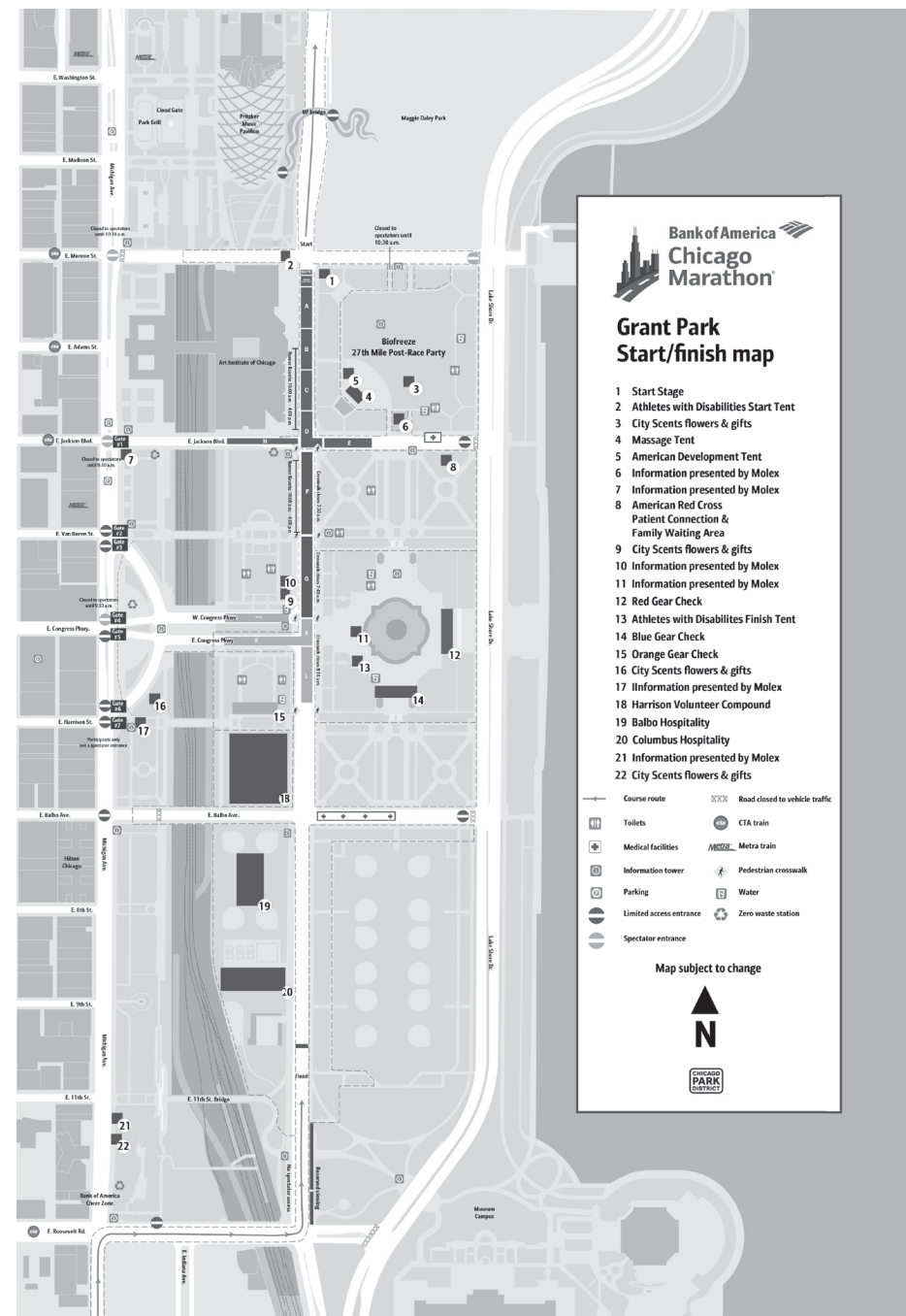


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Participant arrival times

Below are the approximate times the first and last participants will pass through the listed mile markers.

Start to Mile 2

Wheelchair participants: 7:20 a.m.

Runners: 7:30 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.

Mile 2 to Mile 4

Wheelchair participants: 7:26 a.m.

Runners: 7:39 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.

Mile 4 to Mile 6

Wheelchair participants: 7:32 a.m.

Runners: 7:49 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.

Mile 6 to Mile 8

Wheelchair participants: 7:40 a.m.

Runners: 7:58 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.

Mile 8 to Mile 10

Wheelchair participants: 7:45 a.m.

