

# PRESS RELEASE



Tour of Duty is proud to announce ANZAC Run 2015 will take place in Melbourne on April 12 and Brisbane on April 19 in the lead up to Anzac Day. We are also delighted to have an association with partners *beyondblue* and Mates4Mates, community focused organisations that provide education, support and assistance for those suffering post traumatic stress and depression related illness.

The inaugural Anzac Runs 2014 were held in Melbourne and Brisbane and enjoyed strong support from community, military and government alike. It is envisaged that the 2015 runs will further reinforce the message of mateship, integrity and commitment - the very essence of what it means to be an Australian in this, the Anzac Centenary Year.

Between 2014 and 2018 Australia will commemorate the Anzac Centenary, marking 100 years since our nation's involvement in the First World War. The Anzac Centenary is a milestone of special significance to all Australians. The First World War helped define us as people and as a nation. During the Anzac Centenary we will remember not only the original ANZACs who served at Gallipoli and the Western Front, but commemorate more than a century of service by Australian servicemen and women.

Tour of Duty aims to enrich the community's understanding of the ANZAC legend whilst recognising the core values of a democratic and free society.

Anzac Run participants will be encouraged to either run or walk in this 5km or 10km community based event on raising awareness and financial support for the treatment of PTSD via our charities Mates4Mates and *beyondblue*. We also enable participants to fundraise for either charity via the Everyday Hero portal on the Anzac Run website.

Join in and participate with your family, friends and work colleagues in 'the run for all' in the spirit of both commemoration as well as celebration! At the finish there will be a range of activities, including military bands, music and displays to ensure that a great day is had by all!

Details of dates, course maps, FAQs and registration information can be found on [anzacrunch.com](http://anzacrunch.com). For further media enquiries please contact:

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