



BASES 2024

PATAGONIA RUNNIG FESTIVAL

PATAGONIA RUNNING FESTIVAL PARQUE NACIONAL

UE NACIONAL TORRES DEL PAINE PATAGONIA RUNNING FESTIVAL



TORRES DEL PAINE PATAGONIA RUNNING FESTIVAL PARQUE NACIO

Produce



THE MASSIF

Auspicia

río serrano
hotel + spa



MARATHON
TOURS & TRAVEL

PATAGONIA RUNNIG FESTIVAL

It is a sports and experiential event, in the heart of Torres del Paine National Park, that invites you to run amidst the imposing natural landscapes offered by the 8th wonder of the modern world. The wind, fauna, and surroundings open your senses to enjoy a unique sporting experience on foot

Event Name: Patagonia Running Festival

Slogan: Face The Unpredictable

Competition Date: September 21, 2024 (fourth edition)

Location: Torres del Paine National Park, in Chilean Patagonia.

Distances: 5K - 11K (11.500 mts) - 21K (20.700 mts) - 42K - 50K.

Participants: 300 corredores.

Event Type: Running

Limited registration values and slots for each distance..

- **5k** : 30 slots
- **11k**: 110 slots
- **21k**: 110 slots
- **42k**: 30 slots
- **50k**: 20 slots

*The organization reserves the right to modify the number of slots for each distance.

Registration opening date: Tuesday, February 27, 2024, 12:00 PM.

What the registration includes:

- Runner number and chip
- Sublimated technical shirt
- Technical bag
- Gear check tag
- Access to Torres del Paine National Park on the day of the competition.
- Sponsor gifts
- Access to the festival and recovery area
- Buses to the starting point of the chosen category (round trip):
From the main square of Puerto Natales or Hotel Rio Serrano & Spa.

COMPETITION KIT PICK-UP

The delivery of the kit and accreditation for the race will take place on Friday, September 20, 2024, location and time to be confirmed.

Some important points when picking up your competition kit:

You must present your ID card along with the Eventrid QR code.

During the competition kit pickup, you will find our information team who can guide you with any questions you may have during your stay in the region.



BASES 2024 PATAGONIA RUNNIG FESTIVAL

START

Each runner may carry with them whatever they consider necessary for the course. However, the following is recommended:

- Trail running or mountain running shoes
- Hydration accessory
- Sunglasses
- Sunscreen
- Runner's kit bag with wardrobe tag

Other items to consider:

- The official runner's number must be visible at all times, as it is the only means of identification on the route.

STARTS

To provide maximum safety to participants throughout the course, vehicles will be strategically placed along the route. In case of any difficulty in following the route or needing assistance, participants can approach these vehicles. Restrooms will be available at each starting point. While running, logistical or park access vehicles may pass by. In such cases, runners must always stay on the right side of the road.

Start times for each distance will be confirmed one month before the race.

The runner's guide will be updated periodically with more information on how we will implement new measures to ensure the safe delivery of all event services. The safety and health of our runners are always our top priority. We will notify updates to our PATAGONIA RUNNING FESTIVAL 2024 runner's guide via email and/or social media.

FINISH LINE

The finish line of our race will take place at the Río Serrano Hotel + Spa facilities, which offer the following services:

- Free showers for all runners (includes towel, shampoo, and soap), located outside the hotel.
- Recovery meals.
- Restrooms.
- Outdoor clothing and accessories store.
- Food and beverage service. To use the shower and food services, the runner must present their runner number. The organization's staff will disinfect the showers after each use, and the food service will be delivered to the runner.

RETURN BUSES

Starting at approximately 2:30 PM, buses will be available from Río Serrano Hotel + Spa to Puerto Natales. Once the bus reaches its maximum capacity, it will depart towards the main square. The end time will be at 6:00 PM, with the last bus departing for the city of Puerto Natales (exact times to be confirmed).



HOW TO GET THERE

PUNTA ARENAS

One of the most important cities in southern Chile, and the gateway to the Austral Region, also known as the "End of the World." The most direct way to reach Punta Arenas is from the capital of Chile, Santiago, by a flight covering 2,190 kilometers. The journey takes approximately 3 and a half hours on a direct flight and 4 hours and 45 minutes with a stop in Puerto Montt.

