

RULES AND REGULATIONS ŁEMKO MARATON 48

GENERAL DESCRIPTION

Łemko Maraton 48 is a mountain race which runs along Main Beskid Trail, a tourist trail. To complete the race, a competitor must run (walk) the entire route. The race is timed.

ORGANISER

The race is organised by FUNDACJA ULTRA, ul. Parkowa 19/14, 38 - 400 Krosno

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DATE, PLACE, PROGRAMME

The race will take place between 19th October 2024.

Race office and briefing: Krosno

Start line: Iwonicz-Zdrój

Finish line, closing, award ceremony: Komańcza

COURSE

The race follows the route of the main Beskid Trail from Iwonicz-Zdrój to Komańcza.

Distance: approx. 48 km

Elevation change: +1400m/-1310m

The organizer reserves the right to change the course parameters according to public institutions instructions, for safety reasons or in case of vis maior situations which causes abnormal problems and threats organizing the event.

CHECKPOINTS AND AID STATIONS

The course will include two aid stations, at least one of which will also serve as checkpoints.

Moreover, the organiser reserves the right to set up additional aid stations and checkpoints which can be moved along the entire route.

TIME BARRIERS, RACE CAPACITY

The entire race must be completed within 8 hours.

Time limits applicable at aid stations will be provided once the final locations of these points are determined.

These limits determine the time by which the athlete must leave the aid station.

Maximum number of runners: 500

The organizer reserves the right to add 20 runners at his discretion

The organizer reserves the right to change the maximum number of runners.

ENTRY

In order to enter Łemko Maraton 48, competitors need to be in good physical condition and a clean bill of health (without medical contraindications to take part in mountain ultra runs) and have the necessary experience in mountain runs.

Formal entry requirements are as follows:

- accepting the rules and regulations and registering by completing the registration form
- in case of lottery – a successful draw
- at least 18 years of age no later than the day before the competition
- payment of the entry fee before the limit of places is reached or registration closes
- collecting the start pack, in person, in the race office within working hours
- signing a declaration stating that you are of good health and that you enter the race at your own risk
- signing a declaration permitting the use of personal data of the runner

- signing a declaration permitting free use of the runners' photo (video) image
- on time arrival at the race start line with complete obligatory equipment
- positive result of obligatory equipment checking

Detailed registration procedure has been explained at the website: <http://www.ultralemkowyna.pl/en/entry>

The organizer reserve the right to cancel the registration submitted by a competitor disqualified in any other event organized by Fundacja Ultra. In such case the entry fee will be refunded.

RACE RULES

Competitors cover the entire distance on foot only.

Competitors move along the marked route only.

Each competitor is obliged to observe road traffic regulations.

Each competitor is obliged to observe the general rules applicable within national parks in Poland and in forest areas.

Each competitor is obliged to observe the epidemic rules set by the Organizer as well as the official regulations binding in Poland.

It is strictly forbidden to leave rubbish behind, destroy plants or engage in any other activities which may harm nature.

Pacing and muling is entirely forbidden. Third parties' help is only permitted within the areas defined by the organizer.

Competitor should attach the runner number in a visible place at the front.

Competitors will be classified in female and male categories. The best performers will be awarded prizes.

SAFETY, COMPULSORY KIT

Competitors enter the race at their own risk and in case of injury or material loss they will not lodge any claims to the organisers. By taking part in the race, each competitor declares that their health condition allows them to engage in this type of physical activity. Competitors are obliged to exercise extreme caution at race office, start/finish zones, when crossing paved roads and railway tracks; while running on paved roads competitors are obliged to observe warning signs placed by the organisers, as well as adhere to the instructions given by police and security staff. While using public roads, runners bind themselves to use the pavement or –as second choice – the left roadside. If there is no such possibility, runners use the left side of the road and give the right of way to vehicles on the road.

Due to safety reasons, each competitor is obliged to have the following compulsory equipment with them during the race:

1. water container (0,5 litre minimum)
2. drinking cup (120ml minimum) to receive drinks at aid stations (water bottles and flasks are not allowed)
3. head lamp with fully charged batteries
4. survival blanket –140x200cm minimum
5. whistle (can be an integral part of the backpack)
6. elastic band + sterile dressing
7. valid ID or passport
8. cash – 50 PLN minimum
9. charged mobile phone with roaming enabled, it is obligatory to save the organiser's emergency number and GOPR (Volunteer Mountain Rescue Services) phone number
10. runner number – in a visible place – throughout the entire course
11. footwear appropriate for mountain runs
12. red backlight (lamps on phones are not allowed)

Moreover, the organizer recommends competitors to upload GPX track of the route or the digital map to their devices.

