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RACE OFFICE

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The Balwin Sports Peninsula Marathon is one of South Africa's iconic races with a rich history going back nearly 60 years. Running from Cape Town to Simons Town, along the spectacular False Bay coastline, this flat, fast route is made for personal best times. The event is an Abbott age group World Rankings qualifier.



		FEES		
RACE	ENTRY FEE	TEMPORARY LICENSES	BUS TICKETS	TRAIN TICKETS
42KM	R375	R90	R75	R20*
21km	R240	R80	R50	R20*

*Train ticket valid for the entire day.

+70 FREE ENTRY FOR 42KM (EXCLUDES TEMP LIC IF REQUIRED)

ENTRIES CLOSE WEDNESDAY, 11 FEBRUARY 2026 OR AS SOON AS CAPACITY IS REACHED

ONLINE FEE ADDED TO ENTRY PURCHASE

SUBSTITUTION PERIOD: 19 JANUARY – 02 FEBRUARY 2026 ONLY. A FEE OF R50 WILL BE CHARGED PER SUBSTITUTION.

BUS SERVICE			
BUS SERVICE	DEPART FROM	DROP-OFF	FEE
42KM	FINISH- SIMON'S TOWN NAVAL BASE	GREEN POINT	R75
21KM	FINISH- SIMON'S TOWN NAVAL BASE	BERGVLIET	R50

RUNNERS NEED TO PURCHASE THEIR BUS TICKET ONLINE. NO TICKET SALES ON RACE DAY.

TRAIN SERVICE			
SERVICE	DEPART FROM	DROP-OFF	FEE
42KM	SIMON'S TOWN	CAPE TOWN	R20
21KM	SIMON'S TOWN	HEATHFIELD	R20

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

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 - Race numbers and bibs can be collected at a venue to be announced (Totalsports Tokai, Claremont, VA Waterfront, Balwin The Huntsman, Balwin Suikerbos) on Friday, 14 February 2025 from 12h00 – 17h00 and on Saturday, 15 February 2025 from 10h00 – 17h00.
- NO RACE PACK COLLECTION AT THE START.

COMPETITION RULES

- Balwin Sport Peninsula Marathon 42.2km and 21.1km races are run in accordance with the rules of ASA and WPA.
- Participants in the 21km must be 16 years of age or older on race day, and 20 years or older for the 42.2km.
- One race number (bib) will be issued. Registered athletes must wear their ASA licences on the front and back of their vest. The race number must be worn on the front of the vest, partially covering the ASA licence, so that the ASA licence sponsor remains visible.
- A disposable timing chip will be attached to your race number. Please do not tamper with either the chip or the foam backing. Ensure that the chip is not folded or covered by clothing or straps. No chip, no time. For safety and awards purposes, ONLY the person assigned to this race number may use it. For all timing or result queries please email raceoffice@celticcharriers.co.za
- Temporary licenced runners must wear the race number on the front of their vest and the temporary licence on the back.
- Temporary licence holders when registering must complete and hand in the tear off strip from the number to be eligible to compete.
- Licensed athletes should wear club colours.
- Temporary licenced athletes must run in clothing without advertising.
- Age category tags must be worn (front and back) and visible for the entire race to be eligible for any age category prize.
- Runners will be guided into their designated seeding pens at the respective start areas. Please ensure you start in the pen assigned to you, based on the qualifying time you submitted.

- CUT-OFF TIMES:**
42KM Cut-off Times
21KM – 08h15
33KM – 10h00
Finish – 11h15
21KM Cut-off Times
10KM – 09h00
Finish – 11h00
- Prize-giving will be between 10:30am and 11:00am for the 21KM and 42.2KM.
- Do not litter. Dispose of sachets and cups responsibly by using the boxes provided or carrying them to the finish. Report offenders to the referees. #RunClean.
- The use of music players with headphones is not allowed and may result in disqualification.
- Detailed rules are available on www.wpa.org.za or on request from the organisers or the WPA office.
- Wheelchair athletes must please contact the organisers timeously to discuss arrangements for their participation.
- In addition to Overall (Open) prizes, participants will only be eligible for an age category prize in the age category they enter. Corresponding numerical age category tags must be worn on the front and back of their club vest. Participants may enter the age category corresponding to their chronological age or any younger category down to senior.
- Temporary licenced participants are eligible for age category prizes provided they enter the relevant age group, wear the appropriate age tags and provide proof of age.
- Medals will be handed to all finishers.

- Toilets will be available at the start and finish and along the route.
- A secure tog bag area will be available on race day. Please attach the tog bag strip located at the bottom of your race bib securely and ensure it is clearly visible when handing in your bag at the start. Bags can be collected at the designated area near the finish line. Kindly note that the tog bag facility is used at your own risk.
- All traffic officers and marshals to be obeyed. Although traffic officers will supervise major road intersections, entrants must be careful of traffic.
- No personal seconding will be permitted.
- There will be distance markers at each kilometre.
- Refreshment stations will be located at approximately every 3km mark.
- Bus Service – Runners can pre-purchase bus tickets via the entry platform. Runners will not be able to purchase tickets on race day.
- Train Service – Runners may pre-purchase tickets through the entry platform or at any station on race day. Each ticket is valid for unlimited travel throughout the day. For detailed schedules, please refer to the official PRASA timetable, which will be shared across our social media platforms. Social walkers are welcome.

DISCLAIMER: Participants in this event do so at their own risk and release and discharge the organisers, sponsors, provincial and national athletics bodies and all persons assisting in staging the event from any responsibility, liability or costs relating to any injury, loss or damage of whatever nature, however caused, arising directly or indirectly from their participation in the event.

EVENT CHARITY:

De Heide Children's Special Care Centre

De Heide Children's Special Care Centre is a project of the Western Cape Cerebral Palsy Association. Located in Claremont, the NGO provides specialized day care and support for children and youth under 21 with profound disabilities, including cerebral palsy. Despite a proud legacy spanning over 40 years, De Heide continues to face daily challenges in delivering quality care to a deeply vulnerable and often-overlooked community. Maintaining essential services such as transport and therapeutic support requires ongoing effort and resources, especially in the face of rising costs and limited funding. Your donation will help cover critical needs like therapy equipment, nutritious meals, and the salaries of specialist caregivers thus ensuring these children continue to receive the care they deserve.



PRIZE MONEY REGISTRATION:

MEN & WOMEN			
42KM			
CAT	1	2	3
OPEN	R12 000	R8000	R5000
40-49	R3000	R2500	R2000
50-59	R2500	R2000	R1200
60-69	R2500	R2000	R1200
70+	R2500	R2000	R1200
21KM			
CAT	1	2	3
OPEN	R8 000	R5000	R3000
40-49	R2000	R1500	R1000
50-59	R1500	R1000	R750
60-69	R1500	R1000	R750
70+	R1500	R1000	R750

Date	Time	Venue
Fri - 13 Feb 2026	10h00-17h00	TOTALSPORTS AND BALWIN DEVELOPMENTS *TOTALSPORTS WATERFRONT *TOTALSPORTS TOKAI *TOTALSPORTS CAVENDISH BALWIN DEVELOPMENTS: *THE HUNTSMAN *SUIKERBOS
Sat – 14 Feb 2026	10h00 – 17h00	

FREE RACE SHIRTS

Free Race Shirts will be given to the first 2000 Entries across the 42km and 21km Races.

