1 Name of Event

Sendai International Half Marathon 2024

2 Host Organizers

City of Sendai, Sendai City Sports Promotion Foundation, Miyagi Athletics Association, Sendai City Athletics Association, Miyagi Athletics Association for the Disabled, Kahoku Shimpo Publishing Co., Tohoku Broadcasting Co., Ltd.

3 Sponsorship

Japan Association of Athletics Federation (JAAF), Japan Para Athletics, Miyagi Prefecture, Miyagi Prefectural Board of Education, Sendai City Board of Education, Sendai City Sports Association, Sendai City Sports Promotion Council, Federation of Sendai City School District Promotional Organizations of Physical Education, NHK Sendai Broadcasting Station, Sendai Television Inc., Miyagi Television Broadcasting Co., Ltd, KHB Higashi Nippon Broadcasting Co., Ltd., Asahi Shimbun Sendai General Office, Mainichi Shimbun Sendai Branch Office, Yomiuri Shimbun Tohoku General Office, Sankei Shimbun Sendai Branch Office, Nikkan Sports News Tohoku General Office (Tentative)

4 Managing Administration

Sendai International Half Marathon Executive Committee

5 Cooperation

Miyagi Prefectural Police, Sendai City Traffic Guidance Unit, Sendai City Fire Bureau, Sendai City Hospital, Sendai Medical Center, Sendai Medical Association, Sendai City Transportation Bureau, Sendai Disabled Sports Association, MIYAGI Para-Sports Association, Sendai-city Welfare Association for the Disabled, JCI Co., Ltd., Sendai Disabled Sports Coaches Council, MIYAGI Para-Sports Coaches Council, Miyagi AMI Registry, Association for Learning & Practicing Emergency Medical Techniques & Medical Safety Management (ALPEN), Tohoku Medical and Pharmaceutical University, Tohoku Fukushi University, Tohoku Bunka Gakuen University, Sendai University, Tohoku Gakuin University, Seiwa Gakuen College, Sendai Shirayuri Women's College, Shokei Gakuin Senior High School, Miyagi Prefectural Sendai Nika Senior High School, Tokiwagi Gakuen High School, Sendai Nagamachi Junior High School, Sendai Touka Junior High School, Sendai Resort and Sports Vocational School, Tohoku Bunka Gakuen College, Sendai College of Medical Health and Sports, Citizen Sports Volunteer SV2004, Nippon Transportation Warehouse Co., Ltd., Sendai Branch, Sendai Kokusai Hotel, Sports Commission Sendai, Telcom Inc. Tohoku Branch, Sendai Meisoukai, Sanyu Wrecker Co., Ltd. (All tentative)

6 Event

Half Marathon (21.0975 km)

7 Schedule

Sunday, May 12, 2024 9:45 a.m. Wheelchair Division Start 10:05 a.m. Elite division, JAFF-registered runners division, and General participants / First Wave Start 10:10 a.m. General participants / Second Wave Start 12:42 p.m. Race ends

8 Venue

Sendai City Athletic Field (Kohshin Rubber Athlete Park Sendai) *hereinafter: Kohshin Park Sendai

9 Course

Kohshin Park Sendai / East side of the road (Start) — <Turn around> AEON Style Sendai Oroshimachi — <Turn around> Jozenji-dori Avenue 141 Building — <Turn around> Itagaki, Nijuninmachi Main shop — Kohshin Park Sendai (Finish)

* This course is certified by JAAF, World Athletics (WA), and World Para Athletics (WPA) (Tentative)

10 Rules of the Race

The race will be conducted in accordance with the rules and regulations of JAAF and WPA, and the terms and conditions for this race.

11 Capacity, Time limit, and Participation fee

Event	Capacity (runners)	Time limit	Participation fee (JPY)
Invited runners, etc.	100		—
Elite division	100		
JAAF-registered runners division	1,400	2 hours and 30 minutes *Eligibility	8,000 yen
General participants	8,200	Must be able to complete	
Charity runners	100	a half marathon (21.0975 km) in 2 hours and 25 minutes	40,000 yen (Include)
(General participants)			Participation fee 8,000 yen + Donation 32,000 yen
Wheelchair division	100	1 hour and 30 minutes	7,000 yen

12 Checkpoints

Designated checkpoints along the course will close at the following times.

