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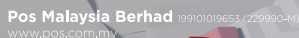
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Message



**The Honourable
YB DATO SRI HAJI ABDUL KARIM RAHMAN HAMZAH**

*Minister of Tourism, Creative Industry & Performing Arts Sarawak;
Minister of Youth, Sports & Entrepreneur Development Sarawak*

We extend a warm welcome to all participants of this year's edition of Kuching Marathon. I am indeed delighted to note that Kuching Marathon has grown from strength to strength over the years. This year will be the 10th edition of this wonderful event.

It is an honour to welcome again the thousands of runners, their partners or supporters from all over the region. You will join our local runners to make this year's run an enjoyable event with the spirit of competition and camaraderie for all participants.

Please do explore our various attractions and national park to see what Sarawak nature has to offer. Also take time to check out the numerous bars, bistros, eateries, and food centres as you explore our mouth-watering multi ethnic cuisines.

As the Minister of Tourism, Creative Industry and Performing Arts Sarawak, I will continue to give my full support to this event. With a track record of past successful marathons, I look forward to this year's edition.

As an internationally AIMS certified event, I hope this event will continue to be on par with international events like the London, Tokyo or Boston Marathon.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank the Kuching Marathon Association (KMA) for their hard work and dedication in organising this event. My appreciation also goes to all volunteers, officials, helpers and the crew without which this event would not be possible.

We wish all the best to all participants and may they have an enjoyable run.

YB DATO SRI HAJI ABDUL KARIM RAHMAN HAMZAH

Message



MR. LIEW TANG CHIEH

Race Director of Kuching Marathon 2025

Welcome to the Kuching Marathon 2025.

For the last few months, our team have been busy as we are working with the Ministry, authorities, law enforcement agencies, medical teams and volunteers in making the final preparations to host you all on 21st September 2025.

I am sure you are all training hard and making your final preparations for the coming race.

Whether you are a competitive or recreational runner, I hope you will achieve your personal goals and have a safe and memorable run this Kuching Marathon 2025.

We look forward to seeing you all again in 2026.

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LIEW TANG CHIEH

Venue INFORMATION

Race Pack Collection

Date : Wednesday - Saturday (17th - 20th September) 10:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.
Venue : Makeramai Makerspace, Level 4, Plaza Merdeka Shopping Mall, Jalan Pearl, Kuching, Sarawak.

Drop Zone

You may leave your personal items at the Drop Zone counter where bag deposit will be made available to the participants on a complimentary basis. Drop Zone counter will be open from 10:00 p.m. on 20th September 2025 at race venue, Padang Merdeka and all items not claimed by 8:45 a.m. on 21st September 2025 will be transferred to the Organiser's office.

Participants are encouraged to leave valuables at home/hotel and to bring as little as possible with them as space may be tight on the day.

Bib & Timing Device

Runners of all categories of run with the exception of 5km Run will be receiving a Bib with timing chip which is to be worn visibly in front of running tee.

Car Parks

Runners who are driving to the race venue are advised to park their vehicles on first-come first-served basis at Plaza Merdeka Shopping Mall, Plaza Aurora (Formerly known as Kuching Plaza), Saujana Car Park, Pelita Car Park and Taman Kereta Car Park

(Please check with the respective car parks for their operation hours and charges if any).

Road Closure

There are sections of roads leading to race venue which will be closed for the event. Kindly check the details from the local newspapers and our Facebook page.

