

## **PROCLAMATION**

### *7<sup>th</sup> Olympia Marathon*

The association "Olympia Marathon" organizes on March 25 & 26, 2023 the **7<sup>th</sup> Olympia Marathon**, in co-organization with the Region of Western Greece and AS Korivos Amaliada. The event is under the auspices and support of the Municipalities of Ilida, Pyrgos and Ancient Olympia.

The purpose of the event is to give the opportunity to the runners of our country and abroad, to compete in a marathon distance in the place where the Olympic Ideals were born, connecting two of the highest values of Greek Culture, those of the Olympic Spirit and the Marathon.

In parallel with the races, many cultural events will take place in which the local community of the prefecture of Ilia will have an active role, aiming at promoting and highlighting the region at all levels.

## **MARATHON**

### **Amaliada - Ancient Olympia**

#### **Specifications**

- Distance: 42,195 m.
- Date: Sunday 26 March
- Start: Amaliada (Agiou Athanasiou Square)
- Finish: Ancient Olympia
- Start time: 8:30 a.m.
- Time limit: 6 hours

#### **Description of the route**

The route starts from the square of Ag. Athanasiou in Amaliada and specifically on Ermou Street to head to Pyrgos and then to Ancient Olympia via the EO Pyrgos Arch. Olympias in order to reach at the Town Hall of Ancient Olympia.

#### **Eligibility**

Eligible to participate are men and women who have reached the age of 18, who fully and unreservedly accept the terms of participation in the event and will run at their own risk, while they must have recently undergone medical

examinations, so that their ability has been confirmed to take part in long-distance races.

### **Registration period - Receipt of participation package**

The deadline for registrations is Monday, March 20, for both individual and group registrations. By that time, the payment of the participation fee must have been made.

The receipt of the participation package will take place at the building of the Region in Pyrgos on Friday 24 and Saturday 25 March.

**The receipt of the participation package will be done strictly** with the demonstration of the following:

- Email with the participation number
- Identity card or passport

### **Prizes - Awards**

There will be awards with special prizes for the first 3 winners of the general ranking and also in all age categories every 5 years. All runners will have the opportunity to find out their position in the general classification in their gender as well as their age category as soon as the race is over on myrace.gr.

All those who finish will receive the commemorative medal of the race and will have the possibility to electronically print the commemorative certificate of participation.

### **Race Pack**

#### **1. Simple package**

All participants of the race, regardless of the package they choose will receive the following:

- BIB number with timing chip and pins
- Backpack for placing any personal belongings
- Commemorative medal
- Water supply and fruit at the finish
- Ability to print a commemorative diploma with its name and performance
- Health coverage
- Transfer to the starting point from Pyrgos and Ancient Olympia to Iliada (Amaliada).

Note: The organizers must have been informed at the time of registration.

## **2. Full package**

The complete package also includes the commemorative technical t-shirt of the race.

### **Special price for early registration until March 3:**

- Simple package: 17 €
- Full package: 23 €

### **Participation fee**

The cost of participation is as follows:

- Simple package: 22 €
- Full package: 28 €

## **Half Marathon**

### **Pyrgos - Ancient Olympia**

The second most important race of the program, starting in Pyrgos and finishing in Ancient Olympia, will give the opportunity to everyone who want to participate and are used to run on a regular basis but are not yet able to finish in a marathon.

### **Specifications**

- Distance: 21.098 km.
- Date: Sunday 26 March
- Start: Central Square of Pyrgos
- Finish: Ancient Olympia
- Start time: 8:30 a.m.
- Time limit: 3 hours

### **Route description**

Starting from Ermou Str. and continuing from Olympion Str., the route is directed to Ancient Olympia through the Pyrgos-Ancient Olympia National Road in order to reach Ancient Olympia.

## **Eligibility**

Eligible to participate are men and women who have reached the age of 18, who fully and unreservedly accept the terms of participation in the event and will run at their own risk, while they must have recently undergone medical examinations, so that their ability has been confirmed to take part in long-distance races.

## **Registration period - Receipt of participation package**

The deadline for registrations is Monday, March 20, for both individual and group registrations. By that time, the payment of the participation fee must have been made.

The receipt of the participation package will take place at the building of the Region in Pyrgos on Friday 24 and Saturday 25 March.

**The receipt of the participation package will be done strictly** with the demonstration of the following:

- Email with the participation number
- Identity card or passport

## **Prizes - Awards**

There will be awards with special prizes for the first 3 winners of the general ranking and also in all age categories every 5 years. All runners will have the opportunity to find out their position in the general classification in their gender as well as their age category as soon as the race is over on myrace.gr.

All those who finish will receive the commemorative medal of the race and will have the possibility to electronically print the commemorative certificate of participation.

## **Race Pack**

### **1. Simple package**

All participants of the race, regardless of the package they choose will receive the following:

- BIB number with timing chip and pins
- Backpack for placing any personal belongings
- Commemorative medal

- Water supply and fruit at the finish
- Energy drinks supply along the route
- Ability to print a commemorative diploma with its name and performance
- Health coverage
- Transfer to the starting point from Ancient Olympia to Pyrgos.

Note: The organizers must have been informed at the time of registration.

## **2. Full package**

The complete package also includes the commemorative technical t-shirt of the race.

### **Special price for early registration until March 3:**

- Simple package: 12 €
- Full package: 18 €

### **Participation fee**

The cost of participation is as follows:

- Simple package: 17 €
- Full package: 23 €

## **ANCIENT ILIDA ROAD RACE 12.6 KM.**

### **Ancient Ilida - Amaliada**

#### **Specifications**

- Distance: 12.6 km.
- Date: Saturday 25 March
- Start: Archaeological Site of Ancient Ilida
- Finish: Amaliada
- Start time: 5:00 p.m.
- Time limit: 90 minutes

#### **Route description**

Starting from the archeological site of Ancient Ildia, which is very flat, passes through the villages of Avgeio, Sosti to be completed in the city of Amaliada.

