

• • • Around KAWAGUCHIKO (Approximately 29km) Race Guide • • • Thank you for your interest in the 12nd Mt. Fuji International Marathon.

Please read it thoroughly. We are looking forward to your participation.

Official Web site https://mtfujimarathon.com/english/



Mayor of Fujikawaguchiko Town Kikuo Watanabe



Hello, Participants of Mt. FUJI International Marathon 2023. Welcome to Fujikawaguchi-ko Town. On behalf of our citizens, I would like to extend a heartfelt welcome to all of you.

In May of this year, Japan's Ministry of Health, Labour and Welfare downgraded the classification of COVID-19 to "Category 5 Infectious Diseases." I want to express my heartfelt gratitude to all the runners, cooperating organizations, many volunteers, and staff involved in the event to be able to organize this event at this time, as there are signs of regional economic revival. This event is only possible with all of you and your understanding and cooperation.

This year, not only is the 20th anniversary of Fujikawaguchiko Town's establishment as a town, but also the 10th anniversary of Mt. Fuji being registered as a World Cultural Heritage Site. To mark this memorable milestone, our town held a drone show for the first time in Yamanashi Prefecture using 400 drones in June. Starting with this as a turning point, the town's residents and tourism parties are working together on events such as the town-famous herb festival and Kawaguchiko Lake Festival, as well as various sports competitions, including the Mt. FUJI Marathon, which we hope will serve as a stepping stone to tourism recovery since the downfall due to COVID-19.

The Mt. FUJI Marathon has received great acclaim from runners in Japan and overseas. However, this time, we have taken a new approach and created a new course around Lake Kawaguchiko so that even more marathon fans can enjoy it. We are working to create an event in which it is easy for anyone to participate.

This fall's Mt. FUJI Marathon is in the perfect season, with the leaves from autumn remaining. We hope the beautiful scenery and joy and excitement of running will be etched in the hearts of runners, and you will take every opportunity to visit our town.

In closing, I wish all the runners participating in the Mt. FUJI International Marathon 2023 a successful completion.



Aakoto Takada



Thank you for participating in the Mt. FUJI International Marathon 2023. I want to extend a warm welcome on behalf of all the organizers. In 2012, the Kawaguchiko Nikkan Sports Marathon, which celebrated its 36th history, changed its name to the Mt.FUJI International Marathon. We started with a new goal of being "the world's best resort entertainment marathon," with outstanding scenery and entertainment and becoming a tourist destination internationally, different from urban marathons. Runners are welcomed again this year with a course around Lake Kawaguchiko and Lake Saiko, a part of the World Heritage Site. In the past, the Mt.FUJI International Marathon was named "the world's most beautiful course" by the Berlin Marathon staff. Together Mt. Fuji, Lake Kawaguchiko, and Lake Saiko show a magnificent view, popular with overseas runners. Please enjoy the majestic scenery to your heart's content.

This year's event has received entries from many overseas runners, and the pre-COVID-19 spirit has returned! We will continue putting athletes first and devote ourselves to creating a safe and secure tournament. In addition to the Full Marathon and Charity Fun Run, a new 29km lap course around Lake Kawaguchiko was established this year to encourage participants to choose the Mt. FUJI Marathon from among the many available marathons. We have scheduled a Welcome Walk the day before the marathon to ensure all participants have the best day in Fujikawaguchiko Town.

Last but not least, I would like to thank the town of Fujikawaguchiko for their thorough preparation and cooperation in hosting this event, the Yamanashi Athletics Association for directing the event, the Fujiyoshida Police Station for their guidance on traffic supervision, and the Fujikawaguchiko fire department for emergency care. In addition, I would like to extend my sincere gratitude to the sponsoring companies and organizations for their support and a big thank you to all the participating runners.





This early winter, the "Mt. Fuji Marathon" can be held once again at the northern foot of Mt. Fuji. Thank you for your support and cooperation.

This 12nd Marathon will begin with a change from the traditional Kawaguchiko Nikkan Sports Marathon. The Full Marathon (42.195km) overlooks the majestic mountain body of Mt. Fuji, a World Cultural Heritage site. It circles Lake Kawaguchiko and Lake Saiko, which are constituent assets of the mountain, and is certified by the Japan Association of Athletics Federations.