Notes to Runners

1. All runners are required to be at start venue Padang Merdeka, 30 minutes before the start time of their respective categories.
2. No runner shall step over the timing mats at the start line and/or finish line before the commencement of the run failing which he/she will be disqualified in the timing system.
3. Always keep yourself hydrated. Water stations can be found averagely 3km apart for the first 30km and averagely 2km apart for the remaining 12km for full marathon route.
4. For the Half Marathon, 10km and 5km routes, water station can be found averagely 3km apart.
5. Food stations can be found at KM21 and KM31 on full marathon route.
6. Mobile toilets can be found at various intervals along the routes and Start/Finish point.
7. Mosques/surau can be found along full marathon and half marathon route. Kindly check the signage for it.
8. Personnel manning the water stations will render help to runners who are in need of medical assistance.
9. Marshalls and volunteers are on standby for you. If you need assistance, please approach them for help.
10. Participants must retire from the race immediately, if required to do so by a marshal, medical personnel, Jabatan Kesihatan Negeri Sarawak, Jabatan Pertahanan Awam Malaysia (JPAM), Jabatan Bomba & Penyelamat Negeri Sarawak, Malaysian Red Crescent Society, St John Ambulance Sarawak, Polis Diraja Malaysia, Military Police, Rela, Markas Divisyen Pertama Infantri Malaysia, Dewan Bandaraya Kuching Utara, Persatuan Olahraga Amatir Sarawak (SAAA), referee, Event Director and/or any official authorised by the Organiser, failing which his/her bib number will be recorded and he/she will be removed from the race, from this point onwards he/she will be continuing independently of the event and at his/her own risk.

Prize Money

A total of cash amounting to RM125,000 are up for grabs by winners of all categories of run except 5KM run in KM2025

42KM Full Marathon

CATEGORY	POSITION & PRIZE (RM)										Total Prize per Category (RM)
	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	
MEN OPEN	10,000	5,000	3,000	1,500	1,000	750	750	750	750	750	24,250
WOMEN OPEN	10,000	5,000	3,000	1,500	1,000	750	750	750	750	750	24,250
MEN NATIONAL	6,000	3,500	1,500	1,000	750	500	500	500	500	500	15,250
WOMEN NATIONAL	6,000	3,500	1,500	1,000	750	500	500	500	500	500	15,250
MEN VETERAN	2,000	1,500	1,000	750	500	250	250	250	250	250	7,000
WOMEN VETERAN	2,000	1,500	1,000	750	500	250	250	250	250	250	7,000

21KM Half Marathon

CATEGORY	POSITION & PRIZE (RM)										Total Prize per Category (RM)
	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	
MEN OPEN	2,500	1,600	1,000	600	500	300	300	300	300	300	7,700
WOMEN OPEN	2,500	1,600	1,000	600	500	300	300	300	300	300	7,700
MEN VETERAN	1,500	1,000	700	500	300	200	200	200	200	200	5,000
WOMEN VETERAN	1,500	1,000	700	500	300	200	200	200	200	200	5,000

10KM Run













CATEGORY	POSITION & PRIZE (RM)										Total Prize per Category (RM)
	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	
MEN OPEN	1,000	650	400	300	200	150	150	150	150	150	3,300
WOMEN OPEN	1,000	650	400	300	200	150	150	150	150	150	3,300

Notes:













The organisers have the absolute, complete and discretionary rights to conduct doping test on winners in all categories at any time before payment of prizes are released in which event the payment of prizes shall be kept in abeyance pending and subject to the full and final result(s) of the doping test.

Race INFORMATION













FULL MARATHON 42KM

 DISTANCE 42.195 KM	 START TIME 1:00am	 CUT-OFF TIME 7 Hours
Runners Receive  BAG  RUNNING T-SHIRT  123 BIB  TIMING CHIP  RUNNER'S GUIDEBOOK  SPONSORED ITEM		Finishers Receive  FINISHER MEDAL  E-CERTIFICATE  FINISHER T-SHIRT <p>Finisher T-shirt and medal will be given to the finishers who have successfully completed the run within the cut-off time of 7 hours.</p>











HALF MARATHON 21KM

 DISTANCE 21 KM	 START TIME 3:00am	 CUT-OFF TIME 4 Hours
Runners Receive  BAG  RUNNING T-SHIRT  123 BIB  TIMING CHIP  RUNNER'S GUIDEBOOK  SPONSORED ITEM		Finishers Receive  FINISHER MEDAL  E-CERTIFICATE  FINISHER T-SHIRT <p>Finisher T-shirt and medal will be given to the finishers who have successfully completed the run within the cut-off time of 4 hours.</p>

