



**mini
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EVENT INFORMATION

MINI-MARATHON



GENERAL INFORMATION

Dear Mini-Marathon Runner*,

Below, you will find important information about the schedule for this year's Mini-Marathon as part of the Mainova Frankfurt Marathon. Please take enough time to read this information carefully.

COMPETITION RULES

The Mainova Frankfurt Marathon is governed by the **International Rules of Competition** (IWR) of the World Athletics and German Athletics Association.

MARATHON CENTER TRADE FAIR

Ludwig-Erhard-Anlage 1
60327 Frankfurt

The entrances and halls are connected by a pathway system (via Mobile).

DIRECTION

Please travel, if possible, by public transportation as there will be increased traffic in the city during the marathon weekend.

On the day of the event, your race pass/race number serves as your RMV ticket, which means we'll cover your travel costs.

Public transportation (RMV):

Stops in the immediate area

- S-Bahn station „Messe“ (S3, S4, S5, S6)
- U-Bahn station „Festhalle/Messe“ (U4)
- Bus stop „Festhalle/Messe“ (line 50)
- Tram „Festhalle/Messe“ (line 16, 17)

By car: → **Directions**

Parking:

- October 23rd & 24th: all parking garages in the area around of the fair (Rebstockparkhaus Fr+Sa closed)
- October 23rd & 24th: Skyline Plaza parking garage, entrance Brüsseler Straße, 1st hour free of charge
- October 25th: Rebstock parking garage, 60486 Frankfurt am Main, with shuttle service to the exhibition grounds
- Vehicles higher than 2m: Rebstock area, Block D (without infrastructure)

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

- from the Rebstock parking garage we offer a **shuttle service**
- Availability on the weekend of the event: via e-mail to mail@frankfurt-marathon.com

- Information on road closures and detours on 24 and 25 October is available on: +49(0)69 3700 468-60
- On-site medical service can be reached on Sunday on: +49 (0)69 71919192 or, as usual, on the emergency number 112
- Emergency contacts: For the most immediate assistance you should indicate an emergency contact with a phone number in your registration profile and on the back of your race number. Only this person will receive information.
- Lost property: can be handed in and collected at the Info-Point in hall 1, level 2. After the end of the event you will receive information on lost property from 27th October 2026 via +49(0)69 3700 468-20 or mail@frankfurt-marathon.com.

Notice:

For better readability, personal nouns in this document are used in the generic masculine form. For the sake of equal treatment, corresponding terms apply in principle to female and other gender identities to the extent gender identities, as well as to the gender of the individual.



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23.- 25.10.2026 WHAT TO EXPECT AT THE MARATHON WEEKEND

MARATHONMALL INFORMATION AND SALES FAIR

- 📅 Friday, October 23rd 2026 / 12.00 pm – 7.00 pm
- 📅 Saturday, October 24th 2026 / 10.00 am – 7.00 pm
- 📅 Sunday, October 25th 2026 / 7.00 am – 5.00 pm
- 📍 Trade Fair (Messe Frankfurt), hall 1, level 2

PRETZEL RUN – BREAKFAST RUN POWERED BY INTERAIR (ca. 5 km)

The Pretzel Run through Frankfurt with drinks, Pretzels from Schäfer Dein Bäcker and medals (while stocks last), registration required! You'll need to show your race wristband to claim your refreshments at the finish line and your medal.

- 📅 Saturday, October 24th 2026 / 10 am
- 📍 Start: Maritim Hotel forecourt
- 📍 Ziel: Maritim Hotel forecourt

SHOCK-HEADED PETER RUN (420 m) For Children born between 2017 and 2021

- 📅 Saturday, October 24th 2026 / 11.30 am
- 📍 Start: Forum (west side), Trade Fair (Messe Frankfurt)
- 📍 Finish: original „marathon finish“ in the Festhalle

FATTORIA LA VIALLA – TOSCANA PASTA PARTY

(For companions you can buy vouchers there)

- 📅 Saturday, October 24th 2026 / 1.30 pm – 7.00 pm
- 📍 Festhalle & Forum, Trade Fair (Messe Frankfurt)

ECUMENICAL WORSHIP

- 📅 Saturday, October 24th 2026 / 6 pm
- 📍 Festhalle – Blauer Saal, Messe Frankfurt

MAINOVA FRANKFURT MARATHON (42,195 km) + T. ROWE PRICE RELAY MARATHON

- 📅 Sunday, October 25th 2026 / 10.00 am
- 📍 Start: Friedrich-Ebert-Anlage
- 📍 Finish: Festhalle, Messe Frankfurt

MINI-MARATHON (4,2 km)

For children and youth born between 2009 and 2018.

