



Balsall Common Run Club (“BCRC” or “the Club”)

Eligibility Criteria for Entry to the Club’s Ballot for London Marathon Place(s) with effect from 1 April 2024

Should the Club be allocated London Marathon place(s) for use by Club members, eligibility for entry to the Club’s ballot will be subject to the member satisfying the following criteria:

- 1 Be a first claim member of BCRC both at the time of the ballot draw and when participating in the marathon. This means that BCRC will be designated as the member’s main or only running Club
- 2 Has been a member of BCRC for at least one year at the time of the Club’s ballot. In practice this means that the member will be in at least their second year of Club membership
- 3 Provide evidence of having entered the main ballot for the forthcoming London Marathon event but failed to secure a place e.g. by supply of a screenshot of rejection email¹
- 4 Have not have won a Club ballot place previously and not have run the London marathon previously through other means of participation
- 5 Have been, in the reasonable opinion of the Club’s Committee, a regular attendee of Club sessions over the year prior to the ballot. As a guide we will consider attendance at a minimum of 20 sessions as ‘reasonable’ in normal circumstances
- 6 Have not have been eligible for a good for age place at the event
- 7 Is not subject to investigation under the Club’s complaints and disputes procedures at the time of entering the ballot or the ballot being drawn

Notes:

If insufficient names (of members who satisfy the above criteria) are put forward relative to the number of Club place(s) available, the Committee will, at its discretion, consider appropriate relaxation of these criteria.

¹ You do not need to have donated your fee through the secondary ballot.