, including limited temporary seating (at Lone Pine and Chunuk Bair), lighting and portable toilets are available on-site for the period of the commemorations. It is recommended that attendees bring adequate supplies of non-perishable food – there are no cooking facilities on-site for the period of the commemorations.

Mobile phone coverage is available at the commemorative sites, but there are no recharging facilities.
Seating

Please refer to information below regarding seating at each of the Gallipoli commemorative sites.

Dawn Service Anzac Commemorative Site (ACS)

The ACS is a custom designed site which provides for amphitheatre style viewing of the Dawn Service. Visitors will be located on the grassed area and it is advisable to bring a plastic sheet or similar to protect individuals from the condensation overnight. Please note, no folding chairs or temporary seating will be allowed to be brought into the site. There will be limited accessible seating for those who require it. Please see information regarding accessing this below. Some areas may have restricted views, however a large screen is available to view the service.

Australian National Service, Lone Pine

There will be limited temporary seating available at the Lone Pine Service. This will be available on a first-come, first-served basis. Please note that the Lone Pine service is held within the Commonwealth War Graves Commission Lone Pine Cemetery and Australian and New Zealand National Memorials, and as such, visitors are asked to not sit on the grassed areas around the graves, and to locate themselves in the vacant areas and along the sides out of respect for those buried within the cemetery.

For those who registered for accessible seating at the ACS, there will be a designated accessible seating area.

New Zealand National Service, Chunuk Bair

The Chunuk Bair site is small, with limited seating and standing room is limited, and it may mean that not all visitors to Chunuk Bair will be able to view the service. Similar to the Lone Pine service, the Chunuk Bair service includes official New Zealand and Turkish National memorials and cemeteries and visitors are asked to refrain from sitting amongst the graves and significant surface manifestations. There will be an overflow site at Hill 261 for those who cannot access the official Chunuk Bair site.

Accessible seating services

Limited assistance will be available for visitors at the commemoration who have a health or accessibility requirement. Those requesting accessible seating are able to have one carer or companion with them to provide assistance. Unfortunately due to limited accessible seating, it is not possible to extend this service to others travelling with their groups. Visitors with an accessibility requirement will need to notify staff on arrival to the service.

Accessible seating inclusions:

- Shuttle transfer from Anzac Commemorative Site to Lone Pine Cemetery and Chunuk Bair after the Dawn Service
- After the Lone Pine Service there will be a shuttle to Chunuk Bair for coach loading
- Access to a limited number of dedicated accessible toilets

Accessible seating exclusions:

- Personalised or dedicated one-to-one assistance
- The provision of carers, wheelchair pushers, or physical assistance with seating or embarking and disembarking vehicles
- Wheelchairs, walkers or mobility aids – any visitor requiring this assistance must bring their own
- Oxygen or personalised medications
- Specialised support for ‘high care’ individuals
- Support travelling to or from your accommodation

To register your accessible seating request, please register online or email: overseascommemorations@dva.gov.au or register at the information tent on the day of the service.
Transport arrangements

Road closures

Temporary road closures and traffic restrictions are likely to be in effect at various times on 24 – 25 April around the Gallipoli peninsula at the discretion of the Turkish authorities. These may restrict access to commemorative sites, cemeteries and other locations in the Helles and Anzac areas.

Access to the Anzac Commemorative Site is expected to commence at 8:00 pm on 24 April and cease at 3:00 am on 25 April. We encourage visitors to be at the Anzac Commemorative Site well before the road closure to ensure you can gain access to the site.

Private vehicles

DVA strongly encourages visitors to travel to Gallipoli as part of an organised tour. No private vehicle parking is permitted near the Anzac Commemorative Site.

Arrangements for private vehicles are at the discretion of the Turkish Jandarma and are subject to change without prior notice.

After the opening of coach registration (subject to any changes at the direction of the authorities), private vehicles will need to register and receive important messages at Kilye Cove (approximately 12km south of the Anzac Commemorative Site), and then proceed to park. They should then return to the waiting area (TBC) to obtain transport into the Beach Cemetery. After the service on 25 April, a shuttle will transfer visitors back to Kilye Parking area to be reunited with their vehicles.

