



BC Athletics 2015 Marathon Championship

The BC Athletics 2015 Marathon Championship will be held in conjunction with the 36th Annual GoodLife Fitness Victoria Marathon on Sunday, October 11, 2015.

Race Information

An AIMS/IAAF certified marathon, featuring a beautiful, seaside course with lots of mild undulations, but with a maximum elevation change of only 74 feet. Event records are 2:13:42 (Lamech Mokono, 2013) and 2:37:56 (Lucy Njeri, 2010). Race starts at 8:45 am. Complete race details on the event website: <http://www.runvictoriamarathon.com>.

Entry Information

Enter online at: <http://www.raceonline.ca/events/details/?id=808> or mail in the entry form: <http://www.runvictoriamarathon.com/PDF/2015/GLFVM-2015-One-Page-Registration-Form.aspx>
Entry fee is \$87.00 for BC Athletics athlete members until May 14, rising after that date.

Championship Eligibility

The Championship portion of the event is open to all Junior, Senior, Masters and Road & Trail members of BC Athletics. Memberships must be received by October 9, 2015 in order to be eligible.

BC Athletics Championship Awards

Championship Medals and Prize Money of \$200, \$100, and \$50 will be presented to:

- The first 3 eligible finishers, men and women, overall.

Championship Ribbons will be presented to:

- The first 3 eligible finishers, men and women, in each age category: 18-19, 20-24, 25-29, 30-34, ... 100+

High Performance Athletes' Awards

- Event Prize Money: \$4,000/\$1,500/\$600/\$300/\$150 to the top-5 men and women overall, with a \$5,000 event record bonus for Canadians citizens only. \$500/\$250/\$150 to the top-3 male and female masters (40+). Time bonuses also available to the overall race winners. See <http://runvictoriamarathon.com/Racing-Events/Dairyland-High-Performance-Athlete-Program.aspx>.
- Requests for complimentary entries for High Performance runners will be handled on a case-by-case basis. Consideration will be given to men who have run under 2:35 and women who have run under 3:10, as well as masters who have run 2:40/3:15. Faster runners may be eligible for accommodation. Please complete the High Performance Athlete Application Form - <https://www.raceonline.ca/events/registration/?id=858>

Travel Assistance

Through the Sport Experience program, BC Ferries and viaSport will assist with ferry travel costs for athletes participating in the BC Championship. For further details, see the viaSport website: <http://www.viasport.ca/bc-ferries-sport-experience-program>. Applications for travel assistance must be received at least two weeks before the Championship. Due to overwhelming demand, viaSport may be unable to fulfill all applications.