- 📅 Sunday, October 25th 2026 / 11.00 am
- 📍 Start: Friedrich-Ebert-Anlage
- 📍 Finish: original „marathon finish“ in the Festhalle

MINI-MARATHON

YOUR RACE PACK

RACE PACKET & STARTER BAG DISTRIBUTION



Friday, October 23, 2026 | 12:00 PM – 7:00 PM

Saturday, October 24, 2026 | 10:00 AM – 7:00 PM

Sunday, October 25, 2026 | 7:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.



Messe Frankfurt, Hall 1, Level 2 ([→ Hall Map](#))

IMPORTANT

- **Present your race pass** to receive your bib number
- **The starter bag** also works as a clothes bag for the baggage disposal on Sunday

YOU'LL RECEIVE...

- Your personal race number with integrated timing transponder and safety pins for attachment
 - a sticker with your race number for the baggage disposal
 - Your starter bag with information and samples from our sponsors
- > [Click here for your voucher booklet](#)



Other booked additional services can be picked up until Sunday, October 25th 2026, 10am at the marathonmall! You will find the corresponding coupons on your bib number.

THE RACE NUMBER...

- entitles you to participate in the 2026 Mini-Marathon
- is non-transferable and must be worn clearly visible on the chest
- must not be altered, especially the lettering
- no race number = no official results
- serves as a ticket for the RMV area on race day
- please remember to fill out the back of the race number
- Do not bend it, otherwise the time cannot be measured



ADDITIONAL SERVICES



T-SHIRT AND LONGSLEEVE COLLECTION

You can pick up your booked participant shirt at the marathonmall in hall 1, level 2 until Sunday, October 25, 2026, 10:00 a.m.. You will find a corresponding voucher tear-off on your bib number. If you have not yet booked a shirt you can do this online until October 18, 2026 via your Dashboard under "Change registration". Or on site at the HOKA booth.

-> Please pick up your shirt in time. On Sunday 25 October 2026 at 10.00 am, the T-shirts will go on general sale.

T-SHIRT PRINT

You can get your booked flex print printed on a T-shirt of your choice at the marathonmall in hall 1, level 2. If you have not yet booked a T-shirt print,

you can purchase this on site at the marathonmall for an additional charge of €2.

MEDAL ENGRAVING

You can get your medal engraved at the marathon mall in Hall 1, Level 2, on Sunday 25 October 2026 from 12 noon in the race number collection area. If you have not yet booked the medal engraving you can have the medal engraved for € 10 in cash on site.

NICHTGENESENKIDS E.V. CHARITY LANYARD

You can pick up your lanyard at the NichtGenesen-Kids e.V. stand at the marathonmall in Hall 1, Level 2. If you have not yet booked a lanyard, you can this until October 18, 2026 via your dashboard under 'Change registration'. Alternatively, you can pur-

chase a lanyard on site at the NichtGenesenKids e.V. booth.

CHARITY-WISHLET

You can pick up your Wishlet at the ASB stand at the marathonmall in Hall 1, Level 2. If you have not yet booked a Wishlet you can purchase a Wishlet on site at the ASB booth.

PRETZEL RUN POWERED BY INTERAIR

Friday, 23 October 2026: You will receive your Pretzel Run access wristband at the race pack collection point, along with your race pack.
Saturday, 24 October 2026: You will receive your Pretzel Run access wristband in front of the Pretzel Run starting area.

→ [Plan Hall 1](#)

BEFORE YOU START

CLOTHING BAG DROP-OFF

(→ Mini-Marathon Start and Finish Areas)

- You can drop off your clothing bag before the start, starting at 8:00 a.m., in Hall 1, Level 1. To do so, stick the sticker with your race number in the marked area on the clothing bag
- Only Mainova Frankfurt Marathon 2026 starter bags will be accepted
- Other items of luggage can be checked at the coat check in Hall 1, Level 1, for a fee of €4
- Closes after the race at 5:00 p.m.
- There is no option to drop off bags outside of Hall 1.1

TIMING

- is conducted exclusively via a timing transponder attached to the race number
- Please make sure that the transponder on the race number is not bent. Otherwise, timing will not be possible.

