

35. Haspa Marathon Hamburg | April 25, 2021

Invitation

35th Haspa Marathon Hamburg Sunday, April 25th, 2021

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Distance: 42,195 km

Date: Sunday, April 25th, 2021

Start and Finish: next to the exhibition grounds of Hamburg Messe (corner of Lagerstraße)

Start times: 9:30 am: Start Marathon/Marathon Relay

Closing of finish: 3:50 pm (time limit: 6:20:00 hours brutto)

Requirements: Any runner that was in born in the year 2003 or earlier and that is sufficiently trained

and fit is allowed to participate. Nordic Walkers are not permitted!

Each participant is required to judge his/her health conditions with regards to a participation in the marathon event themselves or if necessary after consulting a

doctor.

Entry fee:

from 8.000 to 10.000 registrations : 88 \in from 10.001 to 12.000 registrations: 98 \in from 12.001 to 14.000 registrations: 108 \in

All prices are including VAT.

- → Participants, who have successfully participated and finished at least 15 times, receive a voucher of 15.00 €.
- ightarrow Participants, who have successfully participated and finished at least 20 times, receive a voucher of 20.00 ϵ .
- ightarrow Participants, who have successfully participated and finished at least 25 times, receive a voucher of 25.00 ϵ .
- → Participants, who have successfully participated and finished at least 30 times, receive a voucher of 30.00 €.
- → HaspaJoker-customers receive a discount of 7.50 € off their entry fee.

Participation limit: 14.000

Closing of registration: 25th March 2021 (subject to being sold out)

COMPETITION RULES / COURSE

The Haspa Marathon Hamburg is run in accordance with the requirements of the Association of International Marathons and Road Races (AIMS), covering a distance of 42.195 km. The measurement log is deposited at the DLV and AIMS.

CATEGORIES AND CLASSIFICATIONS

Categories (lt. LAO)

Individual Classification

- Men/Women
- Seniors (Male/Female)

Age Groups

Men and Women compete in separate rankings:

MH / WH 1992-2001 (Main Group)
M / W 30 1987-1991
M / W 35 1982-1986
M / W 40 1977-1981
M / W 45 1972-1976
M / W 50 1967-1971
M / W 55 1962-1966
M / W 60 1957-1961
M / W 65 1952-1956
M / W 70 1947-1951
M / W 75 1942-1946
M / W 80 1937-1941
M / W 85 1932-1936

Hamburg Championships Club Ranking

The Hamburg Championships club ranking consists of the added sum of three individual runners (of the same club) finishing times in order of placings. This ranking does not require an explicit registration but simply the participation in the Hamburg Championships as well as providing the respective sports club (identical spelling) during the registration process.

Team Ranking

The team ranking consists of the added sum of three individual runners (of the same team) finishing times in order of placings. A women-, men and mixed team ranking will be carried out. This ranking does not require an explicit registration. But all team members have to provide the same team name (with identical spelling) when they sign in.

Special Rankings

- Hamburg Championships (Main/Age Groups)
- Hamburg-Corporate Sports Championships Men, Women
- Hamburg Police Championships Men, Women

Haspa Marathon Hamburg Relay, Haspa Halfmarathon Hamburg

Any information or requirements for the Haspa Marathon Hamburg Relay and the Haspa Halfmarathon Hamburg can be found on our homepage at www.haspa-marathon-hamburg.de.

REGISTRATION

Registration Process

Each participant is obliged for his or her own entry. There are two ways to register:

You can either register ONLINE at www.haspa-marathon-hamburg.de or you can download the entry form, fill out the form, sign it and send it via post to Marathon Hamburg Veranstaltungs GmbH, Fuhlsbüttler Str. 415a, 22309 Hamburg, Germany. A registration via fax, email or copied forms will not be accepted.

By registering you confirm that you have read the General Terms and Conditions and accept them. Once your registration was successful, you will receive an official registration confirmation. This is your binding confirmation of a successful registration for the 35th Haspa Marathon Hamburg 2021.

You will then receive your official confirmation of entry with your personal start number until the beginning of April 2021.

The entry fee will be deducted from your bank account in form of a one-off direct debit. The same applies to possible occurring charges of $25.00 \in$ in cases of failure to return or loss of a rental ChampionChip.

