Four Oaks Financial Services Lichfield Half Marathon



SUNDAY 18TH SEPTEMBER 2022 AT 10.30AM

Dear Runner.

Thank you for entering the Four Oaks Financial Services Lichfield Half Marathon.

Start area for the Half Marathon:

King Edward VI School Lichfield, Upper St John Street, Lichfield, Staffordshire Postcode for Sat Nav: WS14 9EE

ARRIVAL: Please come "ready to run" as changing is limited, and we cannot provide shower facilities for the number of runners involved in this race.

Please arrive in plenty of time to get yourself ready to run, and warm up. Only use the toilets and urinals provided and respect private land and property around the course, and particularly the start and finish areas

Results will be published on the day or soon afterwards on our website www.kpevents.net

PARKING: Please note that parking this year is not available at King Edwards school, due to the sports fields being used for a separate event. Below are a list of city centre car parks, all of which are between a 5-15 minute walk from the start area.

The good news is that when you have completed the race, which finishes in the city centre, your vehicle will be conveniently close by, and there will be no waiting around for a return coach back to your car.

All day parking is just £1.00

Bird street WS13 6AE - 179 spaces | Lombard Street WS13 6DW - 134 spaces

Sandford Street WS13 6TU - 54 spaces | Birmingham road WS13 6HP - 322 spaces

Friary car park WS13 6QE - 367 spaces

RACE CHIPS: Please note we will be using timing chips, so we can give you very accurate results. This chip is attached to the back of your race number. Please treat your race number and chip with care. Attach your race number and chip to the front of your running top at the four corners with safety pins. Your race number should not be covered by anything or put on your back, this will affect the chip, and your time may not be recorded. We DO NOT require these to be returned after the race, but if they are lost before the event and need to be replaced, then a £5.00 administration fee will apply.

ROUTE: Please note this year's route will start with a rolling road block for the first 2 miles. At the back will be a sweeper vehicle, if you fall behind this vehicle, then please get on the pavement for you own safety. The rest of the route has partial road closures, but please take responsibility for your own safety and run in single file where possible.

TRAIN TRACK: As you may be aware there is a train track crossing on the Four Oaks Financial Services Lichfield Half Marathon route. We are working with Network Rail to best manage this crossing on the day. In the unlikely event that trains need to be diverted through this crossing we have a team of timekeepers in place to manage that situation, similar to how it is managed at the Leicester Marathon every year.

FINISH AREA: The finish line for the Four Oaks Financial Services Lichfield Half Marathon is situated on Stowe Fields off Stowe Road near the city centre, Lichfield WS13 6AQ.





ON THE DAY

WHAT TO BRING: Please wear appropriate clothing and footwear for the event.

START TIME: 10:30am prompt. Please aim to arrive no later than 10:00am. Please arrive in plenty of time to get yourself ready to run, and warm up.

START AREA: Look out for our signs.

REGISTRATION: There is no need to register on arrival at the event, but there will be a Registration Desk to handle any queries or last minute registrations issues on the day. Entries are NOT accepted on the day.

FACILITIES: Toilets and catering facilities will be available in the main event area, and water will be provided for all participants along the route and at the Finish.

MEDALS & PRIZES: Prizes will be awarded as soon as possible after the races. First 3 men and first 3 women only this year. Colourful medal for all finishers. Goody bags and memento for every runner.

RESULTS: Results will be published on our website www.kpevents.net as soon as possible after the event.

RULES FOR PARTICIPANTS

- **1.** By registering to take part, all participants confirm that they agree for any video footage or photographs taken during the event to be used to publicise future KP events and for use by the race sponsor to promote their sponsorship of the event.
- 2. By registering to take part, participants are declaring themselves physically able to participate in the event. Any participant unsure of their physical ability to take part should take medical advice from a general practitioner prior to the event.
- **3.** All participants enter this event entirely at their own risk; KP Events shall not be liable for any injury or loss that might occur as a result of their participation except as a result of KP Events negligence.
- **4.** We can take no responsibility for under 18s on the day. Under 18s must be accompanied by a responsible adult.
- 5. In the case of emergency KP Events may use the details provided by you to contact your home or family.

We hope you have an enjoyable and safe run on this lovely rural course. Please give way to vehicles and be courteous to local residents.

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