

## JEFF GALLOWAY HALF MARATHON 3-PERSON RELAY INSTRUCTIONS Sunday, March 19, 2023, 8 a.m.

We encourage all relay participants to meet their relay team members at the finish line in Piedmont Park. Each relay participant will receive a finishers medal at the finish line of the half marathon.

IMPORTANT: Only Leg 3 (the last participant) should cross the actual finish line in Piedmont Park. Leg 1 and 2 runners may meet up and run in with their Leg 3 runner, but ONLY the Leg 3 runner is to cross the mat at the official finish line. All relay runners will receive a finishers medal, available inside the finish area. Once you pick up your medal, move out of the finish line area to cheer on your Leg 3 runner, and other participants, as they approach the finish.

#### There are multiple options for parking:

Park at the Sage Parking Deck (Atlanta Botanical Gardens) and walk to respective starting points. Leg 2 and 3 won't need to arrive as early as Leg 1.

- Leg 1 (5.5 miles) starting point: 11th and Peachtree Walk
- Leg 2 (5.6 miles) starting point: on the Beltline very close to intersection of Monroe/10th
- Leg 3 (2 miles) starting point: on the trail below Orpheus Brewery at 1440 Dutch Valley Place, Suite 2001, Atlanta, GA 30324
- \* After Legs 1 and 2 finish their relay leg, they can walk to the finish line in front of the Greystone, inside Piedmont Park (see map), and wait for Leg 3 to finish.

#### Other options:

Leg 1 can park in the Sage Parking Lot and walk to the start line (one mile), passing the finish line on the way there.

Legs 2 and 3 can be dropped off at their relay exchange point.

Leg 2 can legally parallel park on Kanuga or Virginia. Leg 2 should NOT park in any of the nearby shopping centers as they boot cars. Leg 3 can park near Orpheus Brewery using street parking.

#### **Gear Check**

Gear check is available for Leg 1, at the start of the half marathon. If leg 2 and 3 runners wish to use gear check, they will need to provide their gear bag to their leg 1 runner ahead of time. Be sure and attach the gearcheck tear tag from your race number to your bag. Leg 1 will drop off any/all gear bags to the Uhaul truck at the start line. The Uhaul will move to the finish line after the race begins and all gear bags will be at the finish line. Each relay runner will pick up their own gear bag, as they will be sorted by race number, at the finish line.

#### **Sage Parking Deck Directions**

The parking garage is in the center of Piedmont Park and shares a parking deck with the Atlanta Botanical Gardens. Parking rate is typically based on the amount of time you spend in the park. Piedmont Park access is on the lowest floor.

#### Address to Parking Garage: 1320 Monroe Drive, Atlanta, GA 30306

The garage is off of Monroe Drive on Worchester Drive, or visitors can enter off Piedmont Avenue at the Atlanta Botanical Garden entrance. The park is accessed from the lowest floor.

#### Reminder: There will only be one team time. Individual times will not be recorded on the official results.

Start Line: 11th Street and Peachtree Walk (Midtown Atlanta), 106 11th Street, Atlanta, GA 30309.

Support Stations: Set at miles 2, 4, 6, 8, 10 and 11.5. \*Porta-Potties will be available at the Start/Finish Line and at each of the support stops. There are also two bathrooms inside the park along the route.

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**RELAY EXCHANGE #1** 

**X** = Relay Exchange Location

### **RELAY EXCHANGE #1 route to walk to finish line**





## **RELAY EXCHANGE #2**

**x** = Relay Exchange Location

## **RELAY EXCHANGE #2 route to walk to finish line**

