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HIKYAKU MARATHON

Hikyaku Marathon Information

Greetings and our thought on Hikyaku Marathon

The main theme of the Hikyaku Marathon is to have thoughts for others and run with that mind. Wearing the "Inori-wa (a prayer bracelet)" around the wrist, Hikyaku will run the course and place the Inori-wa (a prayer bracelet) and offer a prayer at the turnaround point where we set the hyaku-do pilgrimage. We hope the runners and the supporters will enjoy the event together and also it will be a heartwarming day. We truly looking forward to seeing you on the day.



Hikyaku Marathon
Organizer
Takao Kitada

Event Schedule

Sunday, October 5

- 9:00 10-ri Start (Registration 8:00~8:30)
- 10:00 5-ri Start (Registration 9:00~9:30)
- 11:00 1-ri Start (Registration 10:00~10:30)
- 12:00 3-ri Start (Registration 11:00~11:30)
- 12:05 Kids 1-ri Start, Family 1-ri start (Registration 11:00~11:30)
- 14:00 Event close (Welcoming the last runners with everybody)

Possibility of holding the event
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Hikyaku Marathon



Access and event precinct

At Hattori Ryokuchi Athletics Stadium
Approx. 15-minutes walk (1.3Km) from Ryokuchi Koen station
(Kita Osaka Kyuko railway)
Approx. 23-minutes walk (1.9Km) from Sone station
(Hankyu railway)
Approx. 30-minutes walk (2.2Km) from Hattori Tenjingu Shrine.

Inquiry

For inquiries, please email us at the address below
Hikyaku Marathon Executive Committee
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WEBSITE