Charles into (in front of)			Elite division /
		Wheelchair division	JAAF-registered runners
	Checkpoints (in front of)	wheelchair drvision	division /
			General participants
① 8.1 km	No.2 parking lot of Sendai City Museum	10:25 a.m.	11:13 a.m.
2 11.6 km Omachi Nishi Park Station		10:35 a.m.	11:37 a.m.
③ 13.6 km	Itsutsubashi Police Box	10:40 a.m.	11:51 a.m.
④ 16.6 km	Sendai Sun Plaza	10:50 a.m.	12:12 p.m.
⑤ 19.6 km	5 19.6 km West parking lot of Rakuten Mobile Park Miyagi		12:32 p.m.

* In addition to not passing checkpoints before the closing time, a runner who is observed to be significantly slow will be disqualified.

* Regardless of the checkpoint closing time, runners may not continue the race if they were surpassed by the vehicle signaling the lift of traffic restrictions that departed following the last runner to start the race.

* If competition officials determined that a wheelchair racer will be surpassed by runners of other divisions, the participant will be disqualified as per road safety reason for the race. In that case, the competition officials will make a withdrawal announcement as soon as the wheelchair racer has been overtaken by a runner of another division, and the racer must follow official instructions and embark the bus designated for picking up disqualified runners.

- * Runners may not continue the race after a checkpoint they have yet to pass closes. Any runners left on the course after the closing time must promptly remove their athlete bibs, move onto the sidewalk, and embark the bus designated for picking up disqualified runners.
- * The race will finish entirely at 12:42 p.m. Traffic restrictions on the course will be lifted, making it impossible to continue the race. Any runners left on the course after 12:42 p.m. must promptly move onto the sidewalk, remove their athlete bibs and withdraw from the race.

13 Water Stations

Water stations and toilet facilities can be found along the course at the following locations

* Please note that locations and supplies are subject to change.

	Locations		Supplies	Facility
1	5.1 km	NTT East Istutsubashi Building	Water / Sports drinks	Toilet
2	9.3 km	Nishi Park	Water / Sports drinks	Toilet
3	13.2 km	Kahoku Shimpo Head Office	Water / Sports drinks	Toilet
4	16.1 km	TOSNET Head Office	Water / Sports drinks, sponges	Toilet
5	18.7 km	South Entrance Square of Tsutsujigaoka Park	Water / Sports drinks	Toilet

14 Record Measurement

- 1) Record measurements are made using tracking tags (BibTag) *The tag will be attached on the backside of one's athlete bib.
- 2) Record measurements are based on "Gross Time" and "Net Time", and gross time measures the split time (every 5 km).
- 3) Official record (gross time) are measured based on the time of the signal gun of each wave.
- 4) If a runner who belong in the first wave started in the second wave instead, their record measurement will be measured starting from 10:05 a.m., which is the start time of the first wave.

If a runner who belong in the second wave started in the first wave instead, they will be disqualified.

15 Measurement of the sole thickness of shoes

Those who are JAAF-registered runners and complete the race within the following time limit will have their sole thickness measured after they finished the race. If it was discovered that one violated the rules of the race as regulated by JAAF, the runner will be disqualified.

Men	Within 1 hour 4 minutes
Women	Within 1 hour 18 minutes

16 Awards

1) Elite division, JAAF-registered runners division / Comprehensive category

- First to eighth place per men and women divisions will receive an award certificate and a commemorative gift.
 - * Only runners who placed first through third place will be recognized at the award ceremony, while certificates and commemorative items will be sent out to fourth through eighth place runners at a later date.
- 2) General participants

For the comprehensive category and the 5 age categories mentioned below, the first to eighth place per men and women divisions will receive an award certificate and a commemorative gift.