Re-registration

In case you successfully registered but cannot take part in the event for any reason, you can name a substitute participant that takes over all of your pre-booked services. This **re-registration** incurs a service charge of 21.00 € and is possible online until April 18th, 2021 or in person on April 23rd or 24th, 2021 at the accreditation on location.

Cancellation-Insurance

As part of the registration in cooperation with the Generali (carried out by Europ Assistance) we are offering a startslot cancellation insurance. Insurance claims are covered for cases of illness, accident or death as well as loss of workplace. A withdrawal for personal reasons, however, is not covered by the insurance.

This cancellation insurance can exclusively be purchased for an insurance premium (incl. service fee) of 9.00 EUR up to a starting fee of 100 Euro and for an insurance premium (incl. service fee) of 12,00 EUR for a starting fee of 101 EUR or higher during the registration process for the Haspa Marathon Hamburg. Go to www.haspa-marathon-hamburg.de for more details on the insurance as well as the general terms and conditions of the Generali insurance. Once you have purchased the insurance and are unable to participate in the event for a reason covered by the insurance, the full entry fee (WITHOUT any fees for additional services) will be refunded. If the insured event occurs, please contact the insurer Generali (carried out by Europ Assistance) directly as described in the GTC with the corresponding official proofs (certificate, etc.).

OFFICIAL MERCHANDISING COLLECTION

Once again there will be an official merchandising collection for the Haspa Marathon Hamburg 2021. Layouts and designs are coming up. You can, however, already pre-order the official Haspa Marathon Hamburg Shirt for 31,- € (incl. VAT and shipping fee) in your registration process. A follow-up order online will not be possible thereafter.

SMS-SERVICE

This year you have the chance to book the official Text-Service as part of your registration process. There are three options:

- 1. You will receive your preliminary result on one mobile phone.
- 2. You will receive all split times and your finish time on one mobile phone (3€).
- 3. You will receive all split times and your finish time on two mobile phones (5€).

You can find more relating information on the registration form or during your online registration.

MEDAL ENGRAVING

Every participant has the chance to have his/her finisher medal personally engraved (name, distance and finishing time). You can preorder your medal engraving for $9.50 \in \text{during}$ the registration process or pay $11.00 \in \text{(on location)}$ to have it engraved at the finish.

FOUNDATION - Hamburg Athletics Association (HHLV)

The Haspa Marathon Hamburg supports the young talents promotion of the Hamburg Athletics Association (HHLV) However, there is no moving forward without financial support – please help us support the foundation by paying 1€ extra on top of your entry fee. You simply need to check/tick the box and that Euro can directly go towards the athletes of the future.

ATHLETES INFO REGARDING THE COMPETITION

Supporting Programme

- Marathon Hamburg Expo 2020 on April 23rd and 24th, 2021 with free entry.
- Ecumenical service on April 24th, 2021

Accreditation

You will be informed of the official opening times of the accreditation on April 23rd – 25th, 2021 in your official confirmation of entry. By presenting your entry confirmation and a valid photo ID (passport) you will receive:

- Kit Bag with high-quality sponsor products
- Bib and safety pins
- Rental ChampionChip (if preordered)
- Fold-out course map
- Programme booklet with all necessary race information

Participants who have pre-ordered additional services will find the respective perforated vouchers on their bib. These can then be used at the designated stations.

In case you are unable to pick up your accreditation in person, you may authorize someone else to pick up the necessary documents for you. Please make sure that the person you authorize for pick-up brings your entry confirmation and also a copy of your valid photo ID. The process will be described in detail in your registration confirmation.

Kit Bag Drop Off/Storage

You have the opportunity to drop off and store your Kit Bag on the exhibition grounds. The official drop off/storage station opens on Sunday April 25th at 06:30 am, so that you can leave your personal belongings in your kit bag and drop them off before the start. Please keep in mind that we can only handle the official Haspa Marathon Hamburg Kit Bag.

Please plan enough time for the kit bag drop off and keep in mind that the organizer of the event cannot be held liable or responsible in case any of your personal valuables might get lost. We therefore advise to only store a change of clothes in the kit bag.

Timing

Timing is done exclusively using the ChampionChip. The ChampionChip is a plastic transponder which is fastened to the ankle and stops your personal time. Roughly 60% of running events in Germany and most of the big Marathon events worldwide use the ChamiponChip system.