Coaches—Arrivals

From 8.30 pm on 24 April coach registration will open at the Coach Registration point at Mimoza Park Otopark. Coach details will be recorded and important information provided to visitors about the arrival process and what to expect overnight. An identifying coach number will be provided to each passenger with a matching card.

Security measures require all passengers to disembark at the coach registration point and then to move through a bag and pat-down search, while the coach is screened. After visitors have been searched they then reembark their coach for registration. Identity cards will also be checked at this point.

Following registration, coaches will proceed north a further 4km further north to Beach Cemetery where passengers will disembark, and walk the remaining 1km to the southern entry of the Anzac Commemorative Site. A shuttle is available for visitors requiring mobility assistance.

Please note that coaches will depart the area immediately after passengers disembark. Visitors should ensure that all prohibited items remain on their coach and that they take everything they will need overnight and the following day with them in their day pack when leaving the coach (including any medication required). Visitors will not have access to their coaches until after the conclusion of the services on 25 April.

Coaches—Departures

All visitors will be collected by their coaches. Visitors will hold in a waiting area at Hill 261 until their coach arrives in the loading zone and their coach number is called. Please note that coaches will not arrive in the order in which they were registered and it is impossible to predict when an individual coach will arrive. Please follow the directions of service officials.

Coaches will not commence loading until released by the Turkish Jandarma. It is advisable not to make any onward travel arrangements on 25 April, as coach departure times cannot be guaranteed.
Before you depart

Register your travel

The Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade (DFAT) provides travel advice to international travellers on the Smartraveller website. We recommend Australians travelling overseas, including for national commemorative services, subscribe to updates to country travel advice and bulletins on the Smartraveller website and follow us on Facebook and Twitter.

- Exercise a high degree of caution in Turkey, including Ankara and Istanbul, because of the high threat of terrorist attack. Pay close attention to your personal security at all times. Monitor media for the latest information about safety or security risks.
- Do not travel within 10 kilometres of the border with Syria or to the city of Diyarbakir.
- Reconsider your need to travel to all areas within the south-eastern provinces of Batman, Bingol, Bitlis, Diyarbakir province, Gaziantep, Hakkari, Hatay, Kilis, Mardin, Mus, Sanliurfa, Siirt, Sirkak, Tunceli and Van, due to the unpredictable security situation. The situation is more dangerous at night and in rural areas.
- Terrorist groups in Syria and Iraq kidnap and murder westerners. These groups can launch violent attacks and kidnapping operations across the border, in Turkey.
- Terrorists have called for attacks in Turkey, including on tourist destinations and locations frequented by foreigners. Attacks could take place anywhere and at any time.
- In mid-2018, Turkey lifted the state of emergency that had been in place since 2016. However it remains unclear what impact this will have, authorities may still have increased powers and detained suspects may still have fewer rights.
- Females travelling alone or in small groups are at risk of violent sexual assault. Be cautious especially in Istanbul, coastal resort areas such as Antalya and other tourist areas.
- The Turkish Government recognises dual nationality but treats Turkish-Australian dual nationals as Turkish citizens for legal matters. This limits the ability of the Australian Government to provide consular assistance to Turkish-Australian dual nationals detained in Turkey. See Laws.

See Safety and security or visit the website: https://smartraveller.gov.au/countries/europe/southern/pages/turkey.aspx#safety_and_security
Obtain travel insurance

Travel insurance is strongly recommended for overseas travel. Overseas medical care and repatriation is very expensive. If something unexpected happens and you don’t have the appropriate travel insurance, you are personally liable for all costs. Make sure your insurance covers all the activities you will be undertaking and any pre-existing medical conditions. It’s important to be clear about what is covered under your policy; if in doubt, talk to your insurer.

