

## **OFFICIAL RULES**

Infront Italy S.p.A. in association with Corriere dello Sport S.r.I., Atielle Roma S.r.I. and Italia Marathon Club - amateur sports club, affiliated with the Italian Athletics Federation (FIDAL) with code nr.RM094 (hereinafter "Promoters" or "Organizers"), with the approval of FIDAL and of the International Federation ("World Athletics"), organize the 30<sup>th</sup> edition of the Rome Marathon, officially called "Run Rome The Marathon", in conjunction with the Jubilee 2025, a road race of top international level of km 42,195, partner race of the Abbott World Marathon Majors..

The race will take place **Sunday**, **March 16th**, **2025**, h **8:30 am** - Italian time – approximately. Run Rome The Marathon will take place in all weather conditions.

The Run Rome The Marathon is certified with the "FIDAL Gold Label" and the "World Athletics Elite Label".

#### PARTICIPATION RULES

Pursuant to art. 34 of the Rules for the Organization of Events issued by FIDAL, the race is open to all athletes, from 20 years of age (born in 2005), who belong to one of the following categories:

- 1. Italian and non-Italian athletes registered in 2025 with a club affiliated with FIDAL and belonging to the categories "Promesse" (20-22 years old), "Seniores" (23-34 years old) and "Master" (SM/SF35, SM/SF40, SM/SF45, SM/SF50, SM/SF55, SM/SF60, SM/SF65, SM/SF70, SM/SF75, SM/SF80, SM/SF85, SM/SF90, SM/SF95).
- 2. Athletes registered with an Athletics Federation (other than FIDAL) affiliated to World Athletics

by submitting, in case they are not enrolled by their Federation or Club or Assistant, a special form for self-declaring their membership. (Please download this form, fill in and sign it: <a href="http://www.runromethemarathon.com/wp-content/uploads/2021/11/Autodichiarazione-Tesseramento-inglese.pdf">http://www.runromethemarathon.com/wp-content/uploads/2021/11/Autodichiarazione-Tesseramento-inglese.pdf</a>

**Non-EU athletes** must submit a residence permit or a visa.

Athletes of foreign Federations that require the authorization to race abroad (Rule 4 of the International Technical Regulations) must submit the authorization itself.

 Italian and non-Italian athletes registered with a club affiliated with a Sports Promotion Authority (EPS) that has signed an agreement with FIDAL, only if in possession of a RUNCARD-EPS

Italian and non-Italian athletes living in Italy, who are 20 years old (born in 2005) or older and are members of a Sports Club affiliated with a Sports Promotion Authority that has signed an

agreement with FIDAL, may participate if they hold a valid (not expired) RUNCARD-EPS issued directly by FIDAL.

Warning: holding RUNCARD it is not sufficient. Participation is also subject to possession of a valid medical certificate (i.e. a valid medical certificate of eligibility for the practice of competitive "Athletics" (no other wording). The medical certificate required by these regulations must be uploaded to the DataHealth portal through the ENDU.net portal, within 10 days before the race. To be validated, it must be considered compliant with the participation requirements of the event.

These athletes will be regularly included in the rankings, but not entitled to receive prizes, bonuses and refunds.

# 4. Italians and non-Italian citizens living in Italy holding a RUNCARD

Italians and non-Italian citizens living in Italy, who are 20 years old (born in 2005) or older and are not a member of a Sports Club affiliated either with FIDAL or with **World Athletics**, may participate if they hold a valid (not expired) RUNCARD issued directly by FIDAL.

Warning: holding RUNCARD it is not sufficient. Participation is also subject to possession of a valid medical certificate (i.e. a valid medical certificate of eligibility for the practice of competitive "Athletics" (no other wording)). The medical certificate required by these regulations must be uploaded to the DataHealth portal through the ENDU.net portal, within 10 days before the race. To be validated, it must be considered compliant with the participation requirements of the event.

These athletes will be regularly included in the rankings, but not entitled to receive prizes, bonuses and refunds.

# 5. Non-Italian and Italian citizens living outside Italy holding a RUNCARD

Non-Italian and Italian citizens living outside Italy, who are 20 years old (born in 2005) or older and are not members of a Sports Club affiliated with FIDAL or World Athletics, may participate if they hold valid (not expired) RUNCARD directly issued by FIDAL.

Warning: holding RUNCARD it is not sufficient. Participation is also subject to possession of a valid medical certificate (see below for the certificate requirements, need to download this form, fill in, signed and stamped by the doctor:

http://www.fidal.it/upload/files/Organizzazione/2019/Running/inglese\_4.pdf, http://www.fidal.it/upload/files/Organizzazione/2019/Running/francese\_3.pdf.

