









# THE 19TH ANNUAL FREDERICKSBURG BLUE & **GRAY HALF MARATHON** AND 5 KM RUN

## **RRCA Virginia State Half-Marathon** Championship



Dec 8, 2019 7:30am

Start/Finish @ Old Mill Park Fredericksburg Virginia

5km 7:38am Start

The Original Half Marathon of Fredericksburg with Better Food, Cooler Weather, Lower Entry Fee, No on-line Registration Transaction Fee,

Prize Money & Course Record Bonuses

Half-Marathon is the Last Race in the 2019 Coldwell Banker Elite Grand Prix

**Run Rain, Snow or Shine** 

Race Information and Course Maps are posted at

www.racetimingunlimited.org/R/BG/Info.as px

1/2 Marathon Registration: Cost until Oct 31, 2019, \$60, until Dec 1, 2019, \$70 and \$80 thereafter.

**5 km Registration**: Cost until Oct 31, 2019, \$30, until Dec 1, 2019, \$35 and \$40 thereafter.

**Premium**: Fee includes a performance long sleeve shirt. Don't want a shirt? Subtract \$5 from your entry fee. Shirts may not be available nor sizes guaranteed for runners registering after Nov 21, 2019. Runners not receiving a shirt will be discounted. We are using the same shirt model as 2018. Some say the men's sizes run long in the sleeves.

**Personalized Finisher Medal**: Each finisher will receive a medal. For an additional \$10, we will mail you a plate with your name and finish time, that you can attach to your medal.

Cash Awards: Top three male and female finishers in the ½ marathon will receive cash awards of \$150, \$75 and \$50. First male and female master runners in half marathon will receive \$50.

Course Record Bonuses: First runner setting a new course record in the ½ marathon will receive a \$100 cash bonus. Current course records: Brian Flynn 1:11:12 (2018) and Sara Baugh 1:26:48 (2018).

## All awards and places are determined by Gun Time.

**Age Groups**: Five year age groups will be used for both races, 19 and under to 70 and over. 5km will have an additional 14 and under age group.

**Half Marathon Awards**: Top 3 males and females in each age group will receive Sammy T's gift certificates.

**5 km Awards**: Top 3 males and females overall and top male and female in each age group will receive Sammy T's gift certificates.

## **Register Online at:**

www.racetimingunlimited.org

**Courses:** Entire course is on paved surfaces. USATF certified courses. Aid at 6 locations on the Half-Marathon Course. ½ Marathon runners must maintain a 16 min/mile pace.

Packet Pick Up & Late Registration: Race numbers and shirts may be picked up at BIO Crossfit (1623B Princes Anne Street) on Saturday Dec 7 (10am to 5pm) and at Old Mill Park on Dec 8 (starting at 6:30am). Packets not picked up will not be mailed.

Race day registration will be held from 6:30 to 7:30am. Please arrive early to allow yourself enough time to complete the registration process.

**Chip Timing** will be provided by Race Timing Unlimited, using disposable Chronotrack bib tags. Bibs are to be worn on your front. No Bib. No Time.

**Important Information:** To ensure runner safety, unregistered runners, bicycles, skateboards, roller skates and roller blades and running with dogs are prohibited on the course. No strollers pushing allowed in half marathon. Strollers in 5km may not be pushed faster than 15 minutes per mile.

**NO HEADPHONES**: City regulations prohibit the use of headphones on the Canal Path and Heritage Trail during competitive events.

Time Limit: All competitors must be finished by11am. That's 3  $\frac{1}{2}$  hours in the half marathon.

Elite Runners: All past overall male and female winners of the Blue & Gray Half Marathon will receive comp entries. If you have run a ½ marathon in less than 1:08.00 or marathon in less than 2:26:00 in the past 5 years, (females 1:16:00 and 2:40:00), you may receive a comp entry. You must request a comp entry prior to Nov 21, 2019 by email to vic@farc.org.

Race Benefits: Part of race proceeds are donated to area high school and college cross country and track teams

### Field is limited to 1200 participants.

In case of a declared snow emergency, race start may be delayed or race postponed until Dec 15, 2019.

### 2019 Fredericksburg Blue & Gray ½ Marathon and 5 km

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