BankTrust First Light Marathon January 13, 2013 • Mobile, Alabama

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Join us in Mobile, Alabama on January 13, 2013 as the BankTrust First Light Marathon winds through this exciting port city's historic neighborhoods. Coordinated by L'Arche Mobile Foundation, the event consists of a full marathon, a half marathon, a five-person relay and a 1.2 mile fun run for both runners and walkers.

12th ANNIVERSARY

Date: Sunday, January 13, 2013

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Time: 7:30 AM Marathon Half Marathon & 5-Person Relay

Packet Pickup:

Atrium of Government Plaza Saturday, January 12 12 noon – 8:00 PM Sunday, January 13 6:00 AM – 7:15 AM (pickup only)

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Mail-in registration must be postmarked by December 31, 2012

251-438-2094 www.FirstLightMarathon.com



This beautiful course is a USATF-certified 26.2-mile Boston Qualifier course. The half marathon course is also USATF certified. Run beneath a canopy of moss-draped live oaks past stately Southern mansions as the course winds from downtown through the heart of historic Mobile. The course continues through midtown and scenic Spring Hill, then ends at Bienville Square.

www.FirstLightMarathon.com Sponsored by BankTrust, member FDIC

Download detailed maps and registration forms at www.FirstLightMarathon.com

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RACE DETAILS

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Pre-Race Pasta Party

Saturday, January 12, 2013 5:00 – 6:30 PM Atrium of Government Plaza Free to runners, guests \$5.00

Entertainment/ Course Support

Entertainers will perform on the course and at a Post Race Gala. Volunteers will mobilize community members to work aid and water stations.

Perks

- Tech T-shirt for marathon, half marathon and relay entrants
- Special room rates
- Pre and Post-race Food & Concert

Finishers receive a

Cammie's Old Dutch

Ice Cream in the park

medallion decorated

by L'Arche members



Hampton Inn & Suites Mobile Downtown Historic District Discount Code LFL 251-436-8787

Five Points of Life Kids Marathon

LifeSouth Community Blood Centers is proud to partner with the BankTrust First Light Marathon by organizing The Five Points of Life Kids Marathon program. The program has two goals: 1. provide a safe, family-oriented, healthy event for children in elementary and middle schools; and 2. increase awareness of the five ways to share life through the donation of blood, bone marrow, cord blood, organs and tissues. Children who participate in the program will run a total of 25 miles in the weeks leading up to the BankTrust First Light Marathon. The last 1.2 miles will be completed on January 13, 2013 at the BankTrust First Light Marathon Fun Run. Each child will receive a finisher's medallion, a sense of pride in their accomplishment and, hopefully, a thirst to continue to exercise regularly.

Relay Event

Can't run a marathon? How about five miles? To organize a five-person relay team running/walking the marathon, please visit FirstLightMarathon.com for a Relay application. Become part of the hoopla, team costumes are welcomed.

Requirements

The course is USATF certified (Code AL 04011 JD). Runners should meet the following criteria:

- Must complete the course in seven hours or less (16 minutes per mile)
- Must be in good health
- Must have ID in order to get your race number (race numbers required to participate)
- The half-marathon course is also USATF certified (Code AL 08003 JD) and all rules apply.
- For the safety of all and in accordance with USATF regulations, strollers, pets, headphones and headsets are prohibited.

Start Time

Sunday, 7:30 AM

The Marathon, Half-Marathon and Relay begin on Government Street at Claiborne Street at 7:30 AM The 1.2-mile fun run begins at 2:00 PM on St. Francis at Conception Street.

Awards Ceremony Sunday, 2:30 PM

Marathon and Half Marathon awards will be presented to the top 10 overall winners, top five winners in the categories - masters, grand masters, senior grandmasters, race walkers, the top three winners in age groups beginning with 16 - 19 and every fifth year thereafter and a 15 and under category for the half marathon. Relay awards will be presented to the top three teams in the open, masters, grand masters, senior grand masters. organization, race walker, high school and grade school divisions. Each division includes male, female, and coed categories (grade school is limited to the coed category). Awards are hand-painted canvases by community members of L'Arche Mobile.



Support the winning team at L'ARCHE

Our race medallions, ranked 10th out of all U.S. marathons for 2010 by Marathon & Beyond Magazine, were called a "precious commodity" because they are made with the help of members of L'Arche Mobile, a community where people with intellectual disabilities share life as a family. Proceeds from this event help L'Arche create homes which nurture faithful relationships based on forgiveness and celebration. Raise money for L'Arche through our sponsor program — free marathon entry and other exciting awards and other benefits.

Contact L'Arche Mobile for information at 251-438-2094.

Find out more about Mobile

You'll love our 300-year-old port city. Mobile Bay's unique attractions, exciting outdoor adventures, fresh delicious seafood, Delta excursions, fascinating museums, twenty-one world-class golf courses, white sandy beaches, and beautiful historic homes make the possibilities endless.

- Mobile Bay Convention & Visitors Bureau: www.mobile.org
- City of Mobile: www.cityofmobile.org

Partnerships

- Go Back-to-Back with Mississippi Blues Marathon in Jackson for a 20% registration discount on both events.
- 50 Staters receive 20% registration discount on full or half marathon.

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