Check your visa requirements

All Australians who visit Turkey are required to have an entry visa. You must apply for and receive your entry visa before you travel. To obtain a visa to enter Turkey apply online at the e-Visa website: www.evisa.gov.tr

Individuals travelling on passports issued by countries other than Australia may need an entry visa. The list of countries which require a visa is available on the Turkish Ministry of Foreign Affairs Visa website: www.mfa.gov.tr

Children and infants

Any individual over the age of two years on the day of the Commemoration must have their own attendance pass. Children under the age of two years may attend the Commemoration with an adult pass-holder. As site capacity may be reached, those children must sit on the lap of an adult during the service.

Please seriously consider how well your child or infant would cope with the travel and environmental conditions appropriate to the conditions. It is important to remember that there are only limited toilet facilities, with no infant changing or parenting facilities at the commemorative sites.

In consideration of the restrictive nature of the Anzac Commemorative Site, prams and strollers will not be permitted. If you do attend with a pram, or stroller, it must be left unaccompanied at the point of entry. Baby carriers and/or toddler backpacks may be permitted, although will be required to be removed during security screening.
What to take

Prior to progressing through security, you should have your attendance pass and photographic ID such as current passport (or a copy of your passport), current Australian Driver’s licence, or current national identity card readily accessible and within reach for validation.

In your preparations, consider that you will experience very cold and sometimes wet conditions on the morning of the Commemoration.

You will also need to ensure you have everything needed for the morning in a small bag, or day-pack. Your bag should not be any larger than that allowed as carry-on luggage on a plane.

What to pack:

- Attendance Pass and passport (or appropriate photo ID);
- Wet weather and windproof jacket and pants;
- Warm clothing for single digit temperatures;
- Prescription medication (if required);
- Non-perishable food and snacks;
- Drinking water (opened bottles will not be allowed through security screening, however, water will be available on site)
- Sunscreen (for later in the morning); and
- Compact personal camera.

Prohibited items

The following items are prohibited at the Commemoration:

- Dangerous or hazardous items of any kind including fireworks, flares, lasers and smoke canisters;
- Advertising or marketing messages;
- Large backpacks (Day-packs, e.g. Aircraft cabin bag sized are acceptable)
- Furniture or camping equipment including tents, folding chairs and stretchers;
- Alcohol of any kind;
- Glass containers and cans of any kind;
- Opened bottles of liquid;
- Flammable liquids;
- Weapons or sharp objects, including umbrellas (a poncho will be issued);
- Large objects;
- Musical instruments of any kind and any other object that may be used to cause a disturbance including air horns and vuvuzelas;
- Hiking poles (Medical aids, such as walkers and walking sticks will be permitted subject to medical need);
- Large flags or banners;
- Professional photographic equipment (e.g. Large zoom lenses no larger than 100mm, audio visual or cinematographic devices apart from accredited media);
- ‘Selfie’ sticks and large camera tripods;
- Drones and remote control devices; and
- Any other item that might compromise public safety or enjoyment of the Commemoration or that is illegal under the laws of Australia or the host country.

Lenses with a total focal strength of greater than 100mm or any other commercial digital video equipment are not permitted at this Commemorative service. In order to preserve the solemnity of the commemoration, and as this service will be broadcast live, roaming by the general public to take photos during the service is not permitted. Accredited media will also be restricted to a media zone area.

These items must be left on your coach or vehicle. Visitors to the commemorative services are screened by security personnel upon entry to the sites and bags are scanned or checked. Prohibited items will be confiscated upon entry to the site and may be destroyed.
Frequently asked questions

Q: Only my first and last names have been printed on my attendance pass – not my full name (as it appears on my passport). Is this a problem?
A: No. An attendance pass that includes your first name and last name is a valid attendance pass. It does not matter whether or not your middle name is printed on the pass.

Q: My attendance pass has been printed with my old passport number. Is this a problem?
A: No. If your old passport number is printed on your pass, then you should bring the old passport with you, or a photocopy of that passport, along with your new passport to present at the check point.

