

Race Rules

The following are the Race Rules for the Stone Mad race. They apply to all participants and are at the final discretion of the Race Director. No challenges will be permitted.

Entry and Registration:

- Participants must be entered and accepted for the Race via the official website
- Participants must register at Race HQ before the start, where a kit inspection will take place (for Ultra and Marathon only).
- Participants must attend their compulsory Race Briefing, as provided in the Race Schedule
- Minimum age of entry is 18 years on 17 June 2017

Personal Information:

- All information provided on the online entry form must be truthful and participants must fully disclose any other information that may be deemed relevant. Where there are any changes to existing medical conditions and/or prescription medications, it is the responsibility of the participant to notify the Race Organisers and medical personnel at Race HQ before the Race.

Race Numbers and Timing Chip:

- Participants must wear official race numbers prominently on the front of the body and must be visible at all times.
- Participants must wear timing chip, where provided. The Race Organisers will not be responsible to provide an official time where the participant has removed, lost or omitted to wear the chip. This may affect the participant's standing on the Leader Board.

Race Route and Navigation:

- Participants must complete the race route, as published on the event website.
- Participants assume responsibility for course navigation. The Race Organisers will not be held responsible for participants' deviations.
- Participants complete the entire course by foot and without any vehicular or propelled assistance.

Check Points:

- Participants must check in at all Check Points and ensure that they have been logged. Failure to do so will result in disqualification.
- Cut-off times will be published on the website for Check Points and will be strictly enforced during the Race.

Conduct:

- Injection of fluids or drugs (intravenous, intramuscular, subcutaneous) during the event will result in immediate disqualification.

- Participants are required to sign a full liability waiver at registration before being permitted to join the Race.
- Participants must refrain from any act of bad sportsmanship.

Mandatory Equipment:

- Participants must carry with them at all times mandatory equipment as described on the event website. Failure to do so may result in time penalties or disqualification.
- The Race Organiser may update or amend these Rules at any time prior to the race. Notice of any material change will be posted on the event website.

Race retirement:

- If a participant needs to drop out during the race, where possible, it must be done at an official Aid Stations where the participant must notify the Race Crew. Efforts will be made to try get the participant back to Race HQ as soon as possible but the participant may wish to arrange his or her own transport if that is quicker.
- In an emergency where a participant has to retire in between Aid Stations, the participant must contact the Race Director immediately who will try to arrange collection. Please note that transport is not guaranteed to be available and in non-emergency situations, the participant may still have to wait several hours before being transported.
- It may be necessary for the participant to arrange his or her own transport in this situation. It is recommended that all participants ensure they have sufficient cash or credit cards with them to arrange their own transport back to Race HQ. Failure by the participant to notify a member of crew or a retirement may result in a Search and Rescue taking place, for which the participant will be charged.

IMPORTANT ACTION! Event Communications:

- Please submit an email account that you check frequently as we will use this to keep in touch with you in the lead up to the event.
- Important race information will be emailed to you.
- No information will be sent out in the post prior to the event.