



The **35th** Annual
Running of the
Beach to Bay Relay Marathon

PRINTED APPLICATION

The 2010 Beach to Bay Relay Marathon Saturday, May 15, 2010

Dear Beach to Bay Participant,

In 2009, the little race that could, reached its' highest participation to date, 1,980 teams competed in the 34th running of the Beach to Bay Relay Marathon. Frankly, the numbers scared and yes astounded me. Nevertheless, the event went off without a hitch. Many local charities in the Coastal Bend depend on the Beach to Bay Relay Marathon in order to remain a vital link to the community. These charities include Special Olympics, the Naval Relief Society and numerous local school groups.

Let us talk a little about volunteers, folks I cannot say enough about the great group of volunteers who return to participate in the Beach to Bay Relay Marathon year after year. This race would not be possible without them. Please take the time to let them know how much you appreciate his or her efforts.

Many times, I am asked, when is next year's Beach to Bay Relay Marathon? One quick way to remember the date of the Beach to Bay Relay Marathon is to remember Armed Forces Day. The two go hand in hand. Beach to Bay began as a race to honor our nation's military personnel on Armed Forces Day. This tradition continues today.

What is will you see again in the 2010 Beach to Bay Relay Marathon?

- Once again the annual Beach to Bay Relay Marathon will be scored by chip timing (last runner). Team Captains, it is imperative that your last or sixth leg runner be wearing his/her the chip on his/her shoe. This will be the only way we will have to score your team.
- Once again all finishers of the Beach to Bay Relay Marathon will receive finisher's medals. The finisher's medals will not be included in your race packet but will be handed out only after your chip-scoring device is turned in to a Beach to Bay Representative. Do not worry this will be done in a quick and orderly fashion.
- In 2010, the Beach to Bay Relay Marathon will in-large and modify the exchange points to maximize efficiency in the baton exchange

On behalf of the Beach to Bay Relay Marathon Committee thank you for entering. If you have any questions please refer to this package or the official website for the Beach to Bay Relay Marathon at www.beachtobayrelay.com or give us a call on the hotline at (361) 881-6166.

Sincerely,

Doug McBee Jr.

Beach to Bay Relay Marathon Race Director

THE BEACH TO BAY RELAY MARATHON

Beach to Bay will start promptly at 7:00 am at Nueces County Park on the beach just south of Bob Hall Pier, adjacent with Gulf Beach Access Road 6.

The race is a 26.2 mile point-to-point relay course, beginning on North Padre Island at Nueces County Park, over the JFK Causeway Bridge, winding through Naval Air Station Corpus Christi and ending at scenic Cole Park along the beautiful Corpus Christi Bay.

The Course is divided into six legs of approximately 4.4 miles each. The first leg is run on the beach; the remaining legs are run on a paved surface.

The course is subject to change if road construction is present prior to the time this information packet was produced.

RACE FEE

The entry fee is \$195.00 per team. Due to accounting conflicts one (1) check or one (1) money order per team will be accepted. However, one (1) check for multiple teams is acceptable. Entries must be postmarked on or before April 7, 2010. (**All entries are non-refundable**) Credit card registration at www.signmeup.com will reflect same race fees and dates. (Sorry No Exceptions)

LATE ENTRY RACE FEE

After April 7, 2010 a late fee will be charged of \$80.00 per team. Late entries must be postmarked by May 1, 2010. We will only accept a money order after April 7, 2010. (**All entries are non-refundable**) Credit card registration at www.signmeup.com will reflect same race fees and dates.

BEACH TO BAY RESULTS

Complete printed 2009 race results will be published in the 2010 Beach to Bay Event Program. The program will include your team's name, name of each team member and final results. Each team member will receive a copy of the program. Your team captain will be solely responsible for disseminating them. Immediate unofficial 2010 race results will be available on the web at www.beachtobayrelay.com

PACKET PICKUP

Packet pickup will be held on Friday, May 14, 2010 at the Holiday Inn Emerald Beach from 10:00 am until 8:00 pm. All packets unclaimed will be forfeited. **HOWEVER, IT IS PERFECTLY ACCEPTABLE FOR YOU TO HAVE A FRIEND, FAMILY MEMBER OR OTHER TEAM MEMBER TO PICK UP YOUR PACKET.**

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Captains are responsible for relaying any and all information to your team. All team captains are also responsible to make sure that his/her last or sixth (6th) leg runner is wearing the red race number along with the chip on their shoe along with the baton.