Runners: 8:08 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.

Mile 10 to Mile 12

Wheelchair participants: 7:52 a.m.

Runners: 8:17 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

Mile 12 to Mile 14

Wheelchair participants: 7:58 a.m.

Runners: 8:27 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

Mile 14 to Mile 16

Wheelchair participants: 8:05 a.m.

Runners: 8:36 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

Mile 16 to Mile 18

Wheelchair participants: 8:11 a.m.

Runners: 8:46 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.

Mile 18 to Mile 20

Wheelchair participants: 8:18 a.m.

Runners: 8:55 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

Mile 20 to Mile 22

Wheelchair participants: 8:24 a.m.

Runners: 9:05 a.m. – 2:30 p.m.

Mile 22 to Mile 24

Wheelchair participants: 8:31 a.m.

Runners: 9:14 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Mile 24 to Mile 26

Wheelchair participants: 8:37 a.m.

Runners: 9:24 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.

Mile 26 to Finish

Wheelchair participants: 8:44 a.m.

Runners: 9:34 a.m. – 3:35 p.m.

Viewing areas by CTA trains

Use Chicago's convenient and affordable CTA rail system to view runners at various points along the Bank of America Chicago Marathon.

Grand Red Line Station – Miles 1, 3 and 12.5

Board a Red Line train and exit at Grand Ave. (Mile 1). Walk three blocks west to LaSalle St. (Mile 3) and four blocks west to Wells St. (Mile 12.5).

Monroe Red Line Station – Mile 2

Board a Red Line train and exit at Monroe St.

Chicago Red Line Station – Miles 3.5 and 12.25

Board a Red Line train and exit at Chicago Ave. Walk three blocks west to LaSalle St. (mile 3.5) and four blocks west to Wells St. (Mile 12.25).

Clark/Division Red Line Station – Miles 4 and 12

Board a Red Line train and exit at LaSalle St. (Mile 4). Walk one block west to Wells St. (Mile 12).

Sheridan Red Line Station – Mile 8

Board a Red Line train and exit at Sheridan Rd. Walk four blocks east to Broadway.

Addison Red Line Station – Mile 8.5

Board a Red Line train and exit at Addison St. Walk four blocks east to Broadway.

Sedgwick Brown Line Station – Mile 11

Board a Brown Line train and exit at Sedgwick St. Walk a half-block north to North Ave.

Washington/Wells Elevated Station – Mile 13.5

Board any Brown, Pink or Orange Line train and exit at Washington/Wells. Walk one block west on Washington St. to Franklin St.

UIC-Halsted Blue Line Station – Miles 14.25 and 17

Board a Blue Line train and exit at UIC-Halsted. Use the Halsted St. exit or Morgan St. exit and walk two blocks north to Adams St. to view the runners at Mile 14.25 in Greektown. Or use the Halsted St. or Morgan St. exit and walk one block north to Jackson Blvd. (Mile 17).

18th Pink Line Station – Mile 19.25

Board a Pink Line train and exit at 18th St. Walk four blocks east to Loomis St.

Cermak-Chinatown Red Line Station – Mile 21.5

Board a Red Line train and exit at Cermak-Chinatown.

Sox-35th Red Line Station – Mile 23 and 23.25

Board a Red Line train and exit at Sox-35th. Use the 33rd St. exit (Mile 23) or walk two blocks east on 35th St. to State St. (Mile 23.25).

35th-Bronzeville-IIT Green Line Station – Mile 23 and 23.25

Board a Green Line train and exit at 35th-Bronzeville-IIT. Use the 33rd St. exit (Mile 23) or 35th St. exit (Mile 23.25).

Cermak-McCormick Place Green Line Station – Mile 25

Board a Green Line train and exit at Cermak-McCormick Place. Walk two blocks east to Michigan Ave.

Roosevelt (Red, Green and Orange Line) Station – Finish Line

Board a Red, Green or Orange Line train and exit at Roosevelt Rd. Walk east on Roosevelt Rd. toward the Museum Campus/Grant Park.

Course aid & safety

Aid stations

20 aid stations are located along the course approximately one to two miles apart. Each aid station consists of the following amenities in this order:

- Medical Tent with access to a Runner Transport vehicle*
- Toilet facilities
- Gatorade Endurance Formula (lemon-lime flavor)
- Public address announcer
- Water

Gatorade Endurance Carb Energy Chews will be available in Orange and Fruit Punch flavors at Aid Station 10 (Mile 13.2).