With its beautiful scenery, the Full Marathon and Charity Fun Run, (approximately 11 km) for those aged 12 and over, have received high praise and entries from all over Japan. This year, we have also created a new 29km course that goes "Around KAWAGUCHIKO". Since Mt. Fuji was registered as a World Heritage Site, the event has become even more popular, becoming one of the most popular marathons with runners from around the world.

We hope that by participating in the competition, you will experience the beauty of Mt. Fuji and its surroundings and raise awareness of nature and landscape conservation. Furthermore, I hope that every one of you will achieve your goals, such as finishing the race and breaking your records.

It has been 10 years since Mt. Fuji was registered as a World Cultural Heritage Site. At the event, each participant in the charity fun run will donate 223 yen to the Mt. Fuji Environmental Conservation Activities Fund. By participating in the race, runners also have the opportunity to experience the world-class sacred mountain and the charm of the two constituent lakes, and to once again raise their awareness of nature conservation and landscape conservation.

I would appreciate it if you could do that too. In closing, I would like to express my sincere gratitude to all related organizations and people involved, including Fujikawaguchiko Town, for their tremendous efforts.



Time Schedule

November 25 (Saturday)	November 26 (Sunday)			
12:00 am Runner registration (BIB and Participation prize pick up) (until 7:00 pm) (Funatsuhama Hirahama Venue)	7:00 am Venue Open ①Race-day runner registration (until 8:30 am) ②Baggage drop-off opens (until 8:30 am full			
2:00 pm Sonic Welcome Walking Start (Funatsuhama Hirahama Venue)	marathon *Times are strictly observed .			
3:00 pm Runners welcoming ceremony	8:15 am Traffic restrictions begin			
(Funatsuhama Hirahama Venue)	8:45 am Opening ceremony			
7:00 pm Runner registration(END)	9:00 am Start (Funatsuhama Hirahama Venue)			
	12:45 am Awards ceremony (Funatsuhama Hirahama Venue)			
	3:00 pm Race end			
	4:00 pm Baggage pick-up closes			
	4:30 pm Shuttle bus to the parking lot closes			
	5:00 pm Venue closes			

Please help us reuse a safety pin to attach the BIB

The Mt. Fuji International Marathon to protect the environment around Mt. Fuji with the goal of not generating unnecessary garbage. If runners no longer need their safety pins after a run, please return them to the recycling box. We will be reusing safety pins.

Confirmation and Preparation

Runner registration

* One the race day. If you lost or forgotten your BIB card or the timing chip, we will reissue the one at "BIB Card/Chip information Center" for a fee. BIB card : 1,000 Yen, timing chip: 1,000 Yen, BIB card and timing chip : 2,000 Yen. The BIB Card/Chip information Center is located in the full marathon main event

Contact

spaces (Funatsuhama Hirahama) on both Nov 25 and 26.

Information on the race

Fujisan Marathon organizer

To November 24

info-english@mtfujimarathon.com

November 25 1:00 pm - 7:00 pm TEL.0555-72-4911 November 26 6:00 am - 4:00 pm

For details, please see the Fujisan International Marathon official Website

https://mtfujimarathon.com/english/





Process of participating in Around KAWAGUCHIKO





Access (KAWAGUCHIKO Station to Race Vanue)





For RUNNET GLOBAL entry only **Parking/Shuttle Bus Information**

Parking lot can only be used by those who applied in advance. If you are not requested a parking space, please use public transportation.



Fujisan Parking

5597-84 Kamiyoshida, Kenmarubi, Fujiyoshida-shi, Yamanashi, 403-0005

* Shuttle bus to the venue will be operated at any time from each parking lot except Kawaguchiko Minami JHS. * Please come to the venue on foot from Kawaguchiko Minami JHS.



