



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

The registration deadline for individual starts can also be reached earlier.

There is a maximum number of starting places for each starting group due to the starting concept.

Tradition is alive – your landscape run at the gates of Cologne

We offer you a natural run in the largest contiguous forest area in the Rhineland. Part of our nature conservation concept is not to hold a mass start, but to form many small starting groups.

You start in the registered competition in the starting group you have booked. You can also spontaneously extend or shorten your distance on the route, without additional costs or re-registration. We will automatically sort you into the appropriate list of results with your net time.

Please arrive well trained and healthy at the start. On the running course, the cyclists of the "Staubwolke Refrath" will guide you. TVR guides are available at all important points. The "ASB" is ready as a rescue service.

Participation fee and flexible distance selection

You can enjoy our route until 4.45 pm. How many laps long, you can also change spontaneously on the track. With your participation fee, you contribute to the organizational costs of our event, promote nature conservation and support 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€
Group Notification from 3 people with 10% discount	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**, the principle applies: Whoever finishes first wins. So your **gross time counts**. This runs with the starting signal for the TOP starts: From 09.45 a.m. for the ultramarathon, from 10.15 a.m. for the marathon and from 11.15 a.m. for the half marathon.

The scoring of all age groups is based on net time, as we start in many starting groups.

Personal best time - Results list

You also enter 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 well-trained young people (born 2010-2016) are eligible to start. **Supervision, the organisation of the transfer to the exchange offices and the responsibility lie 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 am 14. März 2027

RUN GREEN - RUN HAPPY

Registration

Registrations are made online via our homepage via this link until 07 March 2027, as long as starting places are 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.

Starting place exchange

November 1, 2026, you can use the **starting place exchange** to offer your place to other people. 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 of the Albertus-Magnus-Gymnasium on Saturday, 13.03.27 from 3.00 p.m. to 5.30 p.m. and Sunday, 14.03.27 from 07.30 a.m. to 01.50 p.m. Address: Kaule 15 in Bergisch Gladbach.

Starttime	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	
10.15 hr	Marathon bis 3:59h	
10.30 hr	Marathon 4:00h to 4:44h	
10.45 hr	Marathon 4:45h to 5:30h	
11.15 hr	half marathon to 1:39h	
11.45 12.00	half marathon 1:40h to 1:49h	
12.15 12.30	half marathon 1:50h to 3:00h	
12.45 13.00	half marathon 1:50h to 3:00h	
13.15 13.30	half marathon 1:50h to 3:00h	
13.45 14.00	half marathon 1:50h 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, dogs, 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

Dixi toilet and food with water, fruit, salt and dextro are available at all refreshment points. For marathons and ultramarathons, there is a refreshment station shortly after the start of the next round, where you can also place your own food. In the AMG, you will receive refreshments "Made by Königsforst-Marathon" after crossing the finish line.

Finish Deadline

The last run into the last lap is possible at 2:00 p.m. after the last start. All competitions end at 4.45 p.m. After that, the roads will be 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 current bird motif collector's item of the year 2027 with the white-tailed eagle 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 stele made of hardwood. The personal honors will take place about an hour after the finish of the TOP 3 will take place on stage at the AMG. All AK winners from AK 40 onwards will receive their personalised engraved wooden stele by post after the run. Photos can be ordered via the homepage.

For improving 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-AK from AK40 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 overview map of the event center with start and finish.

Königsforst Marathon



RUN GREEN RUN HAPPY
21.1km - 42.2km - 63.3km



B : Treff Belkaw
G : Greifvogelhilfe

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