Organizer reserve the right to conduct the checking of the compulsory kit before, during or just after the race. Failure to have any of the above elements of the compulsory kit will result in the competitor being disqualified (does not apply to cash which may be spent during the race and medical materials which may be used if needed).

From dusk till dawn, red light has to be turned on and placed in a visible place on the back of the runner or the backpack.

WITHDRAWAL, INJURIES

If you want to withdraw from the race during the run, you should, as far as possible, do so in one of the checkpoints and inform the checkpoint staff about your withdrawal. If you cannot notify the checkpoint staff it is necessary to inform the organiser by calling the emergency number provided in your start pack. If not injured, transportation will be available only at checkpoints to Komańcza (finish line).

If a competitor requires medical or emergency assistance, they should, as far as possible, inform the organiser at one of the checkpoints or by calling the emergency telephone number. Each competitor, upon seeing that a fellow competitor requires assistance, is obliged to provide such assistance to the extent possible and call the emergency number in order to inform the organiser about the location, injury type and runner number of the injured competitor.

In case of withdrawal from the race, a competitor has to collect the deposit from the finish line, in person. Upon email request it is possible to send the deposit to the competitor at his/her expense.

ENTRY FEE

Competitors pay the entry fee of

Payment date	ŁM 48
until December 31, 2023	199 PLN
January 1, 2024 - June 30, 2024	239 PLN
July 1, 2024 - September 15, 2024	269 PLN
after September 16, 2024	309 PLN

The date when the full fee has been received in the organiser's bank account or the date and hour of online payment (provided by Blue Media S.A.) will be considered the payment date.

The fee should be transferred to the organiser's bank account:

Holder of the account: Fundacja Ultra

Address: Parkowa 19 /14, 38 – 400 Krosno, POLAND

IBAN number: PL 62 1090 2590 0000 0001 4381 7968

BIC/SWIFT: WBKPPLPP

Bank name: Santander Bank Polska S.A.

Please provide your name, surname, course (ŁM 48) in the title of your transfer, f.e. 'Jack London, ŁM 48' or 12-digit registration code.

Moving a runner to other courses is allowed until the October 7th 2024 (from a longer course to a shorter one – without reimbursement of the excess payment, from a shorter course to a longer one – with additional payment of the difference in fee) and only if there is space on the starting list of the particular course.

Transcription of the paid package to another participant will be possible until October 7th 2024. For this purpose, the competitor to whom the package is being transcribed must fill out a form in the B4SPORT ONLINE system, paying a handling fee of PLN 50 and the difference between the current and paid package price. At the moment when the new competitor is already registered, the competitor relinquishing the package should write an e-mail to: kontakt@ultralemkowyna.pl. In the email, the names of the competitors making the transaction between themselves should be included.

Should runner decide not to start, a portion of the fee will be returned by transfer to the bank account or with use of Blue Media payment system. If the competitor wishes to cancel his registration, cancellation must be notified by e-mail to kontakt@ultralemkowyna.pl. Depending on the date of resignation, the fee shall be returned in the following amount:

CANCELLATION DATE:	REIMBURSEMENT:
until February 28, 2024	80%
from March 1, 2024 to 30 June 2024	60%
from July 1, 2024 to September 15, 2024	40%
from 16 September 2024 to 7 October 2024	20%
after 7 October 2024	0%

On participant's request a VAT invoice may be issued for entry fee. Invoices shall be issued only in the month of payment and the data of the buyer must be identical with the data of the person who made the payment. By accepting the rules and regulations, participant agree to be sent invoices without the buyer's signature and by electronic means.

Should you have any doubt, please contact the organizer before the payment.

TRANSPORTATION BEFORE AND AFTER THE RACE, DEPOSITS AND DROPPING BAGS

Tickets for transportation to the start and after the race will be available for purchase until 30 days before the race online at www.sklep.ultralemkowyna.pl. Afterwards there will be no possibility to buy tickets.

