

Minato City Half Marathon 2023

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Half Marathon 8:30 am [wave start at different start times]
Fun run 9:00 am start

Organizers:Minato City Marathon Secretariat,Tokyo Athletics Association
Managing Organization:Minato Ward Athletics Association
JAAF certified course



Application period ① General registration:July 3th(Mon.)~13th(Thur.) ② Charity registration:July 3th(Mon.)~August 16th(Wed.)

Official web site <https://minato-half.jp>



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Event Information	
Name	Minato City Half Marathon 2023
Date	Sunday 19th November 2023 *Rain or shine
Organizers	Minato City Marathon Secretariat, Tokyo Athletics Association
Managing Organization	Minato Ward Athletics Association
Supporting Organization	Sports Nippon Newspapers
Event Collaborators	Zojoji, Tokyo Tower Co., Ltd., Tokyo Prince Hotel, Shiba Toshogu
Competition Rules	The event will be conducted in accordance with the 2023 JAAF rules and regulations and the Event Regulations.
Start Venue	In the vicinity of Minato City Shiba Park
Finish Venue	Half marathon: Tokyo Tower / Fun run: Tokyo Metropolitan Shiba Park (north side of Minato City Library)

Race Categories, Maximum Number of Participants, Qualification Requirements, Participation Fees, etc.	Race Category	Half marathon (21.0975km) [JAAF certified course]						Fun Run (approx. 800m)	
	Divisions	JAAF-registered athletes	General Division						—
			Under 30	30-39	40-49	50-59	60-69	70+	
	Max. no. of participants	5,000 (General: 4,800(*1), Disabled registration: 100 (*2), Charity registration: 100)						500 Minato City residents (General: 450, Disabled registration: 50 (*2))	
	Start method	Runners are assigned to 4 corrals and start at different times (wave start)						Simultaneous start	
	Time limit	2 hours 30 minutes						30 minutes	
	Start time	8:30 am						9:00 am	
	Participation fee	10,000 yen (Charity registration: 40,000 yen (*3))						500 yen	
	Qualification requirements	Persons who are 18 years or older and can finish within the time limit on the day of the event (Participation in wheelchairs is not allowed)						No age limit(Regular (non-racing) wheelchairs are allowed)	
	Award	JAAF-registered Division	General Division						No awards presented
	(*4) Gross time	(*4) Gross time		(*5) Net time					
	1st to 8th place by gender Minato City Residents: 1st to 3rd place by gender	1st to 8th place by gender Minato City Residents: 1st to 3rd place by gender		Age division: 1st to 8th place by gender Oldest finishers by gender					
Records	Runners who complete the race within the time limit can download an official certificate containing split times for each 5 km.						Not timed		
Participation prize	T-shirt (Those who complete the race will also receive a finisher's towel)						Commemorative item		

- (*1) Priority given to Minato City residents.
(*2) A disabled persons' quota is set for persons with a Shintai Shogaisya Techo (Certificate of the Physically Disabled), etc. Participation in the half marathon in a wheelchair is not allowed.
(*3) Consisting of the 10,000 yen participation fee plus a 30,000 yen donation. Funds collected through charity registration will be donated to the Minato City Council of Social Welfare, etc.
(*4) Gross time refers to the time from the starter's pistol until the runner crosses the finish line.
(*5) Net time refers to the time from when the runner crosses the starting line to when the runners crosses the finish line.
(*6) Regardless of age, 1st to 3rd places will be awarded to Minato City residents by gender based on the gross time of JAAF registrants and the general participants.
(*7) Awards will be given to the oldest finishers by gender (full age on the day of the race) for net time.
• Pre-school participants in the fun run must be accompanied by an adult guardian.
• The assignment to corrals in the half marathon will be based on the order of the times self-reported by applicants (Only General) .
• Applications submitted using RUNNET will be subject to a 550 yen/person handling fee in addition to the participation fee. Charity registration runners shall pay the 550 yen handling fee for the 10,000 yen participation fee, but the handling fee for the 30,000 yen donation will be waived. The above handling fee will be waived for fun run participants and borne by the Marathon Secretariat.