- 1 18 to 29 years old 2 30 to 39 years old 3 40 to 49 years old 4 50 to 59 years old 5 60 years old and older
- * Only runners who placed first through third place will be recognized at the award ceremony, while certificates and commemorative items will be sent out to fourth through eighth place runners at a later date.
- * The ranking based on the age is determined using Net Time. Award certificates and commemorative items for first to eighth place will be sent out at a later date.

3) Wheelchair division

- The first to eighth place per men and women divisions will receive an award certificate and a commemorative gift.
- * Only runners who placed first through third place will be recognized at the award ceremony, while certificates and commemorative items will be sent out to fourth through eighth place runners at a later date.

Age Ranking

Based on the age of runners on the day of the race, the top 10 runners of each sex in each age category will be awarded.

* Regardless of the category (Elite division, JAAF-registered runners, and general participants), the ranking is determined using Net Time, and award certificates will be sent out to eligible runners at a later date.

17 Completion Certificate

If a runner was able to complete the half marathon within the time limit, a digital completion certificate will be issued which can be downloaded on the dedicated website at a later date. (Please refer to the Participation Guide, which will be sent out to runners in mid-April, 2024). In addition, an immediate report of race results will be available from the day of the race on the website "Runner's Update" where participants will be able to confirm their personal time.

•Runners Update: https://runnet.jp/record/

* If a runner was able to complete the half marathon within the time limit, they will receive a finisher's towel.

18 Official Record Certificate

- 1) Elite Division runners and JAAF-registered runners who completed the race will receive official record certificates at a later date upon having their records screened.
- 2) JAAF-registered individuals (for FY 2024) who participated as general participants, completed the race, and wish to receive an official record certificate may receive the certificate upon having their records screened. One must access the designated online application form and enter the following information (① through ④): ① Number of athlete bib, ② Full Name and reading of name in hiragana, ③ Name of affiliated athletic organization, ④ JAAF-ID. Submission period begins on May 12, 2024 (Sun) and ends at 5:00 p.m. on May 24, 2024 (Fri). Applications submitted after the deadline will be rejected. Details about the designated form will be announced on the official website of the race on the latest information tab after the race finishes.
 - * One's must complete the registration procedure at JAAF for FY 2024 and receive certification by May 8, 2024 (Wed). Please note that official record certificates will not be issued for those who have yet to receive certification from JAAF.
 - * When screening the record, if any gap or lap time irregularities between checkpoints was found (excluding irregularities which resulted from the malfunctioning of measurement devices), an official record certificate will not be issued.

19 Eligibility

- 1) Elite division / JAAF-registered runner
 - Those who are:
 - ·18 years old or older as of May 12, 2024 (day of the race) (high school students may not participate.)
 - \cdot Capable of completing a half marathon (21.0975 km) within 2 hours and 25 minutes
 - · Registered at JAAF * One must be a registered runner for FY 2023 at the time of entry in the race
 - * One's JAAF ID must be entered at the time of entry. One must complete the registration procedure at JAAF in FY 2024 and receive certification by May 8, 2024 (Wed).
 - Those who met one of the official record stated below at a race certified by JAAF or WA that was held between December 1, 2021 and November 30, 2023.
 - * Please note that applications of individuals who did not obtain an official record certificate for the relevant race at the time of entry will be rejected.

[Eligible Record for Elite Division]

	Half Marathon	Full Marathon
Men	1 hour 10 minutes 00 second	2 hours 30 minutes 00 second
Women	1 hour 30 minute 00 second	3 hours 15 minutes 00 second

[Eligible Record for JAAF-registered Runners]

	Half Marathon	Full Marathon
Men	1 hour 40 minute 00 second	3 hours 40 minute 00 second
Women	1 hour 50 minute 00 second	4 hours 10 minutes 00 second

\ll How to submit an official record \gg

After paying the participation fee, please upload an official record certificate or a copy of any documents specifying the record of the relevant race to your RUNNET personal page by December 13, 2023 (Wed).

