INSIGHTS FROM RUNNING AND HYDRATION INTERVIEWS

Running Frequency and Motivation



Info

Many interviewees run several times a week, with motivations varying from physical fitness to mental clarity and meditation.

Respondents: Joe, Nathan, Guillaume, Anaelle, William.

• Social Aspect of Running



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Running with friends or peers increases motivation and enjoyment, especially for those who find it hard to go solo.

Respondents: Guillaume, Joe, Nathan

• Challenges with Hydration Management



Info

Managing hydration during long runs or races is often challenging, with many runners feeling dehydrated during races.

Respondents: Joe, William, Nathan.

• The Importance of Electrolytes and Salt



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For long-distance and endurance running, it's essential to manage electrolyte levels, especially salt, to avoid muscle fatigue and cramps.

Respondents: Anaelle, William.

Avoiding Large Amounts of Water Pre-Race



Info

Drinking too much water right before a race can cause stomach discomfort; runners generally drink more throughout the day before.

Respondents: Nathan, Anaelle.

• Experience and Preparation as Key for Races



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Those with experience prepare extensively, often gradually increasing their training distances to build mental resilience for races.

Respondents: Joe, William.