

GAINESVILLE MARATHON

PARTICIPANT GUIDE February 23, 2025 Gainesville, TX

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WELCOME

Welcome to the first Gainesville Marathon. This is an original event crafted by Texas Outlaw Running Company. This race starts at the Gainesville Farmer's Market and finishes in Leonard Park. We are so excited for the amazing weekend as you race in one of the most patriotic towns in Texas.

We encourage you to take time to carefully read through this participant guide to help better prepare you for your race that's ahead.

If you have any questions after reading through please email us at: TexasOutlawRunning@gmail.com

5K | 10K | Half-Marathon **Feb 23, 2025**

Gainesville's Farmer's Market

215 W Elm St. | Gainesville, TX 76240

Saturday, Feb 22, 2025

3:00 - 6:00 PM - Early Packet Pickup/EXPO @ Gainesville Farmer's Market

Sunday, Feb 23, 2025 RACE DAY

*Please arrive 45 min. before your start time *
6:00 - 8:00 AM - Packet Pickup
7:50 AM - Race Brief
8:00 AM - All races start
8:30 AM - 5K awards
9:00 AM - 10K awards
10:15 AM - Half Marathon awards
11:15 AM - Cutoff time





GAINESVILLE MARATHON

GENERAL INFO

DRIVING DIRECTIONS

The start line will be located at the Gainesville Farmer's Market. The finish line will be at Leonard Park.

PARKING

Participants will be able to park at either Leonard Park, the Gainesville Farmers Market, or anywhere in between. (The walking distance from Leonard Park to the Gainesville Farmers Market is 0.5 miles (about a 7-10 minute walk).

THE CAUSE

The run supports the North Texas Food Bank and raises funds for Christian Missionaries.

MEDICAL

We will be using nearby public medical personnel. PLEASE CALL 911 in case of an emergency.

RACE TIMING

We will be using bib tap software and official results will be emailed after the event. Please make sure your bib number is visible on the front of your body.





















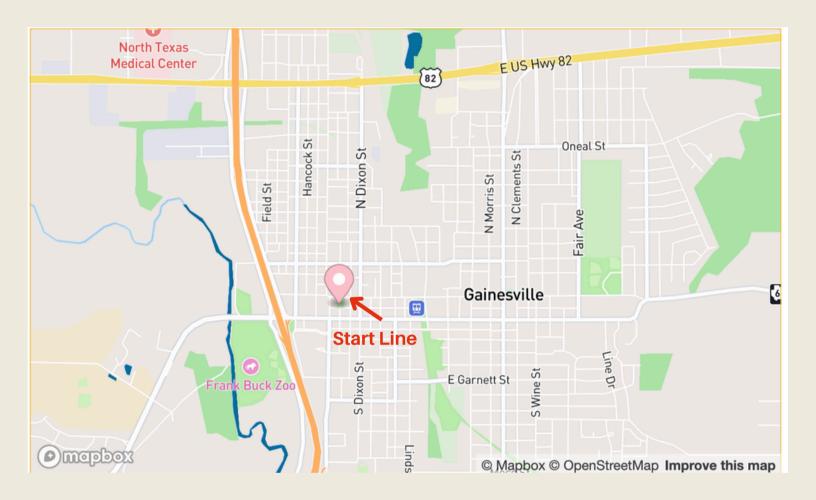








LOCATING RACE



IMPORTANT: Participants will be able to park at either Leonard Park, the Gainesville Farmer's Market, or anywhere in between.





PARKING



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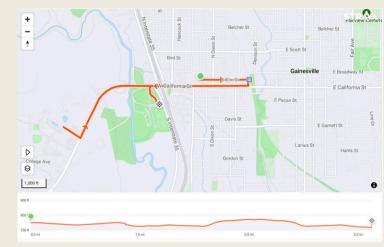
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COURSE MAP

5K = Modified Out n Back | 10K Modified Out n Back | Half = Full Out n Back

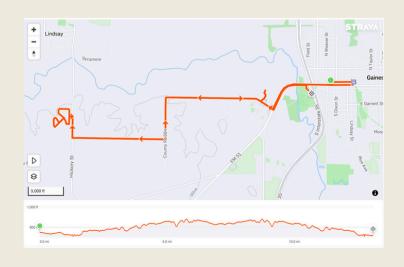


5K Map & Elevation



10K Map & Elevation

Half-Marathon Map & Elavation









COURSE DETAILS

COURSE PROFILE

The Gainesville Marathon features a 5K, 10K, and Half Marathon starting at the Farmers Market. The run supports the North Texas Food Bank and raises funds for Christian Missionaries.