Q: Do I have to bring my identification with me, or will a photocopy of the passport be ok?
A: A photocopy of your passport, showing the page which includes your photograph, passport number and full name, will be accepted as identification at the check point.

Q: What if I forget to bring my passport with me to the Commemoration?
A: If you forget to bring your passport, or a photocopy of your passport with you for the identification check, you will be asked for other photographic identification documentation, such as a Driver’s Licence. If you are unable to provide other identification documents, there will be a process in place to attempt to verify your identity. If your identity can not be verified, you may not be permitted entry to the Commemoration.

Q: What if I lose my attendance pass before I get to Turkey?
A: If you lose, damage or have an attendance before you arrive in Turkey, you must identify this at the first check point. Processes will be in place for the reissue of attendance passes at the commemorative site.

If possible, you should contact the overseas commemorations call centre (1300 364 002, or +61 2 6289 1133 for overseas callers) to advise that you have lost, or misplaced your pass. If you advise us before you arrive at the commemorative site, it may be possible for a new attendance pass to be printed ready for collection when you arrive. See the back of this booklet for contact details.

Q: What if I lose my attendance pass, or wristband onsite at the Commemoration?
A: If you lose your attendance pass or wristband while you are at the Commemoration, you must identify this at one of the check points, or to an Authorised Event Person. Processes will be in place for the reissue of an attendance pass or wristband at the Commemoration.
Attendance pass terms and conditions

Introduction

An attendance pass is an invitation to the person whose name appears on the pass to gain access to one or more commemorative services (the Commemorations).

The purpose of the Commemorations is to allow the public to attend commemorative services which acknowledge the service and sacrifice of all Australian servicemen and women. Anzac Centenary commemorations relate to the First World War; Century of Service commemorations relate to all subsequent wars, conflicts and peace operations.

Services conducted by the Australian Government may also be done in partnership with the New Zealand Government, who share responsibility for the delivery of the commemoration. In this case the service and sacrifice of New Zealand servicemen and women are also acknowledged and the Australian Government will consult with the NZ government before exercising its rights under these terms and conditions.

1. In these Terms and Conditions:

   a. Australian Commemorations means the Commemorations organised solely by the Australian Government and identified as such on the application form and at overseas commemorations.

   b. Joint Commemorations means the Commemorations organised jointly by the Australian Government and the New Zealand Government and identified as such on the application form and at overseas commemorations.
Application and interpretation of these terms and conditions

2. This is an agreement between you and the Australian Government who are the parties to this agreement. In consideration of the opportunity to submit an application to be issued with an attendance pass to one or more of the Commemorations, you agree to be bound by and comply with the terms and conditions set out in this document, the Attendance Pass Allocation Rules (which are at Schedule A) (Allocation Rules), the Conditions of Entry (which are at Schedule B) and any instructions displayed at the Commemoration site(s). You should be aware that your submission of an application, either on your own behalf or through an agent, indicates your agreement to be bound by these terms and conditions. If you are applying for an attendance pass through an agent (including a tour operator, travel agent, school or any other person or organisation), you warrant and agree that you have been provided with a copy of these terms and conditions and have read and understood them. Your attention is drawn in particular to the clauses under the heading ‘Limitation of Liability’.

3. You agree that the Australian Government may, from time to time, in its sole discretion, amend these terms and conditions by posting the amended terms and conditions to overseas commemorations and by sending you a notice to the email account specified on your application informing you that these terms and conditions have been amended. You agree to be bound by the terms and conditions as amended from time to time.

4. In this document, a singular word includes the plural and vice versa, and examples do not limit the scope of the provisions in which they occur. References to a document or agreement or a provision of a document or agreement are references to that document, agreement or provision as amended from time to time. Discretions or powers exercisable by the Australian Government under these terms and conditions may be exercised by the Secretary of the Department of Veterans’ Affairs and his or her appointees and delegates.

Application for an attendance pass

5. Australian (and New Zealand for Joint Commemorations) citizens and permanent residents, citizens of the host country in which a Commemoration will be held and citizens of other countries are eligible to apply for an attendance pass. Attendance passes are limited to one pass per person.

