

ESSENTIAL RACE INFORMATION FOR RUNNERS AND SPECTATORS

23rd MARCH 2025

<u>Please Note</u>: There is information included in the guide which differs from previous years, so <u>please</u> ensure you have a thorough read through.



Half Marathon Race License no: 27805

- 2 Person Relay Race License no: 28037
- 4 Person Relay Race License no: 28038

Course Measurement no: 23/087

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New for 2025

Predictive Finish Times (Half Marathon only)

We will be asking for predicted start times during the registration process, this will enable us to do wave starts, with the fastest runners off first. Runners will be given specific race bibs relative to their time and easily identifiable to race marshals.

10k Race

We will be trialling a 10k race for 2025. Runners will set off immediately after the main event race has started. Runner will be required to wear a race bib on the back of their running shirt to easily identify them to the half marathon runners.

Runners will meet at the hospice shop (See below) and be guided to the start line by the official race starter.

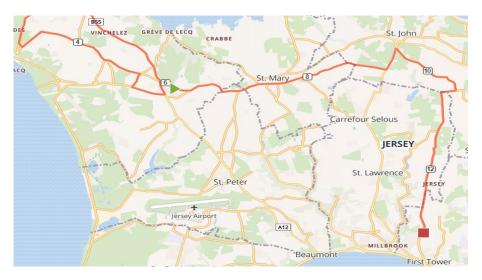


The 10k Route

The race will start at chemin de L'Eglise (junction with Rue du Creux Ballot) head straight through St Mary, following the same route as the half marathon. After turning right into Les Chenolles, 10K runners will take a right into Rue du Pont, cutting out a large section of Les Chenolles. They will take a left at the top of the road and join the main marathon route on Rue du Bel au Vent. Marshals and signage will guide the route.



The Half Marathon Route



The starts is on Rue de La Croix, St Ouen, 20 metres past the entrance to the Hospice Fundraising shop.

Turning right onto Route De Vincelez, you will stay on the main road, past The Palms Campsite, (on the right), Café Ouen on the left, heading towards Les Landes racecourse.

Staying on the main road, the route takes you past the racecourse on the right, where after approx. ¾ mile you will be directed left over Les Landes common. You will join Route des Lande which merges into Route des Millais. Staying on the main road until you are directed right into Rue Coentyn.

At the end of Rue Coentyn, turn left onto Route Du Marais (known to many as Hydrangea Avenue) heading uphill towards St Ouen Parish Hall.

At the main junction opposite St Ouen's Parish Hall; the route turns left on route De Vinchelez for approximately ¼ of a mile, turning right into Rue de la Croix where the Relay runners will handover at the Hospice Fundraising shop (Halfway point).

Turning left onto Rue Militaire, stay on the main road through St Mary and out towards St John along Le Neuf Chemin, passing St John's Manor on the right.

Turning left onto Rue de la Mare Ballam, stay on the main road until directed right at Les Chenolles; follow the road right to the end and at the T junction, turn right then immediately left into Rue du Bel Vent where they will begin their descent to the finish line in the beautiful grounds of Jersey Hospice Care.

Relay Teams Handover Points ALL relays teams will be starting immediately after the final wave.

Two Person Relay – Start Time Approx. 8:05am

The handover point is at the hospice fundraising shop approximately 6.5 mls (Also the start)

Four Person Relay – Start Time Approx. 8:05am

Leg 1: Starts Hospice Fundraising shop St Ouen – approx. 3.1 miles

Leg 2: Starts Les Landes Common – approx. 3 miles

There is a public car park close by on opposite side of the road:



Leg 3: Starts at Hospice Fundraising shop St Ouen – approx. 3.5 miles

Leg 4: Starts at the Old Church - Les Chenolles St John. (This is also the location of the water station) - approx. 3.5 miles Look out for the **Rock n Road Run Shop cheer leaders!**



Race Pack

Race packs are to be collected from:

Road N Road Run Co Shop – Liberty Wharf

Thursday 20th & Friday 21st March 2025 – 10am -4pm

& Saturday 22rd March 2025 (10am – 3pm)

Any uncollected will be taken to the start line, please look out for the gazebo in the car park but with over **900 entries** we will be very busy, <u>so please make every effort to collect it</u> <u>before race day!!!</u>

Chip Timing Tags

Your chip timing tags will be included in your race pack. Please ensure that you secure them correctly on your shoe. All tags are unique to you and have a QR Code. Any lost tags will costs £8 to replace, and you may be asked to bear this cost.