You have the following options:

- a) **Chip-Owners** provide the ChampionChip-number of their own chip on the registration form (7 digital combination of letters and numbers).
- b) Rental chip: You rent the ChampionChip and hand it back in on the day at the designated Chip-Return station or at the latest within two days after the event via post. The rental fee of 6.50 € will be debited from your bank account with your entry fee.

Should you fail to return the ChampionChip after the event or decide to purchase the ChampionChip, the difference between the rental fee and the purchase price (25.00 €) will be debited from your bank account or credit card.

Please make sure that the ChampionChip is securely fastened onto the laces of your shoe (do not attach it with metal), as the timing will not work otherwise.

Start

Only participants with an official Haspa Marathon Hamburg 2021 bib are allowed at the start. This bib has to be worn clearly visible on your chest. Start number tapes are therefore not allowed. The bib mustn't be changed or altered in any way; failure to follow this rule will result in a disqualification of the respective participant. Participants not wearing a bib cannot be included in the rankings.

The starting lineup is at the exhibition grounds. The start will occur at 09:30 am. Only participants with an official bib and start number will be allowed inside the start blocks. Your bib will also indicate your assigned start block according to your respective finishing time.

Please find your allocated start block and follow the instructions of our authorized helpers in order to facilitate a smooth start.

Refreshments along the course

There will be 15 refreshment and aid stations along the course, where you have access to water, energy gels, energy drinks, coke and bananas as refreshments.

Please use the complete extension of all stations and avoid stopping abruptly or rather watch out for other participants in order to avoid collisions.

Finish

The finish is located next to the exhibition grounds and is open until 3:50 pm. Hence, the course has to be completed within 6:20 hours (brutto). Participants who finish later will not be included in the rankings. Once you have crossed the finish line you will be given your finisher medal. Please leave the finish area quickly and move on into the Athletes Area on the exhibition grounds.

ChampionChip-Return

Given that you rented a ChampionChip please return that chip after the event on Sunday, April 25, 2021 at the return station in the Athletes Area.

Otherwise you can still send the Chip by post within two days after the event.

Note: Please hold on to the receipt until the end of the year for a possibly necessary proof of return!

A failure to return the ChampionChip or the decision to purchase a chip will incur a charge of 25.00 €. This charge will be deducted from your bank account as a direct debit.

Online-Service: Results, Participants' photos, Certificates

The results will be published on our website right after the event. You will also have the opportunity to download your personal participation certificate with your individual split times and finish time.

Your personal photos and your photo-certificate can be purchased online from our photo-partner. You will receive all necessary information online or at the accreditation.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Insurance and Liability

Each participant competes in the event at his/her own risk. By accepting the bib, the participant declares that there are no health risks or concerns related to his/her participation.

It is recommended to answer the GERMN ROAD RACES (GRR) questionnaire about health (http://ww2.unipark.de/uc/GRR/?a=48&b).

The organizer cannot be held responsible or liable for any cases of lost clothing or valuables.

Deception of the organiser by entering under a false name

Competitors, who pass on their entry documents to substituting participants without making sure that these have re-registered as stipulated under their own name, will not be allowed to participate in another Hamburg Marathon for at least three years. The organizer reserves the right to take further legal action.

Participants, who enter the race under a false name, will generally be banned for life from any event of the organizer. In addition, the organizer reserves the right to not only impose a fine of $500.00 \in \text{but}$ also to take further legal action. The fine will be donated to a charitable cause.

SERVICE INFO

Accommodation

Please refer to the Hamburg Tourism for the allocation of hotel rooms: Hotline: +49 40 30051-851 or per e-Mail <u>info@hamburg-tourismus.de</u>. Keyword "Haspa Marathon Hamburg".

More information will be published on our website www.haspa-marathon-hamburg.de shortly.

Journey

Due to numerous road closures we strongly recommend using public transport (U/S-Bahn) to travel to or from the course as well as the event area or the exhibition. Go to www.hvv.de for further information regarding travelling information from the Hamburg Public Transport system "Hamburger Verkehrs-Verbund". For any further queries or questions feel free to contact the HVV Service at +49 40-19449.

CONTACT

Organizer

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Participants' Management

Hotline: 01805 100 250 (14 ct/min from German landlines, up to 42 ct/min from mobile networks)

Please use our online contact form at www.haspa-marathon-hamburg.de for written queries.