6. Applications for attendance passes are to be made online at overseas commemorations, at: overseas commemorations or by calling 1300 364 002.

7. Applications for attendance passes will open and close at the times published by the Australian Government at overseas commemorations. Applicants whose applications are received after the closing time will be placed onto a waitlist in accordance with the Allocation Rules. Applications made less than 24 hours prior to the commencement of the relevant Commemoration(s) will be rejected.

8. Subject to clause 9 below, to be eligible for an attendance pass, you must supply full personal and other details as required by the application form.

9. The Australian Government will issue attendance passes in accordance with the Allocation Rules. You acknowledge and agree that there are a limited number of attendance passes available for the Commemorations, and that submission of an application does not guarantee that you will be issued with an attendance pass.
10. You should provide your passport number, Australian (or New Zealand for Joint Commemorations) citizenship number, Australian (or New Zealand for Joint Commemorations) visa number (if you are not a citizen), or national identity card number (ID Information) at the time you apply for an attendance pass. A space is provided on the online and paper forms for that purpose. If you do not provide your ID Information on your application, the Australian Government may reserve an attendance pass for you. You must provide your ID Information within 60 days after the date on which an attendance pass is reserved for you, or within 14 days prior to the Commemoration, whichever is earliest, using the relevant online form at www.dva.gov.au/overseascommemorations, or by calling 1300 364 002. If you fail to provide your ID Information within that time, your reserved attendance pass will be issued to the next eligible applicant for an attendance pass in accordance with the Allocation Rules.

11. The Australian Government does not accept any responsibility whatsoever for any technical failure or malfunction or any other problem which may result in any email or application not being properly recorded or received.

12. If at any time you decline an offer of an attendance pass from the Australian Government, your application for an attendance pass will be regarded as having lapsed and you will need to submit a fresh application in the event that you change your mind.

Access to Commemoration sites

1. To gain access to the Commemoration site, all individuals over the age of two years on the day of the Commemoration must have in their possession:
   a. an attendance pass or official invitation from the Australian Government (or the New Zealand Government for Joint Commemorations) bearing their name; and
   b. either their current passport (or a copy of their passport), current Australian (or New Zealand for Joint Commemorations) driving licence, or current national identity card.

2. Children under the age of two years on the day of the Commemoration may enter the Commemoration site with an adult pass-holder. If all attendance passes are exhausted, those children must sit on the lap of an adult during the seated portions of the Commemoration service.

3. Attendance passes may only be used by the person named on the pass.

4. By entering the Commemoration site you agree to be bound by, and comply with, the Conditions of Entry set out in Schedule B to these terms and conditions.

5. You acknowledge and agree that your attendance pass does not provide you with allocated seating or guarantee you a full view of the Commemoration ceremony.

6. The Australian Government may, in its sole and absolute discretion, refuse anyone entry to the Commemorations without prior notice for any reason, including if it suspects on reasonable grounds that the pass-holder might engage in conduct that is prejudicial to, or inconsistent with, the purpose of the Commemoration or with its dignity, solemnity or safety.

Attendance passes are non-transferable

7. Attendance passes are strictly non-transferable. You must not sell, transfer, assign, gift, exchange or otherwise give an attendance pass for the benefit of a third person, or attempt or offer to do any of those things. The Australian Government may cancel any pass the subject of a breach of this clause. Any person who obtains a pass from you in breach
of this clause will be refused entry to, or participation in, the Commemoration.

8. Nothing in clause 19 above affects the right of the Australian Government to issue or cancel an attendance pass in accordance with these terms and conditions and/or the Allocation Rules.

Cancellation of attendance passes and Commemorations

9. The Australian Government may, at any time, for any reason, without prior notice to you, and without providing reasons:
   a. cancel any attendance pass issued to you or any member of your travelling party; and
   b. postpone, change, modify or cancel a Commemoration or part of a Commemoration.

