

# RULES AND REGULATIONS

<p><b>Held under the rules of ASA and ASWD. All competitors must comply with the rules, regulations and instructions given by officials, marshals and traffic officials. Non-compliance may lead to disqualification. The Race Referee's decision is final. The Race Organizer reserves the right to accept / reject any entry received.</b></p>			
<p><b>Club Colours:</b> Athletes must participate in their correct club colours and display the ASA 2023 license numbers on the <u>front and back</u> of the vest. All other runners must display temporary number on <u>front</u> of vest. No advertising allowed.</p>			
<p><b>Cut-off time:</b> 10km = 2 hrs OR 21.1km = 3 hrs 30min OR 42.2km = 5 hrs 30min</p>			
<p><b>Distance markers:</b> Will be placed at every kilometre.</p>			
<p><b>Foreigners:</b> All foreign athletes must comply with WA rule 142.2 and 4.2. Foreign athletes must be able to produce a letter from their respective federation permitting them to participate on race day.</p>			
<p><b>Proof of Age:</b> Athletes must give proof of their age at the request of the Race Referee. (SA ID/Passport/Driver's License/Refugee Permit/Birth Cert since 1994)</p>			
<p><b>Race numbers:</b> As provided by organizers. Front and/or back. Placed over permanent or temp no./s in manner that ASA License Sponsor and ASA Province / Year is visible above the race number. (ASA Rule 26.1.6)</p>			
<p><b>Refreshment Tables:</b> Drinking / Sparging stations shall be provided at 3km intervals (Min 2.5km – Max 3.5km apart), or more frequently if weather conditions warrant such provision. Water and other suitable refreshments shall be available at the start and finish of all races.</p>			
<p><b>Road:</b> Athletes must always stay on the right-hand side of the road, unless instructed differently by the marshals and Traffic Officers.</p>			
<p><b>Safety Rule (ALL DISTANCES):</b> No Earphones (ASA Rule 34.10.6), Animals (ASA Rule 34.10.1), Racers (ASA Rule 34.10.3), or Wheelchairs (ASA Rule 34.10.4) allowed.</p>			
<p><b>Seconding:</b> No seconding from cyclists or private vehicles will be allowed on the route. Personal seconding, stand and hand rule will only be permitted within the delineated area at water points. (ASA Rule 34.8.2)</p>			
<p><b>Age Tags:</b> Participants will be eligible for prizes in the <u>OPEN</u> category and the age category for which they have entered provided the relevant <u>OFFICIAL ASWD</u> age category tag or junior tags is displayed, <b>visible and above license number</b>, front and back. Participants may enter the age category corresponding to their chronological age or any younger category down to SENIOR. <b>(Red age tag/white background (ASA Rule 22.9))</b></p>			
Race	Entry Fee	Temp Lic Fee	Minimum Age
Fun Run	R50.00	None	9 years
10.4km	R85.00	R40.00	15 years
21.1km	R100.00	R40.00	16 years
42.2km	R160.00	R40.00	20 years
T-Shirt cut-off order date: 15 Sep 2023		R200	Size:

ENTRY FEES INCLUDE ALL ON-LINE FEES.

# **bvsa**

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**Vlakte Marathon, Half Marathon & 10.4km**  
**(Incorporating closed ASWD Marathon Champs)**

## **25 November 2023**

**Marathon - 05H00** Heidelberg High School  
**Half Marathon - 06H00** Zoutpan  
**10.4km - 07H00** Vondeling Primary School  
**5km Fun Run - 08H00** Green Shed 2 km on the R323  
All Races Finish in Witsand

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**This event is timed by IPICO timing chip. NO CHIP NO TIME**

# INFORMATION

## Registration and Late Entries:

On-Line entries @ [www.aswd.co.za](http://www.aswd.co.za). Close Monday 20 Nov @ 23h30.

**All Late Entries:** will be accepted at a R20 premium to advertised rates  
**Friday, 24 Nov 2023.**

15h00 - 20h00 at the Heidelberg High School Sports ground.

## **Saturday, 25 Nov 2023**

**No Late entries 42.2km** at the Heidelberg Sports ground

**No Late entries 21.1km** at Zoutpan (start of the half marathon)

06h00 - 06h45 **10.4km** Vondeling Primary School (Start of 10.4 km).

07h00 - 07h45 **Fun Run** at Green Shed 2 km on the R323

**Transport:** Morning of the race, available from Witsand Camp site at 3.30am **and no later**. To the start of the Half marathon will depart from the starting point at Heidelberg High School Sports Ground at 05h00 sharp. Transport will be available **from the finish to starting** point of each race, direct after prize giving has been concluded.

**ASWD Licensed athlete take note:** Forget your IPICO chip – you will have to pay R20 to loan one for the race. Lost your chip – you will have to pay R75 for a replacement chip.

