



**Registration deadline:
March 07, 2027 at 11:59 pm**

Note that start places may sell out very quickly before the registration deadline - so register as soon as you can to avoid disappointment!

Also note that there is a maximum number of start places for each start block!

Our tradition is still alive – your run through beautiful landscape at the gates of Cologne:

We offer you a race through nature in the largest forest area in the Rhineland. Our nature conservation concept is not to hold a mass start, but to form many small start blocks.

You will start in the start block which you selected at the time of booking. You can also spontaneously extend or shorten your distance during the race, without any additional costs or re-registration. We will automatically sort you into the appropriate list of results with your net time.

Please turn up for the race well trained, fit and healthy. The "Staubwolke Refrath" cyclists will guide you along the course. TVR guides are available at all important points and the "ASB" rescue service will also support you.

Participation fee and flexible distance selection

You can enjoy our route until 4.45 pm. You can choose how many laps to run on the day, and you can also decide spontaneously during the race. Your participation fee contributes to the organizational costs of our event, promotes nature conservation and supports the sports operations of our running team.

	14.06.26-31.07.26	01.08.26-31.10.26	01.11.26-16.12.27	17.12.27-07.03.27
All distances	40€	50€	55€	60€
10% discount for groups of 3 people or more	per person 36€	per person 45€	per person 49,50€	per person 54€

Rating categories

When registering, you can choose between three categories: non-binary, female and male. For the **overall rankings**, this principle applies: Whoever finishes first wins. So your **gross time counts**. Your time starts with the start signal for the TOP starts, at 09.45 a.m. for the Ultramarathon, at 10.15 a.m. for the Marathon and at 11.15 a.m. for the half marathon.

The scoring of all Age Groups is based on net time, as there will be different start groups.

Personal best time - Results list

You can also voluntarily indicate your personal best time when registering. If your finish time is a new best time, we will add you to this list of results and you can print out a special certificate at home. In the inner courtyard of the AMG there is a 'PB bell'. You may ring the bell so that everyone can see your personal success.

FAMILY & FRIENDS - SCORING

Give each other a creative name and start together. When registering, tick the box for participation and also be counted as a team. All runners also appear with their individual times in the individual ranking. The team ranking is based on the **average time of all people** in your team.

3-person Youth Half Marathon Relay (8km+5km+8.1km)

The start is at 11.45 a.m. All fit and healthy young people (born 2010-2016) are eligible to start. Note **supervision, the organisation of the relay transfers and responsibility lies with the caregivers of the young people**. The TOP 3 relay teams will be honored. There are non-cash prizes for the youth relay ranking, but no record bonuses.

53. Königsforst-Marathon on 14th March 2027

RUN GREEN - RUN HAPPY

- Registration** Registrations can be done online on our homepage via this link until 07 March 2027, so long as start places are still available: <https://anmeldung.cologne-timing.de/KoenigsforstMarathon>
All persons will receive personalized start numbers with their own first name. You are also welcome to donate a CO2-compensation for your journey, which we will pass on to our nature conservation partners.
- Start-place exchange** Up to November 1, 2026, you can use the **start place exchange** to offer your start place to others. If someone buys your place, we will refund your entry fee, minus a small processing fee, which is displayed in the portal.
- Marathon-Expo** You will receive your start number (and ordered clothing) in the large sports hall in the Albertus-Magnus-Gymnasium on Saturday, 13th March 2027 from 3.00 p.m. to 5.30 p.m. and Sunday, 14th March 2027 from 07.30 a.m. to 01.50 p.m. Address: Kaule 15 in Bergisch Gladbach.

Start time	Discipline	Note
08.45 hr	Ultramarathon 6:15h to 8:00h	reporting possible up to the Tn limit of the start time
09.15 hr	Marathon 5:30h bis 6:15h	
09.45 hr	Ultramarathon to 6:14h	message with release code
10.15 hr	Marathon bis 3:59h	
10.30 hr	Marathon 4:00h to 4:44h	reporting possible up to the participant limit of the start time
10.45 hr	Marathon 4:45h to 5:30h	
11.15 hr	Half marathon to 1:39h	message with release code
11.45 12.00	Halfmarathon 1:40h to 4:30h	reporting possible up to the participant limit of the start time
12.15 12.30	Halfmarathon 1:40h to 4:00h	
12.45 13.00	Half marathon 1:40h to 3:30h	
13.15 13.30	Half marathon 1:40h to 3:00h	
13.45 14.00	Half marathon 1:40h to 2:30h	

- Running course** We offer an attractive 21.1km circuit through the nature reserve. The running course is eligible for the leaderboard and marked with sawdust. At the junctions there are posts and arrow signs.
- Attention** Running with baby joggers, dog, bike companion, walking sticks and headphones is not allowed. If used, disqualification may result. Thank you very much for your cooperation in the interests of the safety of all runners.
- WC + food** Portable toilets, food, water, fruit, salt and dextro are available at all refreshment points. For the marathon and ultramarathon participants, there is a refreshment station shortly after the start of the each circuit, where you can also place your own food/drinks. In the AMG, you will receive refreshments "Made by Königsforst-Marathon" after crossing the finish line.
- Finish Deadline** The deadline for the start of your final lap is 2:00 p.m. All competitions end at 4.45 p.m. After that, the roads will be re-opened.
- Timekeeping** from **cologne timing** with online results in real time, which can also be seen in the AMG. With control split times, LIVE finish time forecasts and a 50km measurement in the ultramarathon.
- Results** The finish time forecasts and the provisional rankings will be available in the live ticker during the event at: <https://koenigsforst-marathon.de/ergebnisse/>.
- Medal + Honors** You will receive the 2027 white-tailed eagle collector's medal at the finish line. The TOP 3 nb / m / w of the overall rankings per race will receive non-cash prizes and an engraved wooden trophy made of hardwood. The prize-giving ceremony will take place on the stage in the AMG about an hour after the TOP 3 runners have finished. All Age-Group winners from AG 40 upwards will receive their own personalised engraved wooden trophy by post after the run. Photos can be ordered on our homepage.

For achieving an overall course record, you will receive a bonus of €250 and a free start for the 54th Königsforst Marathon in March 2028. Anyone who improves a course record in a Master-AG from AG40 and older will also receive a free start for March 2028 and a bonus of €50.

- Site plan** On the next page you will find the map of the overview of the event center with start and finish.

Königsforst Marathon



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21.1km - 42.2km - 63.3km



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G : Greifvogelhilfe

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