The medical certificate required by these regulations must be uploaded to the DataHealth portal through the ENDU.net portal, within 10 days before the race. To be validated, it must be considered compliant with the participation requirements of the event.

These athletes can submit a medical certificate issued in their own country, but complying with all diagnostic tests prescribed by Italian law – see below:

- Medical examination
- Complete Urinalysis
- Electrocardiogram at rest and after exercise
- Spirometry

All statements and the reports of the examinations must be authentic, or the originals.

These athletes will be regularly included in the rankings, but not entitled to receive prizes, bonuses and refunds.

## 6. Foreign athletes residing abroad who intend to participate as non-competitive runners

Participation is allowed for foreign citizens living abroad, who are 20 years old (born in 2005) or older and are not members of a Sports Club affiliated with FIDAL or World Athletics, by signing and attaching the appropriate waiver to the registration on ENDU.net..

**Warning:** By choosing this option, the athlete will be included in the results only with the race time without the position and without the category, and he will not be able to receive any prizes.

#### **IMPORTANT NOTICES:**

- Athletes who are not in possession of the RUNCARD shall subscribe to it at the following address www.runcard.com;
- Athletes affiliated with other Federations (i.e. Triathlon) or Sport Promotion Authorities recognized by CONI can participate within the rules at point 3 and at point 4 (RUNCARD-EPS / RUNCARD + medical certificate for competitive Athletics.)
- Medical certificates must be specifically issued for "Athletics". Medical certificates issued for other sports will not be accepted.
- The RUNCARD card is renewable. The validity period is shown on the card. If, during the control of the card, it is determined that the card has expired, the athlete may NOT participate, unless they are able to show the receipt of on-line renewal.

## **ENTRY FEES**

#### **Run Rome The Marathon 2025**

- € 84 from registration opening until July 31st
- € 99 from August 1st to October 31st
- € 114 from November 1st to January 16th
- € 129 from January 17th to the closing of registrations

The registration will be considered valid at the day of payment of the registration fee.

#### The registration fee is not refundable.

It is possible to transfer your registration for the 2026 edition no later than December 31st, 2024 at a cost of € 30 by sending the request to rrtm@evodata.it.

The organization reserves the right to close registrations early upon reaching 30,000 registrations.

#### The Fee includes:

- race number;
- insurance against civil liability;
- technical and medical assistance;
- race pack containing sponsor's products;
- official technical jersey;
- refreshments and sponging along the route;
- official program and informational material;
- timing service;
- finisher's medal (for finisher athletes);
- personal clothes deposit (bag deposit);
- transportation to the finish line for athletes withdrawn along the route.

#### **HOW TO REGISTER**

Registration must be made on-line, following the instructions available on the website <a href="https://www.runromethemarathon.com">www.runromethemarathon.com</a>. The cost of the on-line registration service is not included in the fees. It is possible to register as an individual or as a group. The registration will be considered after the payment of the registration fee.

## **REGISTRATION DEADLINE**

The organization reserves the right to close registration in advance or to accept registrations after the closing date at its sole discretion. In any case, entries will not be accepted on the day of the event.

# **ENTRY CONFIRMATION**

It will be possible to verify the entry status by following the directions on the following website <a href="www.runromethemarathon.com">www.runromethemarathon.com</a>. The assignment of the race number will take place just a few days before the race. A few days before the race, all athletes enrolled will receive an **e-mail valid as official "letter of confirmation"**. This email will contain all the basic instructions for the race number pick-up and race participation. You do not need to print a hard copy of the email itself; you can bring it on a device like a smartphone or tablet.

#### NON-ATTENDANCE AND REGISTRATION TRANSFER TO ANOTHER PERSON

The registration fee is not refundable. In event of non-attendance, the athlete can, with a communication to be sent to the Promoters (by email <a href="rrtm@evodata.it">rrtm@evodata.it</a>) by no later than 28/02/2025: Transfer the registration to another person.

The substitute must register online (with all personal information, data relating to membership and presentation of the medical certificate and fully accept the race documentation) by entering the code, sent to the email of the replaced athlete, at a cost of € 30.00 (plus service fees), as secretarial expenses for the bib change.

#### **ASSIGNMENT OF RACE NUMBER**

Race numbers will be assigned automatically in steps (i.e. those who register first will have a lower start number compared to those who register later).

Athletes registered by 28/02/2025 will automatically receive the customization of the race number with their name. If you do not want to have this customization, you will need to communicate it by 28/02/2025, by sending an e-mail to <a href="mailto:info@runromethemarathon.com">info@runromethemarathon.com</a>.

