



## Fun Run

# Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> March 2023

## Athlete Information

**Race Start 9:15am - Please remember that clocks go forward on Saturday night!**

**Welcome, and thank you for entering the Yeovil Half Marathon Fun Run**

Please ensure you read the race information carefully.

### **Getting There and Car Parking**

Postcode **BA20 1SH** <https://w3w.co/city.gear.petal> will take you to Petters Way car park which is the closest carpark to the start line. There are several more car parks in the centre of Yeovil, many of them are free of charge on a Sunday.

### **Race Packs**

Race packs were posted on Friday 17<sup>th</sup> March.

These just contain your race number.

If you are accompanying an under 11, you do not need a race number.

Ensure you fill in the medical information on the reverse of the race number.

Your race number must be pinned to the FRONT of your / your child's running top, please bring your own safety pins.

Race numbers do not need to be returned at the end of the race.

### **Information Point and Lost Race Numbers**

An information tent will be available in Petters Way Short Stay car park and will be staffed from 7:30am.

If your number hasn't arrived by race day, collection of a replacement will be possible from the Information Tent.

**There will be no on the day entries.**

**You do not need to register your arrival at the event.**

### **Toilets**

Temporary toilets will be placed in the Short Stay Carpark near the start of the race, there are permanent toilets available in the Long Stay Carpark nearby.

### **Start Line, Race Briefing**

The race will assemble at the start point in South Street <https://w3w.co/showed.warm.puppy>

There will be a race briefing at approximately 9:10am after the start of the Half Marathon.

**The race will start at 09:15 prompt.**

## **Safety**

For health and safety reasons all under 11's **MUST** be accompanied by a responsible adult (who do not require a race number).

## **The Course**

The 2k course makes full use of the closed roads in the Town Centre. The finish is not in the same place as the start, it is in Ivel Square in the Quedam Centre, medical assistance will be available there if required.

<https://w3w.co/grass.drum.pint>

Signs will direct you back to the bag drop.

## **Wessex Water Refill Point**

If you or your child is thirsty before the start of the Fun Run or you would like to fill up your water vessel, please visit the new permanent refill point on Middle Street where there will be a member of the Wessex Water team to help you!

## **Marshals**

If any of your friends and family would like to assist as a race marshal for the morning, please email [info@racenationevents.com](mailto:info@racenationevents.com).

We would be delighted to have them as part of the team.

## **Transfers, Refunds and Deferrals**

There will be no transfers of race numbers, deferrals, and no refunds at this late stage.

**No exceptions will be made.**

Anyone having clearly swapped numbers will be excluded from the results.

## **Runner Safety**

If you see a fellow runner in difficulty or distress, please relay the situation to the next marshal location.

No litter is to be dropped on the course.

## **Finish**

All finishers, wearing a race number, will receive a special Fun Run medal and YHM cup filled with water.

## **Acknowledgements**

RaceNation Events would like to thank the following sponsors, individuals, and organisations, without whose assistance the race could not take place.

Bio-Kult, Albert Goodman, Leonardo, Battens Solicitors, Symonds and Sampson, Quedam Shopping Centre, Foray Motor Group (Yeovil Ford), John Burton Signs, Yeovil Hospital Charity, and School in a Bag.

Our incredible team of volunteers who have given up their Sunday to keep you all safe and on course.

And of course ... you the runners for taking part!



We are delighted **Bio-Kult** will be joining us at Yeovil Half Marathon as our headline sponsor. **Bio-Kult** are **THE** gut and microbiome health experts, used in the NHS and recommended by professionals across the UK.

They believe that a healthier, happier quality of life starts with loving your unique microbiome. All their live bacteria products and bio-cultures are specially designed to support you and proven to survive stomach acidity. We're pretty excited to have the support of such an awesome company with high-quality, research-based products (developed by some top-notch nutritionists, doctors, scientists and microbiologists in the country!)



**Albert Goodman** is an accountancy, tax and financial planning firm that collaborates to achieve great results for it's clients in Yeovil and across the South West.

We are proud to support the Yeovil Half Marathon, which is fantastic community focused event. Best of luck to all the runners, especially on the climb back from Montacute!"

**Leonardo** in Yeovil the "Home of British Helicopters" develops the latest generation rotorcraft, which meet the most demanding operational requirements in all conditions and environments.

Leonardo is pleased to be a supporter of Yeovil Half Marathon.



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**Battens Solicitors** is proud of its 300 year history in Somerset and the active part we have played in supporting both the Yeovil business community as well as numerous local events and charities.

Through our health and wellbeing programmes we encourage our staff to be fit and healthy and as they are a competitive bunch many of them have regularly taken part in the Yeovil Half Marathon which we have sponsored for several years.

We are delighted to be a sponsor once again and we will be cheering on our staff members who are running in this highly popular race to raise money for the Battens Charitable Trust. We wish all the competitors the best of luck in what is a challenging and fun family event.

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We'd like to wish all runners in the Yeovil Half Marathon the best of luck, and look forward to cheering you across the line!



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