

BAKERSFIELD MARATHON

FULL | HALF | 10K | 6K

presented by



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- > Volunteering to help
- > Hosting a neighborhood cheering section
- > Registering for the 6K, 10K, half or full marathon
- > More info at RunBakersfield.com

The 9th Bakersfield Marathon, Half Marathon 10K and 6K is taking place on March 22nd, 2026. We are extremely proud to welcome thousands of participants from across the U.S. and Canada to Bakersfield.

For the safety of our runners certain roads throughout Bakersfield will be closed to vehicle traffic. You can find the exact roads and times of these closures on the back side of this postcard. If you have any concerns or questions regarding these closures please see contact information on the back.

Public bus transportation may be effected in your area. If you are planning to use buses on Sunday before 3:00 PM (March 22nd), please refer to GETBus.org for bus schedule updates.

Lastly, a big thank you for your patience and hospitality! As locals, we share immense pride in our city and want to offer a warm welcome for all our visitors!



IMPORTANT INFORMATION - PLEASE READ

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**SEE MAP ON THE REVERSE SIDE
FOR SCHEDULED ROAD CLOSURES**

IMPORTANT – ROAD CLOSURES ON MARCH 22ND

ZONE 1

STREETS CLOSED
8:00AM - 12:00PM

Kern River Parkway Only
(Bike Path)

- > Race begins at 7AM with runners leaving Kern County Museum to the East.
- > Closed streets will begin opening as the last runners pass through intersections.
- > BPD Officers and Course Monitors will help residents cross the course during gaps in runners.
- > Approximate street opening time can be calculated by using a 15 minute per mile pace.

Example: Panorama Dr. & Mount Vernon Ave. at Mile 4 should open at approximately 8AM (15 x 4 = 60 mins)

ZONE 2

STREETS CLOSED
4:00AM - 2:00PM

18th, 19th, 20th, 21st, 22nd
23rd, 24th, 30th, A St., C St.
California Ave., Chester Ave.
Cypress St., Chester Ln.
Dracena St., Elm St., F St., H St.
Oak St., Oleander Ave., Palm St.
Park Way, Westwind Dr.

ZONE 3

STREETS CLOSED
5:00AM - 10:00AM

Acacia Ave.
Alta Vista Dr.
El Cerrito Dr.
Manor Dr.
Monte Vista Dr.
Panorama Dr.
Pasatiempo Dr.
River Blvd.
Union Ave.
W. Columbus St.

ZONE 4

STREETS CLOSED
5:00AM - 9:00AM

Alfred Harrell Hwy.
Amherst St.
Church Ave.
Eton St.
Haley St.
Harmony Dr.
Mount Vernon Ave.
Panorama Dr.
Radcliffe Ave.
Wenatchee Ave.



If you have questions or concerns regarding these closures, please call 661-432-1231 or email directors@activebakersfield.org.

☞ = mile markers

▶ = course direction

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