- Teams consist of six (6) runners. Each runner will run on only one team and will run one leg only for that team or any other team. (No one can run an additional leg for any team, in this instance you and your team will be disqualified)
- All members of each team eligible for awards are subject to verification by race officials prior to the awards ceremony. Please bring your I.D. if you think you placed as we are required to ask
- All team members must be listed on the Race Verification Card (R.V.C.) which will be available at Check In. The R.V.C. must be completed before a team receives its packet.
- Standard Medical and First Aid Personnel will be stationed at each hand-off point for your protection.

RACE PACKETS

All packets will include six (6) shirts along with race information on the course, parking maps, busing arrangements, runner instructions, batons and scoring chip for 6th leg runners will be included along with all race numbers.

You will be directed where to pick up your chip at the Sports Exposition/ Packet Pickup

NOTICE FOR LAST LEG RUNNER

6th leg runners not wearing his/her chip and red race number will be disqualified. All chips must be turned in order to receive finishers' medals. A \$20 fee will be charged to any team not returning their chip.

Please remember that in the event as team captain you do not want your finisher's medals your teammates may want them.

BEACH TO BAY ENTRY CONFIRMATION

Starting in March of 2010, confirmation cards will be mailed out to all team-captains. Confirmation cards must be presented by a team representative at check-in to receive packets.

If your team does not receive a confirmation card or loses one, don't panic. Please go to the Beach to Bay Information and Change Table on Packet Pick Up day and we will be happy to look up your team for you. Also, if you do not receive a confirmation card, this does **not** mean that your team was not accepted. All applications not accepted will be notified by telephone and or certified mail.

Mailed confirmations will be mailed out starting in early March 2010 or as applications are processed.

BEACH TO BAY TENT RENTAL INFORMATION

If you or your company would like to arrange for a tent at Cole Park, you must pre-arrange this with the race director. (To pre-arrange a tent, please contact the race director at 361-881-6166 and leave a message)

Personal tents are not allowed as per City of Corpus Christi ordinance. All tents are set-up the Friday or Saturday, prior to the race. Designation signs will be placed on your tent but you will be responsible for providing someone to claim or monitor your tent the day of the race. Designations of your rented tent will be done on a first come first serve basis. Beach to Bay's sponsors will receive first pick on their tent placement.

The Beach to Bay Relay Marathon Committee and B&T Rents will not be responsible for guarding your rented tent; we simply do not have the manpower in order to accomplish this task.

Keep in mind that the Corpus Christi Roadrunners rents Cole Park from the City of Corpus Christi for Thursday, Friday and Saturday; and doing so retains control and all rights therein. Anyone caught with an illegal tent without prior consent will have their tent removed by our security department

BEACH TO BAY LIMITATIONS

Please look over the following limitations to make your Beach to Bay Relay Marathon experience a good one.

- ***BECAUSE OF INSURANCE RESTRICTIONS, NO BABY JOGGERS WILL BE ALLOWED***
- Beach to Bay Packets will not be mailed. We recommend that if you are not available to pick up your packet to pre-arrange with a family member, friend or fellow team member to pick up your packet
- The race course closes at 1:00 p.m. After 1:00, we will no longer record teams crossing the finish line, which also means your team will not appear in the results
- Incomplete applications will be returned and a team space will be not be assigned to you. Incomplete applications must be resubmitted
- As per City of Corpus Christi Ordinance-No Alcoholic Beverages will be allowed in Cole Park

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION

Registration/Team Coordinator
Doug McBee Jr/Chuck Trexler

361/881-6166
www.beachtobayrelay.com

Race Director
Doug McBee Jr

361/881-6166
Dougmcbee@sbcglobal.net

Please note that the race director will not accept call from his home because he works shift works and maybe sleeping during the day. The voice mail is checked three to four times daily. Your phone call will be returned promptly.

