



Lake Effect Half Marathon & Quarter Marathon Athlete Guide

Saturday February 14th 2026





PACKET PICKUP TIMES & LOCATIONS

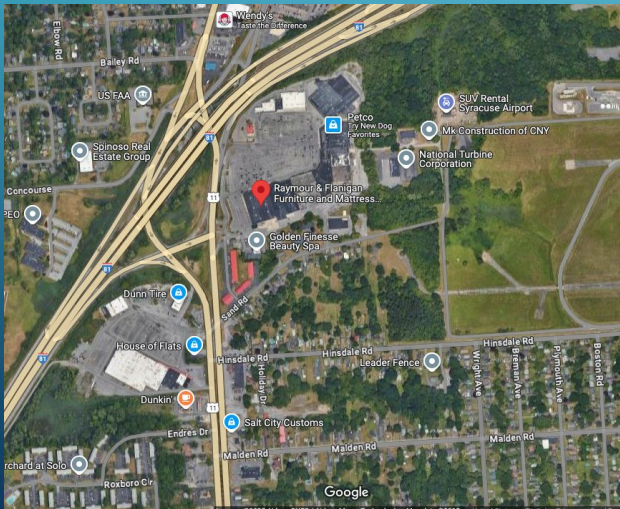
PRE-RACE PACKET PICKUP

When:

- Fri 2/13 from 11AM-6PM

Where:

- Raymour & Flanigan Mattress Outlet
- 132 Northern Lights Plaza, Syracuse, NY, 13212



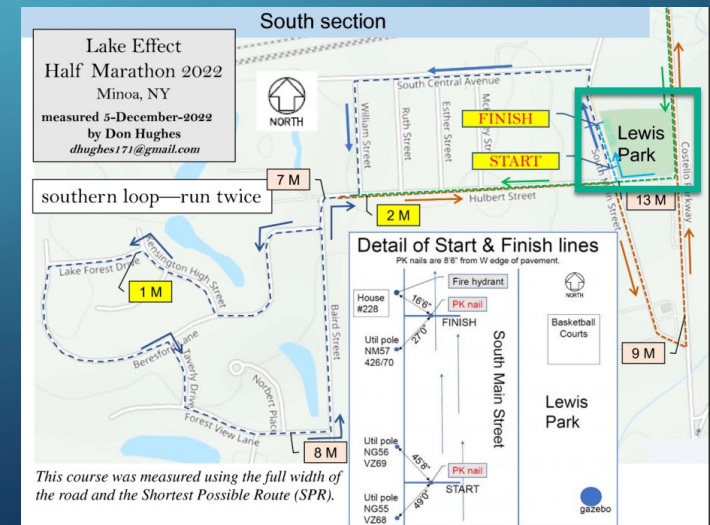
RACE DAY PACKET PICKUP

When:

- Sat 2/14 from 7:30am – 9:15am

Where:

- Lewis Park in Minoa (Venue)
- 225 S Main St, Minoa, NY 13116





BIB & GIVEAWAY PICKUP PROCEDURE

Our Check-in Process

- Step 1 – Queue up to your Event (Half or Quarter) as well as by Last Name
- Step 2 – Present ID to Bib Handout Volunteer (and confirm info accuracy)
- Step 3 – Bib Handout Volunteer Digitally checks you in and pulls Bib
- Step 4 – Review printed Bib (for accuracy) and proceed to Giveaways queue
- Step 5 – Pick-up Giveaway Item (listed on Bib) from Giveaways Volunteer
- Step 6 – If you ordered an “Add-On” please ensure that you pick this item up too!!

FAQ & Answers

Q1: Can I pick up someone else's bib?