Gatorade Endurance Energy Gels will be available in Apple Pear, Vanilla, Blackberry and Mango flavors at Aid Station 14 (Mile 18.2). One serving of Gatorade Endurance Energy Gel provides 20 grams of carbohydrate, 100mg of sodium and 80 calories.

Aid Stations 15-18 (Miles 19.5-23.5) will offer bananas.

Biofreeze Pain Relief Spray will be available at the Biofreeze Relief Zone located at Mile 21.2 (Cermak Road and Archer Avenue).

Runners are encouraged to familiarize themselves with the locations and offerings at each aid station and prepare for slower traffic in these areas. The aid stations are approximately two city blocks in length; tables with Gatorade Endurance Formula and water line both sides of the street.

Event Alert System

A color-coded Event Alert System (EAS) will communicate the status of course conditions to participants leading up to and on race day. EAS levels range from Low (green) to Moderate (yellow) to High (red) to Extreme (black) based primarily on the weather, as well as other conditions.

- Email and website communication during race week will inform participants of the current EAS status and provide preparation tips based on advance weather forecasts.
- Updates will be made at the Abbott Health & Fitness Expo via public address announcements and color-coded signs.
- On race day, participants are encouraged to stay tuned to the current EAS status via public address announcements and color-coded signs/flags at the start and finish areas, and at each of the 20 aid stations along the course.
- If necessary, additional emergency information will be communicated via email and/or text message.

Medical support

Medical support is available at 21 on-course locations: all 20 aid stations and an additional medical tent in the final mile. Medical tents are indicated by tall, red blade signs with the medical icon. Each medical tent is staffed by a team of medical professionals, is equipped with emergency and first aid supplies and has access to ambulance service.

In Grant Park, the Main Medical Tent, Podiatry Tent and Ice Station are located directly beyond the finish line. An additional medical tent is located in Grant Park adjacent to the Bank of America Chicago Marathon 27th Mile Post-Race Party. For the safety of all participants, only those requiring medical assistance may access the medical facilities.

Course activations

Bank of America Cheer Zones – Miles 13.7 and 26

Join Bank of America at two cheer zones to support all race participants. Cheer items will be provided to help you support your runners, and we encourage you to “high-five” runners as a way of motivating and celebrating their journey to the finish. The Mile 13.7 Cheer Zone will be located on Monroe and Jefferson Streets (two blocks from Union Station). The Mile 26 Cheer Zone is near the finish line at Michigan Avenue and Roosevelt Road (two blocks from CTA Red Line Roosevelt stop).

Connect to the Bank of America Chicago Marathon and each other at bankofamerica.com/chicagomarathon or at [#ChicagoMarathon](https://twitter.com/ChicagoMarathon).

Merrill Lynch Cheer Zone

Head to the Merrill Lynch Cheer Zone to grab a bull bell and join the DJ encouraging runners as they make their way through the West Loop. The Merrill Lynch Cheer Zone is located at Mile 17.1 (Halsted Street and Jackson Boulevard). Also, don't forget to ring the super-sized Merrill Lynch Bull Bell at the Biofreeze 27th Mile Post-Race Party to celebrate with your friends, family and neighbors.

U.S. Trust Cheer Zone

Come make some noise and cheer on the runners giving them an extra push of motivation for the second half of the race. The U.S. Trust Cheer Zone is located at Mile 13.7 on Jefferson Street between Monroe and Adams Streets.

Charity Block Party

Thousands of Bank of America Chicago Marathon participants are running and fundraising on behalf of important local, national and global causes. To celebrate the impact these participants make, the Bank of America Chicago Marathon will host a Charity Block Party near Mile 15. Spectators, family and friends are welcome to cheer on their charity runners at the Charity Block Party located at Adams Street and Loomis Street near Whitney Young High School.

Run Club Block Party

Chicago is a city made for runners and we are excited to welcome run clubs from across the country and around the world to our town for the Bank of America Chicago Marathon. If you are a member of a run club we invite you to join us at the Run Club Block Party near Mile 19. Cheer on your fellow run club members and give every runner the extra motivation they need to tackle the final miles of the race on their way back to the finish line in Grant Park.

Community leaders

In partnership with the communities that comprise the Bank of America Chicago Marathon course, the Chicago Marathon works with local leadership to activate spectators and fans from surrounding homes, businesses, schools and community groups to enthusiastically support Marathon participants. Several community leaders have stepped up to organize their sections of the course by hosting rally stations and volunteering at aid stations.

Volunteer groups

Working behind the scenes at the Abbott Health & Fitness Expo, in Grant Park and along the 26.2-mile course, more than 12,000 volunteers make the Bank of America Chicago Marathon possible.