Beach to Bay Fax Line

361/980-1182

Beach to Bay Sports Expo Information
Expo Director Elsa Arroyo

361-881-6166
Arroyoelsam@aol.com

Contact via mail at Beach to Bay/Corpus Christi Roadrunners at Post Office Box 8750
Corpus Christi, Texas 78468

BEACH TO BAY RUNNERS SPORTS EXPOSITION

The Beach to Bay Sports Expo is open to the public and held in conjunction with the Beach to Bay Relay Marathon's Packet Pick Up and Registration.

Friday, May 14, 2010-10:00 a.m. until 8:00 p.m.
Holiday Inn Emerald Beach located at 1102 S. Shoreline in Corpus Christi, Texas.

Vendor Booth Fees
\$175 Non-Profit
\$350 For-Profit

For further information on the Beach to Bay Relay Marathon Sports Expo please contact Elsa Arroyo at 361/881-6166 and leave a message or via email at Arroyoelsam@aol.com or go to www.beachtobayrelay.com

HOTEL ACCOMMODATIONS

The hotels and condominium resorts listed below have been designated as official hotels and condos for the 2009 Beach to Bay Relay Marathon. In order to receive special room rates all reservations must be made prior to April 17, 2010. By selecting one of these properties you will support the Beach to Bay Relay Marathon

<p>RACE HEADQUARTERS Holiday Inn Emerald Beach 1102 S. Shoreline Blvd. Corpus Christi, Texas 78401</p> <p>Phone: 800-465-4329 or 361-883-5731</p> <p>Rate: Visit the Beach to Bay website at www.beachtobayrelay.com</p>	<p>MAKE YOUR HOTEL RESERVATIONS EARLY!</p> <p>The Holiday Inn Emerald Beach and Omni Bayfront Hotel are offering a complimentary two-night stay during the 2010 Beach to Bay Relay Marathon. To be eligible for the drawing you must make a room reservation at the Holiday Inn Emerald Beach Hotel or Omni Bayfront Hotel and submit your race application in by March 31, 2010. The winner will be notified prior to arrival. Good Luck!</p>
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Hotel Accommodations Continued

Omni Bayfront Hotel 900 N. Shoreline Blvd Corpus Christi, Texas 78401 (361) 887-1600	Hotel Corpus Christi Bayfront 601 N. Water Corpus Christi, Texas 78401 (361) 882-8100	Holiday Inn Padre Island Drive & Conference Center 5549 Leopard Street Corpus Christi, Texas 78408 (361) 289-5100
Best Western Marina Grand Hotel 300 N. Shoreline Blvd Corpus Christi, Texas 78401 (361) 883-5111	Quality Inn & Suites 3202 Surfside Blvd. Corpus Christi, Texas 78402 (361) 883-7300	Holiday Inn Sunspree Resorts 15201 Windward Dr. Corpus Christi, Texas 78418 (888) 949-8041
Red Roof Inn Interstate 37 @Nueces Bay Corpus Christi, Texas 78408 (361) 888-7663	Embassy Suites Hotels 4337 South Padre Island Dr. Corpus Christi, Texas 78411 (361) 853-7899	Comfort Suites N. Padre Island 15209 Windward Dr. Corpus Christi, Texas 78418 (361) 853-7899

Hawthorne Hotel 15201 Windward Dr. Corpus Christi, Texas 78418 (361) 949-2400
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Call The Rental Management Company at (361) 949-9050 to book any of the following Condominiums on North Padre Island:

Mystic Harbor Rates Efficiency 1 Bedroom 2 Bedroom 3 Bedroom	Fortune Bay Rates 1 Bedroom 2 Bedroom 3 Bedroom	Compass Condos Rates 1 Bedroom 2 Bedroom
Seahorse Rates Efficiency 1 Bedroom 2 Bedroom 3 Bedroom	Spinnaker Rates Efficiency 1 Bedroom 2 Bedroom 3 Bedroom	Puente Vista Rates Efficiency 1 Bedroom 2 Bedroom 3 Bedroom