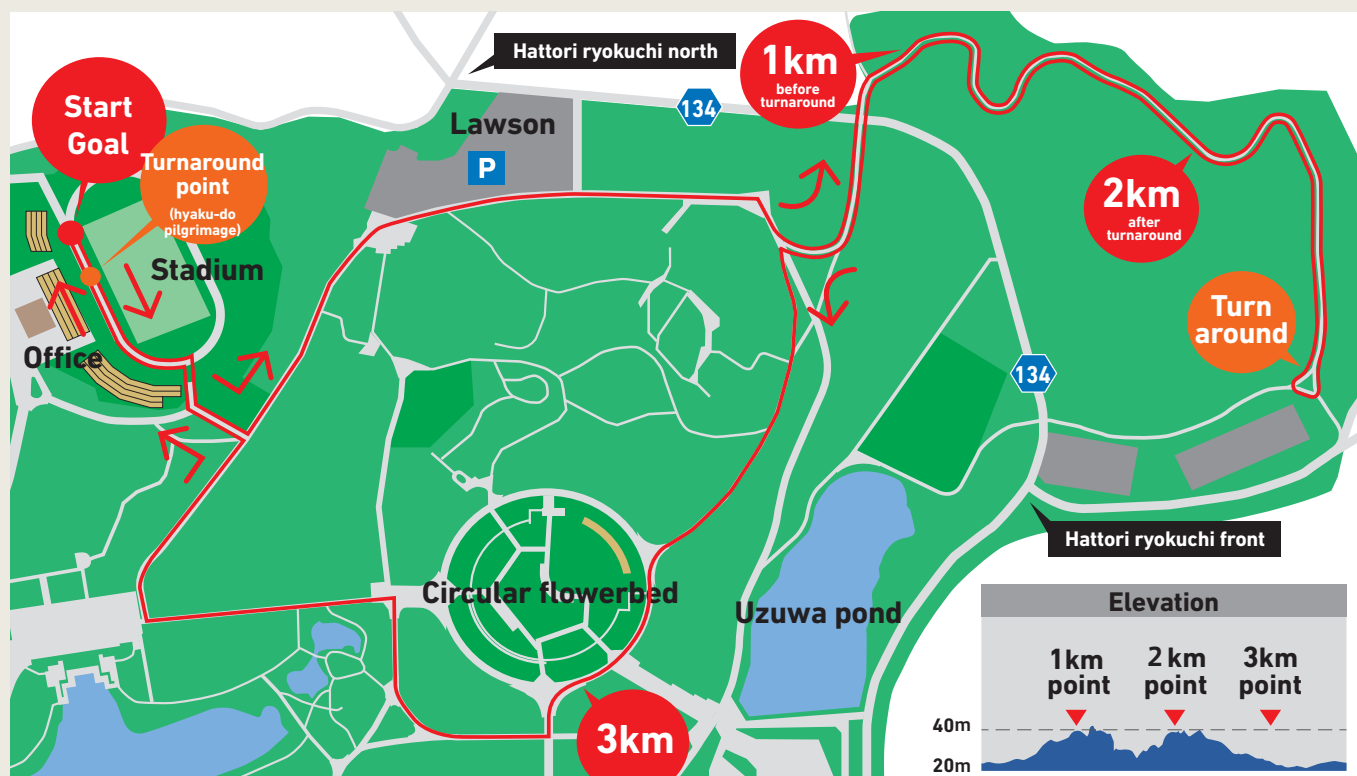
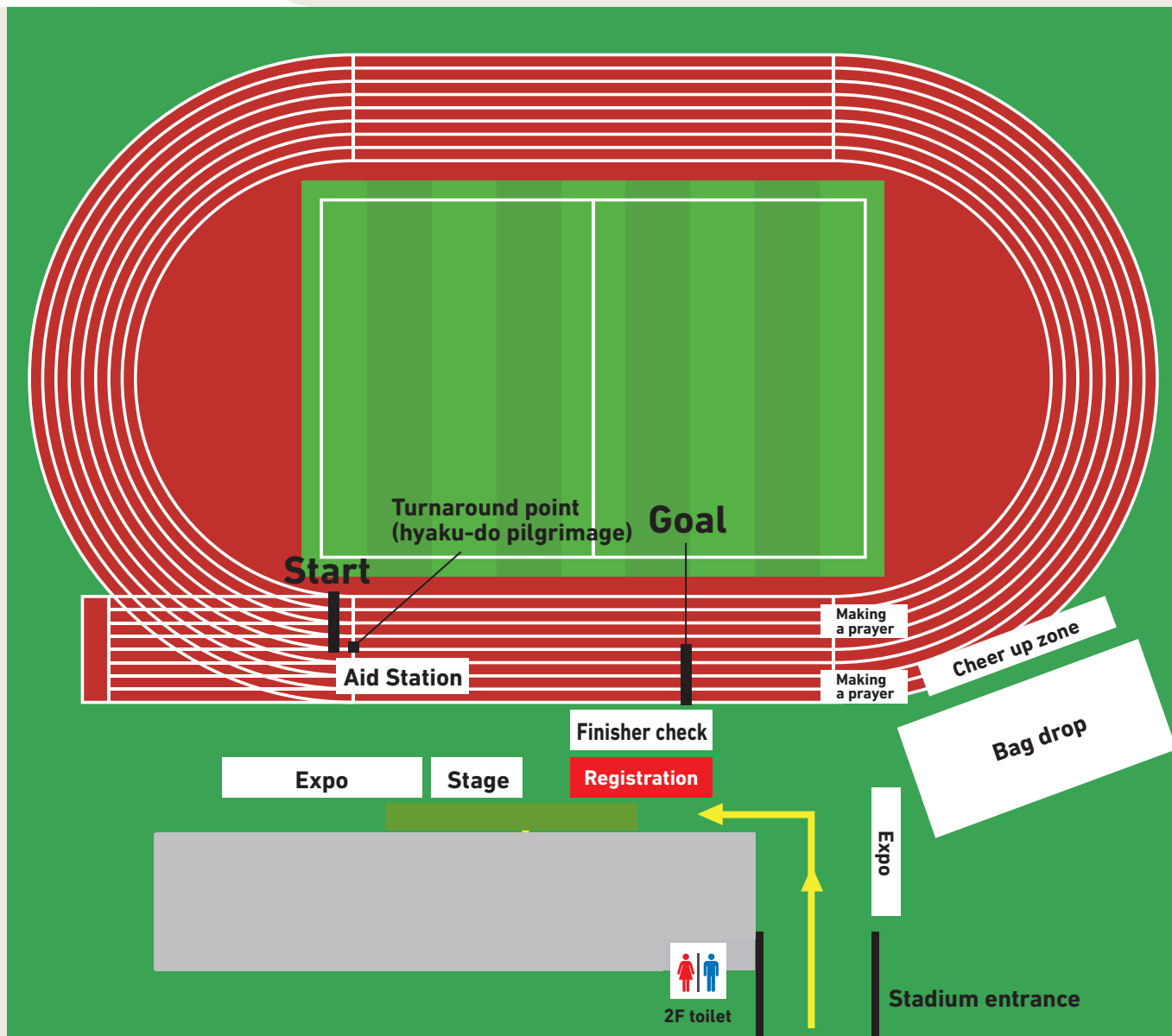
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Items to bring with you