10KM Run

 DISTANCE 10 KM	 START TIME 5:00am	 CUT-OFF TIME 2 Hours 30 Mins
Runners Receive  BAG  RUNNING T-SHIRT  123 BIB  TIMING CHIP  RUNNER'S GUIDEBOOK  SPONSORED ITEM		Finishers Receive  FINISHER MEDAL  E-CERTIFICATE  FINISHER T-SHIRT <p>Finisher medal will be given to the finishers who have successfully completed the run within the cut-off time of 2 hours 30 minutes.</p>

5KM Run

 DISTANCE 5 KM	 START TIME 6:30am	 CUT-OFF TIME 1 Hours 30 Mins
Runners Receive  BAG  RUNNING T-SHIRT  RUNNER'S GUIDEBOOK  SPONSORED ITEM		Finishers Receive  FINISHER MEDAL  E-CERTIFICATE  FINISHER T-SHIRT <p>Finisher medal will be given to the finishers who have successfully completed the run within the cut-off time of 1 hour 30 minutes.</p>

* Runners who do not complete the run within the respective cut-off time at sectional closure of routes will be picked up by Sweeper Van.

** E-certificate can be downloaded at Kuching Marathon Official Website after full results have been released and published.

Route Map

42 KM FULL MARATHON



Route Map

21 KM HALF MARATHON



Masjid/Surau

ALONG 42KM & 21KM RACE ROUTE

21 Masjid/Surau along 42KM race route of KM2025 are as follows:

1. Surau inside Merdeka Palace Hotel & Suites
2. Masjid Bandaraya Kuching, Jln Masjid Bahagian
3. Masjid India, Jln Gambier
4. Masjid India Lama, Lorong Masjid India
5. Surau Bandarsah, Jln Datuk Ajibah Abol
6. Surau Nurul Islam, Jln Datuk Ajibah Abol
7. Masjid Darulhana Patingan, Jln Patingan
8. Surau Darul Uyuun, Jln Muhibbah
9. Surau Darul Hijrah, Jln Merdeka
10. Surau Darul Falah, Jln Merdeka
11. Masjid Darul Naim, Jln Hashim Jaafar
12. Surau Darul Ibadat, Jln Astana
13. Surau Darul Muhasibin, Lorong Petra 1
14. Surau Telekom
15. Surau @ Shell Jln Sultan Tengah
16. Surau Darul Ikhlas, Jln Sultan Tengah
17. Masjid Jamek
18. Masjid Darul Hana, Jln Tun Salahuddin
19. Surau @ Stesen Petronas Ulu Bintawa, Jln Tun Salahuddin
20. Surau Darul Hassan, Jln Sungai Apong
21. Surau @ Stesen Petronas near i Com

17 Masjid/Surau along 21KM race route of KM2025 are as follows :

1. Surau inside Merdeka Palace Hotel & Suites
2. Masjid Bandaraya Kuching, Jln Masjid Bahagian
3. Masjid India, Jln Gambier
4. Masjid India Lama, Lorong Masjid India
5. Surau Bandarsah, Jln Datuk Ajibah Abol
6. Surau Nurul Islam, Jln Datuk Ajibah Abol
7. Masjid Darulhana Patingan, Jln Patingan
8. Surau Darul Uyuun, Jln Muhibbah
9. Surau Darul Hijrah, Jln Merdeka
10. Surau Darul Falah, Jln Merdeka
11. Masjid Darul Naim, Jln Hashim Jaafar
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Route Map

