



## **42nd INTERNATIONAL MARATHON OF SAN SEBASTIAN RULES AND REGULATIONS- 2019**

### **ARTICLE 1. DATE AND TIME**

The Athletics Federation of Guipuzcoa (FAG), together with Fly Group, organise the 42nd edition of San Sebastian International Marathon, on 24th November 2018.

The race will depart at 09:00. The start line will be located in Paseo Errondo- close to Anoeta Football Stadium- and the finish line will be located in Anoeta Mini Stadium. It has a completely urban route of 42,195 mts, which has been officially certified by the RFEA, AIMS, and IAAF. All the KM points will be signalled along the route. Once the final route is designed, it will be published on the official website

[www.zurichmaratondonostia.com](http://www.zurichmaratondonostia.com)

### **ARTICLE 2. CONDITIONS OF PARTICIPATION**

This race is open to participation by anyone who wishes, regardless of sex or nationality, licensed or not through a federation. All participants must be born in 1999 or before. Due to logistic reasons, participants in wheelchairs or handbikes cannot be accepted.

In order to take part in the race, participants must be holders of a RFEA national licence, or "Carnet Corredor Plus" card. For the rest of athletes, it will be compulsory to apply for a 1-day licence when registering online.

Each athlete participates in the race on his own responsibility and has a fitness level sufficient to run the race without any problems or risks to his health

### **ARTICLE 3. REGISTRATION**

Participation is limited to 4,000 runners. Registration can be made ON LINE at [www.zurichmaratondonostia.com](http://www.zurichmaratondonostia.com)

and payment can be made by credit or debit card at the same time, when completing the registration.

All participants who do not hold a national RFEA licence or "Carnet Corredor Plus" Card, must obtain a one day licence. The cost of this licence is 5 euro, which have to be added to the entry fees indicated below for all those athletes who need to obtain that licence



**All fees include a Bib-chip**

First 300 bibs	44,50 €
Bibs sold until 31 march	49,50 €
1 april – 15 sept	52,50 €
16 sept- 12 nov	57,50 €
From 13 november	70,50 €

#### **ARTICLE 4. REGISTRATION FOR ATHLETES WITH A GAF (ATLETICS FEDERATION OF GIPUZKOA) LICENCE**

Registration will be free for those athletes who have a FAG licence and who have the following certified times in 2016-2017 and 2017-2018 seasons, in Marathon, half marathon or 10,000 mts track

MARATHON  
Men: 2.45.00  
Women: 3.24.00

10.000 MTS  
Men: 33.00  
Women: 40.00

HALF MARATHON  
Men: 1.15.20  
Women: 1.35.00

These registrations shall be made by email to the FAG ([gaf@kirolak.net](mailto:gaf@kirolak.net)) before 20:00h on 11 November 2019, sending the following information: name and surname, date of birth, telephone number, licence number, club and certified time, indicating date and place in which it was obtained.

The San Sebastian International Marathon will also be Gipuzkoa Marathon Championship for male and female absolute category

#### **ARTICLE 5. CANCELLATION OF REGISTRATION**

Once the registration is completed, under no circumstances will any refunds be made or will the registration be deferred to the 2019 edition. When registering participants will be able to buy the cancellation insurance, which guarantees the refund of the full fee until 1<sup>st</sup> November or the possibility of deferring their entry till 2019 if they apply for a cancellation from 1<sup>st</sup> November to 18<sup>th</sup> November. The cancellation insurance is not refundable and it has to be bought together with the registration. In order to cancel the registration, the holder must send an email to [marathon@flygroupnet.com](mailto:marathon@flygroupnet.com), indicating name and surname, Id number and registration order number.



## **ARTICLE 6. COLLECTION OF BIBS**

The bib, the chip and runner kit may be collected at the Welcome Area (Velodromo de Anoeta Antonio Elorza) on the following days and times:

**FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 22: 17.00 -20.00**  
**SATURDAY NOVEMBER 23:10.00 -19.00 (non-stop)**  
**SUNDAY NOVEMBER 24: 07.00-08.00**

**\*\*\* We strongly recommend all participants to pick their bibs/chips up the day before the race. In case they can't do it personally they can send a third person with a photocopy of their passport (a photo of the passport in a mobile device will also be accepted). It is also advisable to show the confirmation email in case there is some kind of problem with their entry**

It will be compulsory to show identity proof to collect the bib and runner's kit

## **ARTICLE 7. MANDATORY USE OF BIB-TAG**

The use of the bib-tag is mandatory. The bib has to be placed in a visible way in the front of the upper body.

There will be timing check points at departure, half marathon and finish line, and seven more points along the course, all runners must go through all the detection mats.

## **ARTICLE 8. MAXIMUM TIME ALLOWED AND PACERS**

The maximum time allowed is 5 hours. Athletes who do not comply with the following time marks, will be withdrawn from the competition.