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Around KAWAGUCHIKO Main Venue (Lake Kawaguchi Shore, Funatsu / Hirahama Area) **Participation Prize Reception** Race day: 7:00 pm - 7:00 pm Race day: 7:00 am - 8:30 am



Around KAWAGUCHIKO Main Venue (Lake Kawaguchi Shore, Funatsu / Hirahama Area) Changing Clothes, Toilets, Baggage Drop-Off Morning



KAWA





	5km	10km	15km	20km	25km
950m		河口湖エリア Lak	e Kawaguchiko		
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850m				みじトンネル lomiji Tunnel	
800m	富士山眺望エリア Mt.Fuji View Point	河口湖大橋 Kawaguchiko Bridge	富士山絶景エリ Mt.Fuji View Po	メチャン リア pint	八木崎公園 Yagizaki Park

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Station	Front of Yamanashi Chuo Bank	Fuji Omuro Sengenjinjya Parking	Hoto Labo.	Front of Tozawa Campsite	Front of Nagahama Fishing Club	Oku Kawaguchiko Marine	Fuji Omuro Sengenjinja Parking
Distance	6.1km	9.5 km	13.6km	16.5km	21.4 km	22.8km	26.0km
Water	Sports drink only	Water Sports drink	Water Sports drink	Water Sports drink	Water Sports drink	Water Sports drink	Water Sports drink
Food		Bananas Yamanashi specialty Products フジパン Bread	Bananas Chocolate etc.	Energy jelly	Yamanashi specialty Products Bananas	Yamanashi specialty Products Bananas Chocolate	Chocolate Sweets フジパン Bread

*Quantities are limited

*Food selection on race day is subject to change.

*All water stations are equipped with trach cans; please properly dispose of your trash in the trash cans there *There is no reception for special drinks at this event.





Distance Markers

Distance markers are located in 1 km intervals from start to 21km.

Timing Points

Timing mats are placed 5km, 10km, 15km, 20km and at the halfway point as a means of recording runners' times. They are placed so that you will pass over them naturally as you run the designated course. Failure to pass over the mats may result in failure to record your time and lead to disqualification. Those who drop out before finishing are asked to exit the course without passing the finishing area(goal line).

Toilets

There are portable toilets as well as private toilets in the venue area. Please use your best manners when using the toilets.

Time Limit

6 hours (until 3:00 pm)

*In order to prevent accidents, runners are prohibited from running on the course after the end of the race. Race time will not be extended in accordance with any runner's net time (time that compensates for the difference between the start time and the time which the runner crosses the starting line).

*The time limit is set based on the gross time (time from the firing of the starting gun).

Checkpoint Times

①Kawaguchiko Ohashi Bridge (South)

Katsuyama Roadside Station

24.5 km point 2:24 pm In order to prevent risk and ensure the safety of runners, checkpoints are located at the locations listed above.

- Runners who remain on the course after the checkpoint closing times are asked to either board the bus at the next checkpoint or the collection bus at the end of the runners' line. Runners who board the bus will be let off at the runner bus drop-off area (see p.8) located at the Full Marathon Main Event Space.
- Even before the checkpoint closing time, if you have been deemed clearly unable to proceed to the next checkpoint by judges or medical staff, you will be directed to withdraw from the race.
- •The number cards of runners unable to pass through the checkpoints will be collected. Please follow the instructions of the judges. You will be allowed to take your timing chip home with you.

Dropping Out

If you wish to withdraw from the race, please raise your hand and notify nearby staff.

•Traffic restrictions will be lifted for parts of the course in accordance with the of each checkpoint and a collection bus will be put into operation. If this bus catches up to you, you will be considered withdrawn (disqualified) from the race. At that time, please board the bus immediately.





The official results of higher-ranking runners will be posted in front of the award reception booth.

Location: Lake Kawaguchi Shore Hirahama Stage

Information for Award Recipients			
Category	Ceremony Time		
General Runners			
Men 1st – 3rd place	12:45 pm		
Women 1st – 3rd place	1:00 pm		

*Please report to the award reception booth 10 minutes before the start of the ceremony.

*The ceremony will begin even if all the award recipients are not present. In that event, the awards, etc. will be given to the recipient after the conclusion of the ceremony or shipped to the recipient at a later date.