Entry Method

Race Category	① Half Marathon		② Fun Run
Divisions	General registration Charity registration		Minato City residents registration (Minato City residents only)
Application Period	9:00am, Mon. 3rd July ~ 5:00pm, Thur. 13th July 2023 9:00am, Mon. 3rd July ~ 5:00pm, Wed. 16th August 2023		9:00am, Mon. 3rd July ~ 5:00pm, Thur. 13th July 2023
Application Method	<p style="text-align: center;">Internet (RUNNET)</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Please access the following URL from your computer or smartphone and follow the instructions on the tournament entry page to apply. *If you are using RUNNET for the first time, you need to register as a member in advance (free). Official Website https://minato-half.jp</p> 		
Participation Decision	<p>Lottery (Priority given to Minato City residents)</p> <p>Tues. 1st August Lottery result announcement (confirm "RUNNET My Page")</p> <p>Winners will pay the participation fee using the payment method (credit card payment or convenience store payment) selected on their RUNNET My Page.</p> <p>The deadline for payment is Wednesday 16th August. Participation will be determined after payment has been confirmed.</p>	<p>First-come, first-served basis (Max. no of participants : 100)</p> <p>Mon. 3rd July ~ Pay the participation fee using the payment method (credit card payment or convenience store payment) selected on the entry page within the payment period.</p> <p>~ Wed. 16th August. Participation will be determined after payment has been confirmed. ※ Ends as soon as capacity is reached.</p>	<p>Lottery</p> <p>Tues. 1st August Lottery result announcement (confirm "RUNNET My Page")</p> <p>Winners will pay the participation fee using the payment method (credit card payment or convenience store payment) selected on their RUNNET My Page.</p> <p>The deadline for payment is Wednesday 16th August. Participation will be determined after payment has been confirmed.</p>
Application Counters (Minato City residents only)	<p>Those who have difficulty applying online can apply at the following reception desk during the application period (Minato City residents only) (cannot be done by post). *Reception is from 9 am to 5 pm on weekdays, and payment of the participation fee for charity entry (first-come, first-served) is by cash only. The lottery results will be announced from Tuesday, August 1, by post. The payment method will be a postal payment slip sent to the winner or cash payment at the reception desk (payment fee, etc. will be borne by the lottery winner).</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Kiss Port Foundation Secretariat (Marathon Section): Akasaka Community Plaza 2F, 4-18-13 Akasaka, Minato-ku, Tokyo ● Sports Promotion Subsection, Lifelong Learning Sports Promotion Section, Minato City: 7th Floor (Counter No. 709), 1-5-25 Shibakoen, Minato-ku, Tokyo 		

* If payment of the prescribed registration fee from applicants selected in the lottery is not confirmed within the payment period, the applicant will be deemed to have declined to participate.

* Duplicate entries will be declined.

Delivery of Number Cards, etc.

Number cards and the chip for time measurement will be sent to participants in early November. Number cards will not be issued or received at the event venue, so please arrive at the designated location by the designated time wearing your number cards. Details will be announced in the official event program to be sent out in early November.

Race Regulations

1. The event will be conducted in accordance with relevant laws and ordinances and the various regulations.
2. The organizers will not be liable for any of the following:
 - (1) Injuries, illness or other accidents
 - (2) Theft, loss and/or damage to personal property
 - (3) Delay in arriving or inability to participate due to public transportation accidents, delays, etc.
3. In order to safely conduct the event, the organizers will impose restrictions at the event and along the course, etc.
4. Participants shall follow the instructions of the organizers, officers and staff regarding the event. Failure to obey instructions may result in disqualification.
5. Participants may be disqualified if the organizers consider their clothes to be an impediment to the operation of the event, such as being indecent or posing a danger or obstruction to other runners.
6. Drinking or receiving alcoholic beverages before the start or while running is prohibited and will result in disqualification. Participants determined to be under the influence of alcohol will be disqualified.
7. Participants shall comply with public manners and the event rules.
8. Participants shall bring their health insurance card (or a photocopy) to the event.
9. Unmanned aerial vehicles such as multirotors, drones and radio control helicopters shall not be flown over the venue on the day of the event, regardless of the purpose, including aerial photography.
10. The organizers will purchase a sports accident insurance policy for the duration of the event.
11. The chief judge or doctor may stop a participant from continuing if they determine the participant is unable to continue the race due to illness, injury, etc. In such a case, the participant shall follow the chief judge or doctor's instructions.
12. Participants who become unable to continue the race without assistance from medical staff (i.e., the use of an I.V. drip or wheelchair) will be deemed to have retired from the race and disqualified. The on-site doctor and medical staff will make the final determination regarding a participant's ability to continue the race, and their instructions shall be followed. Further, the doctor or medical staff may confirm with the runner whether they intend to retire (be disqualified) before commencing medical treatment.
13. On the day of the event, participants may not come by car, motorcycle, or bicycle, including drop-off and pick-up (there is no parking lot or bicycle parking lot).
14. Participants may have an escort runner, depending on the degree of their disability. The escort runner's participation will be free of charge, but the time of the escort runner will not be recorded (except where the escort runner has entered the event).
15. Participants shall be responsible for managing their valuables and luggage in order to prevent theft/picking up the wrong bag.
16. The organizers shall own the rights to publish information and images, including videos, photographs, articles, records, location information and the name, age and address (prefecture and municipality) of participants on television, in newspapers and magazines, on the Internet, etc.
17. The organizers will comply with the Act on the Protection of Personal Information and related laws and regulations, and handle personal information as follows, based on the organizers' personal information protection policy:
 - (1) Personal information handled:

Name, sex, date of birth, age, address, telephone number, mobile telephone number, email address, nationality, emergency contact's name, telephone number and relationship to the participant, records, affiliation, location information, clinical information, information recorded in a Shintai Shogaisha Techo (Certificate of the Physically Disabled), etc.
 - (2) Purposes of use:

For the purpose of improving services and safety for the participants of the event, sending participation information / participation prizes, notification of records, notification of related information, sponsorship of the event, cooperation, provision of information from related organizations, announcement of records (official event site, for ranking, etc.), publication of charity donors, insurance, medical treatment, etc.
 - (3) Provision to third parties:

Personal information will be provided to third parties in the following circumstances;

 - When provision to related businesses and contractors within the scope of operating the event is necessary;
 - When the Minato City Council of Social Welfare requests donor information for the purpose of donating charity donations;
 - When provision is requested by an insurance company for the purpose of applying for insurance;
 - When information related to medical examinations is used for academic purposes;
 - When information related to records is to be published on television, in newspapers and magazines, on the Internet, etc.

Terms of Application

- * Please read and agree to the following terms before applying for registration.
1. Change of race category, cancellation, transfer of rights or change of name due to a participant's personal circumstances will not be allowed after participation has been confirmed.
 2. In principle, there will be no refund of participation fees (including charity donations) after they have been paid, including in circumstances where the event is downsized or canceled due to an earthquake, flood, snow, incident, accident, illness, etc.
 3. Participants must comply with the precautions and other measures established by the organizer to prevent infectious diseases, including COVID-19 infections, and follow the instructions of the organizer (Japan will make a comprehensive judgment from multiple perspectives, such as the policies of the national and metropolitan governments, and the implementation status of measures at other competitions, and will implement them appropriately according to the future situation).
 4. Participants shall be aware of their health, including heart disease and other illnesses, such as by having a physical examination by a doctor in advance, and train sufficiently before participating in the event. Entrants shall participate in the event at their own risk with regard to injury, illness, accidents, etc.
 5. Participants may be stopped during the event to allow emergency vehicles to pass, or be asked to give emergency vehicles priority passage. Further, the organizers may stop the event if they determine that there is a hinderance to its continuance. Participants shall follow the organizers' instructions with regard to safety management and the operation of the event.
 6. If a participant suffers illness or injury during the event, the participant shall receive first aid from the organizers.
 7. Participants will be compensated for any accidents or injuries arising during the event within the scope of the coverage of the insurance policy purchased by the organizers. The organizers will provide first aid to a participant's injury or illness, but will not have any liability for such, and participants shall not make any claims for compensation against the organizers.
 8. When registering for the event, participants shall obtain permission to participate in the event from their parents, family or guardians if the participant is a minor, or from their teammates if registering as the representative of a team.
 9. Fraudulent applications regarding age, sex, records, etc., or participation by a person other than the registrant (i.e., participating on behalf of another person) will not be allowed. If such dishonesty is discovered, the organizers' decision shall be followed regarding the revocation of participation and awards, and disqualification from future participation, etc.. Further, the organizers shall not have any liability for providing first aid or refunds to fraudulent applicants or alternate runners.
 10. Registrants may be unable to apply due to the device, operating system or Internet browser they use. Please be sure to set the reception permission of the domain (minato-marathon.jp・runnet.jp・runpassport.jp) The organizers shall not be liable for any delayed applications caused by Internet service failures, etc.
 11. If notification regarding the results of the entry lottery is not received due to a problem with the email address used for registration, the notification will not be resent. The organizers will not be liable for the non-payment of participation fees due to the notification email not being received or being overlooked.
 12. The videos, photographs, articles and records of the event (including the personal information of participants such as their name, age, sex, record and image) may be reported, published or used in newspapers, on television, in magazines, on the Internet, in brochures, etc. The organizers will hold the rights to publish and use such information.
 13. The handling of participants' personal information shall be in accordance with the provisions of the Race Regulations.
 14. Participants shall comply with the above Terms of Application as well as the organizers' separately defined Special Application Terms and Race Regulations (in case of discrepancy, the Race Regulations shall prevail).

