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Thank you for your entry into the Indianapolis Marathon Relay! This email provides you with Information pertaining to the 2015 Marathon Relay, as well as a link to the Relay Exchange Zones map!

RELAY RULES AND INFORMATION

Indianapolis Marathon Relay Rules
October 17, 2015

Note for Packet Pickup: Please have one member of your relay team pick up your Team Race Packet, as it cannot be broken down into individual packets.

- 1) Each relay runner has a GREEN Race Bib that must be worn on the front and visible at all times. All team members will have the same race number on their respective bibs.
- 2) Each relay runner must sign a waiver. We will have waivers at the relay exchange zones. Simply sign the waiver at the Exchange Zone Tent before you run your leg.
- 3) The Marathon Relay starts at 8:30 am with the Marathon and Half Marathon.
- 4) Relay Teams may have 2, 3, or 4 runners.
- 5) Relay runners should carry a change of clothes and snack in a bag for their teammate who will be finishing at

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the leg that they are starting. The clothes/snack bag should be part of their "hand-off" within the exchange zone. For example, Runner 1 enters Relay Exchange Zone #1, hands off the ankle band with the timing chip to Runner 2, and Runner 2 hands off the warm and dry clothes bag to Runner 1!



6) The first relay runner must have and wear the ankle band that contains the timing chip (provided in your Team Packet). Relay runners must pass the ankle band with the timing chip at each of the three exchange zones. Race Officials will be present to witness exchanges. There is a special "Relay Runners Chute" that splits off of the main Marathon Course that relay runners must run through to make their exchange. Relay runners will receive their finisher medal immediately upon completing their relay leg.

7) Relay runners must wear the timing chip on the ankle so it is low to the ground while crossing the chip timing mats. Timing mats will be located at the Start Line, Mile 5 (near Exchange Zone #1), Half-Marathon Point (near Exchange Zone #2), Marathon Turnaround (near Exchange Zone #3), at 1.25 Miles to Go, and at the Finish Line.

[Click Here For Relay Exchange Zones Map!](#)

8) Relay Exchange Zone #1 is located on Post Road, approximately ¼ mile north of Otis Avenue. From the Start/Finish Line, walk east to Post Road, turn left and walk ¼ mile to Relay Exchange Zone #1. There is no transportation to or from this exchange zone location as it is within walking distance of the race site. Relay members running the 2nd relay leg should report to this location.

9) Relay Exchange Zone #2 is located 350 meters west of Post Road where 59th Street enters Fort Harrison State Park. From the Start/Finish Line, walk east to Post Road, turn left and walk 4 blocks to 59th Street, then turn left and walk 350 meters to Relay Exchange Zone #2. There is no transportation to or from this exchange zone location as it is within walking distance of the race site. Relay members running the 3rd relay leg should

report to this location.

10) Relay Exchange Zone #3 is located at the Marathon Turnaround point on Fall Creek Parkway just north of 46th Street. Bus transportation will be provided to Exchange Zone #3 from Post Road and Otis Avenue at 9:45 AM. This is only for relay members running the 4th leg of the relay. Please load buses on the east side of Post Road from 9:30 AM - 9:45 AM. Buses leave at 9:45 AM SHARP! This is the only time that transportation is provided. (Teams may provide their own transportation to Exchange Zone #3 if they desire.) Return bus transportation will be provided from Exchange Zone #3 approximately every 30 minutes for relay members finishing the 3rd leg. One bus will remain at the Relay Exchange Zone at all times to act as a shelter in case of rain.

11) Awards will be given to the top Male, Female, and Co-ed teams based on Gun Time.

Please forward this email to your teammates to make sure they get this information.

We look forward to seeing everyone on Race Weekend! I hope you have a great time and a fun experience participating with your team!

Sincerely,
Joel Sauer
Race Director and President
Indianapolis Marathon Road Runners Club

P. S. Do you have a friend that needs to know about our event? You can easily Forward this Email, or forward it on your own terms, from your inbox.

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The MISSION of the 20th Annual Indianapolis Marathon and Half Marathon, Marathon Relay, 5K Run/Walk and Kids Marathon is to serve runners, walkers, and our community through a fun, safe, and scenic event that is a good value to participants and a positive event for our community. We strive hard to please the participants by offering a well organized and friendly event.

We look forward to your participation on Saturday, October 17, 2015 and wish you all the best in your training!