

# MONTANA MARATHON



[montanamarathon.org](http://montanamarathon.org)  
**September 16, 2018**

The full marathon begins in Molt, MT at the Molt Community Center. Race participants will run through Big Sky Country to the finish line at Pioneer Park in Billings, MT.

## **MONTANA MARATHON SCHEDULE SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 16, 2018**

5:00am	Full Marathon Walkers and Early Start
6:45am	Handcyclist
7:00am	Full Marathon and Relay
8:15am	Half Marathon
9:15am	10K
11:00am	Kids' One Mile Fun Run
11:30am	Awards Ceremony

## **BUS TRANSPORT START TIMES**

Senior High School parking lot

4:00am	Full Marathon Walkers and Early Start
5:30am	Full Marathon Relay
5:30am	Full Marathon
6:30am	Half Marathon
8:00am	10K

## **RELAY TEAM HAND-OFF LOCATIONS**

1. Start of the full-marathon
2. Mile 6 water stop, about 6.2 miles from the full-marathon start
3. Water stop near the half-marathon start, at Shorey Road
4. Water stop near mile 20, corner of 46th St West and Rangeview Dr

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## **PACKET PICK UP**

Billings Family YMCA  
402 North 32<sup>nd</sup> Street  
Billings, MT 59101

Friday, September 14, noon - 6pm  
Saturday, September 15, 10am - 4 pm

## **LAST CHANCE PACKET PICK UP**

Best Western Plus ClockTower Inn  
2511 1<sup>st</sup> Avenue North  
Billings, MT 59101

Saturday, September 15, 5pm – 8pm

You may have a friend pick up your bib for you.

**\*\*There will be NO BIB PICK-UP ON RACE DAY\*\***

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## **COURSE AND COURSE SAFETY**

The course is marked very well, but it is open to traffic. There will be volunteers at most of the intersections and security personal at the busier intersections. Please remain on the right side of the road unless otherwise directed. Because the course is open to traffic, we recommend that all participants wear bright clothing to improve visibility. Music devices and earbuds/earphones are strongly discouraged.

## **WATER STATIONS**

There are 13 water stations for the full marathon. The water stations are at approximately 3, 5, 6, 9, 13.1, 15, 18, 20, 22, 23, 24, and 25 miles. Each water station will have Gatorade, a variety of flavors of Hammer gel, and water. Restrooms are also available before boarding the bus, at the start line of each race, and throughout the race.

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## **AWARDS**

Awards will be held at 11:30a for the top 3 male and female in each age group in the Full, Half, and 10k. Relay awards will be given to the top finishers of the male, female, and co-ed teams.

## **POST-RACE CELEBRATION**

We are congratulating each runner's achievement with a post-race celebration! We will have music, food trucks, and fun games for the entire family in Pioneer Park at the finish line. We encourage everyone to join us in cheering for the Montana Marathon Runners!

## **FULL MARATHON PERKS**

We are providing all full marathon runners with a complimentary massage, smoothie from Get Juiced, and free professional race photos. Be sure to receive your massage and smoothie coupons at the finish line. The Billings Family YMCA is offering a free weekend pass to the YMCA the weekend of the marathon. When picking up your bib, be sure to pick up your free weekend pass. Billings Clinic is offering a free six week long running class, visit [billingsclinic.org](http://billingsclinic.org) for more details.

## **HALF MARATHON PERKS**

We are providing all half marathon runners with a complimentary smoothie from Get Juiced and free professional race photos. Billings Clinic is offering a free six week long running class, visit [billingsclinic.org](http://billingsclinic.org) for more details.

## **MONTANA MARATHON PARTICIPANT PERKS**

All finishers will receive a Montana Marathon technical race short-sleeve shirt and free professional photos, they will be available online after the race.

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## **QUESTIONS**

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