Race Day (Nov 26) Train Timetable Information (excerpt)

Approx. 65-min via JR Chuo Line Limited Express from Shinkuju to Otsuki Sta. At Otsuki, transfer to the Fuji Kyuko Line Limited Express, approx. 45-min to Kawaguchiko Sta. Get off at Kawaguchiko Sta. 10-min walk to marathon event area from Kawaguchiko Sta.

Accessible from central Tokyo via JR East, transferring to the Fuji Kyuko Line.

Train timetable for coming to Mt.Fuji International Marathon (24h) (as of November 2023)

Regularly- scheduled	Dep. Tokyo 4:59 → Dep. Takao 6:14 → Arr. at Otsuki 6:51 / Dep. Otsuki 7:03 → Arr. at Kawaguchiko 7:58	special train services connecting the Shinjuku/Tama area with Kawaguchiko for the 7-th Fujisan Marathon. For more
trains	Dep. Tokyo 5:59 → Dep. Takao 6:42 → Arr. at Otsuki 7:19 / Dep. Otsuki 7:24 → Arr. at Kawaguchiko 8:19	information, please consult "JR train timetables", ask station staff at JR East train stations, or call Fuji Kyuko Mt. Fuji Sta. (TEL: 0555-22-7133)

Additional trains	Train Name	Departure Sta. / Time (24h)	Arrival Sta. / Time (24h)	Seating
scheduled for Fuiisan Marathon	Rapid Fujikaiyu No.89	Shinjuku 5:21	Kawaguchiko 7:15	Reserved seating in all cars

Returning train timetable (24h)

Departure Station/Time
Kawaguchiko 1:13 pm
Kawaguchiko 1:28 pm
Kawaguchiko 2:01 pm
Kawaguchiko 2:19 pm
Kawaguchiko 3:03 pm
Kawaguchiko 3:20 pm
Kawaguchiko 3:50 pm
Kawaguchiko 4:25 pm
Kawaguchiko 4:51 pm
Kawaguchiko 5:03 pm
Kawaguchiko 5:36 pm

Riding the "Express Train" requires the purchase of a limited express ticket in addition to the standard passenger ticket. (except between Kawaguchiko and Mt. Fuji Sta.) The "Fuji Tozan Densha" is all-reserved seating reservation required. All sections require an additional ¥200 (adults/ children) seating ticket. In the event that it is fully booked, you will be unable to purchase a ticket to board this train. Thank you for your understanding.

[Notes]

• Train delays on race day may make it unable for you to make your predetermined transfer. • In the event that the race is cancelled and train services are still operational, there will be a

event of full booking, etc.

JR East and Fuii Kyuko will operate

Reserved seating tickets can be purchased from 10:00 am on the day one month prior to the boarding date at JR station ticket offices, major

travel companies, "reserved seating ticket vending

All seats are reserved for Limited Express

Pre-reservation for Shinkansen and limited express

boarding date. (free registration: www.eki-net.com)

Even in the event of pre-reservation, the actual sale

date of the tickets is one month prior to the boarding

date at 10:00 am. Tickets may not be available in the

train reserved seating tickets on JR lines nation-

"Eki-net" one month and one week prior to the

wide (with some exceptions) is possible via

machines", or the "Eki-net" website.

"Eki-net" is useful for reservations!

Fujisan Marathon.

cancellation fee predetermined by JR charged when refunding the cost of your reserved seating ticket. Thank you for your understanding.

• Significant timetable delays may occur due to operation status, etc. on race day. Please note that this may cause you to miss the start of the race.

Runner Tracking (Runners Update Service) (Japanese language only)

This service, available on the official event website (PC/smartphone/mobile phone) allows you to search by name or number to follow a runner's progress, with updates in 5 km intervals and at the halfway point.

* This time is for tracking purposes and is not an official record.

This service allows supporters to follow participants' progress.

PC/Smartphone

1 Support Navi

2 First- and last-place time information can be found here:



https://mtfujimarathon.com/english * This service is only available on PCs and smartphones



Get essential items for runners at the Sports Depot booth!

"Sports Depo" is waiting for runners with a wide selection of essential items for marathons.



At the "Sports Depo" booth, we have everything you need before running, such as taping, socks, and caps.