There is no need to upload the documents if one is the holder of an official record certificate of the 2022 or 2023 Sendai Half Marathon, and applied for the 2024 race using those records. In that case, please specify the name of the participated race (the year of the race) on the inquiry box when submitting an entry. If an entry is not completed by the deadline or the submitted record is not certified officially, the entry will be disqualified and a service fee (600 yen) will be deducted from the participation fee and cash of the remaining amount will be refunded through registered mail.

2) General participants

Those who are:

- \cdot 18 years old or older as of the day of the race
- \cdot Capable of completing a half marathon (21.0975 km) within 2 hours and 25 minutes
- * JAAF-registered runners may participate as general participants.

3) Wheelchair division

Those who are:

- \cdot 16 years old or older as of the day of the race
- \cdot Capable of completing a half marathon (21.0975 km) within 1 hour and 30 minutes
- \cdot Holder of the physical disability certificate or equivalent documents
- · Those who met one of the official record stated below using a racing wheelchair.

5 km	10 km	15 km	20 km	Half Marathon	Full Marathon
21 minutes	43 minutes	1 hour 4 minutes	1 hour 26 minutes	1 hour 30 minutes	3 hours 00 minute
30 seconds	00 second	00 second	00 second	00 second	00 second

* Please note that an entry will not be accepted if one has not met the eligible record above.

4) Charity runners

Those who are:

- · 18 years old or older as of the day of the race
- · Capable of completing a half marathon (21.0975 km) within 2 hours and 25 minutes and is in good health
- · Charity runners may only participate as general participants.
- · Charity runners can select one of the following three organizations to donate to.
- * Donations cannot be refunded.

Organization one could donate to		Intended use of donations	Tax benefit (deduction for donation)
1)	Sendai City Children's Home Council	In order to ensure a healthy upbringing for the children of Sendai, donations will be utilized on independence support for children living in children's home, such as job searching activity.	Not Eligible
2	Sendai Disabled Sports Association	In order to familiarize and promote para-sports in Sendai, donations will be utilized on event organization, such as supporting the management of various para-sports events.	Not Eligible
3	In order to support musical cultural activities in Sendai, donations will be utilized on music		Eligible * As the donor filled for 2024 tax return, it is eligible for income tax deduction for donation (tax credit or income tax deduction)

[Notes for those who selected No. ③]

* Receipt of donation (32,000 yen) will be issued by the organization who received the donation by July 2024.

- * Receipt of donation will be issued with the name of the applicant.
- * Please directly inquire at the tax office about income tax deduction regarding the donation.
- * Depends on the area where the applicant resides, one might be eligible for municipal tax reduction. Please inquire at the municipality where you reside.

20 Application

1) Normal Entry * Website for entry "RUNNET" (https://runnet.jp)

Event	Entry Method	Application Period
Elite division	Online entry, first-come first-served basis (100 persons)	$D_{accentration} \in 2022 (Wed) 8:00 mm to December 12, 2022 (True)$
JAAF-registered runners	Online entry, first-come first-served basis (1,400 persons)	December 6, 2023 (Wed) 8:00 p.m. to December 12, 2023 (Tue)
General participants	 Online entry, first-come first-served basis (7,200 persons) 	December 13, 2023 (Wed) 8:00 p.m. to December 19, 2023 (Tue)
	② Online entry, determined by lottery (1,000 persons)	December 21, 2023 (Thu) 9:00 a.m. to December 27, 2023 (Wed)
Wheelchair division	Online entry, first-come first-served basis (100 persons)	December 6, 2023 (Wed) 9:00 a.m. to December 27, 2023 (Wed)

* <u>A transaction fee (5.5 %) is charged in addition to the participation fee.</u>

* Name of runners will not be printed on the athlete bibs.