**Each athlete will be assigned with a specific start area.** The area will be indicated on the race number to facilitate entry in their respective area.

The starting area will be determined based on the "personal best time" declared by the applicants (until 28/02/2025) and obtained during the last 4 years during an official marathon (alternatively, in an official half marathon but only if you do not have a personal best time to declare on the marathon distance).

The personal best time can be updated online directly by the athlete by accessing their registration. The starting areas (grids) scheme will be published later on.

## RACE BIBS AND RACE PACKS PICK-UP

Race bibs and race packs can be personally collected at the **Expo Village** of Acea Run Rome The Marathon 2025, "*Palazzo dei Congressi*", Piazza John Kennedy 1, Rome, **on Thursday 13 March from 3 pm to 8 pm, March Friday 14 and Saturday 15 from 9.00 am to 8.00 pm, by presenting a personal identification document and the letter of confirmation.** 

The race bibs and race packs can also be picked up by a third person, showing (in addition to the documentation described before) the specific authorization form signed by the legitimate owner of the race number. For organizational reasons, no race bibs and race packs will be delivered on the morning of the race day of the marathon.

The race number is strictly personal, it cannot be tampered with or reduced and is not transferable to anyone, under penalty of disqualification.

# **SAFETY PROCEDURES**

In compliance with the relevant existing provisions, special safety procedures will be implemented. In particular:

• it will not be allowed to bring inside the technical area any container (bag, backpack, etc.) other than the bag provided by the organization.

Further information and more details will be provided to the athletes in the days before the race.

#### **BAG DEPOSIT**

The Organizers will provide the athletes a free deposit for bags in the pre-start/finish area. It is advisable not to leave personal belongings (mobile, wallet, etc.) inside the bags. While ensuring the outmost care in the custody of the bag, the organization will not be responsible for any theft.

#### **START**

The start of the Acea Run Rome The Marathon scheduled from Via dei Fori Imperiali at about 8:30 am.

The official departure time and the access time in the pre-start area (from Piazza Venezia) will be communicated to participants in the days before the event. It is noted that small variations are possible due to technical and organizational needs.

## **TIMING**

Time measurement and processing of the rankings will be electronically with a system based on an active transponder ("chip") attached to the race number. The chip is strictly personal and cannot be exchanged. Athletes who in any way loose and/or damage the "chip" will not be timed and will not be in the rankings.

For each athlete will be taken: **official time** (from gunshot of his own wave to finish line), **net time** (from the moment you cross the start line to the finish line), **intermediate times** at the following kilometres: **km 10**, **km 21.097** and **km 30**.

#### TIME LIMITS

## Time limit to finish the marathon is 6h30'.

The Organizers will communicate the time limits for each of the intermediate steps. Following the marathon there will be a technical committee composed by one technical manager, one FIDAL judge and a representative from the Police department; the Committee will evaluate the timing of latest athletes on the route.

Athletes who do not respect the passage times at the gates will be invited by the marathon staff to board the buses for withdrawn athletes or continue running on the sidewalk and not on the road in compliance with the rules of the road.

#### **ASSISTANTS**

The Organizers will provide the athletes with various groups of pacers, clearly recognizable, who will run the marathon at a constant pace to complete the itinerary. Further information and details on the service will be provided in the next weeks.

## REFRESHMENT AND SPONGING STATIONS

According to FIDAL/World Athletics rules, there will be refreshment points and sponging stations.

#### WITHDRAWN ATHLETES

Athletes with an injury or who want to leave the race can get on the busses following the last runner to reach the next collection point (km 20.6 – km 28.3 – km 32.8). From there they will be transported to the finish area. Athletes who are able to walk can reach the nearest collection point.

## MEDICAL ASSISTANCE

Medical assistance will be granted to athletes in need throughout the route and at the finish line.

## **FINISH**

After the finish line, athletes will be channelled into special corridors to receive the finisher's medal, access to the final refreshment and various services (bag deposit, etc.).

## **RESULTS**

Partial and final results will be available in real time on <a href="https://www.runromethemarathon.com">www.runromethemarathon.com</a>
Similarly, you can download the finisher's certificate. The results will be validated by G.G.G.

#### **PRIZES**

The prizes of the Italian overall ranking will not be awarded for chronometric performances over 2h30'00" for men and over 2h55'00" for women. The prizes of the overall ranking can be combined with those of the overall ranking of Italian athletes. All the prizes and bonuses are subject to taxes under the provision of Italian laws. Prizes will be awarded after the results of anti doping exams.