We also have a wide variety of cold weather items such as run gloves, neck covers, and windbreakers, so you can take precautions against the cold before heading out!

Why not come and check it out?

Additionally, we also have the "Amino Vital® Marathon

Completion Set,"which is essential for runners.

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https://store.alpen-group.jp/

Get your favorite items and make the Mt. Fuji Marathon the best race!



Only for RUNNET GLOBAL entry runners and participants for Tour Package C.

Pre-registration will be held from November 23rd (Thursday) to 24th (Friday) at Alpen TOKYO (Shinjuku ku, Tokyo), the flagship sports store of the Alpen Group.

We will provide hospitality by setting up a base in Shinjuku, which is also the

gateway to the event venue, Lake Fuji Kawaguchi, for participants from overseas.



Alpen TOKYO (Shinjuku-ku,Tokyo)

HUAWEI WATCH

HUAWEI Japan announced the "HUAWEI WATCH GT 4", a new running watch with a gorgeous new design and powerful performance, And we're honored to have Sir Mo Farah as our ambassador. You'll be able to experience this amazing new product at HUAWEI's booth at the exhibition from November 25th through November 26th(Marathon opening day)!

In addition, HUAWEI S-TAG will also be featured in the exhibition.

This is a Professional motion sensor that can be worn on the body to help users get 13 running posture indicators.



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"Amino Vital®" supports the Mt. Fuji International Marathon!

We offer the "Amino Vital[®] Series" including "Amino Vital[®] Pro", an amino acid that supports race day conditions, before the start and after the race! Additionally, to support runners during the race, special sales will be held at the booth the day before and on the day of the race.





From the All Sports Community Notice of photo sales service on the day!



From the start to the finish of the 12th Mt. Fuji International Marathon. A professional photographer from the all-sports community will take pictures of you running! Photos can be viewed and purchased online at a later date.

> If you would like to receive an email notification of photo release after the race, click here! URL:https://allsports.jp/event/01262683.html







Coke for sports? This is the **new normal** for athletes

The birth of Athlete Cola!

A cola suitable for endurance sports Contains palatinose for efficient sugar intake, and Endurance type that is gentle on the body and made with naturally derived ingredients It's cola. Please come visit our booth.



Speaking of taping, it's Pro Fit! We will support your completion!

At Pro Fit Booth, we are offering a free taping service to suit your concerns! Taping will support your anxious body during the latter half of the race. If you are interested, please stop by our booth.



Use the hashtags #Fujisan Marathon and #fuji42 to spread the word about the Fujisan Marathon! Let's get it trending!





Self check sheet for physical condition

(No obligation to submit)

Please note that those with a body temperature of 37.5°C or higher on the day of the event will not be able to participate.

If any of the following items apply to you, please let us know whether you can participate in the tournament or not. Please consult your physician.

- □ Have been diagnosed with heart disease (myocardial infarction, angina pectoris, cardiomyopathy, valvular disease, arrhythmia, etc.)
- □ Have you ever suddenly lost consciousness?
- □ I have a blood relative who died suddenly from what is called "heart paralysis."
- ☐ You have not had a health checkup for over a year.

The following items are risk factors that increase the risk of myocardial infarction and angina pectoris.

If there are any applicable items, please consult your doctor to stabilize your condition before participating in the race.

- High blood pressure (hypertension)
- ☐ High blood sugar level (diabetes)
- High cholesterol and triglycerides (hyperlipidemia)
- Smoking cigarettes

Just before the race Self-check items

Please check the following items. If you can't check everything, please pace Dropping, or the dead weight of the lace itself is required.

Self-management is essential to avoid trouble.

If you feel unwell, please stop by a first aid station, speak to the first aid staff, or take the necessary precautions. Please be mindful of abstaining.

- \Box My body temperature in the morning was normal.
- \Box I had breakfast before 6 a.m.
- \Box I hydrated 30 minutes to 1 hour before the start.
- \Box I did not drink alcohol the day before.
- \Box I got enough sleep the night before.
- \Box I have a strong desire to run.
- \Box I don't have diarrhea.
- \Box I don't have a headache.
- □ No joint pain
- \Box I did a thorough warm-up and stretching.