Limitation of liability

10. You are responsible for paying for any travel, accommodation, travel insurance and any other costs associated with your attendance or proposed attendance at a Commemoration.

11. You agree that the Australian Government will not be liable for any loss, damage, cost or expense (including any damage to personal property) suffered, incurred or that may be incurred by reason, or in respect, of your attendance, or proposed attendance, at a Commemoration. Under no circumstances will the Australian Government be liable for foreseeable or unforeseeable, or direct or indirect, loss or damage in any form. This includes any loss, damage cost or expense incurred or that may be incurred by you as a result of the cancellation, change or postponement of a Commemoration, or the cancellation one or more attendance passes.

12. Issue of an attendance pass to you does not guarantee or otherwise assure you of entry to the country in which the Commemoration is to be held and does not constitute a representation by the Australian Government that you are entitled to, or ought to be allowed to, enter that country.

13. Your attention is also drawn to paragraph 7 of the Conditions of Entry to the Commemoration Site (at Schedule B to these terms and conditions).

Privacy

14. The Australian Government will manage all personal information collected from you in accordance with its Overseas Commemorations Privacy Policy. You consent to the Department of Veterans’ Affairs (DVA) using and disclosing the information about you provided for the purposes (Purposes) of determining eligibility to attend the commemorations, issuing attendance passes, and if you are successful in securing an attendance pass managing attendance at the commemorations, in relation to the commemorations and management of the event. This may include sharing information with those involved in organising and managing the event and disclosing information to relevant government agencies (domestic and foreign Federal or State) including law enforcement and security agencies. You consent to relevant government agencies sharing information that they may hold in relation to you to further the Purposes.

15. You acknowledge that recipients of information about you who are outside Australia may not be subject to privacy laws similar to the Australian Privacy Principles and that, as a consequence of you providing this consent, DVA will not be obliged to take any steps to ensure that the foreign recipient complies with the Australian Privacy Principles and will not be liable for any acts or practices of foreign recipients which are inconsistent with the Australian Privacy Principles.

16. DVA intends to request that the foreign recipient handles information about you in accordance with the Australian Privacy Principles.
17. This document and any dispute arising out of or in connection with it is governed by the laws of the Australian Capital Territory and the courts of that Territory shall have non-exclusive jurisdiction to decide any matter arising out of these terms and conditions.

SCHEDULE A

ALLOCATION RULES

Allocation of attendance passes

1. The Australian Government will, in respect of each of the Commemorations, divide the available attendance passes between each of the following categories of eligible applicants in proportions that it determines in its sole and absolute discretion:

   **Category A:** Australian citizens and permanent residents of Australia (in respect of the Australian Commemorations) or Australian and New Zealand citizens and permanent residents of Australia and New Zealand (in respect of the Joint Commemorations);

   **Category B:** Citizens of the country in which the Commemoration is to be hosted; and

   **Category C:** Citizens of other countries.

2. The Australian Government may, in its sole and absolute discretion, re-allocate attendance passes between Categories A, B and C.

3. Attendance passes will be issued to eligible applicants in each of those categories on a first-come, first-served basis. If the attendance passes allocated to a category are exhausted, eligible applicants will be placed on a waitlist pursuant to clause 5 of these Attendance Rules.

4. Applicants who submit an application for an attendance pass after the due date prescribed in clause 7 of the Attendance Pass Terms and Conditions will be immediately placed onto a waitlist corresponding with their category.

Waitlist

5. Applicants may be placed on a waitlist ranked according to their category (from Category A to Category C) and then according to the date and time on which their application for an attendance pass was received from first in time to last in time.

6. Attendance passes will be allocated to waitlisted eligible applicants up to 14 days before the Commemoration. Attendance passes that become available after that time will be available on a first-come, first-served basis at the gate to the Commemoration pursuant to clause 7 below.

Gate availability

7. Any attendance passes that remain available 24 hours before the commencement time of the Commemoration will be available at the entrance to the Commemoration to individuals who attend in person and present a passport, Australian or New Zealand driving licence or national identification card, regardless of their nationality.