The route passes through historic downtown Gainesville past the train station, vintage Gulf gas station, and down California Street and the courthouse, before looping through the scenic hills of Cooke County then finishing in Lenoard Park. Runners will enjoy views of local landmarks, open fields, and rolling terrain, with traffic managed by lane closures, patrol cars, and volunteers.











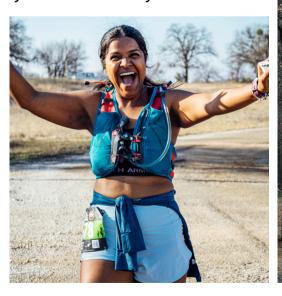
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DROPPING OUT OF THE RACE

You must notify the race director at the start/finish line BEFORE leaving the race site if you decide to guit or drop out of the race.

BIBS

Please make sure that the bib number is visual and on the front of your body. We will use your bib number to identify you and record your time.



CUPLESS RACE/CARRYING

To reduce waste out on the trails and in general we follow park at either Leonard Park, the cupless race protocol. This means that we will not serve any cups at aid stations for drinks. Please bring your own water carrying system with at least 16 oz.



PARKING

Participants will be able to the Gainesville Farmers Market, or anywhere in between.

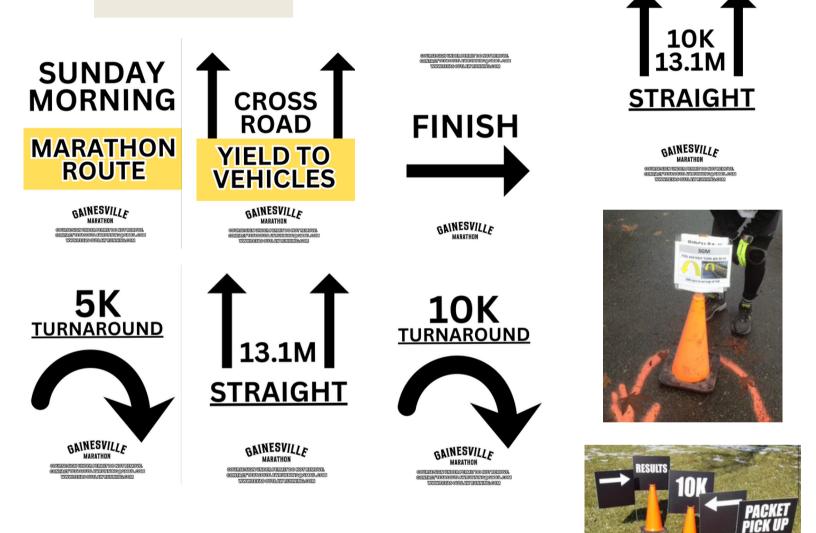






COURSE MARKINGS





The course will consist of white, yellow, and orange signage.







RACE RULES

RUNNING RULES

- No Littering (If caught disqualification will occur.)
- Runners must follow the marked course and no cutting the course.
- Race cutoff will be enforced.
- Be aware of your surroundings. Watch out for cars and vehicles.
- Roads are still open obey traffic laws
- Please be respectful to all volunteers, race staff, and other race personnel.

WEATHER FORECAST as of 02/17/25 for Saturday 6AM - 9AM - 12PM

Temp Forecast: 30° - 34° - 42° Feels Like: 29° - 32° - 38° Rain: 0% Wind: 10mph SSE - 14mph SSE - 15mph S











DISTANCE FINISHER AWARDS

Finisher Award for all distances
1st, 2nd, and 3rd places for male and female for each distance
DFL "Dead Freakin' Last" award medal for Half Marathon distance









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