



HIBISCUS
half marathon
15K AND 5 MILER

Important Info
and Stuff and Things!

It's race week!
PLEASE READ THIS ENTIRE PACKET
TO ENSURE YOU HAVE A FUN AND
AWESOME RACE EXPERIENCE!
All of your important questions
are answered **HERE...**

EXPO & PACKET PICKUP!



'Alohilani Resort Hotel

Bluefin Room

2490 Kalakaua Avenue, Honolulu, Hawaii

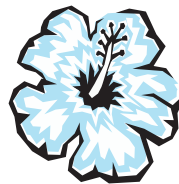
Friday, May 22 - 1pm to 6pm

Saturday, May 23 - 9am to 4pm

PACKET PICKUP PARKING:

We recommend you park at the Honolulu Zoo or Kapiolani Park and walk to the hotel. Parking in the hotel garage is \$10.

IMPORTANT STUFF!



RACE BIB INFO!



Please bring a photo ID!

You may pick up for a friend only if you have a note AND copy of their ID! (Spouses and parents may pick up if you share the same last name)



Shirt sizes can be swapped at packet pickup if we have enough of the size you want!



No race morning pickup unless you have received special permission! \$20 fee applies



Wear it on the front



Do not remove the foam timing chip!

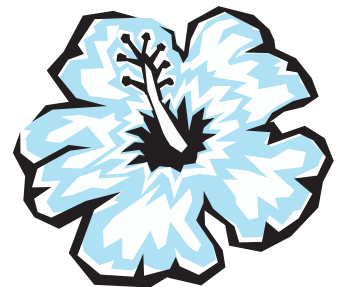
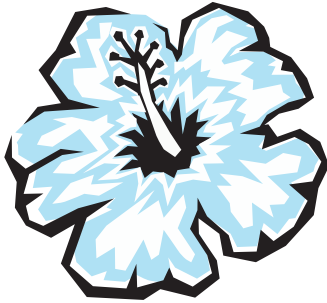



Must be visible at all times



If you duplicate your bib and share it with friends, you and your friends will be disqualified and banned for life

check out our partners!



 You'll see all of these partners at some point during race week - - either in your packets, at the expo, or on race day at the finish line!

 Stop by their expo booths or storefronts - - they have cool products to help you on your fitness journey!

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS:

CAN I SWITCH FROM THE HALF MARATHON TO THE 15K, OR FROM THE 15K TO THE 5 MILER?

YES - you can switch at the expo - a \$10 change fee will apply.

CAN I TRANSFER MY RACE BIB TO ANOTHER PERSON?

YES - simply bring a letter from the original participant, along with a copy of their ID, giving permission for the transfer. A \$20 transfer fee will apply

CAN FRIENDS STILL REGISTER ONLINE?

yes - online registration closes at 3pm on Saturday, May 23

CAN FRIENDS STILL REGISTER IN PERSON?

yes - late registration is available in person at the expo or on race morning starting at 4:30am



DO FINISHERS GET A MEDAL?

YES! Every racer who crosses the finish line will receive a cool medal!

I'VE HEARD YOU HAVE A NO MEAN PEOPLE RULE... TRUE?

Yep, very true! If anyone is mean to any volunteer, staff, or participant, your race entry will be revoked, and you will be asked to leave.

Our staff and volunteers work really hard to put on a fun race for you, so there's no excuse for you being mean.

NO MEAN PEOPLE ALLOWED! (Example: Joe Blow shows up at 2pm to pick up his packet, even though packet pickup doesn't open until 3pm. He proceeds to give dirty looks to the volunteers who are setting up, and asks several times if he can pick up his packet early. Mr. Cranky Pants then complains about the long wait, and when he finally does get his packet, he storms out while profanities fly out of his mouth.) This really happened (which is why we now have the No Mean People Rule). Don't do this. It won't get you anywhere

except kicked out of the race. We aren't kidding... go ahead, test us!

But here's a better idea - offer to HELP set up with a smile on your face, and thank the volunteers for their hard work!