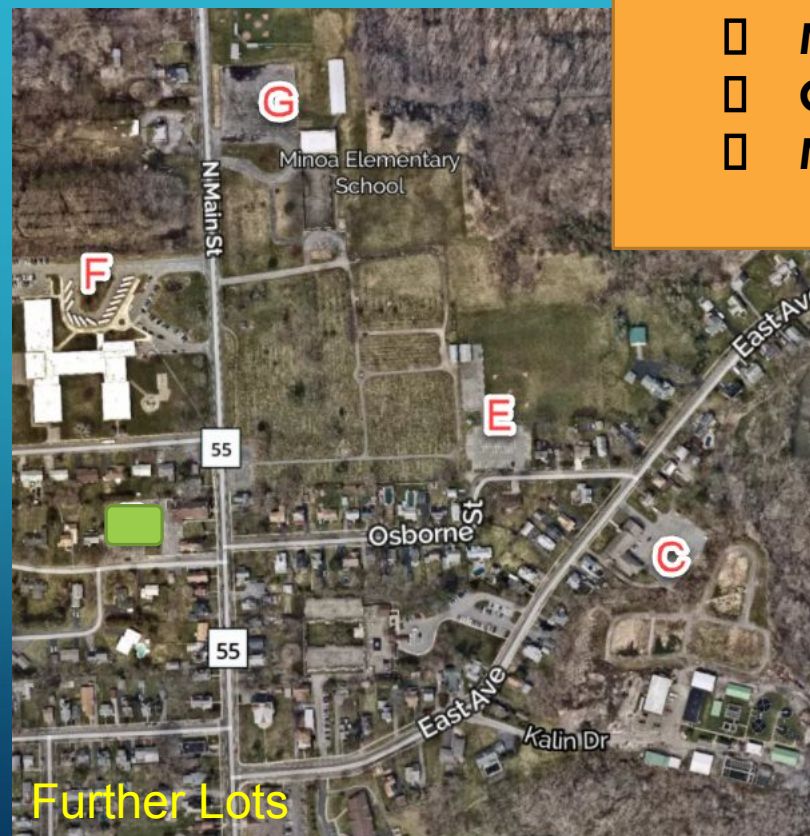
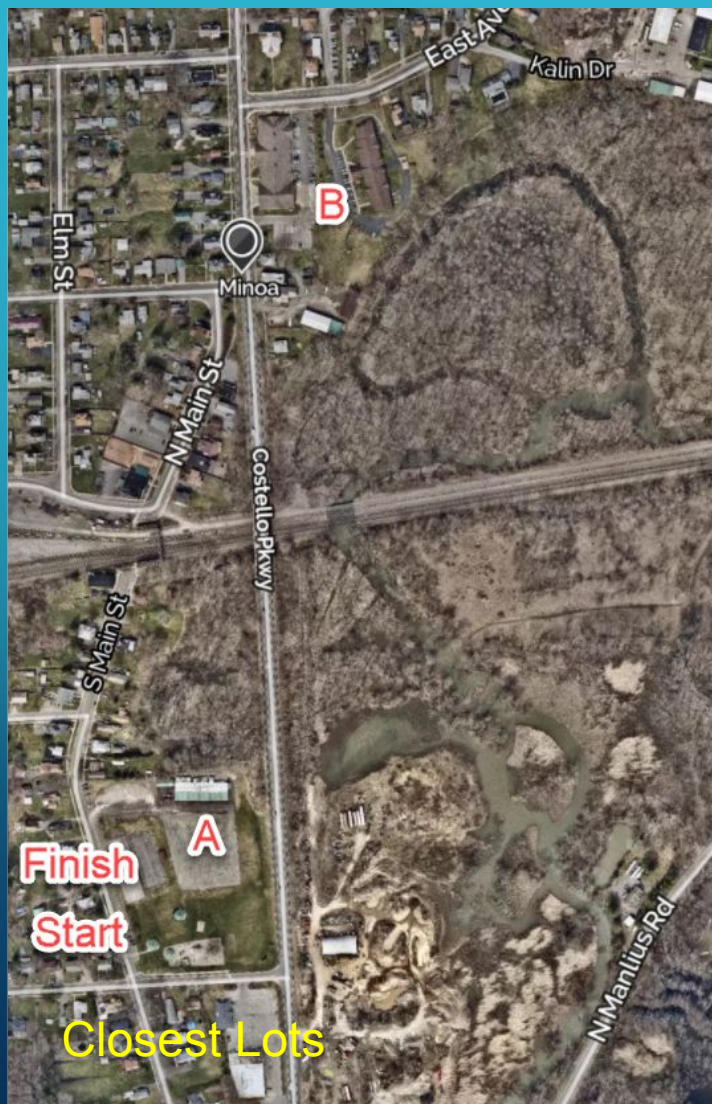
A1: For 2026 you may pick up other's bibs.

