THE SPIRIT OF KONA





2022 ATHLETE GUIDE (AKA PRE-RACE EMAIL)

SPIRIT OF KONA TRIATHLONS & 5K/10K PRESENTED BY



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THE W'S....

WHO: <u>YOU</u> BETTA GET SIGNED UP

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WHAT: SPRINT TRIATHLON

OLYMPIC TRIATHLON

OLYMPIC AQUA BIKE

SPRINT/OLY RELAYS

5K OR 10K RUN ONLY

WHEN: MAY 14TH, 7:30AM

WHERE:

TELLICO DAM RECREATION AREA

LENOIR CITY, TN

PACKET PICKUP



THURSDAY, MAY 12TH
5-7PM
THE LONG RUN
2452 SUTHERLAND AVE,
KNOXVILLE, TN 37919

SATURDAY, MAY 14TH 5:30AM-7AM ON SITE CHECK IN LOCATED BELOW TRANSITION

TIPS FOR A SUCCESSFUL PACKET PICKUP:

- 1. BRING YOUR ID (REQUIRED)
- 2. YOU MUST PICK UP YOUR OWN PACKET
- 3. RELAY TEAMS MUST ALL BE PRESENT TO PICK UP PACKETS

YOU WILL BE GIVEN: YOUR BIB, YOUR BIKE AND HELMET STICKER, A SWIM CAP

ON RACE MORNING, THERE WILL BE A
DESIGNATED SPOT TO PICK UP YOUR CHIP AND
GET BODY MARKED OUTSIDE OF TRANSITION
YOU MUST HAVE YOUR BIB TO PICK UP YOUR CHIP

SATURDAY MAY 14TH

07:00AM - YOU CAN SWIM WARMUP AS SOON AS

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

05:30AM - TRANSITION & PPU OPENS

ITS LIGHT. PLEASE BE OUT OF WATER BY 7:15AM 7:20 AM - GATHER ON THE BEACH FOR SWIM START

AND PRE-RACE ANNOUNCEMENTS

7:30AM - SPRINT SWIMMERS START! STORM THE **BEACHES!** -07:30 MEN/CLYDESDALE -07:33 - WOMEN/ATHENA/RELAY

7.45AM - OLYMPIC SWIMMERS START -07:45 MEN/CLYDESDALE

-07:48 - WOMEN/ATHENA/RELAY

8 AM 5K/10K STARTS AT ARCH

9:30AM 5K/10K AWARDS & SPRINT TRI OVERALLS

10AM SPRINT TRI AGE GROUP

10:30AM OLYMPIC OVERALL AWARDS

11:30AM OLYMPIC AGE GROUP AWARDS

RACE DAY PARKING

PLEASE PARK IN DESIGNATED PARKING AREAS HIGHLIGHTED. DO NOT TRY TO PARK INSIDE BARRIER.



THERE WILL BE A BASS TOURNAMENT GOING ON AT THE SAME TIME (AS USUAL) SO BE COURTEOUS TO OUR NEIGHBORS AND WATCH FOR TRAFFIC EXTRA CAREFUL.

RACE SITE MAP



CHECK IN AT PACKET PICKUP, THEN YOU WILL BE ABLE TO GAIN ACCESS TO TRANSITION. ONCE YOU HAVE YOUR BIKE RACKED, YOU WILL PROCEED TO BODY MARKING AND CHIP PICKUP STATION WITHIN TRANSITION. BIKE RACKS ARE FIRST COME, FIRST SERVE WITH OLYMPIC ON THE SIDE CLOSEST TO DRIVE AND OLY ON THE DAM SIDE.



COURSE INFORMATION THE SWIM

SPRINT: 1LOOP

OLYMPIC: 2 LOOPS



THE RULES OF SWIM:

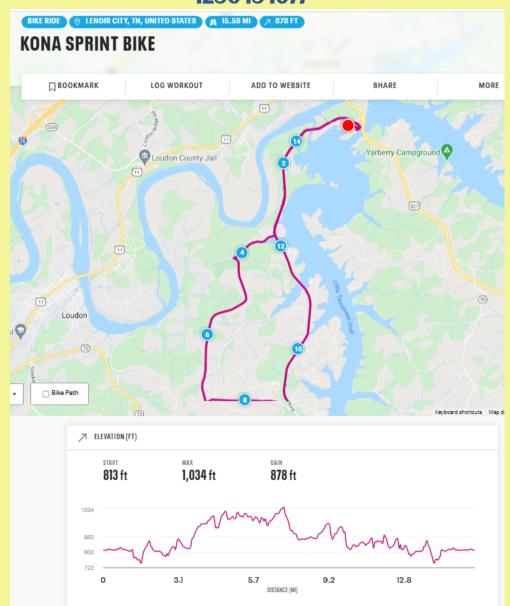
- A SWIM CAP WILL BE PROVIDED AND REQUIRED TO WEAR
- WET SUIT STATUS WILL BE DETERMINED BY REF ON RACE DAY, JUST BE PREPARED
- WE WILL HAVE LIFEGUARDS AND SUPPORT FOR YOU TO USE, HOWEVER NO FORWARD MOVEMENT WHILE HOLDING ONTO A VESSEL
- YOU SHOULD PROBABLY KNOW HOW TO SWIM