Abbott Health & Fitness Expo

The Abbott Health & Fitness Expo features more than 200 exhibitors offering Bank of America Chicago Marathon merchandise and the latest in running footwear, apparel, nutrition and technology. Additionally, the Health & Fitness Expo is the home of participant packet pick-up for all Marathon participants. Held at Chicago's McCormick Place, the two-day Expo is free and open to the public.

Location

McCormick Place Convention Center
North Building, Hall B
2301 S. Martin Luther King Dr.
Chicago, IL 60616

**For driving and parking, use the above address for the best access to the Abbott Health & Fitness Expo. The publicly listed mailing address for McCormick Place is 2301 S. Lake Shore Drive.*

Hours/Package Pick-up

Friday, October 5 9 a.m. – 8 p.m.
Saturday, October 6 9 a.m. – 6 p.m.

For a full list of Abbott Health & Fitness Expo exhibitors, go to chicagomarathon.com/expo.

Charity Program overview

Since 2002, more than 116,000 Bank of America Chicago Marathon participants have raised more than \$185 million through the Charity Program. This feat is accomplished by individual participants who sign on to support an affiliated cause and commit to fundraising as a part of their Chicago Marathon journey. Every organization allows its team of runners the distinct opportunity to make more of their Marathon experience by not only accomplishing a personal goal on race day, but by contributing to a larger goal and giving back to a worthy cause.

For the Bank of America Chicago Marathon charities, their mission begins months in advance as they work to ensure runners accomplish their performance and fundraising goals. Each organization dedicates countless hours and resources to recruiting, planning and organizing their charity runner program. The experience begins with training runs for many of the runners along Chicago's lakefront path and suburban locations, and continues with team parties during the training season and pasta parties on race weekend. Charities focus on creating a memorable experience for their runners that lasts well beyond the finish line.

In a sport that focuses on individual accomplishments, the Charity Program transforms the Marathon experience into a team endeavor. It is easy to see why so many runners return to their charity teams year after year.

For a complete list of charities participating in this year's Bank of America Chicago Marathon Charity Program visit www.chicagomarathon.com/charityprogram.

Charity Program growth

The Charity Program has grown from 14 charities with 1,674 runners in 2002 to over 170 charities with more than 10,000 runners in 2018. Last year, charity runners raised \$18.5 million to fund causes ranging from healthier school initiatives, medical research and animal assistance to foreign aid/humanitarian efforts and assisting the families of those in the armed forces. The runners truly take the experience of the Bank of America Chicago Marathon beyond the confines of Grant Park and change lives around the world.

2018 Top 10 charity teams by participation

Charity	Participants
Team World Vision	1,821
Team RMHC	908
American Cancer Society	605
Team In Training – The Leukemia & Lymphoma Society	449
TEAM PAWS	411
ALSAC / St. Jude Children's Research Hospital	396
Muscular Dystrophy Association	285
Mercy Home for Boys & Girls	281
Girls On The Run	277
University of Iowa Dance Marathon	272

Charity Program annual fundraising results

Year	Charities	Participants	Funds raised (\$)
2018.....	170.....	10,000.....	N/A
2017.....	180.....	10,000.....	18,500,000
2016.....	173.....	10,000.....	16,900,000
2015.....	172.....	10,000.....	18,700,000
2014.....	195.....	9,107.....	17,300,000
2013.....	140.....	10,712.....	15,000,000
2012.....	170.....	10,693.....	15,300,000
2011.....	162.....	10,192.....	13,400,000
2010.....	150.....	9,842.....	12,109,000
2009.....	123.....	8,768.....	10,183,855
2008.....	110.....	6,745.....	9,209,000
2007.....	85.....	6,600.....	9,985,482
2006.....	60.....	4,500.....	9,500,000
2005.....	43.....	3,000.....	6,317,000
2004.....	29.....	2,449.....	4,740,000
2003.....	19.....	2,527.....	4,540,000
2002.....	14.....	1,674.....	2,950,000

**2018 number of runners is approximate as of September 2018. Dollar figures will not be available until all charities report their final fundraising results after the race.*

Charity program records were not officially kept until 2002.

Sustainability

Incorporating environmentally and socially responsible practices is an important part of the operational planning, preparation and execution of the Bank of America Chicago Marathon. Areas of focus include waste, climate, equipment & materials, community & outreach, health promotion and innovation. In 2018, the Chicago Marathon was named an Evergreen Inspire event by the Council for Responsible Sport (councilforresponsiblesport.org) in recognition of our sustained commitment to environmental stewardship and social responsibility. The event was certified in 2016, 2012 and 2010, and is the largest marathon in the world to be certified.

