



Half Marathon Relay

October 7, 2018

Thank you for being part of The Neighborhood Harvest Crawlins' Crab Half Marathon Relay presented by Bon Secours Mary Immaculate Orthopedics! To have the best possible experience on race day, read through this important information.

PACKET PICKUP:

One team member is responsible for picking up the packet for both runners on their team. Please know your relay team's bib number before you come to Packet Pickup. If neither member of the relay team can pick up the packet, a friend can pick up the packet if they have the team's bib number, a copy of a team member's ID, their ID and a completed authorization form that can be found on our website.

TIMING CHIP:

Half Marathon Relay participants will use an ankle timing chip that must be worn securely around the ankle while on the course. There is only ONE ankle timing chip per team. The person running the first leg of the relay must start with the ankle timing chip. At the relay exchange zone, the timing chip will be transferred to the second runner. Once the second runner crosses the finish line, please return your timing chip when you receive your race medal.

Relay Distances:

Leg 1 - approximately 6.55
Leg 2 - approximately 6.55

Relay Exchange Zone:

Intersection of LaSalle Avenue & Chesapeake Avenue

DRY BAG INFORMATION:

We recommend that the leg 1 runner sends a dry bag with the leg 2 runner who will be waiting for them at the relay exchange zone. The leg 2 runner should utilize dry bag check at the start/finish line.

RELAY EXCHANGE ZONE TRANSPORTATION:

Vans will be staged near the start line prior to the race to transport the leg 2 runner to the exchange zone. Vans will leave promptly at 7am. Vans will also bring leg 1 runners back to the finish line once they are done running. Once a van is completely full, it will return to the finish.

*Relay Runners can provide their own transportation to the relay exchange zone, but J&A Racing will not be responsible for any runners who do not take race transportation.

TEAM REUNION:

Reunite with your team at our Craft Brew Fest near the finish line.



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1st Leg Runner

- Make sure that your ankle timing chip is secured and ready for the race start.
- Line up with all Half Marathon runners for a 7:30am start time.
- After running the first leg of the relay, you will cross your own finish line around mile 6.5. You will receive your relay finisher medal along with your other finisher items.
- Your teammate will be waiting for you at the relay exchange zone. Make sure you transfer the ankle timing chip.
- Once the relay van is full, runners will be transported back to the finish line to enjoy the Craft Brew Fest.

2nd Leg Runner

- Relay vans will be located near the start line.
- You will need to begin boarding the van to be transported to the relay exchange zone at 6:30am.
- Relay vans leave promptly at 7:00am.
- If you are not on the van by 7:00am, you will not be transported to the relay exchange point by race transportation. After 7:00am, it will be your responsibility to get to the relay exchange point.
- Once your relay partner reaches the relay exchange zone, there will be a transition area for you to exchange the ankle timing chip before you begin.
- Your leg of the race will finish at the Half Marathon finish line where you will receive your Relay finisher medal and finisher items.
- Please make sure you return your ankle timing chip at the finish line.
- Reunite with your relay partner at the Craft Brew Fest to celebrate your race.

Dry Bag Recommendation

We recommend at the 1st Leg Runner takes both his/her dry bag along with his/her partners dry bag to the exchange zone. When the 2nd Leg Runner arrives, he/she can then take both bags back to the finish. This will allow both runners to have everything they need before or after his/her leg of the race.

