

Guardians Half Marathon and 5k FAQ's

Fundraising

Although fundraising is not required, it is encouraged. This event is in support of [Special Olympics](#), a great organization that provides year-round programs for people with an intellectual disability. If that isn't incentive enough, there is also an amazing prize for top fundraiser!

The highest online fundraiser will win 2 VIA round trip train tickets to anywhere along the Windsor-Quebec City corridor.

Race Day Schedule

8:45 AM - Torch Presentation
9:00 AM - Half Marathon begins
9:05 AM - 5k begins

Race Day Registration

Race day registration will be permitted unless the event is sold out prior. Cash, debit and credit card payments will be accepted.

Half Marathon: \$80
5k: \$30

Participant t-shirts will not be issued for same-day registrations.

Race Kit Pickup

Friday October 13th

Time: 4 - 8 PM

Location: Running Room Barrie, 56 Dunlop St. E., Barrie

(VIP Shopping at Running Room Barrie - 25% off - some restrictions apply)

Saturday October 14th

Time: 5 - 7 PM

Location: OPP Academy, 700 Memorial Ave., Entrance B, Orillia

Sunday October 15th

Time: 7- 8:30 AM

Location: OPP Academy, 700 Memorial Ave., Entrance B, Orillia

WHAT TO BRING:

- Photo I.D.

WHAT YOU GET:

- Race bib
- Race shirt *(only for those registered before October 4 deadline)*

PICKING UP FOR A FRIEND?

- Bring a letter/email from them indicating you will be picking up

Parking

OPP Academy - 700 Memorial Ave., Entrance C, Orillia

Bag Check

Bag check will be available next to the registration table on event day.

Location: OPP Academy, 700 Memorial Ave., Entrance B, Orillia

Race Day Warm Up

Orillia Sports Medicine will lead a warm up beginning 8:30 AM with music provided by *Stage One Sound*.

Aid Stations

Zehrs will be providing water and fruit along the course. There will be a total of 8 aid stations along the course, including the start and finish line.

Course Restrictions

Pets, strollers, bicycles and rollerblades are not permitted on the course.

Prizes

There will be a **prize for top male and top female finisher** in each distance.

Race Photos

Thank you to Jeff Cross of Prestige Photo who will be our official race photographer. Visit his website at: www.prestigephotopro.com.

Hydration

Nuun will be available on the course and at the start/finish.

Food

Baked goods and coffee available post-race, courtesy of McDonald's.
BBQ will be available for purchase available starting at 11:30 AM, courtesy of The Butcher Shop.

****No refunds will be issued for this event!****