Below are a few ways the Chicago Marathon promotes sustainability:

- Participant T-shirts, a product of Nike's Considered Design line, were made from 100 percent recycled polyester fibers.
- Water filling stations will be located in Grant Park for volunteers, event staff, participants and spectators to refill water bottles on race day. Water filling stations will be located at Runner Reunite, the Biofreeze 27th Mile Post-Race Party and gear check areas.
- Zero waste stations will be introduced throughout Grant Park, staffed with Green Team volunteers to aid in the collection and sorting of waste to reduce the amount sent to the landfill. Volunteers will sort waste into multiple recycling and composting options, including discarded Heatsheets, which will be turned into benches by Trex for installation in a Chicago park.
- The event partnered with the Shedd Aquarium to help protect the Great Lakes and raise awareness around the issue of single use plastic pollution. Participants, spectators and event partners are encouraged to "Shedd the Straw" to reduce the use of single use plastic at the event and beyond race day. Visit shedd-aquarium.org/sheddthestrav to learn more.
- McCormick Place, home to the Abbott Health & Fitness Expo, is the world's largest convention center to be a certified sustainable venue under the APEX-ASTM standard.
- The Bank of America Chicago Marathon gives back to the Chicago Park District by annually supporting the Chicago Park District Cross-Country Championships. By helping host three qualifying youth races, the Chicago Marathon shares the joy and reward of exercise and fitness with the next generation. Participating youth receive finisher medals, certificates and T-shirts, along with the thrill of racing.

Chicago champions (1977-2017)*

Year	Name	Country	Time
2017	M: Galen Rupp	USA	2:09:20
	F: Tirunesh Dibaba	ETH	2:18:31
2016	M: Abel Kirui	KEN	2:11:23
	F: Florence Kiplagat	KEN	2:21:32
2015	M: Dickson Chumba	KEN	2:09:25
	F: Florence Kiplagat	KEN	2:23:33
2014	M: Eliud Kipchoge	KEN	2:04:11
	F: Mare Dibaba	ETH	2:25:37
2013	M: Dennis Kimetto	KEN	2:03:45
	F: Rita Jeptoo	KEN	2:19:57
2012	M: Tsegaye Kebede	ETH	2:04:38
	F: Atsede Baysa	ETH	2:22:03
2011	M: Moses Mosop	KEN	2:05:37
	F: Ejegayehu Dibaba	ETH	2:22:09
2010	M: Sammy Wanjiru	KEN	2:06:24
	F: Atsede Baysa	ETH	2:22:03
2009	M: Sammy Wanjiru	KEN	2:05:41
	F: Irina Mikitenko	GER	2:26:31
2008	M: Evans Cheruiyot	KEN	2:06:25
	F: Lidiya Grigoryeva	RUS	2:27:17
2007	M: Patrick Ivuti	KEN	2:11:11
	F: Berhane Adere	ETH	2:33:49
2006	M: Robert K. Cheruiyot	KEN	2:07:35
	F: Berhane Adere	ETH	2:20:42
2005	M: Felix Limo	KEN	2:07:02
	F: Deena Kastor	USA/CA	2:21:25
2004	M: Evans Rutto	KEN	2:06:16
	F: Constantina Tomescu-Dita	ROU	2:23:45
2003	M: Evans Rutto	KEN	2:05:50
	F: Svetlana Zakharova	RUS	2:23:07
2002	M: Khalid Khannouchi	USA/NY	2:05:56
	F: Paula Radcliffe	GBR	2:17:18
2001	M: Ben Kimondiu	KEN	2:08:52
	F: Catherine Ndereba	KEN	2:18:47
2000	M: Khalid Khannouchi	USA/NY	2:07:01
	F: Catherine Ndereba	KEN	2:21:33
1999	M: Khalid Khannouchi	MAR	2:05:42
	F: Joyce Chepchumba	KEN	2:25:59
1998	M: Ondoro Osoro	KEN	2:06:54
	F: Joyce Chepchumba	KEN	2:23:57
1997	M: Khalid Khannouchi	MAR	2:07:10
	F: Marian Sutton	GBR	2:29:03
1996	M: Paul Evans	GBR	2:08:52
	F: Marian Sutton	GBR	2:30:41
1995	M: Eamonn Martin	GBR	2:11:18
	F: Ritva Lemettinen	FIN	2:28:27
1994	M: Luiz Antonio Dos Santos	BRA	2:11:16
	F: Kristy Johnston	USA/OR	2:31:34