10 KM RUN



Route Map

5 KM RUN



Masjid/Surau

ALONG 10KM & 5KM RACE ROUTE

9 Masjid/Surau along 10KM race route of KM2025 are as follows:

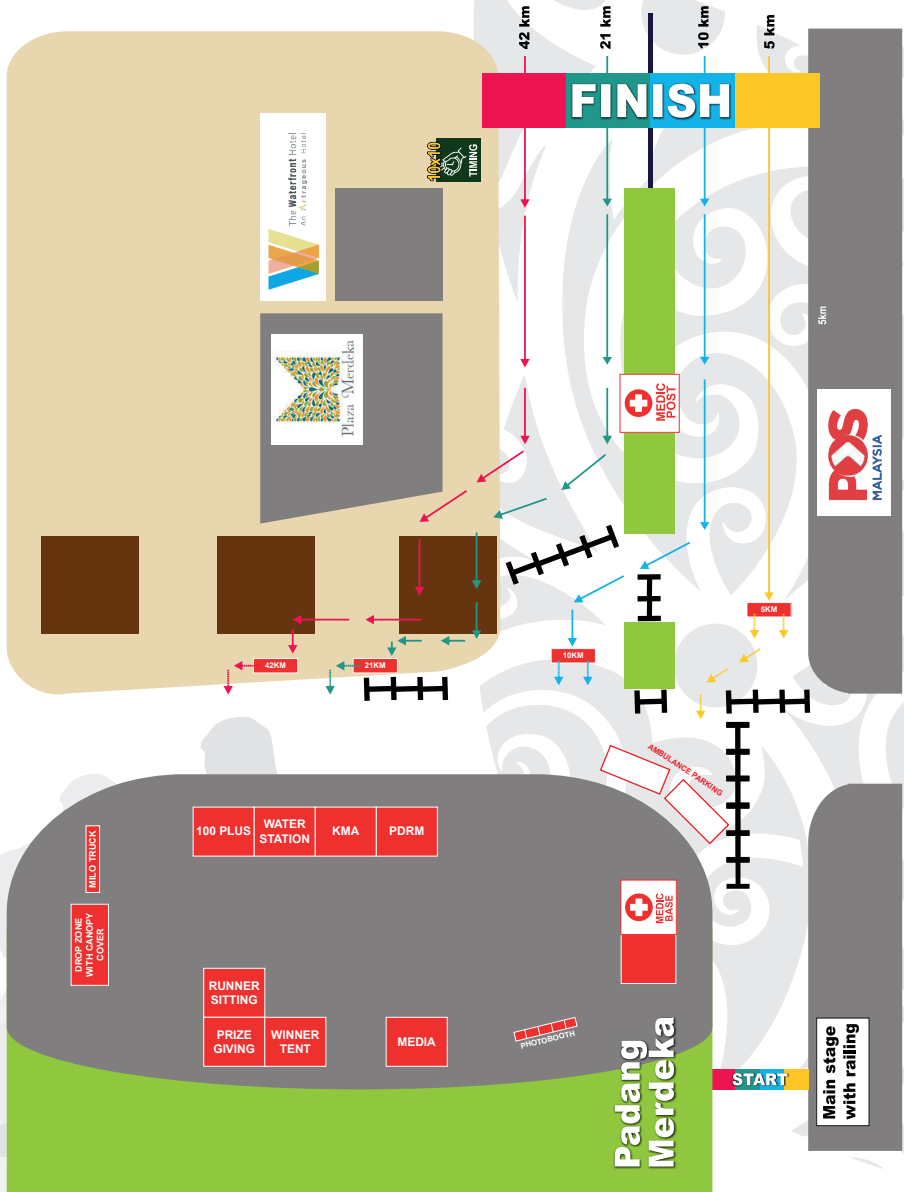
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6. Surau Nurul Islam, Jln Datuk Ajibah Abol
7. Masjid Darulhana Patingan, Jln Patingan
8. Surau Darul Uyuun, Jln Muhibbah
9. Masjid Darul Husni Warrahmah, Taman Hussein

7 Masjid/Surau along 5KM race route of KM2025 are as follows :

1. Surau inside Merdeka Palace Hotel & Suites
2. Masjid Bandaraya Kuching, Jln Masjid Bahagian
3. Masjid India, Jln Gambier
4. Masjid India Lama, Lorong Masjid India
5. Surau Bandarsah, Jln Datuk Ajibah Abol
6. Masjid Darul Farhanah, Jln Patinggi Ali
7. Surau Darul Uyuun, Jln Muhibbah

Race Venue

SITE MAP



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