

Connect virtually with runners around the world! Virtual Tokyo Marathon 2022 Entries will open on December 24 (Fri)!

The Tokyo Marathon Foundation is pleased to announce the launch of the "Virtual Tokyo Marathon 2022" held between February 5 and March 5, 2022.

It is a month-long virtual event welcoming runners from all around the world. The activity can be recorded through a running app from anywhere, and anytime of the day. Not to mention, the targeted distance can be achieved cumulatively by adding on activities, which means there is no overwhelming stress to finish in one go. We hope all runners can join this event, to boost their daily runs or training to earn finisher certificates and more.

We request our media members to share this event and we thank you for your cooperation.

■ Outline

Event Name: VIRTUAL TOKYO MARATHON 2022

Event Date: 7 a.m. on February 5 (Sat) until 5 p.m. on March 5 (Sat), 2022 (JST)

Distance: Marathon (42.195 km), Half Marathon (21.0975 km)

*You can complete the distance in one or multiple activities/segments.

Field Size: 25,000 Runners (On a first-come-first-served basis)

Entry Fee:

OEntry with Goody Package:

- Japan: 5,000 JPY (Shipping and handling incl.)

- International: 9,000 JPY (Shipping and handling incl.)

OEntry without Goody Package: 3,500 JPY (Tax incl.)

Prize: 1. Commemorative medal, original face cover, original reusable bag

2. 100 finishers will have the chance to win a guaranteed, non-complimentary entry ticket to the Tokyo Marathon 2023 by random drawing.

Entry Period: 12 p.m. on December 24 (Fri), 2021 until 5 p.m. on January 23 (Sun), 2022 (JST) How to Enter:

Register through the official TMF VIRTUAL RUN website (https://tmf-virtualrun.jp/en/).

*Running logs are updated via running apps "ASICS Runkeeper™".

■ ASICS Runkeeper[™] (running app)

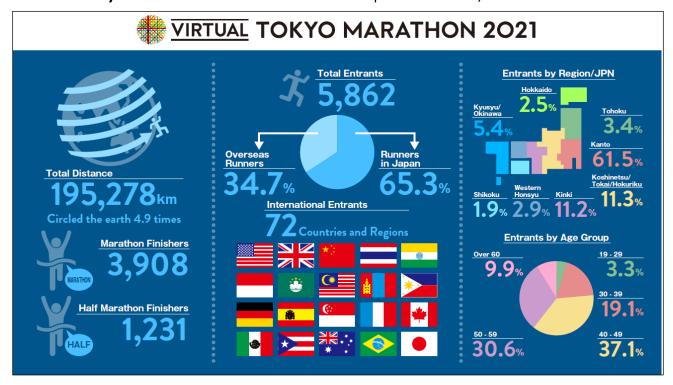
ASICS Runkeeper™ is a running app designed by ASICS, an official partner of the Tokyo Marathon. App details: https://runkeeper.com/cms/

The Tokyo Marathon 2021, postponed from October, will be held on March 6, 2022.

The in-person Tokyo Marathon 2022 is canceled but will be held virtually.

% For details, please refer to our past news release on Sept. 7.

https://www.marathon.tokyo/media/press-release/pdf/210917release_jp.pdf

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■ Voices from 2021

- · Satisfied and happy with the first marathon achievement with the Virtual Tokyo Marathon!
- I'm pursuing the 6 stars World Major Marathons so having a medal from Tokyo even if it's virtual gives me a little taste of that awesome marathon.
- It has been my dream to go and join the Tokyo marathon. It was a good experience to keep focus and Tokyo marathon is still in my bucket list.
- It is more than happy for me to join the virtual marathon with different countries runners!
- · Great reason to run with Tokyo logo in my bib and think about run one day in Tokyo.
- Very free to complete the race. It's fun and without pressure. I could share this to more people benefit of the event.
- · Reasonable price, easy to synced application, everything is good.