**NO
MEAN
PEOPLE**

race day info!



RACE START TIMES:

Half Marathon - 5:30am

15K - 5:45am

5 Miler - 6:00am



START LOCATION:

Kalakaua Avenue, adjacent to Kapiolani Park Bandstand

RACE DAY PARKING:

Waikiki Shell and Bandstand parking lots on Monsarrat Avenue, Honolulu Zoo parking lot, Paki Street parking lots; street parking on the makai (ocean) side of Kalakaua Avenue, on Paki Street, and in the neighborhoods mauka (mountain side) of Kapiolani Park. Please carpool! Please be respectful and keep your voices down if you park in the neighborhood.

ROAD CLOSURES:

Please be aware that both Monserrat Avenue and Paki Street will be closed temporarily starting at 5:20am, so if you are doing the 15K or 5 Miler, be sure to arrive BEFORE the roads close!



RESTROOMS:

The park bathrooms near the Waikiki Shell and the tennis courts will open around 4:30am, and there will be porta-potties located at the makai (ocean) end of the Monsarrat parking lot. Make sure you go at home too! There are plenty of bathrooms available, but still, there will be long lines on race day, so plan ahead and get down there early! On the course, there are bathrooms located at Triangle Park for all distances, and around mile 6 at the Wailupe Beach Park aid station on the half marathon course.



race day info!

AID STATIONS:



serving water and Gatorade:

6 aid stations on the half marathon course

3 aid stations on the 15K course

1 aid station on the 5 miler course



TIME LIMIT:

4 hours = 9:30am

(if you walk slower than a 17 minute mile, we strongly encourage you to switch to the 15K so that we can support you and make sure you'll get that finisher's medal!)

15K and 5 Miler Turn Signs:

If you are doing the 15K or 5 Miler, pay attention to your turns so that you don't accidentally do a longer distance!

There will be turn signs but you need to pay attention!

5 Miler turn:

Turn **RIGHT** immediately after the first aid station



15K turn:

Turn **RIGHT** immediately after the aid station at Aloha Gas Station

FINISHER MEDAL:

Every finisher will receive a medal!



FINISH LINE SNACKS:

Pre-packaged light snacks, electrolytes, and water!

PLEASE THANK THE VOLUNTEERS!

70+ volunteers have donated their time to make this race happen!

please kokua!

Please help us follow these Kapiolani Park rules:



NO DOGS allowed!

NO DRONES allowed!



NO SMOKING and **NO ALCOHOL!**

NO LARGE BACKPACKS allowed!

HEADPHONES are
strongly discouraged!

If you insist on using them, please leave the left earbud out so that you can hear traffic and instructions from police or race staff.

Your safety is our primary concern!

LIVE TRACKING

IF YOU ARE DOING THE
HALF MARATHON DISTANCE,
your friends and family can
follow you here:

WWW.PSERESULTS.COM



AWARDS

will take place
at 8:00am
(AWARDS WILL
NOT BE MAILED)

FIND RACE MAPS HERE:

<http://tropicaltriplecrown.com/hibiscus-half-marathon>

MORE cool STUFF!

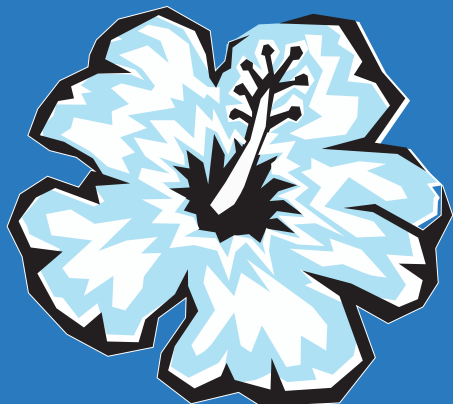
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Don't miss the next two
races of the Tropical
Triple Crown!

Mango Days 5K - June 7th
Coconut Chase 8k - June 21st

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we look forward to
seeing you at
packet pickup!