- * For those who have difficulties applying online due to visual impairment, please submit an inquiry to the event secretariat by 5:00 p.m. on December 4, 2023 (Mon)
- * When the number of applications reached the capacity, entry will be closed even before the deadline.
- * If payment of participation fee was not made by the deadline, the applicant will lose their right to compete.
- * An application that is made outside of the application period will be rejected.
- * Participants should be notified of the result of the lottery for general participants sometime around January 19, 2024 (Fri) through their registered email address on the entry website. In addition, lottery winners who fail to pay the participation fee during the designated period will lose their right to compete.
- * Information of the Wheelchair Division Secretariat is as follows. Should you have questions, please inquire at the office directly.

[Wheelchair division Secretariat] Disabled Planning Section, Public Health and Welfare Bureau, City of Sendai ☎022-214-8151 (7-1 Kokubuncho 3-chome, Aoba Ward, Sendai City, Miyagi Prefecture, 980-8671)

2) Charity Runner Entry * Website for entry "RUNNET" (https://runnet.jp)

Event	Entry Method	Application Period
Charity runners (General participants)	Online entry, first-come first-served basis	January 9, 2024 (Tue) 9:00 a.m. to January 29, 2024 (Mon)

 \cdot Charity runners / Those who are 18 years old or older as of the day of the race.

· Those who are capable of completing a half marathon (21.0975 km) within 2 hours and 25 minutes and is in good health

· Charity runners may only participate as general participants.

* In addition to participation fee, <u>a transaction fee (5.5%)</u> will be charged.

* Only credit card payments are accepted.

3) Overseas Runner Entry * Website for entry "RUNNET Global" (<u>https://runnetglobal.com</u>)

Event	Entry Method	Application Period
Overseas runners	Online entry, first-come first-served	December 13, 2023 (Wed) 8:00 p.m. to December 27, 2023
(General participants)	basis	(Wed)

- · Applications submitted by domestic residents from RUNNET Global will be void.
- * A service fee (600 yen) will be deducted from the participation fee and cash of the remaining amount will be refunded through registered mail.
- · In addition to participation fee, <u>a transaction fee (12%)</u> will be charged.
- · Participation guides and athlete bibs etc., can be obtained at a designated location the day before or on the day of the race.

21 Official T-shirts of the Race

For this race, commemorative gift will not be produced in order to lower the participation fee. Instead, official T-shirts will be sold. Details on the design, sales method, etc. will be announced on the official website of the race around December 20, 2023.

22 Reception of runners

Participation guides and athlete bibs (BibTag to be affixed on the back side) will be sent out around mid-April prior to the race. Therefore, there is no need to go to reception on the day of the race. If you do not receive your bibs by April 22, 2024 (Mon), please make sure to inquire at the event secretariat.

* Please make sure to bring your athlete bib on the day of the race. If a bib has to be reissued due to personal circumstances of the participant, a reissuance fee of 1,000 yen will be charged at the venue.

* Overseas runners will be guided separately.

23 Doping control

- 1) This race is subject to doping control in accordance with WA's Anti-Doping Rules and Code or the Japan Anti-Doping Code. Urine or blood samples (or both) will be randomly collected before or after the race. All applicable individuals must be tested following the instructions.
- 2) Therapeutic Use Exemptions (TUE)
 - Those who must use prohibited substance or treatment method included in the international standard prohibited list for the treatment of an illness must apply for a "Therapeutic Use Exception (TUE)".

For further details, please check the website below.

JAAF Medical Committee (https://www.jaaf.or.jp/about/resist/medical/)

JAPAN Anti-Doping Agency (<u>https://www.playtruejapan.org/</u>)

24 Aid Volunteer Runners

As a medical aid initiative, 'Aid Volunteer Runners' who can provide emergency medical treatment to runners if required during the race while running the half marathon course are being recruited.

[Content of activities]

During the race, if a runner who is injured or in poor health has been detected, Aid Volunteer Runners will cooperate with the nearest competition official (official on the course) and medical staff to offer medical aid (call to them, check their status, and perform necessary treatment).

*Medical staff will be positioned at fixed points along the course so activities will be coordinated with them.

