



Winter Trail Fest 13.1 & 5 Miler Westside 2026

Timeline of Events

- ▶ Race Day: Saturday, Feb. 21st
 - ▶ Packet Pickup: 10:15am – 11:45 am
 - ▶ Half Marathon Ruck and Early Start: 11:00 AM
 - ▶ Half Marathon Race Start: 12:00 PM
 - ▶ 5 Mile Race and 5 Mile Ruck Start: 12:30 PM
 - ▶ 5 Mile Awards: Approx 1:30 PM
 - ▶ 7.2 mile aid station cut off: 2:04 PM
 - ▶ 10.1 mile aid station cut off: 2:53 PM
 - ▶ Half Marathon Awards: Approximately 3:15 PM
 - ▶ Time Cutoff: 3:45 PM

Location and Parking

- ▶ The race will take place at Yankee Springs State Recreation Area at the Deep Lake Campground. To get the the correct location, use this address - [2526 S Yankee Springs Rd, Middleville, MI 49333](#).
- ▶ When you enter the front gate, you will be instructed on where to park. Please see the map for the new start/finish line
- ▶ There is no parking outside of the campground, there is day parking next to the guard shack but that is reserved for bikers, not racers
- ▶ Remember that this is a State Park and you will be require to have a Recreation Passport (State Pass) for your vehicle! [Please click here for details or to purchase.](#)



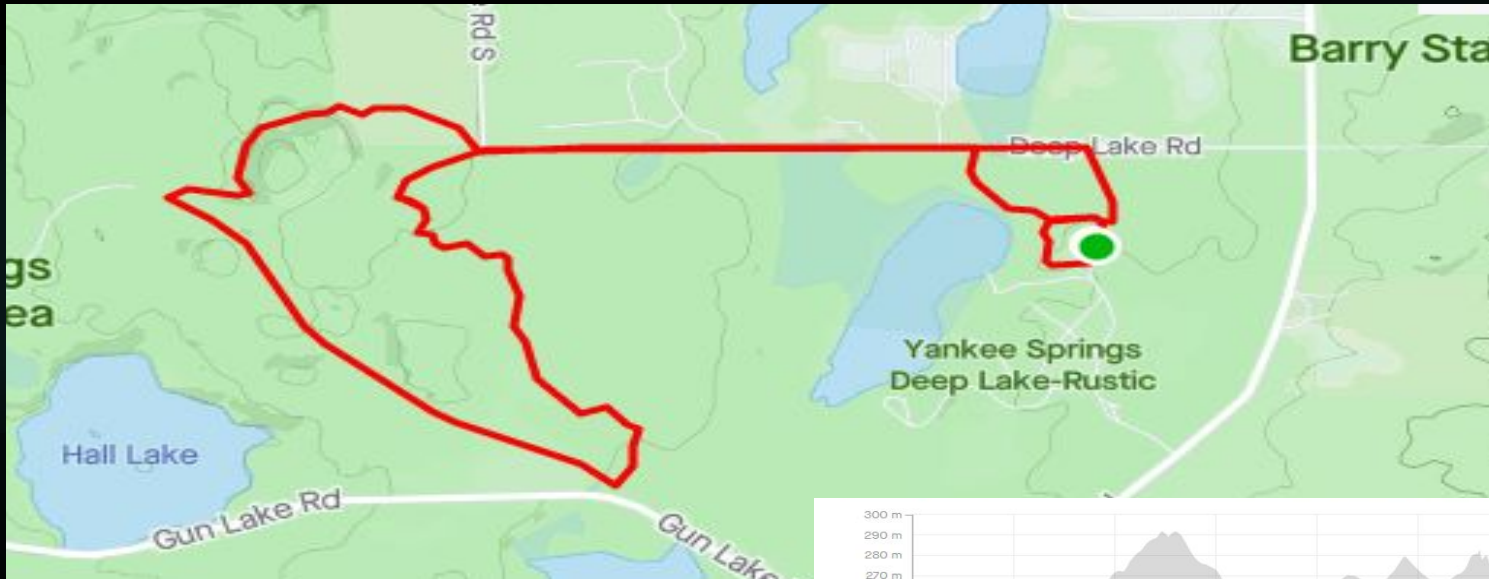
Half Marathon Course Map

- ▶ Click the link to download a GPX Map or to see a Strava interactive map: <https://www.strava.com/routes/2933412056250276800>



5 Mile Course Map

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Course Markings

- ▶ All corners will be marked with trail turn signs
- ▶ Orange surveyor flags and tape will be used on the Half Marathon and the combined course
- ▶ Blue Surveyor Flags and Tape will be used on the 5 mile only course!
- ▶ All flags and tape will be on **THE RIGHT SIDE** of the trail to help guide athletes in the right direction (approx. every .1 miles, more frequently near corners)

Course Signs



Aid Stations

Half Marathon:

- ▶ #1 at Miles 1.3 and 11.7: Water
- ▶ #2 at Miles 3.2 and 4.1: Water/Gatorade
- ▶ #3 at Mile 7.2: Water & Gels
- ▶ #4 at Mile 10.1: Water/Gatorade

5 mile:

- ▶ #1 at Miles 1.3 and 4: Water
- ▶ #2 at Mile 3.3: Water/Gatorade

Bathrooms



At the start and finish
there will be
portables available.

Drop Policy

- ▶ If race day isn't your day, we can get you back to the finish line by checking in at any aid station.
 - ▶ All athletes dropping out must check in at an aid station or the finish line or you may be subject to removal from any future Trivium events. We don't want to be sending a search team looking for someone who is already on their way home.
 - ▶ Switching from the Half to the 5 mile is **ONLY ALLOWED BEFORE** the race. If you decide to switch mid race please let the race directors know at the finish line asap so you can be removed from the half marathon awards.

Half Marathon Ruck

- ▶ Ruckers are hiking with a weighted ruck sack or weight plate carrier and will be weighed prior to the race.
- ▶ Ruckers Under 150 lbs must have a backpack with 20 lbs
- ▶ Ruckers Over 150 Lbs must have a backpack with 30 lbs



What to expect when you finish!

- ▶ We will have hot Cup o Noodles, coffee, hot chocolate, and bonfires!
- ▶ Bring a change of clothes to stay warm and hang out for the post race festivities!
- ▶ Hats for Overall & Age Group Winners



2026 Swag!



Join us for Summer Trail Fest Ultra and get connecting medals!

2026 Medal Designs coming soon!