PUERTO NATALES

There are two ways to reach the provincial capital of Last Hope, as Puerto Natales has an airport. Flight frequencies can be checked from Santiago de Chile, Puerto Montt, or Punta Arenas. Another option is by land, where you must take Route 9 North from Punta Arenas to Puerto Natales, covering a distance of 247 km. By bus, you can also arrive in Puerto Natales through two regular bus lines that travel from Punta Arenas to Puerto Natales. This bus journey takes approximately 3 hours.

Here are the contacts for the regional companies that provide this transfer: www.busesfernandez.com / www.bussur.com

TRANSPORT PUERTO NATALES - STARTING POINTS

Transportation to the starting points from Puerto Natales and Río Serrano Hotel + Spa will be free for all registered runners. It is important to note that runners cannot use their own transportation to get to the starting points; they must use the transportation provided by the event organizers. Additionally, companions will not be admitted at the moment to minimize crowd gatherings.

Buses and departure times:

50k: 05:15 hrs.
42k: 05:15 hrs.
21k: 06:00 hrs.
10k: 06:00 hrs.
5k: 07:30 hrs

Runners taking the bus from Plaza de Armas "Arturo Prat" in Puerto Natales should be there 30 minutes before the buses depart to expedite runner check-in..

For those staying in Villa Río Serrano, the meeting point is Río Serrano Hotel + Spa, and the departure times are as follows:

50k: 06:00 hrs.
42k: 06:00 hrs.
21k: 07:15 hrs.
10k: 08:00 hrs.

**The 5k starts its route from the same hotel. Runners taking the bus from Río Serrano Hotel + Spa should be there 30 minutes before the scheduled departure time. This guide will be periodically updated with more information about the event.*



CATEGORIES

The race will be organized into categories for both women and men, who will be grouped into age range categories (age as of the event date) for the distances of 5K-10K – 21K – 42K – 50K.

- 18 to 29 years (includes participants under 18 in the 10 Km).
- 30 to 39 years.
- 40 to 49 years.
- 50 to 59 years.
- 60 to 69 years.
- 70 years and older.

Regarding age minimums and categories:

- The minimum age for the 42k-50k event is 18 years (as of the event date).
- The minimum age for the 10k-21k event is 16 years (as of the event date).
- The minimum age for the 5k event is 14 years (as of the event date).

AWARDS

The award ceremony will begin at 14:00 hrs. Only participants who complete the entire distance within the established maximum time (6 hours) will receive a "Patagonia Running Festival Finisher" medal.

Distinctive medals will be awarded to the top three finishers in each category, by distance and gender. Additionally, the winner of each distance will be rewarded with a stay at Río Serrano Hotel + Spa in an all-inclusive program (number of nights to be confirmed by the organization).

WARDROBE SERVICE

The organization will provide a wardrobe service at each starting point, considering the following points:

- Only bags that are correctly labeled with the official event sticker, providing necessary information for retrieval at the finish line, will be accepted.
- A registration mark will be made on the runner's number for those choosing to leave a wardrobe bag.
- The wardrobe bag label will have the runner's number.
- The wardrobe bag will be the same one provided as the runner's kit; if you want this service, remember to bring the bag to the starting point. The bag dimensions will be approximately 40 x 60 cm.
- At the finish line, the runner can claim their bag by presenting their runner's number.

ABOUT THE MASSIF

This running event is organized by The Massif®, a Magellan family-owned company that recognizes the natural heritage and value of Torres del Paine. Their work is motivated by principles of nature care and conservation, safety and risk management, as well as the development of the local community.



ENVIRONMENTAL CARE

In addition, the Patagonia Running Festival has successfully collaborated with the global environmental conservation organization "Leave No Trace," where we share values of protecting the environment in which we will immerse ourselves, enjoying the challenge responsibly, leaving the least possible impact, and reinforcing one of the fundamental pillars of the organization: the care and conservation of nature. The park is the Eighth Wonder of the Modern World, a world-class nature destination with an extremely unpredictable climate. However, for the month of October, we hope that the park's microclimate surprises us with spring-like weather and possible gusts of wind. Come and discover it with us!

- It is strictly prohibited to leave any type of waste (papers, organic waste, gel containers, etc.) during the course.
- Trash containers will be available at each aid station.
- All participants must carry their waste and dispose of it in the aforementioned containers.
- It is mandatory to follow the route marked by the event organizers. Straying from the trail causes soil erosion in the Torres del Paine National Park.
- To reduce plastic consumption, no disposable items such as plates, utensils, or cups will be distributed along the course.