Finish line deposit (60 liters max.) and dropping bag for Chyrowa aid station (80km of the course, 40 liters max.) may be submitted not earlier than 1 hour before the start of the race.

In Komańcza the bags will be released in marked zones only upon showing the runner number. A deposit which was not collected during the race may be sent by courier to the designed address, on participant's request filed at kontakt@lemkowyna.pl no later than 1st November 2024. The participant covers all expenses thereof. Sending out the deposits and dropping bags will occur no later than 15th November 2024. Afterwards all deposits and dropping bags will be passed for charity or destroyed.

Detailed hours and zones of submitting deposits and dropping bags will be given not later than one month before the race.

RACE OFFICE

Head office and race office precise addresses will be published on the official website of the event.

SERVICES PROVIDED

As part of the entry fee, the organiser provides the following:

- refreshments on the course
- recovery meal at the finish line
- timing service
- runner number
- a medal for all finishers
- prizes for best competitors
- medical assistance and mountain rescue on the course
- transportation of the deposit bag (60 liters max.) to the finish line in Komańcza

In case of an increase in the consumer price index in the first half of 2024 by more than 10% compared to the first half of 2023, according to the data of the Polish Central Statistical Office, the Organizer reserves the right to resign from some services.

IMAGE PROTECTION, PERSONAL DATA

By entering the race, competitors agree to have their image published free of charge in materials related to the race, i.e. in particular in reports from the race and promotional publications related to the race and its Partners.

The condition for participation in the race is also consent to the processing of personal data of the participant provided in the application form, by the personal data controller within the meaning of the Act on personal data protection of May 10, 2018 and the General Data Protection Regulation No. 2016/679 of 27 April 2016 (RODO), which is the Fundacja Ultra with the seat at Parkowa 19/14, 38-400 Krosno, for the purpose and to the extent necessary for the implementation of the sporting event, including publication of participant's data on start lists and results and sending the participant's result to the telephone number indicated during registration.

The participant has the right to request access to data, rectification, deletion or limitation of processing and opposition to processing, as well as the right to transfer data. Providing personal data is voluntary, but necessary and necessary to participate in a sports event.

Participant's data may be provided to cooperating entities during the event and related actions, based on relevant entrustment agreements. These entities mean in particular: timing system company, fast payment company and Internatiol Trail Running Association, Ultra Cup Poland.

Personal data will be kept for the period necessary to carry out the event.

The participant has the right to lodge a complaint to the President of the Office for Personal Data Protection when he / she considers that the processing of personal data concerning a participant violates the provisions of the General Regulation on Personal Data Protection No. 2016/679 of 27 April 2016 or the provisions of the Act on Personal Data Protection of 10 May 2018.

The administrator may process personal data in connection with the organization of the event Łemkowyna Trail also in cooperation with other people, eg. volunteers, who are carrying out activities related to the organization and the event.

EPIDEMIC THREAT REGULATIONS

Due to possible epidemic threat, the Organizer reserves the right to implement relevant sanitary-epidemiological instructions in compliance with current legal stipulations, advices and medical science.

Every Participant shall be informed about implementation of the Instructions by mail at the address given at registration.

Should the Instructions be implemented, the Participants are obliged to abide, otherwise they shall be subjected to a reminder, a time penalty, denied admission to Event grounds or subjected to disqualification.

The Instructions may introduce numerous amendments to Event organization, in particular:

- DOs and DON'Ts regarding social distancing, face covering, sanitizing etc.,
- a possible change of start procedures – from mass start to group or individual start,
- a possible change of aid stations organization,
- a possible change of race headquarters organization,
- a possible change of Event schedule, keeping the dates as stated in the Rules.

By accepting these Regulations, a Participant acknowledges that even the greatest caution and sanitary-epidemiological compliance exercised by both the Organizer and the Participants does not exclude the risk of transmission of infectious diseases, and that any Participants' claims regarding possible contagion shall be deemed unfounded.

POSSIBLE CHANGES TO RULES AND REGULATIONS

In case Polish and English version of regulations are different, the Polish version is in power. Amendments to rules and regulations will be published on the race website: www.ultralemkowyna.pl

Competitors are obliged to read the amendments to the regulations.