MEET TECHNICAL PACKAGE

2017 ASAA CROSS-COUNTRY CHAMPIONSHIPS Rundle Park, Edmonton

DATE: Saturday, October 21st

VENUE: Rundle Park, Edmonton

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LOCATION: Rundle Park

2909-113 Ave, Edmonton

COURSE: A long loop (3 km) and a short loop (2 km) will be used. The course is in a

municipal park in Edmonton and runs along the North Saskatchewan River.

EVENTS: Four race classifications for males and females:

PARA RACE: As per the ASAA guidelines

JUNIOR: Under 16 as of September 1st, 2017
INTERMEDIATE: Under 17 as of September 1st, 2017
SENIOR: Under 19 as of September 1st, 2017

ACCOMMODATIONS:

1. Holiday Inn Express & Suites North

13742-50 Street Edmonton, AB

40 double rooms booked \$129.99/room – please reference ASAA Provincials

Release date is September 20

Directions to the Hotel – click here

Direction from Hotel to Rundle Park - click here

2. Fairfield Inn & Suites by Marriott Edmonton North

581 Griesbach Parade NW Edmonton, AB

780-540-5100

25 double rooms booked \$129 - please reference ASAA Cross Country

Release date is October 3

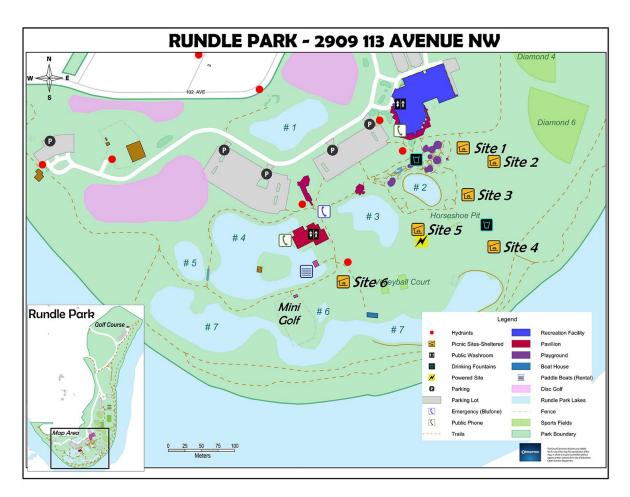
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Directions from Hotel to Rundle Park - click here

Both hotels include breakfast

PARKING INSTRUCTIONS:

There are 2 large Parking Lot areas available for spectators and Buses/Team vans located to the west of the ACT Facility. There is a drop off turnabout in front of the ACT Centre but we are asking that all vehicles refrain from using this area as it is used for City Special Needs programs that run out of the facility.



LUNCH/FOOD: Subway will be available for volunteers. Dogwood Café, located in the ACT Centre will be open and available for all spectators. Athletes will receive a bagged lunch, which will include a vegetarian chili, bun, beverage and snack. Tickets will be included in registration package and need to be redeemed at time of lunch pick up.

SCHEDULE:

FRIDAY: 4:00-6:00pm Registration and walk through at Rundle Park

October 20th Gimmics will be on site in the Gymnasium @ ACT Centre

SATURDAY: 9:00am Registration

October 21st 9:30am Walk through until 10:15am

10:30am Coaches meeting11:00am Opening Ceremonies

11:30am Course Closed

Para Race – 2km

12:00pm Junior Women – 3km
 12:30pm Senior Men – 6km
 1:15pm Intermediate Men – 5km
 2:00pm Intermediate Women – 4km

2:30pm Junior Men – 4km 3:00pm Senior Women – 4km

COACHES MEETING: There will be a pre-competition meeting for all **Zone Coaches** at 10:30am on

Saturday, October 21st and will be run in accordance with the ASAA Cross Country Policy and Procedures. The meeting will take place in the Social Room located in the ACT Centre. This is a mandatory meeting for all **zone** coaches.

RESULTS: This race will be "chip timed". Chips are attached to each athlete's bib number.

Chips must be worn for the duration of the race. Do not fold or bend the bibs as

this will damage the activation strip and the result will not be recorded.

Results will be posted as soon as possible after each race near the entrance/exit to the gymnasium on the outside wall if weather allows and if not they will be posted on the inside walls of the gymnasium. Individual race results and classification school point totals will be posted throughout the day. Final results

can be accessed by going to the Cross-country Host website.

AWARDS: Immediately after each race the top 3 finishers will be presented with ASAA

medals and places 4 through 10 will receive a place ribbon. Photos will be taken of the top 10 finishers of each race and individual photos of each race's winner. Following the competition, the top 1A, 2A, 3A, and 4A school teams will be presented with an ASAA provincial banner and plaque. Teams placing 2nd and

3rd will receive a small keeper plaque. These presentations will be made as soon

as possible after the completion of the final race of the day.

MEDICAL: Athletic Therapists will be on site and located near the finish area.

RACE RULES: ATHLETES ARE NOT PERMITTED TO WEAR AND/OR USE ANY FORM OF AUDIO

DEVICE WHILE COMPETING

NO iPods, MPE players or any other device that requires headphones will be

allowed to be worn during the ASAA Provincial Cross Country Meet.

SOUVENIRS: GIMMICS will be onsite selling souvenir apparel in the Gymnasium located in the

ACT Centre.