In emergency situations such as cardiopulmonary arrest, one should perform life-saving measures, contact the nearest competition official (official on the course) and medical staff, and call an ambulance. *After doing this, return to the course and continue with your duties.

[Recruitment Capacity]

About 30 people (First-come first-served basis)

[Requirements]

Those who meet the following two requirements.

Those who are:

- 1) Doctors, nurses, assistant nurses, emergency life paramedics, individuals who have completed the Emergency Treatment Course I and individuals who have completed the Emergency Treatment Standard Course. Those who have any of the above qualifications and can perform cardiopulmonary resuscitation and first aid.
- 2) Individuals who have experience completing a full marathon/half marathon and can perform their duties while running the course.

[Application period]

December 6, 2023 (Wed.) to January 9, 2024 (Tue.)

25 Aid Support Runners

With the aim of managing a safe race, the organizer asks participants working in the medical field to register as 'Aid Support Runners'. By registering, they agree to provide emergency medical treatment in the event that they encountered an emergency concerning other runners' health during the race. We kindly ask for your understand and cooperation. [Content of Activities]

Provide emergency medical treatment or support medical staff if they encounter an emergency during the race. [Recruiting]

Qualified medical doctors, nurses, assistant nurses, emergency life paramedics who would like to register as Aid support Runners. To register, please check the box indicates your medical qualification on the application. The sticker for aid support runners will be enclosed with your athlete bib, etc.; therefore, please affix it on your chest during the race. [Note]

Aid support runners must submit their entry like any other applicant. In addition, the organizer will not reimburse travel expenses, provide any monetary reward, or exempt one's participation fee.

Record measurement will continue while one is engaging in aid support activities. Aid support runners must understand that the organizer will not provide relief measure if they failed to pass a checkpoint as a result of providing aid support.

26 Other

- 1) This race doubles as a trial race for runners to be dispatched to the Nenrin-pic Marathon Exchange Event (senior division). Sendai residents who are 60 years old or older are eligible. For details, please contact the Sendai City Health Welfare Organization. (2022-215-3170).
- 2) Amongst the top runners from the elite division and JAAF-registered runners, one male runner and one female runner will be invited to the Kume Island Marathon, while one male runner and one female runner amongst general participants will be invited to the Kobe Marathon. Only Sendai residents are eligible for the aforementioned invites.
- 3) The Sendai International Half Marathon 2024 is operating in alliance with 'RUN as ONE Tokyo Marathon 2025 (General division)'. Amongst those who completed the Sendai International Half Marathon 2024 and applied to enter the lottery for this program, three individuals will be selected to participate in the Tokyo Marathon. * Any cost related to participation (participation fee, transportation and accommodation expenses) must be borne by participating individuals. Details on how to apply to enter the lottery will be announced on the official website after the race finishes.

■ Note regarding Participation in the Race

- There is no parking lot at the race venue; therefore, please use public transportation when coming to the athletic park. The organizers are not responsible for late arrivals due to delays of public transportation, traffic congestion, etc.
- Participants must pay attention to their health and undergo adequate training before participating in the race. If a participant suffers from heart diseases or any other illnesses, or is not feeling well on the day of the race, they must withdraw from the race.
- Wearing or displaying any designs or trademarks representing a company or product for the purpose of advertising at the venue is prohibited, including on the race course. In addition, wearing or displaying items featuring political slogans or language against public order and morals is also prohibited. Moreover, should the organizers deemed a participant's item to be inappropriate, the participant might not be allowed to participate in the race.
- During the race, if the organizers (race official, doctors, medical staff, etc.) determine that there is an obstacle to a participant's continued participation in the race, the participant must follow their instructions and withdraw from the race immediately. In addition, participants must follow directions from the organizers concerning safety and/or the administration of the race.
- During the race, runners might be stopped due to prioritizing emergency vehicles or allowing pedestrians in neighboring areas to cross the road.