Team Categories and Awards

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Teams may participate in the Beach to Bay Relay Marathon in one of the following categories: **Remember all teams must consist of six (6) individual runners**

Category	Description	Awards	Affidavit
Junior Men	Not a school division*must be ages 14-20	(3)	No
Junior Women	Not a school division*must be ages 14-20	(3)	No
Open Women	Team of (6) women any age	(10)	No
Open Men	Team of (6) men any age	(10)	No
Mixed	Team must consist of (3) men and (3) women any age	(10)	No
Mixed Masters	Team must consist of (3) men and (3) women any age*age 40 and over	(10)	No
Masters Men	Team must consist of 6 men age 40 and over	(6)	No
Masters Women	Team must consist of 6 women age 40 and over	(6)	No
Senior Mixed Masters	Team must consist of (3) men and (3) women any age* age 50+	(3)	No
Senior Masters Women	Team must consist of 6 women age 50 and over	(3)	No
Senior Masters Men	Team must consist of 6 men age 50 and over	(5)	No
Ultra Senior Women	Team must consist of 6 women age 60 and over	(3)	No
Ultra Senior Men	Team must consist of 6 men age 60 and over	(3)	No
Military/Law/Fire	6 persons as of the races date in the military, law enforcement or with the fire department	(8)	No
Commercial	Team must consist of 6 persons employed with the same company for (2) months	(8)	Yes
Odd & Ends	Team must consist of 6 persons	(0)	No
Elementary Girls	6 girls in same school 1 st -5 th grade	(3)	Yes
Elementary Boys	6 boys in same school 1 st -5 th grade	(3)	Yes
Middle School Girls	6 girls in same school 5 th -8 th grade	(3)	Yes
Middle School Boys	6 boys in same school 5 th -8 th grade	(3)	Yes

Coaches: When entering a school division please use a home address in order to receive your confirmation card. Please be aware that there are no awards for the Odd and Ends Division; please consider this when entering your team division in the Beach to Bay Relay Marathon.

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Entry Form-35th Armed Forces Day Beach to Bay Relay Marathon- Please neatly/completely **PRINT** all your team information except signatures. You must fill in all blanks, or your application must be returned.

Team Captain Name (must be one of six runners)	() _____ Home telephone with area code
Team Captain Mailing Address	() _____ Cellular Phone with area code
City, State and Postal Code	How Many Previous Beach to Bay Relay (s) Have You Ran?

My team will compete in the following division: Final decision on qualification for division(s) rests with the Corpus Christi Roadrunners Inc. Note: Runners may compete on only one team and may run only one leg for the team

<input type="checkbox"/> Junior Women	<input type="checkbox"/> Mixed Masters (3 men 3 Women 40+)	<input type="checkbox"/> Commercial
<input type="checkbox"/> Junior Men	<input type="checkbox"/> Senior Mixed (3 men 3 Women 50+)	<input type="checkbox"/> Odds and Ends
<input type="checkbox"/> Open Women	<input type="checkbox"/> Senior Master Women (50+)	<input type="checkbox"/> Elementary Girls (only)
<input type="checkbox"/> Open Men	<input type="checkbox"/> Senior Master Men (50+)	<input type="checkbox"/> Elementary Boys (only)
<input type="checkbox"/> Mixed 3 men 3 Women	<input type="checkbox"/> Ultra Senior Men (60+)	<input type="checkbox"/> Middle School Boys (only)
<input type="checkbox"/> Master Women (40+)	<input type="checkbox"/> Ultra Senior Women (60+)	<input type="checkbox"/> Middle School Girls (only)
<input type="checkbox"/> Master Men (40+)	<input type="checkbox"/> Military/Law/Fire	

