

COVID SAFETY ON RACE DAY

In 2020, we were the first large LIVE race in New Jersey since the onset of the COVID 19 virus. It was our goal to provide a safe environment for our patrons. Together with Split Second racing we did just that. We implemented realistic, practical guidelines that set the standard for all races that followed. Runners were able to feel safe and at the same time enjoy racing again. First we offered a package pick up the day prior to the race to reduce lines on race day. We implemented a mat timed start to avoid crowding at the starting line. We made hand sanitizer readily available to all patrons. We limited cash transactions and went to electronic payments to reduce unnecessary contact. We encouraged runners to stay with their "trusted groups", people from their own household or that they knew to reduce the likeliness of spreading the virus. Social Distancing was encouraged and masks were mandatory to wear unless you were running, eating, or drinking. We will continue to take precautions to protect our patrons throughout the course of this Pandemic. We thank you for your understanding during this trying time and we hope you enjoy the 2021 Marine Corps Run For Freedom.

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