There will be volunteers situated on the finish line to remove your tags at the end of the race.

Race Bibs

It is VERY important that you race bib is on the **Front** of your race top, so officials can accurately record your time. (This is a backup). It is also extremely important, and a requirement of the UKA license, that you complete the emergency contact details on the back of your bib. Your safety is our priority!

10 K runners will be required to wear a 10K bib on the back of your t shirt in addition to the race number on the front.

Coaches to the Start

Tantivy Coaches will be waiting in the layby next to the statue in Liberation Square. They will be leaving at **7:10am** PROMPT.

The coaches will drive the inner road to collect runners from outside of Mr Fish, Fishing Tackle shop, opposite the gates to St Andrews Park.

If you have not booked a coach and would like one, please contact Loraine on: lorainefulton@jerseyhospicecare.com NOW!

Driving to, & Drop Off at the Start Line

In order to avoid congestion, we will operate a **one-way system** on the morning of the race.

If you are getting dropped off, <u>YOU MUST</u> approach the start line from the <u>TOP</u> of Rue de La Croix. Therefore, on Route De Vinchelez, drive past St Ouen Parish Hall on your right, Morrisons on your left, after approx. ¼ mile turn right into Rue de La Croix. The hospice shop is approximately ¼ mile on left. <u>The road will be closed at both end from 07:45am, to allow</u> <u>us to prepare the start line.</u>

Late Registrations

Registrations will close at 5pm on Wednesday 19th March 2025. <u>There will be minimal</u> registrations available on the day, look out for the registration tent, this will close at <u>7:30am PROMPT.</u>

Bag Drops

Individual runners (full Half Marathon). Leave your bag in the hospice van situated on the Hospice Shop drive and marked Individual and 2nd leg 2 person relay. Your bags will be driven to the finish at Mont Cochon where you can collect from the visitors car park.

<u>2 Person Relay 1st Leg</u>. Leave your bag in the roll cage marked " 2 Person 1st Leg & 4 person 1st & 2nd leg ". The roll cage will remain at the start line

2 Person Relay 2nd Leg – See above for individual runners

4 Person Relay 1 & 2nd Leg – See above "person Relay".

4 Person Relay 3rd Leg – Please make your own provisions to get your bag moved.

Note: Hospice do not accept any responsibility for lost items that have been left in bags.

Toilets

There will be 15 Portaloo's at the start line, which will also be the halfway point. There are public toilets at St Ouen Parish Hall, also at the finish line.

Water Stations

Water stations are located at the start, mile 3.1, Mile 6 and mile 10, Les Chenolles in St John. There will also be water and refreshment available at the end.

This year, runners will be offered the option of taking a small cup of water or a bottle at each station. This is to try and avoid excesses use of water bottle being discarded after a small sip.

A discarded bottles are taken and recycled.

Water Bottle Bins

There will be bottle bins situated approximately ½ mile from each water station. Please use these bins and do not throw discarded bottles into hedgerows.

Road Signage

There will be mile markers along the route. In addition, there will also be Big Yellow 'Run Route' signage, Cautions Runners, Water Ahead and Toilets signs.

Race Marshals and Honorary Police

The race is supported by Race marshals and the Honorary police. They are there for your safety, so please ensure that you listen to their instructions.

They donate their time as volunteers, so please do say thanks as you go by. We could not operate this great race without their support.

Road Closures

Rue de Croix will be closed from 07:15am until after the last runner has started, when it will reopen. No other roads will be closed. Runners must take care to respect other road users.