- 5 KM : 35 min 33 sec
- 10 KM: 1 h 11 min 6 sec
- 20 KM: 2h 22 min 12 sec
- Half Marathon: 2h 30 min
- 25 KM: 2h 57 min 45 sec
- 30 KM: 3h 33 min 18 sec
- 35 KM: 4h 8 min 51 sec
- 40 KM: 4 h 44 min 24 sec
- 42.195 KM : 5 hours

The organisation will provide 7 pacers for the following times:  
**2h 45, 3h, 3h15, 3h30, 3h45, 4h and 5h**

## **ARTICLE 9. GROUNDS FOR DISQUALIFICATION**



The judges will disqualify all those runners who:

- Do not go through all the time checkpoints
- Do not complete the whole course.
- Alter, fold or hide the advertising in the bib or don't have it correctly attached to their chest in a visible way
- Wear the bib-chip corresponding to another runner.
- Do not follow the instructions given by judges or the organising staff.
- Enter the finish line without the bib
- Are paced by athletes who are not registered or by people on non-official vehicles or bikes
- Receive or get refreshment/water from a third person outside the official points located along the course.
- Get refreshment from vehicles or from another athlete
- Take part pushing a baby's stroller inside the course
- Are accompanied by a child inside the course, even inside at the finish line

#### **ARTICLE 10. REFRESHMENT**

There will general and personal refreshment points every 5 km and water approximately every 2,5km. The exact location of all refreshment points are shown in the course plan (see official Website). There will also be refreshment at the finish line

The personal refreshment (only for Elite athletes contracted by the organisation and for participants in the Gipuzkoa Championship) should be handed in the day of the race from 07:00 to 8:00 am (Velodromo de Anoeta). Bottles must be properly identified with the corresponding race number and Km point where they have to be placed.

#### **ARTICLE 11. INSURANCE**

All officially registered participants will be covered by an insurance policy contracted by the organization. This insurance will cover accidents occurring as a direct result of taking part in the marathon, and not as a derivation of a latent disease, recklessness, negligence, breach of law and rules of the race, as well as those accidents occurred on the journey to and from the race location.

#### **ARTICLE 12. MEDICAL ASSISTANCE**

There will be medical assistance at different points along the course. There will also be medical assistance at the finish line.

The organization strongly recommends all the runners to undergo a medical examination prior to the race. All participants expressly acknowledge the risks involved in the sport

#### **ARTICLE 13. DOPING TEST**



According to IAAF rules, a drug test control will be made to those male and female participants designated by the Official Judges.

We remind all participants that refusal to undergo the drug test will mean automatic disqualification. Participants who are eligible to prize money will not receive payment until drug tests results are sent to FAG (Athletics Federation of Gipuzkoa). If the test results were positive, some further tests would be carried out. If the results were still positive, the runner will not have the right to any kind of prize (money prize or any other kind)

## **ARTICLE 14. PRIZES**

There will be trophies for the top three (both men and women) in the following categories: absolute, veteran 40+, veteran 50+, veteran 60+ and wheelchair participants.

### **PRIZE MONEY**

- There will be the same prizes for both male and female.
- All prizes are subject to withholding tax.
- Payment of all prizes will be made within the 30 days following the completion of the race, once the drug tests results are known.

#### **14.1 PRIZES TO ABSOLUTE CATEGORY**

<u>RANKING</u>	<u>PRIZE</u>
1.	3.000 €
2.	1.500 €
3.	1.000 €
4.	750 €
5.	500 €
6.	400 €
7.	300 €
8.	200 €
9.	100 €
10.	100 €

- The prizes will be paid full if the times achieved are below 2.10.00 for men and below 2.28.00 for women. Otherwise prizes will be reduced by 50%.
- For times above 2.15.00 (men) and 2.35.00 (women), prizes will be reduced by 75%

### **TIME BONUSES**



<b>MEN</b>	<b>PRIZE</b>	<b>WOMEN</b>
<b>&lt; 2.09.00</b>	<b>1000 €</b>	<b>&lt; 2.27.00</b>
<b>&lt; 2.08.00</b>	<b>2000 €</b>	<b>&lt; 2.25.00</b>
<b>&lt; 2.07.00</b>	<b>6000 €</b>	<b>&lt; 2.23.00</b>
<b>&lt; 2.06.00</b>	<b>8000 €</b>	<b>&lt; 2.21.00</b>
<b>&lt; 2.05.00</b>	<b>10000 €</b>	<b>&lt; 2.19.00</b>
<b>&lt; 2.04.00</b>	<b>12000 €</b>	<b>&lt; 2.17.00</b>

### **ARTICLE 15. OFFICIAL RESULTS**

The organisation will publish the provisional results on its website on 24th November 2019, and official results will be published on 25<sup>th</sup> November.

Official results may be modified by the judges after checking the times at the control points along de course. These modifications can be made until 16<sup>th</sup> December, when results will be considered definitive

All matters which are not covered shall be governed by IAAF rules.

### **ARTICLE 16. IMAGE RIGHTS and PERSONAL INFORMATION**

By signing up for the San Sebastian Marathon all participants automatically accept its rules and regulations and at the same time agree that FAG and Fly Group, either in their name or through third parties, may automatically use their personal data and their image (in photos, moving images etc), for exclusively sports related, promotional or commercial purposes.

In compliance with Organic Law 15/1999, of 13 December, on the Protection of Personal Data, participants have the right to access these files in order to modify or cancel either totally or partially the information contained. To do so, a written request must be sent to the head office of either FAG or Fly Group.

These rules and regulations have been approved with the agreement of the RFEA

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