Q2: Can I switch out my giveaway size?

A2: Giveaway shirts may be swapped immediately AFTER the event is completed if they are available.



EVENT PARKING LOCATIONS



- **Closest [will fill early]**
 - **Lewis Park (A)**
 - **Minoa Town Hall / Library (B)**
- **Further Lots [up to 0.75mi away]**
 - **Minoa United Methodist Church (C)**
 - **Galuski Field Parking Lots (E) & (G)**
 - **Minoa Elementary School (F)**

When lot is FULL
please proceed to an
alternate lot

Allow time to walk to
Start!



RACE DAY TIMELINE – PLEASE ARRIVE EARLY!!!

Activity	Start	Finish	Comments
Packet Pickup	07:30am	09:15am	Please plan time to walk from Parking to Lewis Park (up to 0.75mi away)
Kids Fun Run Start	8:30am	9:00am	
Line Up in “Start Corral”	09:15am	09:25am	
Pre-Race Briefing & Remarks	09:25am	09:30am	
Start Line Open	09:30am	09:40am	Please plan pre-race routine accordingly!
Post Race Refreshments	10:15am	1:00pm	
Half Marathon Cutoff – 2 nd Lap Start	11:10am	11:10am	Athletes must divert to finish if their time is 1h40m or more at this point
Post Race Awards	11:00am	12:30pm	
Race Closes	1:00pm		Let’s cheer on our FINAL finisher!
Clean-Up	1:00pm	2:00pm	