8. Attendance passes will be issued under clause 7 above on a first-come, first-served basis until the supply of attendance passes has been exhausted.

General discretion in relation to attendance passes

9. The Australian Government may in its absolute discretion issue or reallocate an attendance pass at any time (including before the commencement of the application process). The Australian Government may impose conditions for the issuance or reallocation of passes under this clause in its absolute discretion. To be eligible to receive an attendance pass under
this clause, the recipient of the reallocated attendance pass must provide the Australian Government with a completed application form and agree to the Attendance Pass Terms and Conditions.

No limitation on discretion to cancel

10. Nothing in these Attendance Rules limits the discretion of the Australian Government to cancel an attendance pass provided in clause 21 of the Attendance Pass Terms and Conditions.

SCHEDULE B CONDITIONS OF ENTRY

TO COMMEMORATION SITES

1. Entry to the Commemoration site is limited to individuals holding a valid attendance pass issued by the Australian Government, and invited official representatives (the pass-holder or pass-holders).

2. Attendees must comply with the attendance pass Terms and Conditions.

3. Attendees must comply with the directions of Authorised Event Personnel and any signposted instructions at all times.

4. Attendees must observe and maintain the solemnity and dignity of the Commemoration and behave appropriately at all times.

5. Attendees must not deliberately, maliciously or negligently cause any damage to the Commemoration site.

6. Attendees enter the Commemoration at their own risk. The Australian Government will not be liable for any loss, damage, cost or expense (including any damage to personal property) suffered or incurred by any attendee in connection with the Commemoration. Under no circumstances will the Australian Government be liable for foreseeable or unforeseeable, or for direct or indirect, loss or damage in any form.

7. All attendees must, at all times during their attendance at the Commemoration, have in their possession their attendance pass or official invitation and either their current passport (or a copy of their passport), current Australian (or New Zealand for Joint Commemorations) driving licence, or current national identity card.

8. Attendees will be subject to security screening and searches when required by Authorised Event Personnel, including prior to entry to the Commemoration area(s).

9. Any person who refuses to be searched by Authorised Event Personnel or who fails to provide proof of identity or a valid attendance pass or official invitation on request may be refused admission to, or removed from the Commemoration.

10. The following items are prohibited:
   a. Dangerous or hazardous items of any kind including fireworks, flares, lasers and smoke canisters;
   b. Advertising or marketing messages;
   c. Large backpacks (Day-packs, e.g. Aircraft cabin bag sized are acceptable);
   d. Furniture or camping equipment including tents, folding chairs and stretchers;
   e. Alcohol of any kind;
   f. Glass containers and cans of any kind;
   g. Opened bottles of liquid;
   h. Flammable liquids;
   i. Weapons or sharp objects, including umbrellas (a poncho will be issued in the information pack provided);
   j. Large objects;
k. Musical instruments of any kind and any other object that may be used to cause a disturbance including air horns and vuvuzelas;

l. Hiking poles (Medical aids, such as walkers and walking sticks will be permitted subject to medical need);

m. Large flags or banners;

n. Professional photographic equipment (e.g. Large zoom lenses, no greater than 100mm, audio visual or cinematographic devices apart from for accredited media);

o. ‘Selfie’ sticks and large camera tripods;

p. Drones and remote control devices; and

q. Any other item that might compromise public safety or enjoyment of the Commemoration or that is illegal under the laws of Australia or the host country.

11. Any prohibited items may be confiscated and may be destroyed.

12. Smoking and the consumption of alcohol is prohibited within the Commemoration site.

13. Attendees showing signs of being affected by alcohol or any other substance may be refused entry to the Commemoration site.

14. No animals are permitted to the Commemoration(s), other than guide dogs for the blind, hearing dogs for the deaf or assistance dogs for disabled attendees.