Year	Name	Country	Time
1993	M: Luiz Antonio Dos Santos	BRA	2:13:15
	F: Ritva Lemettinen	FIN	2:33:18
1992	M: Jose Cesar De Souza	BRA	2:16:14
	F: Linda Somers	USA/CA	2:37:41
1991	M: Joseildo Rocha	BRA	2:14:33
	F: Midde Hamrin-Senorski	SWE	2:36:21
1990	M: Martin Pitayo	MEX	2:09:41
	F: Aurora Cunha	POR	2:30:11
1989	M: Paul Davis-Hale	GBR	2:11:25
	F: Lisa Weidenbach	USA/WA	2:28:15
1988	M: Alejandro Cruz	MEX	2:08:57
	F: Lisa Weidenbach	USA/WA	2:29:17
1986	M: Toshihiko Seko	JPN	2:08:27
	F: Ingrid Kristiansen	NOR	2:27:08
1985	M: Steve Jones	GBR	2:07:13
	F: Joan Benoit Samuelson	USA/ME	2:21:21
1984	M: Steve Jones	GBR	2:08:05
	F: Rosa Mota	POR	2:26:01
1983	M: Joseph Nzau	KEN	2:09:44
	F: Rosa Mota	POR	2:31:12
1982	M: Greg Meyer	USA/MA	2:10:59
	F: Nancy Konz	USA/MA	2:33:23
1981	M: Philip Coppess	USA/IA	2:16:13
	F: Tina Gandy	USA/IA	2:49:39
1980	M: Frank Richardson	USA/IA	2:14:04
	F: Sue Peterson	USA/CA	2:45:03
1979	M: Dan Cloeter	USA/NE	2:23:20
	F: Laura Michalek	USA/IL	3:15:45
1978	M: Mark Stanforth	USA/AZ	2:19:20
	F: Lynae Larson	USA/SD	2:59:25
1977	M: Dan Cloeter	USA/IN	2:17:52
	F: Dorothy Doolittle	USA/TX	2:50:47

* Official results as of September 2018. Result standings are subject to change in accordance with International Athletics Association Federations (IAAF) Anti-Doping Rules and Regulations.

Champions by country (male & female)*

Brazil (4)	Luiz Antonio Dos Santos	1993, 1994
	Jose Cesar De Souza	1992
	Joseildo Rocha	1991
Ethiopia (7)	Tirunesh Dibaba	2017
	Mare Dibaba	2014
	Atsede Baysa	2010, 2012
	Tsegaye Kebede	2012
	Berhane Adere	2006, 2007
Finland (2)	Ritva Lemettinen	1993, 1995
Great Britain (8)	Paula Radcliffe	2002
	Marian Sutton	1996, 1997
	Paul Evans	1996
	Eammon Martin	1995
	Paul Davis-Hale	1989
	Steve Jones	1984, 1985
Japan (1)	Toshihiko Seko	1986
Kenya (23)	Abel Kirui	2016
	Dickson Chumba	2015
	Florence Kiplagat	2015, 2016
	Eliud Kipchoge	2014
	Dennis Kimetto	2013
	Rita Jeptoo	2013
	Moses Mosop	2011
	Sammy Wanjiru	2009, 2010
	Evans Cheruiyot	2008
	Patrick Ivuti	2007
	Robert Cheruiyot	2006
	Felix Limo	2005
	Evans Rutto	2003, 2004
	Ben Kimondiu	2001
	Catherine Ndereba	2000, 2001
	Joyce Chepchumba	1998, 1999
	Ondoro Osoro	1998
	Joseph Nzau	1983
Mexico (2)	Martin Pitayo	1990
	Alejandro Cruz	1988
Morocco (2)	Khalid Khannouchi	1997, 1999
Norway (1)	Ingrid Kristiansen	1986

Portugal (3)	Aurora Cunha	1990
	Rosa Mota	1983, 1984
Russia (2)	Lidiya Grigoryeva	2008
	Svetlana Zakharova	2003
Romania (1)	Constantina Tomescu-Dita	2004
Sweden (1)	Midde Hamrin-Senorski	1991
United States (21)	Galen Rupp (OR)	2017
	Deena Kastor (CA)	2005
	Khalid Khannouchi (NY)	2000, 2002
	Kristy Johnson (OR)	1994
	Linda Somers (CA)	1992
	Lisa Weidenbach (WA)	1988, 1989
	Joan Benoit Samuelson (ME)	1985
	Nancy Conz (MA)	1982
	Greg Meyer (MA)	1982
	Phillip Coppess (IA)	1981
	Tina Gandy (IA)	1981
	Sue Peterson (CA)	1980
	Frank Richardson (IA)	1980
	Laura Michalek (IL)	1979
	Dan Cloeter (IN/NE)	1977, 1979
	Lynae Larson (SD)	1978
	Mark Stanforth (AZ)	1978
	Dorothy Doolittle (TX)	1977