Notes for people with disabilities

[Half Marathon]

• People with disabilities (who are 18 years of age or older and can finish within the time limit on the day of the event) who would have trouble running alone are allowed to have an escort runner (guide dogs are not allowed as escorts). The escort runner's participation fee is free, but the escort runner's time will not be recorded unless the escort runner also registers as a participant. Participation in wheelchairs is not permitted.

[Fun Run]

• People who would have trouble running alone are allowed to have an escort runner (guide dogs are not allowed as escorts).
• Participation using regular wheelchairs and baby strollers is also allowed, however, racing wheelchairs are not allowed.

Information on Partnership Events



Minato City Half Marathon 2023 is a partnership event of RUN as ONE - Tokyo Marathon 2024 (General). Finishers of Minato City Half Marathon 2023 who meet the nomination criteria will be selected by lottery, and three runners will be awarded the right to run in the Tokyo Marathon 2024.



Minato City Half Marathon 2023 is a partnership event of TEAM ONE TOKYO - Tokyo Athletics Association Recommendation. TEAM ONE TOKYO members and Tokyo Athletics Association registrants who have completed the race in the JAAF registrant division, and who wish to be selected for the [Tokyo Athletics Association Recommendation], will be granted the right to run in the Tokyo Marathon 2024.

Information on Partnership Program



Minato City Half Marathon 2023 is a partnership event of MCC (HMCC). HMCC (Half Marathon Challenge Cup) is a project to make half marathons more fun and rewarding, and to develop the world of running along with full marathons.

Those who complete the Minato City Half Marathon 2023 will receive the following benefits:
(1) A "Special Record Certificate" will be issued. (Finishers of the men's sub-80 minutes, women's sub-90 minutes, first half marathon finishers, personal best achievers, annual personal best achievers)
(2) Prize money will be awarded to the athletes (men and women) who break the marathon record and win.
[Tournament record] Men: 1 hour 05 minutes 31 seconds; Women: 1 hour 13 minutes 30 seconds

Guest Runners

Half Marathon



Mr. Eric Wainaina
Born in Kenya
[Main competitions]
2000 Sydney Olympics silver medal
2004 Athens Olympics 7th Place

Fun Run



Mr. TAKADA Yuji
Lives in Minato Ward, Tokyo
[Main competitions]
24th Summer Deaflympics
Games Caxias do Sul 2021
Mixed 4 x 400m Relay Final
6th Place



Mrs. TAKADA Chiaki
Lives in Minato Ward, Tokyo
[Main competitions]
2021 Tokyo 2020
Paralympic Games
5th place in long jump

© In addition to the above 3 runners, we are still adjusting guest runners!!

Official SNS

Twitter



#minatocityhalfmarathon

YouTube



Wainaina Camera open!

TATTA



Official community team open!

Fun Run Course Map



Volunteer Recruitment

[Activity date and time]
11/19 (Sun) 6:30-12:00 (planned)

[Activity place]
Around the half marathon course

[Activity content]
Runner Guidance/Water Supply/
First Aid Station

[Target]
15 years old or older (generally
high school students or older)

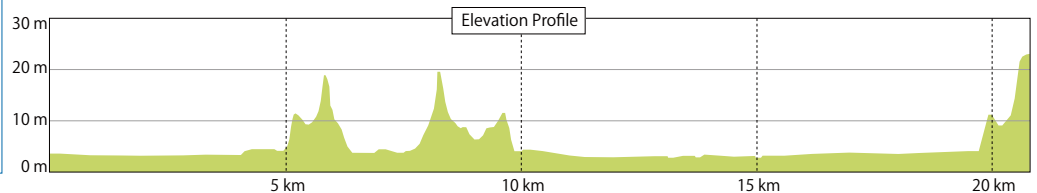
[Number of people]
1,000 people

[Application method]
Official website

[Application]
Reception starts on the official
website from 4th July (Tues.)



Minato City Half Marathon 2023 Course Map



Access to the Starting Area

JR Line / Tokyo Monorail ▶ 10-minute walk from Hamamatsucho Station North Exit

Toei Subway Mita Line ▶ 3-minute walk from Onarimon Station Exit A1
3-minute walk from Shibakoen Station Exit A4

Toei Subway Asakusa Line / Oedo Line ▶ 5-minute walk from Daimon Station Exit A6

Toei Subway Oedo Line ▶ 7-minute walk from Akabanebashi Station Akabanebashi Exit

* There are no car or bicycle parking spaces for participants.

Inquiries

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