WHAT YOU NEED TO BRING:

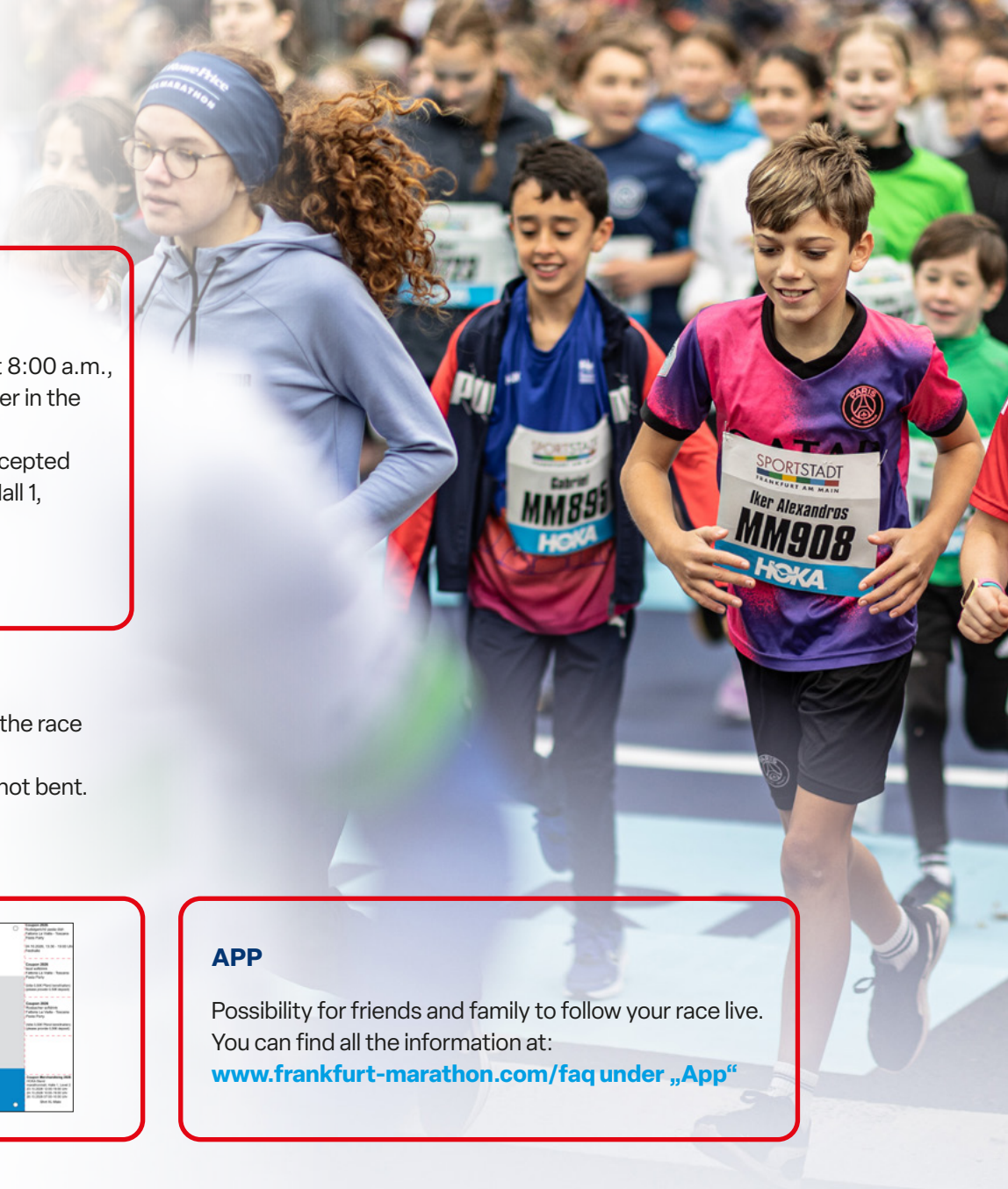
- your personal bib number
- clearly visible on your chest



APP

Possibility for friends and family to follow your race live. You can find all the information at:

www.frankfurt-marathon.com/faq under „App“



THE START

START LINEUP

-  Friedrich-Ebert-Anlage, heading toward downtown
-  Lineup: 10:45–10:55 a.m.
- Start: 11 a.m.

- Access to the starting area is permitted only with an official race number
- **Assignment to starting blocks 4–5**
A „professional“ starting block has been set up for the faster and more ambitious runners. Who is allowed to start in this professional starting block depends on the target finish time provided during registration.
- Runners who have been approved for the „professional“ starting block will have a special mark on their race number (pace bunny).
- Because net time is recorded using timing mats, no one is at a disadvantage, regardless of whether you start from the first row or the last row



Please arrive on time between 10:45 am. and 10:55 am. at the starting line. You will not be allowed to enter the starting area before 10:45 am.