- ◆ Bring your own cup (For hydration)
- ◆ Waterproof bag or garbage bag (For bag drop)
- ◆ Thoughtful mind for caring the others

◆ Registration

Please come to Hattori Ryokuchi Athletics Stadium for registration.

◆ Changing space

For changing clothes, you can use changing room at stadium. There are shower room too. (7 or 8 units)

◆ Hydration/Aid station

1 hydration and aid station will be set up on the course. If you feel tired take a good rest at the station. To reduce the waste, please bring your own cup. Also the temperature on the event day is expected to get high we recommend you to prepare for the high temperature.

◆ How to count the laps and finish.

At the registration, the staff will pass the "inori-wa" with the number of laps you need to make. Put 1 inori-wa at prayer spot when you finish every lap. When you put the last inori-wa, it will be your last lap. Also there will be a hyaku-do pilgrimage stone at turnaround point, you are supposed to turnaround the stone every laps.

◆ Bag storage

You can drop your bag at athletics stadium. Please bring your own waterproof or garbage bag to put your bag. Please attach the bag tag which will be passed out at registration. Please do not leave any valuables in your bags.

◆ What to wear

You can wear whatever you want! If you are planning to wear a costume, it is highly recommended to wear something with Japanese style. (Western style costume do not match with Hikyaku Marathon concept)

◆ Participation Award

Original designed Tenugui, Japanese hand towel, will be given as a participation award. You can wrap tenugui around your head or arm or use in your style.

◆ Notes

There will be not only runners but also other people on the course. Please mind safely first and care for the others when you run.

◆ HIKYAKU Merch ◆

HIKYAKU Marathon original designed T-shirts, TABI socks and the other merch are available. Stocks are limited, so please get yours before they are sold out.

*If you pre-order the merch, we will pass the item at the next booth of registration on the race day, please bring the evidence of purchase and let us have your name.



Advance Purchase

◆ ASHIMAMORI -Foot Amulet- ◆

You can get the ASHIMAMORI of Hattori Tenjingu Shrine, known as the "foot shrine".

This ASHIMAMORI can be laced up with shoelace. The indigo blue color ASHIMAMORI is only available at Hikyaku Marathon. If you would like to purchase one, please come to the registration booth. We accept payment in cash only.



◆ To supporters and visitors ◆

You are more than welcomed to come to the Hikyaku Marathon. Cheer up the Hikyaku, the runners on the course or at the athletics stadium. Several food stalls and merch shop will open.

◆ FAQ ◆

Q: What is inori-wa?

Bracelet shaped ring blessed by the God of foot.
By wearing the inori-wa, you carry the thoughts and prayer for the others.
Every time you make a lap, place the inori-wa at prayer spot.

Q: Is race bib allocated?

1 race bib can be collected on the event day at the registration.
Write down your name or nick name on your bib.
Attach your bib to the front of your clothing for easy identification.

Q: Is race time be recorded?

Official race time will not be recorded.
If you wish to have your race time record, we ask to do it by yourself.

Q: Is there any rest area or relaxing space?

We will prepare the rest area inside of the athletics stadium.
Also there are several area to relax inside of the park.

Q: Is parking lot available for the event?

No. There is no parking lot available for this event.
Please use public transportation

◆ EXPO Come and enjoy!

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**Athlete Aroma
Relaxation spot**

Recovery Massage Service

**Fruit shop
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For further details,
please check our official website

<https://hikyaku-marathon.com/>