15. The Commemoration(s) will be filmed for live and recorded transmission, including internet streaming. Attendees may be filmed or photographed. By entering the Commemoration site, attendees consent to their image, likeness or voice being captured or used as part of any recording of the event(s) or for any other purpose in any media and in any context throughout the world in perpetuity, without compensation or attribution.

16. Surveillance equipment may be operated within and surrounding the Commemorations area(s). Attendees consent to information about themselves (including images) being recorded by such equipment and to the disclosure of that information to anyone (including law enforcement bodies or other authorities) to the extent the Australian Government or host nation authorities deem it necessary to do so.

17. Attendees may be refused entry to, or removed from, the Commemoration if they:
   a. fail to comply with these Conditions of Entry or requests, directions or Instructions from Authorised Event Personnel or signposted instructions;
   b. enter any restricted area without permission to do so; or
   c. act in any manner inconsistent with the dignity and solemnity of the Commemorations.

18. Authorised Event Personnel includes authorised representatives of the Australian Government, event staff, and authorised representatives of the host nation authorities or the police.
Consular contact information

In Turkey, Australians can obtain consular assistance from the:

AUSTRALIAN EMBASSY ANKARA
MNG Building
Üğur Mumcu Caddesi No: 88, level 7,
Gaziosmanpaşa 06700
Ankara TURKEY
Telephone (90 312) 459 9500

or

AUSTRALIAN CONSULATE-GENERAL ISTANBUL
Süzer Plaza, 16th Floor, Askerocağı Caddesi No. 15, Elmadağ
Şişli 34367, İstanbul TURKEY
Phone (90 212) 393 3300
Email: consular.istanbul@dva.gov.au

or

AUSTRALIAN CONSULATE CANAKKALE
Kolin Hotel
Kepez 17100
Çanakkale TURKEY
Phone (90 286) 218 1721
Email: canakkale.consulate@dfat.gov.au

24 Hour Consular Emergency Centre
Phone: +61 2 6261 3305 from outside Australia or
1300 555 135 within Australia (local call cost)

Consular contact information

In Turkey, New Zealanders can obtain consular assistance from the:

NEW ZEALAND EMBASSY ANKARA
Kızkulesi Sokak No.11,
Gaziosmanpaşa,
Ankara TURKEY
Telephone (90 312) 446 3333
Email: newzealandembassyankara@gmail.com

or

EMBASSY DUTY OFFICER (24 HOURS)
Telephone (90) 533 284 08 88

or

NEW ZEALAND ANZAC ADMINISTRATION OFFICE CANAKKALE
Boğazkent Mahallesi, Pınar Sk. No:225, 17110
Kepez Belediyesi/Çanakkale Merkez/Çanakkale, Turkey
Telephone (90 286) 218 1721

The Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Trade provides travel advice for Turkey on its Safe Travel website: www.safetravel.govt.nz
Introduction

About 60,000 Australians served on Gallipoli between 25 April and 20 December 1915. More than 8000 lost their lives, half in the two most intense periods of fighting during the week of the landing and in August during an offensive launched to break the deadlock that had prevailed since the first day. Gallipoli was the Australian Imperial Force’s introduction to war and though the campaign ended in failure and defeat, the anniversary of its beginning quickly became, and has remained, Australia’s principle day of commemoration.

Later in the war veterans of the campaign were distinguished by the Anzac ‘A’ chevron worn over their battalion colour patch. To have served on Gallipoli remained a singular honour for the rest of the survivor’s lives. The Gallipoli and the Anzacs section of the Anzac Portal explores some of the campaign’s most important aspects, addressing significant themes and offering visitors a virtual tour of the key Allied battlefields, cemeteries and memorials.

The Australian and New Zealand Governments jointly conduct the Gallipoli Anzac Day Dawn Service on 25 April each year at the Anzac Commemorative Site, Turkey. This service takes place with the permission and support of the host nation, the Republic of Turkey. The commemorative sites at Gallipoli are the sovereign territory of the Turkish people and holding the annual Anzac Day commemorations is only possible with the cooperation and generous assistance of the Turkish Government.