# PRIZE MONEY OVERALL RANKING MEN/WOMEN

PLACE	PRIZE	
1st place	€ 16.500,00	
2nd place	€ 8.250,00	
3rd place	€ 5.500,00	
4th place	€ 2.750,00	
5th place	€ 2.200,00	
6th place	€ 1.650,00	

7th place	€ 1.100,00
8th place	€ 550,00

## PRIZE MONEY OVERALL ITALIAN RANKING - MEN/WOMEN

PLACE	PRIZE
1st place	€ 1.650,00
2nd place	€ 1.100,00
3rd place	€ 550,00

## **ADDITIONAL BONUSES**

Additional time bonuses, **exclusively provided to winners of men's / women's race**, are established as follows. Bonuses are cumulative. All the prizes and bonuses are subject to taxes under the provision of Italian laws.

## **MEN'S/WOMEN'S RACE**

TIME	PRIZE
Best all-time male performance recorded in Italy in a FIDAL event open to all as at the date of the Acea Run Rome The Marathon 25	€ 5.000,00

## PRIZES FOR FIDAL SPORTS CLUB

To the FIDAL Sports Club rankings will be assigned a total amount of Euro 5.000. The prize will be assigned entirely if the number of athletes classified is equal to or greater than the minimum indicated in the table below, for each position in the ranking. If the number of classified athletes is less than the minimum, the prize is assigned proportionately. In the event of tied results, the prizes will be divided equally. All the prizes and bonuses are subject to taxes under the provision of Italian laws.

Example: a company is ranked second with 81 athletes arrived. The premium is calculated proportionately

In the event of a tie between two or more companies, the sum of the given prizes will be divided equally between the companies. Example: two companies are tied for second place. The sum of the second and third prize is divided equally between the two companies and the company that comes in next will be in fourth place and will be entitled to the fourth prize. The value of the prizes is understood to be the gross amount prior to Italian taxation. The prizes are established as follows:

PLACE	PRIZE	MINIMUM NUMBER OF ATHLETES CLASSIFIED FOR THE PAYMENT OF 100% OF THE PRIZE
1st place	€ 1.500,00	100
2nd place	€ 1.000,00	90
3rd place	€ 700,00	80
4th place	€ 500,00	70
5th place	€ 300,00	60
6th place	€ 200,00	50
7th place	€ 200,00	50
8th place	€ 200,00	50
9th place	€ 200,00	50
10th place	€ 200,00	50

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#### **COMPLAINTS**

All claims must be submitted verbally to the Finish Judge within 30' from the publishing of the rankings, in first

instance, and in second instance in writing to the Judge of Appeal, accompanied by a fee of € 100.00, which will be returned if the complaint is upheld. For all matters not expressly provided for in this Rules the general FIDAL regulations are applicable. Race judges may disqualify athletes not having passed the detection points located along the route.

## FRAUDULENT PARTICIPATION TO THE RACE - SANCTIONS

The participant is responsible for the ownership and custody of their race number, acquiring the right to use all the services mentioned in these Rules and subsequently communicated.

(a) Any person who, without regular entry, participates without race number, in addition to being held liable for damage to persons or property, including himself, will incur disciplinary measures of competence of the federal bodies and may be liable for criminal sanctions for the crime of "theft" (art. 624 cp).

(b) Any person who, without regular entry, participates with a counterfeit race number or otherwise not in accordance with the number assignment, in addition to being responsible as mentioned above, will incur the sporting sanctions and, in addition, will be liable to the penal sanctions provided for the crime of "theft "(art. 624 cp), or, alternatively, for the crime of "fraud" (art. 640 cp).

In cases a) and b) participants may be subject to the penalties provided for the crime of "failure to comply with the authority measures" (art. 650 C.P.). The above case will be seen only after verification of photographic documentation and / or video.

#### RACE CANCELLATION

If the race is cancelled or moved to another location and/or otherwise not carried out for any reason of force majeure including pandemics and natural events, not related to and beyond the will of the Organizers, including the revocation of race authorization by competent Public Authorities, the enrolled athlete will have nothing to claim from Infront Italy S.p.A. or the other co-organizers, even in the form of reimbursement of the costs incurred and to be incurred. The enrolment itself is valid as a waiver of any claim for financial damages already suffered and to be suffered in the future.