ON THE TRACK

IMPORTANT NOTES:

- Race number ribbons (except for relay teams) are prohibited
- Bicycles or other forms of support on the course are prohibited
- Headphones are prohibited during championship events
- Animals are not allowed on the running course and will result in disqualification
(exceptions for trained assistance animals by prior arrangement)

FINISH LINE

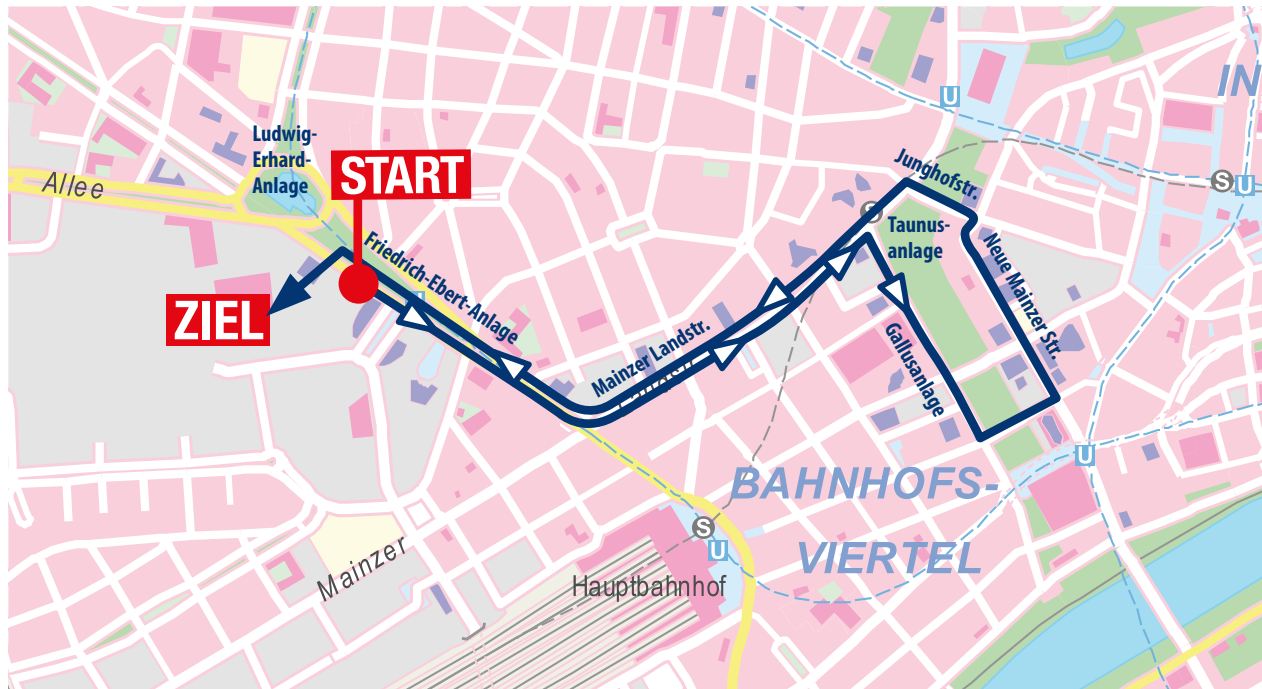
GENERAL INFORMATION

- The finish line is located in the Festhalle, on the grounds of Messe Frankfurt
- Admission is free for spectators
- Please leave the finish area promptly to avoid congestion

HERE'S WHAT YOU'LL RECEIVE:

a goody bag that includes a drink, snacks, and your finisher's medal

-> [overview refreshments at the finish area](#)





AFTER THE RUN

YOUR RESULTS AND CERTIFICATE

can be found online after you cross the finish line at
www.frankfurt-marathon.com under Information -> [Results](#)

AWARDS CEREMONY FOR AGE GROUP WINNERS

- The top three finishers in each age group will be honored at our awards ceremony. The awards ceremony will take place on Sunday, October 25, 2026, at 12:30 p.m. on the event stage at marathonmall, Hall 1, Level 2
- A pasta dinner at Fattoria la Vialla will be raffled off amongst all clubs, whilst schools can take part in the school competition. The fastest school teams will receive prize money.

MEETING POINT

- You can meet your friends, family members, or teachers who do not have access to the restricted areas at Meeting Point P1. This is located on the fairgrounds between the Festhalle and Hall 1 ([→ Mini-Marathon start and finish area](#))
- A-Z orientation signs are posted around P1, which can be used as meeting points. For example, you could choose the first letter of your name, your school, or your club team as a meeting point.