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Masters champions (1977-2017)

Year	Name	Age	Country	Time
2017	M: Sam Krieg	41	USA (Pocatello, ID)	2:26:40
	F: Dot McMahan	40	USA (Oakland Township, MI)	2:37:08
2016	M: Clint Wells	41	USA (Boulder, CO)	2:24:10
	F: Allison Drynan	40	CAN	2:48:50
2015	M: William Vanos	43	USA (Orlando, FL)	2:30:52
	F: Deena Kastor	42	USA (Mammoth Lakes, CA)	2:27:47
2014	M: Neil Pearson	42	GBR	2:27:25
	F: Theresa Lowry	40	USA (San Diego, CA)	2:50:02
2013	M: Ian Forsyth	41	CAN	2:23:01
	F: Paula Keating	47	CAN	2:49:18
2012	M: Mohammed El Yamani	48	FRA	2:24:43
	F: Tammy Lifka	42	USA (Glen Ellyn, IL)	2:49:02
2011	M: Jason Ryf	40	USA (Oshkosh, WI)	2:21:40
	F: Kathleen Jobes	41	USA (Bethlehem, PA)	2:47:53
2010	M: Richard Cartier	49	CAN	2:29:39
	F: Colleen De Reuck	46	USA (Boulder, CO)	2:34:12
2009	M: Bob Schwelm	50	USA (Media, PA)	2:30:52
	F: Elisabeth Ruel	42	CAN	2:49:45
2008	M: Erik Bush	40	USA (Peoria, IL)	2:33:20
	F: Colleen De Reuck	44	USA (Boulder, CO)	2:32:25
2007	M: Sergey Perminov	41	RUS	2:28:52
	F: Christine Kennedy	52	USA (Los Gatos, CA)	3:02:04
2006	M: Craig Fram	48	USA (Plaistow, NH)	2:30:56
	F: Colleen De Reuck	42	USA (Boulder, CO)	2:33:18
2005	M: Luca Foglia	43	ITA	2:31:23
	F: Colleen De Reuck	41	USA (Boulder, CO)	2:28:40
2004	M: Craig Fram	46	USA (Plaistow, NH)	2:29:30
	F: Jenny Spangler	41	USA (Gurnee, IL)	2:33:36
2003	M: Michel Lavoie	42	CAN	2:29:34
	F: Jenny Spangler	40	USA (Gurnee, IL)	2:32:38
2002	M: Miguel Sanchez	40	CAN	2:24:08
	F: Joan Benoit-Samuelson	45	USA (Freeport, ME)	2:42:27
2001	M: Paul Evans	40	GBR	2:18:34
	F: Anne Van Schuppen	40	NED	2:41:51
2000	M: Jose Picazo	52	FRA	2:32:05
	F: Marie Soderstrom	40	SWE	2:34:58
1999	M: Steve Plasencia	42	USA (Minneapolis, MN)	2:17:02
	F: Gitte Karlshoj	40	DEN	2:35:16
1998	M: Steve Winchel	42	USA (Janesville, WI)	2:24:06
	F: Tatayana Pozdnyakova	43	UKR	2:29:25
1997	M: Yuri Mikhailov	43	UKR	2:25:15
	F: Midde Senorski	40	SWE	2:42:07
1996	M: Yuri Mikhailov	43	UKR	2:24:35
	F: Maria Rosas	40	MEX	2:55:58
1995	M: Luis Lopez	46	CRC	2:25:52
	F: W: Charlene Soby	44	USA (Chicago, IL)	2:49:27