LIABILITY RELEASE.

Each runner or participant, hereinafter the "Participant," declares and warrants that:

- A. They have full physical and psychological capacity to understand and voluntarily accept the terms stated in this document. They are medically fit, both physically and mentally, and adequately trained for the activities during the "PATAGONIA RUNNING FESTIVAL 2024" competition. The Participant commits to accepting any decision by a competition judge regarding their ability to safely complete the race.
- B. They acknowledge that participating in the "PATAGONIA RUNNING FESTIVAL 2024" is a potentially dangerous activity and assume all risks associated with it, including, but not limited to, falls, injuries, illnesses, contact with other participants, weather conditions, temperature and/or humidity, vehicular traffic, and road conditions – all known and previously appreciated risks by the Participant.
- C. They will engage in activities related to the competition voluntarily and at their own exclusive risk, assuming sole responsibility for their activities, belongings, health, and physical and/or psychological integrity. The Participant releases and expressly waives any claims against the organization, organizers, The Massif, sponsors, municipalities, institutions, sponsors, and any other company or person related to the competition; volunteers; government institutions; and their representatives and/or successors, regarding any damages, including but not limited to physical, moral, material, theft, loss, or of any kind, that they may suffer in person or to their property before, during, or after the activities related to the competition.
- D. They understand the magnitude of the event and, to preserve participant safety, acknowledge the strict prohibition of support bicycles during the course, as well as any other type of vehicle, except those provided by the organization.

The organization is authorized to remove individuals who do not comply with this condition and jeopardize the safety of runners or themselves.

Authorization and Assignment of Image and Voice Rights

The Participant expressly authorizes the organizers and/or sponsors of the competition to use any means of recording the event, take photographs and images of them and/or their family members, and/or film them, record their voices, sounds, conversations, and/or testimonials once they register for the competition. The mentioned entities are allowed to give such images and sounds any legitimate use. Additionally, the Participant expressly authorizes the organizers, The Massif, sponsors, municipalities, institutions, sponsors, or others related to disseminate their personal and/or biographical data in relation to the competition.

The Participant, in this act, freely and irrevocably assigns to the organizers and/or sponsors their rights to image, name, and voice for free and unlimited use by them in all media, including the internet, once they register for the competition and/or participate in it, without any obligation on their part to make any payment or compensation.

The Participant acknowledges that the material obtained is the property of the organizers, sponsors, and/or sponsors, and this authorization will not expire over time. All photographs, images, or sounds of any kind obtained during the competition, as well as the personal and biographical data of the Participant, may be used at any time, and the organizers, sponsors, and/or sponsors may even transfer them to third parties, even after the competition ends.



The Participant understands that this is an important legal document related to their participation in the competition, and by signing this document, they are expressly waiving any claims and/or demands against the organization, organizers, The Massif, sponsors, municipalities, institutions, sponsors, or other companies or individuals related to the competition, in relation to the competition, the rights assignment made herein, and/or the use of their images, voice, sounds, and personal data, among others.

The undersigned of this document declares to have read, understood, analyzed, and accepted each and every condition established in this document regarding the registration and participation in the "PATAGONIA RUNNING FESTIVAL 2024" event.

At the time of registration, you declare to be aware of all these points mentioned in the regulations and of any changes the organization may make to them. The organization reserves the right to modify these competition regulations and admission to the sports event at any time.

PARTICIPANT'S NAME, AGE, AND
DATE OF BIRTH.

SIGNATURE OF PARENT/GUARDIAN
OF THE PARTICIPANT UNDERAGE,
DATE, PRINTED NAME OF
PARENT/GUARDIAN.





BASES 2024

PATAGONIA RUNNING FESTIVAL

PATAGONIA RUNNING FESTIVAL PARQUE NACIONAL

PARQUE NACIONAL TORRES DEL PAINE PATAGONIA RUNNING FESTIVAL



TORRES DEL PAINE PATAGONIA RUNNING FESTIVAL PARQUE NACIONAL

Produces



THE MASSIF

Sponsor

río serrano
hotel + spa



MARATHON
TOURS & TRAVEL