

Cardiff Pentath~Run

CPR Race Pack

Hi CPR'ers

Please find below the details of this weekend's CPR. The first part you'll see is the timetable for the weekend please be there for the briefings, we will have as many marshals out on the courses as possible buy you need to be aware of the courses that we are using.

The next lot of information relates to the courses we are using.

Please bring pins with you, we will be asking you to wear the same number for all 5 of the runs so that the Marshals and Finish team know who they are looking for. Don't forget your parkrun barcode for the first event.

Saturday 27th August

Time	Distance	Notes
9.00am	parkrun 5K	Please be at the Start area for 8.45am
12.30pm	10K	Please meet at the Start/Finish area - On the Spine Road just up from the Stables at 12.15pm
4.30pm	Cross Country (4.5K)	Please be at the Start area at 4.15pm

Sunday 28th August

Time	Distance	Notes
9.00am	Half Marathon (21.1K)	Please meet at the Finish area - On the Spine Road just up from the Stables at 8.40am
2.00pm	1 mile (1.6K)	Please meet at the Finish area - On the Spine Road just up from the Stables at 1.40pm

Details of the courses : parkrun 5K

The first event is being incorporated into Cardiff parkrun (www.parkrun.org.uk/cardiff), please be there early for the briefing and to collect your number. You will take part in parkrun as normal, but when you finish please come and see the designated volunteer before you register your finishing position, that way we know where in the results we have to look to make it easier for us.

10K

This event starts on the main spine road through Pontcanna Fields, just up from the riding school. Lap 1 - You will run down towards Sofia Gardens and turn left along the cross path to Blackweir Bridge and then turn right along the river path. When you get to the Wall turn right and then right again onto the Spine Road, follow the Spine Road towards the start/finish, turn left down the small slope and run around the triangle, re-join the Spine Road by the allotments, turn right and run through the start/finish.

Laps 2+3 - Run down towards Sofia Gardens and turn left along the cross path to Blackweir Bridge and then turn right along the river path. Run past the back of the SWALEC stadium turn right between the SWALEC stadium and the Sports Centre and then right again onto the Spine Road, follow the Spine Road towards the start/finish, turn left down the small slope and run around the triangle, re-join the Spine Road by the allotments, turn right and run through the start/finish, then repeat the whole thing.

Cross Country

This will take place in Pontcanna Fields and start/finish at the stables end of the playing fields. The course is 3 laps on the section of the park between the stables and cross path, and the River Taff and the Spine Road. **The course is completely on grass.** The course will be marked with small orange and yellow plastic marker flags, as well as marshals.

Half Marathon

This event starts by Blackweir Bridge on the Pontcanna Fields side of the river and then runs along the river path, then turn left over the Millennium Bridge, straight off the bridge and towards the Nursery (opposite way to parkrun), keeping the river on your left. Carry on past Blackweir Bridge and past the start/finish for parkrun, continue following the river path up through Hailey Park, and go past the car park, go through the gates and carry straight on under the railway bridge, follow the cycle path. When you get to the "pump wheel" bear left following the cycle path through the houses, at the end of the path just after the barrier bear left on to the road. Pass Cardiff High School Old Boys' rugby club and continue up past Radyr Bridge ~ the river should still be on your left. When you get to the end turn left and go under the M4, at Iron Bridge bear right and follow lane towards Tongwynlais, don't turn left under A470, continue straight on and pick up the dirt path, at this point beware of the gate. Follow this path until you get back to the river path by the M4, turn left and pass under the M4 once again, you should fully retrace your steps back, when you get to the start point, turn left and follow the cross path and join the Spine Road, turn right and run towards the stables to the finish. **There are no distance markers on the course.**

1 mile

This will take place in Pontcanna Fields. Start on the River path just down from Blackweir Bridge, run down to "the Wall", and turn right along the dirt path and then right on to the Spine Road. At Blackweir bridge turn left and along the cross path to the Spine Rd, run down to the Finish which is situated just before the Stables.

Thanks for entering

CRE/LCRC Events Team