There will be at least two power stations along the route.

### **Eligibility**

Eligible to participate are men and women who have reached the age of 16, who fully and unreservedly accept the terms of participation in the event and will run at their own risk, (or under the responsibility of their guardian in case he is a minor) and they must have recently undergone medical examinations, so that their ability has been confirmed to take part in long-distance races.

### **Registration period - Receipt of participation package**

The deadline for registrations is Monday, March 20, for both individual and group registrations. By then the payment of the participation fee must have been made.

The receipt of the participation package will take place at the City Hall of Amaliada on Saturday 25 March.

**The receipt of the participation package will be done strictly** with the demonstration of the following:

- Email with the participation number
- Identity card or passport

### **Transport to the starting point**

The transfer to the starting point will take place through the organization. More information about the departure area and the timetable will be announced a few days before the race.

### **Prizes – Awards**

Prizes will be awarded to the **first 3 winners of the general classification**. All runners will have the opportunity to be informed of their position in the general classification regarding their gender and age category.

All those who finish will receive the commemorative medal of the race while they will have the opportunity to electronically print the commemorative diploma of participation.

## **Race Pack**

### **1. Simple package**

All participants of the race, regardless of the package they choose will receive the following:

- BIB number with timing chip and pins
- Backpack for placing any personal belongings
- Commemorative medal
- Water supply and fruit at the finish
- Energy drinks supply along the route
- Ability to print a commemorative diploma with its name and performance
- Health coverage
- Transfer to the starting point from Amaliada

Note: The organizers must have been informed at the time of registration.

### **2. Full package**

The complete package also includes the commemorative technical t-shirt of the race.

### **Special price for early registration until March 3:**

- Simple package: 10 €
- Full package: 16 €

### **Participation fee**

The cost of participation is as follows:

- Simple package: 14 €
- Full package: 20 €

## **Road Race Pyrgos 5km**

### **Specifications**

- Distance: 5km
- Date: Sunday 26 March
- Start: Central Square of Pyrgos
- Finish: Central Square of Pyrgos
- Start time: 09:00 a.m.
- Time limit: 1 hour

### **Route description**

Starting from the Central Square of Pyrgos, the route continues to the right on 28<sup>th</sup> of October Str. and again to the right in Ermou Str. Then to Alfeiou Str., right to Belousi Str., right to Olympion Str. and then to Ermou Str. Continue on Patron Str. and turn just before the junction with the Patras-Pyrgos National Road. Continue on Patron Str., right on Kastorhi Str. and finish in the Central Square of Pyrgos.

### **Eligibility**

Eligible to participate are men and women who have reached the age of 12, who fully and unreservedly accept the terms of participation in the event and will run at their own risk, (or under the responsibility of their guardian in case he is a minor) and they must have recently undergone medical examinations, so that their ability has been confirmed to take part in long-distance races.

### **Registration period - Receipt of participation package**

The deadline for registrations is Monday, March 20, for both individual and group registrations. By that time, the payment of the participation fee must have been made.

The receipt of the participation package will take place at the building of the Region in Pyrgos on Friday 24 and Saturday 25 March.

**The receipt of the participation package will be done strictly** with the demonstration of the following:

- Email with the participation number
- Identity card or passport

### **Prizes – Awards**



Prizes will be awarded to the **first 3 winners of the general classification**. All runners will have the opportunity to be informed of their position in the general classification regarding their gender and age category.

All those who finish will receive the commemorative medal of the race while they will have the opportunity to electronically print the commemorative diploma of participation.

## **Race Pack**

### **1. Simple package**

All participants of the race, regardless of the package they choose will receive the following:

- BIB number with timing chip and latches
- Backpack for placing any personal belongings
- Commemorative medal
- Water supply and fruit at the finish
- Ability to print a commemorative diploma with its name and performance
- Health coverage

### **2. Full package**

The complete package also includes the commemorative technical t-shirt of the race.

### **Special price for early registration until March 3:**

- Simple package: 6 €
- Full package: 12 €

## **Participation fee**

The cost of participation is as follows:

- Simple package: 8 €
- Full package: 14 €

## **Terms of participation**

- All participants responsibly state that they have recently undergone a medical examination and are perfectly healthy to participate in this sporting activity.
  
- They fully accept responsibility for any injury or accident that may be caused when commuting to and from the venue of the race, or during the event as well as for anything that may occur during the race such as falling down (which can be caused during contact with other participants), bad weather conditions, traffic but also poor condition of the road.
  
- The organizers, sponsors and anyone directly or indirectly involved in the conduction of the race shall be under no liability to the participant or any other person and bear no legal responsibility for anything that may arise during their participation.
  
- Participants give their approval to the organizers to use their photos or videos from the race, or any other recording without any financial requirement.
  
- The registration will be considered complete once both the electronic registration and the payment of the respective costs have been made. Banking or other expenses are borne by the participant.
  
- Registrations are personal and are not transferred to third parties at any stage of the registration period.
  
- Cancellations and refund of participation fees can be made until Friday, March 10, 2023. No cancellation or refund will be made after this date.
  
- In case one runner uses someone else's BIB number, he/she will be canceled and will not be included in the results.
  
- In case of postponement of the event, the participations will be transferred to a new date set by the organizing committee.
  
- The organizers have the right to change the terms of participation after making the relevant announcement.