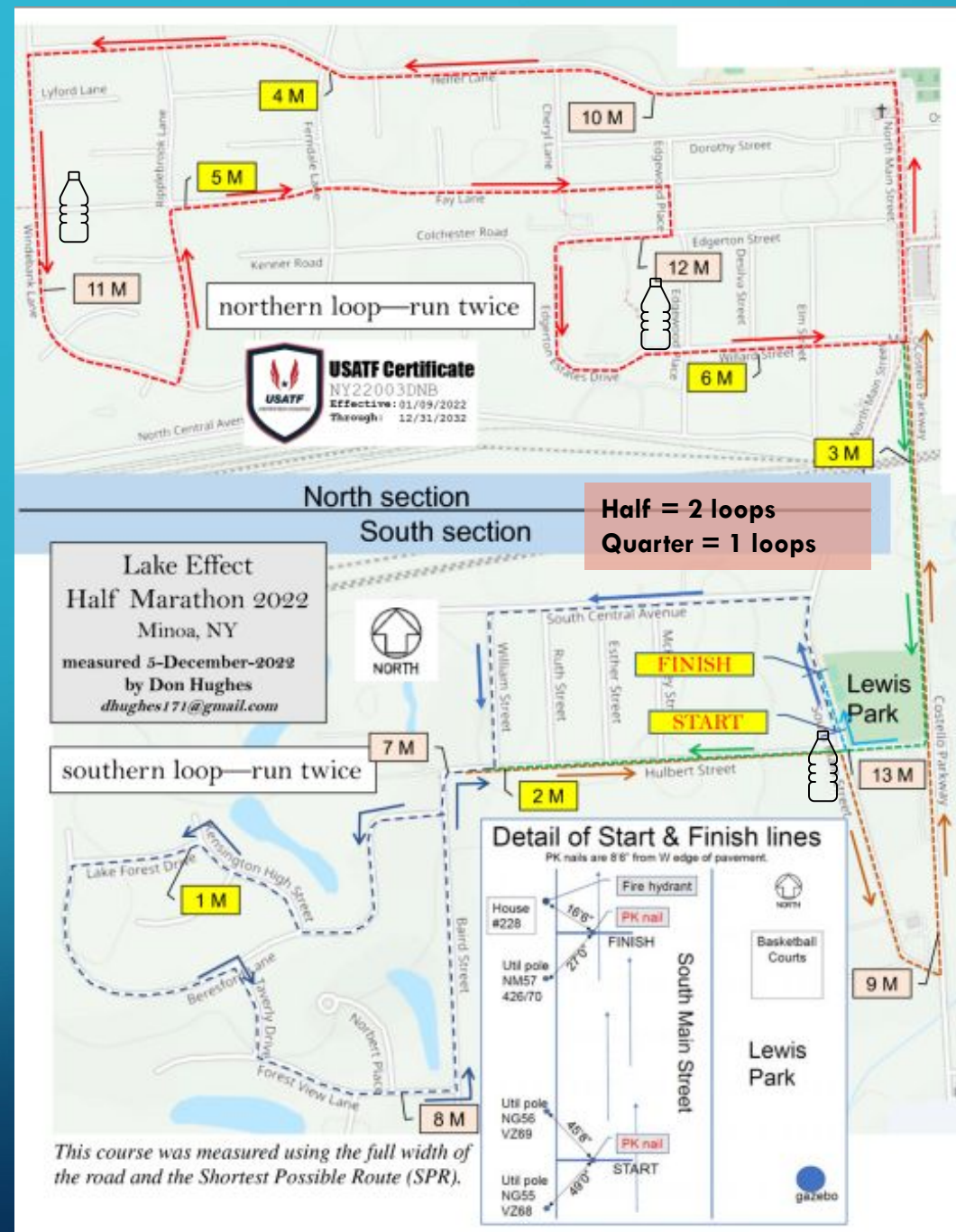
COURSE MAP- KIDS FUN RUN





COURSE MAP

- USATF Certified Half Marathon: NY22003DNB
- Flat & Fast Course
- 3 Aid Stations
 - Water Cups & Gatorade Cups
- EMTs on course
- Police & Course Pointers
- Bike Support – Lead, Sweeper & Monitoring





POST RACE REFRESHMENTS OPTIONS

Post Race Food Area

- ☐ Raymour & Flanigan Water Bottles
- ☐ Dunkin' Donuts
 - ☐ Coffee, Hot Chocolate, Tea
 - ☐ Donuts!
- ☐ Jersey Mike's Subs / Wraps
 - ☐ Limited Gluten Free & Vegan Available
- ☐ Tops Friendly Market Gourmet Cookies
- ☐ Granola Bars
- ☐ Apples
- ☐ Bananas
- ☐ S'Mores

Trappers 2 (Race Sponsor)

- ☐ Use Race Bib Food Coupon for one FREE item
 - ☐ FREE Slice of Pizza or
 - ☐ FREE Draft Beer [must purchase food] or
 - ☐ FREE Soft Drink
- ☐ PURCHASE more food off the menu
- ☐ PURCHASE additional beverages

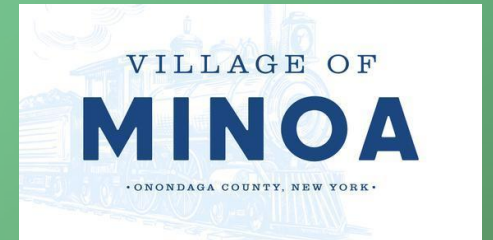


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