Team Name _____

WAIVER STATEMENT - ENTRY IS INVALID IF ANY TEAM MEMBERS AND/OR PARENT OR GUARDIAN, IF NECESSARY, HAVE NOT SIGNED BELOW. I know that running a road race is a potentially hazardous activity. I should not enter and run unless I am medically able and properly trained. I also know that, although police protection will be provided, there will be traffic on the course route. I assume the risk of running in traffic. I also assume any and all other risks associated with running this event including, but not limited to, falls, contact with other participants, the effects of the weather, including high heat and/or humidity, and the condition of the roads, all such risks being known and appreciated by me. As a signer of this entry blank being fully aware of these facts and in consideration of your accepting my entry, I hereby, for myself, my heirs executors, administrators or anyone else who might claim on my behalf, covenant not to sue, and waive, release, and discharge the CORPUS CHRISTI ROADRUNNERS, INC.; THE CITY OF CORPUS CHRISTI; the LOCAL & COUNTY LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES; ANDREWS DISTRIBUTING COMPANY/MILLER LITE; HEB; FLEET FEET SPORTS INC. CORPUS CHRISTI; Texas Beef Council; IAAP; ROADRUNNERS CLUB OF AMERICA; REGIONAL TRANSPORTATION AUTHORITY; Oiltanking; US NAVY; AT&T; HERRMAN AND HERRMAN LAW FIRM; PEPSI EVEREST; SKID-O-KAN; CITGO REFINERY; Il Gemini AMBULANCE and any Emergency Medical Services, Race Officials, Volunteers, and any and all sponsors, including their agents, employees, assigns or anyone for or on their behalf, from any and all claims of liability for death, personal injury or property damage of any kind or nature whatsoever, arising out of, or in the course of, my participation in this event. This Release of Waiver extends to all

(1) Print Neatly	All Runners must sign. Parent or Guardian must sign for minors	M or F	Must have age	T-Shirt Size
(2) Print Neatly	All Runners must sign. Parent or Guardian must sign for minors	M or F	Must have age	T-Shirt Size
(3) Print Neatly	All Runners must sign. Parent or Guardian must sign for minors	M or F	Must have age	T-Shirt Size
(4) Print Neatly	All Runners must sign. Parent or Guardian must sign for minors	M or F	Must have age	T-Shirt Size
(5) Print Neatly	All Runners must sign. Parent or Guardian must sign for minors	M or F	Must have age	T-Shirt Size
(6) Print Neatly	All Runners must sign. Parent or Guardian must sign for minors	M or F	Must have age	T-Shirt Size

Note only the Commercial and School Divisions require completion of Affidavit of fact on reverse side

Please mail your entry and fee to Beach to Bay Relay/Corpus Christi Roadrunners Inc/ P.O. Box 8750/ Corpus Christ, Texas/ 78468. No entry will be accepted after May 1, 2010/ NO REFUNDS NO EXCEPTIONS SO PLEASE DON'T ASK!
 Entry Fee _____ \$195.00 (prior to 4/7/2010) Late Fee _____ \$80.00 (if postmarked after 4/7/2010)

2010 T-Shirt Sizes are Small, Medium, Large and X-Large

Send only one check per team

Affidavit of Fact
(Commercial and School
Division only)

AFFIDAVIT

_____ State of

_____ County of

BEFORE ME, THE UNDERSIGNED Notary Public, on this day personally appeared who, being duly sworn, upon oath deposed and stated the following:

MY NAME IS _____

I AM Check One

Director/Owner/General Manager of (company) _____

Principal/Registrar/Athletic Coach of (school) _____

I hereby certify that the six individuals listed on the entry form for the 35th Armed Forces Day Beach to Bay Relay Marathon are:

Full-time, permanent employee of (company) _____ and will have been employed by said business as of May 1, 2010 for at least two (2) months immediately prior to the race.

Students of (school) _____ and are enrolled in said school as of this date for the 2009-2010 school year.

