

2023 RACE ROAD CLOSURES

Cleveland, Ohio, February 22, 2023 - Saturday, August 12, 2023, Tri CLE Rock Roll Run in coordination with the City of Cleveland, The Cleveland Metroparks, and the Cleveland Police Department will be closing the Memorial Shoreway and several roads near the North Coast Harbor in order to provide our participants with a safe and memorable Cleveland race experience. Road congestion and possible road closures could begin Saturday as early as 4:00 am.

Tri CLE Rock Roll Run triathlon and duathlon races start at 6:30 am and feature three distances, including Super Sprint, Sprint, and Olympic, all sanctioned by USA Triathlon. Athletes will swim in the protected waters within the break wall of North Coast Harbor. The bike course features sweeping views of the Cleveland skyline on the closed-course Memorial Shoreway. The spectator-friendly run course provides participants and their families with breathtaking views of downtown and the lakefront from Cleveland's Edgewater Park.

Memorial Shoreway

The closure will begin approximately at 5:30 -5:45 am Saturday, August 12, 2023. The Shoreway will be closed in both directions between Exit 196 Marginal Road on the East side of Downtown to West Boulevard on the west side of downtown Cleveland. All entrances and exits will be closed. The Shoreway will re-open after the last participant is safely off the Shoreway and our teams safely clear the roadway at approximately 10:30 am.

North Coast Harbor

Erieside Avenue west of the Browns Stadium, south of the Rock & Roll Hall of Fame, and North of the Great Lakes Science Center Garage will be closed in both directions beginning at 5:45 am. The westbound lane of North Marginal will be closed from Burke Lakefront Gate 6 to East 9th St. from 6:30 am to approximately 8:00 am as duathletes clear the roadway. The intersection at the end of East 9th Street will be very congested during this time please avoid the area with vehicle traffic.

Edgewater Park

Edgewater Park will remain open to the public and will be accessible using the W. 73rd Street entrance only, however, the road will be congested. Expect traffic delays as there will be one-lane traffic. Please plan accordingly. During the run portion of the race, there will be foot traffic on the all-purpose paths within Edgewater Park (both Upper and Lower Edgewater). Please give athletes the right of way and obey signs and instructions.

We ask drivers to please be patient with participants (many are from out of town), fellow drivers, our safety forces, and volunteers. Neighborhoods in the surrounding area should also be aware of this road closure. Athletes have been asked to please respect and support the surrounding communities during race weekend.

Register for Tri CLE Rock Roll Run at rockrollrun.com. Registration is capped to ensure a safe race for every athlete, providing an inclusive and supportive environment.