## LIABILITY WAIVER

By subscribing to the Run Rome The Marathon, the athlete declares to know and to entirely accept the Rules of the race and to be aware of the facts that participating in the Run Rome The Marathon and/or sport events in general is a potentially risky activity. The athlete also declares having entered the race consciously and assuming responsibility for all risks arising from his participation like falls, contacts with vehicles, other participants, spectators or otherwise, any weather conditions, traffic and road conditions, any type of risk well-known and well evaluated. By submitting the entry application, the athlete, for him/herself and on behalf of anyone else, waives the Promoters, the Municipality of Rome, the Regional Administration, FIDAL, the G.G.G., all the sponsors, the representatives, successors, officers, directors, members, agents and employees of the companies mentioned above, from all present and future claims for liability of any kind, known or unknown, deriving from his/her participation in the event.

Furthermore, by submitting the on-line application, the athlete declares in having no knowledge of any medical condition or injury that can affect his/her participation to the race. The athlete also certifies the absence of sports sanctions, civil and/or penal, for facts relating to doping and declares that he/she has not and does not make use of the substances included in the doping list of the World Antidoping Agency (WADA). It is noted that competitors may be subject to doping controls by the competent authority.

# PRIVACY AND IMAGE RIGHTS

By submitting the online registration form, the competitor declares to be in possession of the medical certificate under D.M. of 18/02/1982 and to have read of these Rules, accepting them unconditionally in every point.

With regards to the processing of personal data, the participant, by selecting the specific box at the bottom of the online registration form, declares to have read the information statement pursuant to art. 13 of EU Regulation 679/2016 ("GDPR") ("Information Statement") and ex D.Lgs.196/03 as updated by D.Lgs. 101/2018 made available at the specific link and to have been informed through the above-mentioned Information Statement that consent for the processing of data strictly

necessary for participation in the race is not necessary, when the processing is justified on a different legal basis of processing. The provision of personal data is optional. Lacking the communication of such personal data, you will be prevented from completing the registration. For purposes other than those strictly necessary for the participation to the race, the processing will be carried out only subject to participant's consent which, however, can be revoked at any time by the participant. The data must be complete, updated and legible also for insurance purposes.

The data, as better explained in the Information Statement - which is an integral part of these Rules and which is intended here integrally referred to - may be communicated and processed also by third parties offering services regarding and connected to the race, such as, for example: those aimed at timing, preparing and announcing the lists of results and those with the purpose of photographing or filming the competitor. Such subjects/entities, having regard to those data processing outsourced and carried out on behalf of the data controllers (as defined in the Information Statement), will act as external data processor, pursuant to section 28 of GDPR. Some of these subjects, however, might act as data controllers in respect to the communicated data, subject to the release of a proper information statement pursuant to Section 14 of GDPR, unless otherwise provided by laws.

At the race films and photographs will be taken and images, photos, videos, audio files of any kind, which may show the participant, as well as the results and rankings, may be communicated, published and/or divulged in any form. The athlete authorizes the Promoters, together with the entities entrusted to carry out the shootings/filming, to film the images of the event and to freely acquire the right to exploit them on any kind of support and for the maximum time limit provided by law.

By reading the Information Statement, the participant acknowledges that the aforementioned processing is strictly necessary in order to carry out the purposes explained in the Information Statement for which consent is not required, without prejudice to the rights set forth in articles 15 et seq. of the GDPR that may be exercised at any time as better described in the Information Statement. The participant may also have further information about the processing of personal data carried out through the Run Rome The Marathon web site <a href="www.runromethemarathon.com">www.runromethemarathon.com</a> at this link <a href="https://www.runromethemarathon.com/wp-content/uploads/2024/03/Informativa-iscrizione-Maratona-ENG-2025.pdf">https://www.runromethemarathon.com/wp-content/uploads/2024/03/Informativa-iscrizione-Maratona-ENG-2025.pdf</a>

# **FINAL WARNINGS**

The organizers guarantee the security of the event, in line with rules and regulations in force at the time of the event. Any further specifications will be indicated if necessary. The organization will adopt all the regulations and procedures indicated by the government, the scientific technical committee and the FIDAL.

The Organizers will do everything to reduce the risk of contagion: the best result will be achievable with the active collaboration of each participant.

The Promoters reserve the right to modify these Rules at any time for reasons it deems appropriate for a better organization of the race, after having obtained approval from FIDAL. For matters not covered by these Rules the statutory technical regulations of FIDAL and G.G.G. are applicable. Modifications to services, venues and timetables will be communicated to registered athletes or will be posted on the website www.runromethemarathon.com. In addition, the documentation containing essential information required for taking part in the race it will be handed out alongside the race number.

## **CONTACTS**

Website: <a href="www.runromethemarathon.com">www.runromethemarathon.com</a>
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