Name _____ Position _____

Subscribed and sworn to before me on the _____ day of _____ 200____
to certify which witness my hand and seal of office

NOTARY PUBLIC _____

MY COMMISSION EXPIRES _____

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS FAQ'S

- Printable applications are available on line at www.beachtobayrelay.com
- On line registration is on line at www.signmeup.com
- Please enclose one (1) check per team. We will only accept one (1) check per team. One (1) check for multiple teams is acceptable.
- Please print neatly, your name matters to us spelled correctly. Applications must be signed and have your team member's ages. If your application is incomplete we will have to return it to you and your spot maybe given up as we cannot hold it for you.
- A Parent or Guardian must sign if a team member is a minor
- All changes will be made on Packet Pick Up and Registration Day. Your application stands as is until such time
- Please do not wait until the last minute to enter. The Beach to Bay Relay Marathon is a popular event and fills up quickly
- Confirmation cards are mailed in mid March. Please do not worry if you do not receive yours' we can look up your team on Packet Pick Up and Registration Day.
- This is a biggie, there is no drop off point for entries, they must be mailed by the proper deadline
- A map of the course is available in this application packet and on line at www.beachtobayrelay.com
- Ages are a requirement on all applications. This is an insurance requirement. Entries without ages will be returned

RACE COURSE MAP



RACE DAY BUS TRANSPORTATION
How the heck do I get there? My leg that is

Dear Race Participant,

Thank, you for participating in the 35th Running of the Beach to Bay Relay Marathon. We strongly encourage promote the use of the shuttle buses. They are a courtesy of the Corpus Christi Regional Transportation Authority (RTA) or the "B" (www.ccrta.org).

The shuttle buses are the most effective method of transportation to your starting position, however not all of the Beach to Bay legs have bus service.

Please remember that the shuttle buses are a courtesy. As with all public transportation, buses run on a schedule, please do not show up late and expect to be given a ride. Parents of minor children running the Beach to Bay Relay Marathon are welcome to ride along. Please remember that there is no transportation to Cole Park for the *After Race Party*.

Arriving early is crucial!

Doug McBee Jr. Race Director
Thank you!

Leg #1

Is there bus service for the #1? *Yes!*

Where do I board the bus? *The Flour Bluff Shopping Center located at Waldron and SPID*

The bus service schedule for leg #1 is?

Will the buses pick me up to return? *Yes, the bus will return you to the Flour Bluff Shopping Center located at Waldron and SPID*

Leg #2

Is there bus service for the #2? *Yes!*

Where do I board the bus? *The Flour Bluff Shopping Center located at Waldron and SPID*

The bus service schedule for leg #2 is?

Will the buses pick me up to return? *Yes the bus will return you to the Flour Bluff Shopping Center located at Waldron and SPID*

Leg #3

Is there bus service for the #3? *Yes!*

Where do I board the bus? *The Flour Bluff Shopping Center located at Waldron and SPID*

The bus service schedule for leg #3 is?

Will the buses pick me up to return? *No, leg #3 ends at NAS Dr & Waldron Road by F&T Body Shop and you are within walking distance to the Flour Bluff Shopping Center.*

Leg #4

Is there bus service for the #4? *Yes! There is bus service for leg #4 however, only for runners who have completed his/her leg. Since leg #4 begins near the Flour Bluff Shopping Center located at Waldron and SPID, park there. Your leg is within walking distance to leg #4's starting position at NAS Dr. and Waldron Road by F&T Body Shop.*

Where do I board the bus? *You are within walking distance to your starting point*

The bus service schedule for leg #4 is? *You are within walking distance to your starting point*

Will the buses pick me up to return? *Yes the bus will return you to the Flour Bluff Shopping Center located at Waldron and SPID. Please board the buses running from the NAS North Gate to return you to the Flour Bluff Shopping Center located at Waldron and SPID.*

Leg #5

Is there bus service to leg #5? *There is bus service to leg #5. Parking is available at Texas A&M University on Ocean Dr. Bus Shuttle Service will take you to the NAS North Gate*

Where do I board the bus? *Texas A&M University on Ocean Dr*

The bus service schedule for leg #5 is? *Buses for leg #5 will begin as soon as buses become available from transporting runners to legs (1) and (2)*

Will the buses pick me up to return? *No there is no bus service to take you back to Texas A&M University; however carpooling with your fellow teammates is encouraged. Have a plan!*

Is there bus service to leg #6? *No there is no bus service for leg #6 or Cole Park. Carpooling with your fellow teammates is encouraged. Have a plan!*

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