



VAAL MARATHON 2026

Dick Fourie Stadium, Three Rivers, Vereeniging

1 MARCH 2026

42.2km Marathon

R340

42.2km GM (Grand Master)

R270

21.1km Half Marathon

R250

10km

R150

5km (Entries available on the day)

R60

Temp License (available on the day)

R130

All prices are excluding online fees.

Race t-shirt R210 limited t-shirt available



ONLY 750 SHIRTS AVAILABLE!

Substitutions, Up and downgrades - R50 admin fee. Online entry only www.peaktiming.co.za.

Closes Wednesday 25/02/2026 at 12:00 noon. No sub, up or downgrades after this date.

Halfway cut-off: 2:45 hrs for 42,2km. **End cut-off:** 42,2km – 5:45hrs (11h45). Pre entries only. No shop or race day entries. No refunds for any entries.

Time keeping & Results: All timing to be done by peak timing. All results will be posted on www.peaktiming.co.za.

Tog bag area available, No child minding service, No showers available.

Comrades & Two Oceans Qualifier. Starting times: 21,1km & 42,2km start at 06h00 | 5km & 10km start at 06:15

Race pack collections:

·26/02/2026 & 27/02/2026, time- 10am to 4pm Baseline Runners, Shop 2 Bedford Arcade 55/59 van Buuren rd Bedfordveiw , JHB

·28/02/2026, time- 10am to 4pm Dick Fourie Stadium, Three Rivers, Vereeniging

·01/03/2026, time- from 04:30am Dick Fourie Stadium, Three Rivers, Vereeniging

SAME FOR MALE AND FEMALE RUNNER

PRIZE MONEY	POSITION	JUNIOR	OPEN	VET	MASTER	GRAND MASTER	GREAT GRAND MASTER
42.2km	1		R1 500.00	R500.00	R500.00	R400.00	R300.00
	2		R1 200.00	R400.00	R400.00	R300.00	
	3		R 800.00	R300.00	R300.00		
21.1km	1		R 600.00	R500.00	R400.00	R300.00	R250.00
	2		R 400.00	R300.00	R300.00	R200.00	
	3		R 300.00	R200.00			
10km	1		R 300.00				
	2		R 200.00				
	3		R 150.00				



Rules:

1. This race is run in accordance with the rules of the ASA and AVT. Registered athletes must be members of a club affiliated to ASA, wear official club clothing colours and wear two 2026 license numbers on the front and back of the vest. Numbers may not be altered.
2. Race numbers for the 42,2km, 21,1km and 10km races to be worn on the front of the vest. Runners found on the route without official numbers, will be removed. Do not cover the license number's sponsor logo's
3. Non-registered athletes running the 42,2km, 21,1 and 10km races must purchase temporary licenses, wear plain clothing and pin the number only on the back of the vest.
4. Ensure you purchase the correct colour number for the distance you are running.
5. The race committee reserves the right to accept or reject any entry.
6. Proof of age to be produced on request (birth certificate or ID document)
7. Athletes competing for a category prize must wear numerical ID tags.
8. In competitions where the competition takes place according to age categories, in addition to the OPEN category, if offered, the athlete will participate and only be eligible for the prizes of the category they entered for. Provided they display the relevant official numerical age category tags on the front and back of their vest. Any athlete may thus qualify for a maximum of two individual prizes (one in open category and a second in the age category entered for)
9. NO SECONDING will be permitted on any part of the race route. No vehicle or bicycle will be allowed to follow the runners on the route. Any runner who is seconded or followed is liable for disqualification.
10. NO ADVERTISING of any form may be worn by competitors unless sanctioned by the official sponsors.
11. Failure to obey the rules, referees, traffic marshals or any other race official could result in disqualification.
12. There will be no officials, traffic officers, marshals or refreshment station workers in attendance on the route after 11H45.
13. Distance boards will be placed at each kilometer.
14. All athletes compete at their own risk. Athletes indemnify National, Provincial and Regional bodies, sponsors and organizers of the race against all or any actions whatsoever nature and whatever may arise due to participation in any event.
15. No Vaal Athletic Club members may participate in any event on race day.
16. Runners will not be permitted to start the second lap of the 42,2km distance after 08:45 (2:45)
17. The 42,2km, 21,1km and 10km races are timed by Peak Timing.
18. No unaccompanied children will be allowed at the venue during the race.
19. No drones will be allowed over the race start or finish area.
20. Age restrictions: 42.2km - 20years on race day; 21.1km - 16 years; 10km - 14years

Visit www.peaktiming.co.za for more information

Visit our Website www.vaalmarathon.co.za for race start times, route profiles, prize money, directions, parking and additional information.

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