■Notes regarding Application

- Individuals who are found to have submitted more than one application will be disqualified and will not receive refunds for their participation fees and service fees.
- Applications that have been submitted may not be altered, corrected, or cancelled. If there are any problems with the submitted information, the event secretariat will contact the applicant through e-mail or by calling the telephone number provided.
- > Please note that the event secretariat will not respond to over-the-phone inquiries about the status of application acceptance.
- > The organizers are not responsible for delays in submission of applications caused by problems related to internet connection.
- > Please be aware that online entry might not be possible on some computers, operating systems or internet browsers.
- > Receipts for payment of participation fees will not be issued.
 - ·Please use a statement or invoice issued by one's credit card company
 - · For payments made at convenience stores, the customer copy of payment confirmation will be used in place of a receipt.

Terms and Conditions of Application

Applicants must agree to the following terms and conditions before filling out the application form.

- Submitted applications cannot be altered (changing division) or cancelled due to personal circumstances.
- If the race is cancelled or curtailed due to conditions beyond the organizers' control (earthquakes, storm or flood damage, incidents, accidents, infectious disease, etc.), details on whether participation fees will be refunded, or the amount of refunds that will be issued etc. will be determined upon considering costs such as relevant fees that arose by the time of the cancellation. In addition, there will not be prioritized qualification for a future race.
- Participation fees will not be refunded under circumstances such as inability to participate in the race due to personal circumstance, multiple applications, and overpayment or multiple payments.
- Participants must not falsify their age, sex or other information including their race record, or have someone else run in their stead (proxy runner). If falsified participation is found, the organizers will decide on revoking the participant's entry and any awards they received, barring the participant from future participation in the race, and other consequences. Additionally, the organizers are not responsible for providing aid or refunding participation fees under these circumstances.

- If a participant becomes ill or injured during the race, emergency medical treatment will be provided; however, the organizers are not responsible for the methods used, effectiveness of the treatment, etc.
- The organizers are not responsible for any accidents, losses, injuries or illnesses that occur during the race, excluding for incidents that are intentionally caused by the organizers or result from gross negligence on the part of the organizer.
- Compensation for accidents and injuries, etc. that occur during the race is limited to the coverage of the organizers' insurance policy.
- Images, photographs, articles, and records, etc. taken at the race (including personal information such as one's name, age, sex, record, and portrait) may be reported, published, or used in newspapers, TV, magazines, online publications, pamphlets, etc. Furthermore, the publication right and usage right of such media belong to the organizers. Moreover, it is possible to conduct commission sales on photographs, images, etc., if authorized by the organizers.
- Other than the terms and conditions as stated above, participants must act in accordance with the race regulations and terms of agreement as determined separately by the organizers.

Use of Personal Information

- The organizers recognizes the importance of personal information and shall comply with all applicable laws and regulations and abide by the race's personal information protection policy. Additionally, personal information may be provided to third parties such as healthcare centers, medical institutions or JAFF as parts of infectious disease prevention countermeasures.
- With the objective to improve services provided to participants, personal information of participants will be used to deliver participation guides, record notification, related information, invitations for future race, services provided by cooperating and related organizations, press release (for announcing rankings), and as parts of prevention and countermeasures against infectious diseases. Additionally, organizers and authorized representatives might use personal information to contact participants in order to verify details of their applications.
- The Sendai International Half Marathon 2024 is participating in the RunLink Age Ranking conducted by JAAF. The RunLink Age Ranking, a ranking of all official races certified by JAAF, which lists all participants' results including that of elite runners. In accordance, data of the following personal information of participants will be provided to JAFF: address (municipality level), name, athlete bib number, date of birth, sex, time record, and ranking. Those who do not wish to be listed, please contact JAAF directly at 050-1746-8410.
- The Sendai International Half Marathon 2024 is operating in alliance with 'RUN as ONE Tokyo Marathon 2025 (General division)'. In accordance, personal information of participants in this race will be provided to the Tokyo Marathon Foundation via electromagnetic means.

Information to be provided include;

① Name ② Sex ③ Date of Birth ④ Contact information ⑤ Records (Result).

Sendai International Half Marathon Executive Committee Secretariat

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