## **Start:**

**42.2km:** 05h00 Heidelberg High School Sports Ground

**21.1km:** 06h00 Zoutpan (Halfway down the R323 to Witsand)

**10.4km:** 07h00 Vondeling Primary School (10 km from Witsand on the R323)

**5km:** 8h00 Green shed 2km from Port Beaufort/Witsand on the R323

**Finish:** *All races finish in Witsand*

**Ablution:** Available at start and finish

**First Aid:** Will be available

**Hand-outs:** Goodie bags for first 100 entries

**Medals:** **Gold:** Winner of Marathon & Half marathon

**Silver:** Marathon sub 3h15; Half Marathon sub 1h30

**Bronze:** Everybody finishing within the cut-off times.

**5km & 10.4km** - medals to all finishers.

**Prize giving:** Will take place at 10h30 at Finish line in Witsand. Athletes are responsible to collect their own prize money or make an alternative written arrangement with the Event Organizer. Failing which prize money is forfeited. (ASA Rule 2.10)

**Prize Money:**

	Mans /Men			Dames/Ladies		
	10,4	21,1	42,2	10,4	21,1	42,2
Open						
1 <sup>st</sup>	R200	R500	R1000	R200	R500	R1000
2 <sup>nd</sup>	R100	R250	R500	R100	R250	R500
3 <sup>rd</sup>	R80	R100	R250	R80	R100	R250
40-49						
1 <sup>st</sup>	R100	R150	R250	R100	R150	R250
50-59						
1 <sup>st</sup>	R100	R150	R250	R100	R150	R250
60-69						
1 <sup>st</sup>	R100	R150	R250	R100	R150	R250
70-79						
1 <sup>st</sup>	R100	R150	R250	R100	R150	R250
80+						
1 <sup>st</sup>	R100	R150	R250	R100	R150	R250
Junior						
1 <sup>st</sup>	R50	R100		R50	R100	

**Accommodation:**

A variety of accommodation is available ranging from "low budget" in the local High School hostel (028 722 1455 Mon-Fri 08:00-14:00) to Heidelberg Hotel (028 722 1860) to guest houses or visit the following link for more information: [www.explorersgardenroute.co.za](http://www.explorersgardenroute.co.za) or call 087 802 6403 to get more information on accommodation.

**Welcome:** Walkers

**Enquiries:** Nico Steyn - 083 226 3091

**RACE TIMING:** An IPICO timing chip will be made available, on a loan basis, to all participants apart from ASWD licensed athletes who are to use their current personalised chips. The chip is to be worn on your shoe for the duration of the event. The loan chips are to be handed back at the end of the race in exchange for a medal. Participants will be held responsible for lost or damaged chips or those not handed back as required. It remains your responsibility to return the chip to the race organizer even in the event of not completing the race.

# ENTRY FORM

<b>ADMIN USE</b>
CHIP NO
TEMP NO

<b>SURNAME</b>							
<b>FIRST NAME</b>							
<b>PROVINCE</b>					<b>LIC NO 2023</b>		
<b>DATE OF BIRTH</b>	D	d	m	M	yyy	<b>AGE</b>	
<b>MALE</b>					<b>RUNNER</b>		
<b>FEMALE</b>					<b>WALKER</b>		
<b>CLUB</b>							
<b>ADDRESS</b>							
<b>CELLPHONE NR</b>							
<b>ID / BC / PP / DL No. NUMBER</b>							
<b>EMAIL ADDRESS</b>							
<b>EMERGENCY Contact / Cell</b>							
<b>PARTICIPATION AGE CATEGORY:</b>							
JUNIOR / OPEN / 40 – 49 / 50 - 59 / 60-69 / 70+							
<b>PAYMENT</b>							
Entry forms can be sent to: <a href="mailto:langebergathletics@gmail.com">langebergathletics@gmail.com</a> or faxed to 028 722 1400 or enter online at <a href="http://www.aswd.co.za">www.aswd.co.za</a>							
All posted and faxed entries should include proof of payment into the following back account: <b>Nedbank, Acc nr. 147 001 4610, Branch code 132105</b>							
<b>Race</b>	<b>Entry Fee</b>			<b>Temp Lic Fee</b>		<b>TOTAL</b>	
Fun Run	R50.00 (scholars – R30)			None			
10.4km	R85.00 (Late Entry +R20)			R40.00			
21.1km	R100.00 (Late Entry +R20)			R40.00			
42.2km	R160.00 (Late Entry +R20)			R40.00			
T-shirt	Size:			R200			

**INDEMNITY / DISCLAIMER** By entering this event I undertake to be bound by the rules and regulations of the event including those of WA and ASA. I warrant that I am in good health and aware of the risks and physical nature of this sporting event, and do not claim ignorance of these risks and dangers. I hereby accept that I participate in the event entirely at my own risk and I release and discharge, to the fullest extent allowed in law, the organizers of the event, all sponsors, persons and organizations assisting in the staging of the event, provincial and national athletics bodies and all local authorities from any responsibility, liability or costs relating to any injury, loss or damage of whatever nature, however caused, arising directly or indirectly from my participation in the event including pre- and post-race activities;

Minor Release: and I the minor's parent and/or legal guardian, understand the nature of athletic activities and the minor's experience and capabilities and believe the minor to be qualified, in good health, and in proper physical condition to participate in such activity and I enter into this Indemnity/waiver on behalf of the minor.

Printed name of participant parent/guardian in the case of a minor.....

Phone: .....

Signature : .....

Date: .....