



Dear Runner,

Thank you for entering Valentines 10km race organised by 26.2 Road Runners Club. We look forward to welcoming you on Sunday 12th February 2023.

The race will start promptly at 8am.

Parking for the race is in the Barwell Estate, Leatherhead Road, Chessington, KT9 2NY. This is a short walk from race HQ. Please note that there is no parking in Chessington School. Upon arrival at the Business Park marshals will direct you. Please follow their directions. Please note there is very little on-road parking close to race HQ and parking restrictions apply in most side roads so please use the race parking in Barwell Business Park. It is only a few minutes walk back to race HQ from the parking.

Getting there: From the south, take junction 9 off the M25 and then the A243; from London take the A3 exit at Hook and then the A243. Trains run half hourly from Waterloo to Chessington South Station which is only a 2-minute walk to the race HQ. Bus routes 71 & 465 buses from Kingston via Surbiton both stop either directly outside the HQ (Rte 71) or just across the road (Rte 465). If you are travelling by train, it would be advisable to check for engineering work before you travel.

The start of the race is outside the Business Park on Leatherhead Road. Runners will be held at the end of Garrison Lane prior to the start, a short walk from race headquarters, please be guided by the marshals who will direct you across the road from the HQ to the start.

Toilets are available at race headquarters. There are no toilets at the start. Aim to arrive no later than 7.20am to allow time to collect numbers and get to the start by 7.55am.

Numbers can be collected from 7am at the race headquarters in Chessington School, Garrison Lane, Chessington, KT9 2JS.

Baggage can be left at HQ and will give you a tag for you to write your race number on and attach to your bag. Baggage is left at the owner's risk.

Chip timing is in operation this year and timing will be gun to chip.

The course is not traffic free as the race is on open roads but it is well signed and well marshalled. Please be mindful of other road and pavement users. It is mostly flat with mild undulations after two kilometres, six kilometres and between eight and nine kilometres. Kilometre markers will be displayed. Please follow all instructions from marshals.

Water will provided at approximately half way and at the finish.

Prize giving will be at race HQ after the race. The results will be displayed on our website after the race. We award prizes for the first 3 finishers and first veteran and super veteran for both men and women. There is also a mob prize for the club with the highest amount of entrants.

Headphones are not permitted in this event.

After the race your chip will be removed and then you are welcome to a banana, a Kit Kat, some Love Hearts and a race t-shirt.





Please only race if you are well enough to do so and please understand that all runners run at their own risk.

I look forward to welcoming you on Sunday.

Jacqueline Chang

Race Director

Club Captain 26.2 RRC