Pulling Out

If you need to retire from the race, please report to the nearest Race Marshal who will take note of your details.

Tail Runner & Sweeper Car

There will be a tail runner behind the last runner, the tail runner will be identifiable by a High Viz jacket. The tail runner will signify to Race Marshals that the last runner is passing them.

There will be a sweeper car driving the route.

Headphones/ Earphones

Headphones/earphones that sit in or over the ear remain against the rules of UK Athletics and therefore are not allowed. Runner using these may face disqualification.

UK Athletics recent update on rule number 240 S5 – Headphones that work by conduction sound through bones and do not sit in the ears are acceptable.

Emergencies

St Johns Ambulance will be at the start of the race. Once the race has started they will circulate the route. There will be a static First aid station at the halfway mark, mile 10.5 and the finish line. There will be event first aiders along the route.

Things That Are Not Permitted

Participants cannot:

- Rollerblade the course
- Run with pets
- Run with a pushchair
- Participants cannot be followed by friends on a bike. Runners may face disqualification from the race.

Photographs

There will be photographers at various locations along the course, including the start and finish line. If you do not want your photograph to be taken, please mark the front of your race big with **large Stars either side** of your race number. This will indicate to photographers that you don't want pictures taken. If your photo is included on our media and you wish to have it removed, please email <u>lorainefulton@jerseyhospicecare.com</u>



Race Results

The race results will be published on the Hospice 2 Hospice Half Marathon Facebook and Instagram page within 24 hours. Results will also be published on Run Britain and The Power of 10.

If there are any discrepancies, please contact the race Organiser by emailing lorainefulton@jerseyhospicecare.com

Winning Categories

	1 st	
Open Male	2 nd	Trophy
	3 rd	. ,
Open Female	1 st	
•	2 nd	Trophy
	3 rd	. ,
Male Age Group	1 st	
40-49, 50-59,60-69, 70 +	2 nd	Trophy
	3 rd	
Female Age Group	1 st	
40-49, 50-59,60-69, 70 +	2 nd	Trophy
	3 rd	
2 Person Relay	1 st	Trophy
Male, Female, Mixed	2 nd	
	3rd	
4 Person Relay	1 st	Trophy
Male, Female, Mixed	2 nd	
	3 rd	
10K Race	1 st	Trophy
Male, Female	2 nd	
	3 rd	
		Trophy to be held for
EY Corporate Cup	1 st	one year
	Currently stands at:	Trophy and
Course Records	1:15:51	£100 Voucher

Winners Presentation

The winner's presentation will take place on:

Wednesday 26th March 2024 @ 6pm

Venue: King Centre Lounge – Clarkson House, Jersey Hospice Care Mont Cochon. All participants and partners are welcome. Drinks and nibbles will be available.

Save The Date!!

Hospice 2 Hospice Half Marathon 2026

March 22rd 08:00am

Contact us: Race Director – Loraine Fulton lorainefulton@jerseyhospicecare.com 07829777770 01534 786159 Fundraising Team Fundraising@jerseyhospicecare.com

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Across the Channel Islands, we employ over 200 people and are passionate about empowering our people with the right mindsets and skills to navigate the latest challenges and embrace innovation to transform futures. We have a number of career opportunities in our assurance, tax and tech risk teams for school leavers and graduates looking to begin their careers with us and build their own exceptional EY experiences.

Our commitment to building a better working world isn't limited to the office or the boardroom; supporting and giving back to our local community is always at the forefront of our actions. We are proud to be the new sponsors of the Hospice 2 Hospice half marathon and play a part in supporting Jersey Hospice Care with growing the participation of this event, which is such a crucial part of their fundraising calendar. As we are passionate about promoting the benefits and importance of physical activity within our offices and local community, we are delighted to do this, whilst also supporting a charity which helps so many people across Jersey.

You can find out more about our career opportunities and the work we are doing to support our local communities on our website <u>www.ey.com/ci/careers</u> and by following us on social media:

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