THE BIKE

SPRINT:

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OLYMPIC:

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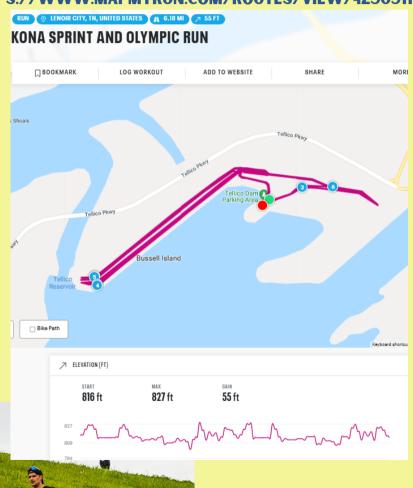
THE RUN

USATF CERTIFIED 5K/10K COURSES

5K - TN21025MS 10K - TN21026MS



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TIPS FOR A SUCCESSFUL BIKE

- MAKE SURE YOU HAVE AN APPROVED HELMET
 AND IT IS ON AND FASTENED AT ANY TIME
 WHILE RIDING YOUR BIKE BEFORE, DURING, AND
 AFTER THE EVENT ON RACE VENUE PROPERTY
- MAKE SURE YOU ARE COMFORTABLE ROAD RIDING AND FOLLOW ALL APPLICABLE TRAFFIC SAFETY LAWS
- MAKE SURE YOU ARE TRAINED FOR THE DISTANCE YOU SIGNED UP FOR
- NO HEADPHONES PEOPLE. ITS DANGEROUS.
- KNOW THE COURSE! VOLUNTEERS MAY POINT YOU IN THE WRONG DIRECTION OR A LOCAL MAY STEAL A SIGN. BE PREPARED FOR ANYTHING.
- NO DRAFTING, NO HOLDING HANDS WITH YOUR FRIENDS WHILE RIDING YOU BIKE SIDE BY SIDE, AND NO SIDE BY SIDE. YOU HAVE 20 SECONDS TO PASS ONCE YOU BEGIN OVERTAKING.
- THERE IS ONE AID STATION FOR OLYMPIC BIKE AT TURNAROUND AT MILE 15. BE PREPARED.
- NO LITTERING, THIS INCLUDES IF SOMETHING FALLS OFF YOUR BIKE, YOU HAVE TO GET IT.

TIPS FOR A SUCCESSFUL RUN

- 1. NO HEADPHONES, NO HEADPHONES, NO HEADPHONES
- 2. NO MUSIC PLAYING OFF YOUR PHONE, JUST LEAVE YOUR PHONE IN TRANSITION
- 3. KNOW THE COURSE. I HAVE PUT IT EVERYWHERE
- 4. YOU CAN HOLD HANDS ON THE RUN, BUT ONLY AT THE FINISH LINE WHILE TRYING TO CREATE THE YOUR NEXT FACEBOOK PROFILE PIC WITH YOUR BESTIE OR LOVED ONE.
- 5. NO NON-REGISTERED RUNNING BUDDIES. IF YOU'RE COACH RUNS WITH YOU, OR YOUR HUSBAND IS TRYING TO RUN ALONG WITH YOU FOR HIS HONEY DO LIST, YOU MAY BE PENALIZED.

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THE FINISH

WHEN YOU CROSS THAT GLORIOUS
FINISH LINE, YOU WILL RECEIVE YOUR
FINISHER MEDAL AND A PAT ON THE
BACK FOR YOUR GREAT JOB! AWARDS
WILL BE GIVEN AT THE DESIGNATED
TIMES. WE WILL NOT BE MAILING
AWARDS BUT WILL MAKE THEM
AVAILABLE FOR PICKUP AT OUR
SPONSOR, THE LONG RUN.



RESULTS



PBR ALWAYS PROVIDES INSTANT
RESULTS AVAILABLE TO YOU AFTER
YOU CROSS THE FINISH LINE.
SPLITS WILL USUALLY BE AVAILABLE
WITHIN 24 HOURS AFTER, BUT
ALWAYS SOONER. YOU CAN FIND
THEM BY VISITING

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