1994.....	M: Ryszard Marczak.....	49.....	POL.....	2:22:11
	F: Mary Ann Malarkey.....	41.....	USA (Evanston, IL).....	3:01:48
1993.....	M: Gary Moss.....	43.....	USA (New Lenox, IL).....	2:34:37
	F: Nancy Rollins.....	46.....	USA (Evanston, IL).....	3:12:30
1992.....	M: Hector Chavez.....	45.....	MEX.....	2:36:07
	F: Becky Sox.....	40.....	USA (Columbia, SC).....	3:11:10
1991.....	M: Tony Burke.....	42.....	GBR.....	2:33:12
	F: Sally Brent.....	40.....	USA (Loveland, CO).....	2:57:19
1990.....	M: Richard Umberg.....	40.....	CZE.....	2:20:17
	F: Anne Roden.....	44.....	GBR.....	2:38:55
1989.....	M: Margarito Juarez.....	44.....	ITA.....	2:44:04
	F: Cesarina Taroni.....	40.....	ITA.....	2:44:04
1988.....	M: Mike Hurd.....	42.....	GBR.....	2:24:15
	F: Barbara Filutze.....	42.....	USA (Erie, PA).....	2:48:49
1987.....	Half Marathon			
1986.....	M: Mike Hurd.....	40.....	GBR.....	2:19:40
	F: Priscilla Welch.....	41.....	GBR.....	2:31:14
1985.....	M: Antonio Villanueva.....	45.....	MEX.....	2:23:55
	F: Elaine Kirchen.....	42.....	USA (New York, NY).....	2:50:28
1984.....	M: Gary Baker.....	45.....	CAN.....	2:32:21
	F: Ann Jamison.....	40.....	USA (Leo, IN).....	2:59:15
1983.....	M: Roger Pflugfelder.....	41.....	USA (Greensburg, PA).....	2:32:05
	F: Laura Tingle.....	46.....	USA (Bradenton, FL).....	3:07:15
1982.....	M: Roger Rouiller.....	44.....	USA (New York, NY).....	2:43:35
	F: Cincy Dalrymple.....	40.....	USA (New York, NY).....	2:43:35
1981.....	M: Roger Rouiller.....	43.....	USA (Lockport, IL).....	2:33:47
	F: Marion Burchfield.....	45.....	USA (Lockport, IL).....	3:10:33
1980.....	M: Roger Rouiller.....	42.....	USA (Lockport, IL).....	2:35:06
	F: Helen Dick.....	56.....	USA (Los Angeles, CA).....	3:08:48
1979.....	M: Roger Rouiller.....	41.....	USA (Lockport, IL).....	2:43:39
	F: Lorraine Norgle.....	41.....	USA (Elmhurst, IL).....	3:37:20
1978.....	M: Lee Wilcox.....	40.....	USA (Stoughton, WI).....	2:33:52
	F: Marion Burchfield.....	42.....	USA (Glenwood, IL).....	3:20:00
1977.....	M: Alex Ratelle.....	52.....	USA (Minneapolis, MN).....	2:38:34
	F: Carol Davis.....	41.....	USA (Winnetka, IL).....	3:42:05

Wheelchair champions (1984-2017)

Year	Name	Country	Time
2017.....	M: Marcel Hug.....	SUI.....	1:29:23
	F: Tatyana McFadden.....	USA (Clarksville, MD).....	1:39:15
2016.....	M: Marcel Hug.....	SUI.....	1:32:57
	F: Tatyana McFadden.....	USA (Clarksville, MD).....	1:42:28
2015.....	M: Kurt Fearnley.....	AUS.....	1:30:46
	F: Tatyana McFadden.....	USA (Clarksville, MD).....	1:41:10
2014.....	M: Joshua George.....	USA (Champaign, IL).....	1:32:12
	F: Tatyana McFadden.....	USA (Champaign, IL).....	1:44:50
2013.....	M: Ernst Van Dyk.....	RSA.....	1:30:37
	F: Tatyana McFadden.....	USA (Champaign, IL).....	1:42:35
2012.....	M: Josh Cassidy.....	CAN.....	1:32:58
	F: Tatyana McFadden.....	USA (Champaign, IL).....	1:49:52
2011.....	M: Kurt Fearnley.....	AUS.....	1:29:18
	F: Tatyana McFadden.....	USA (Champaign, IL).....	1:45:03
2010.....	M: Heinz Frei.....	SUI.....	1:26:56
	F: Amanda McGrory.....	USA (Savoy, IL).....	1:47:25
2009.....	M: Kurt Fearnley.....	AUS.....	1:29:09
	F: Tatyana McFadden.....	USA (Champaign, IL).....	1:50:47
2008.....	M: Kurt Fearnley.....	AUS.....	1:30:16
	F: Amanda McGrory.....	USA (Champaign, IL).....	1:55:12
2007.....	M: Kurt Fearnley.....	AUS.....	1:28:06
	F: Amanda McGrory.....	USA (Champaign, IL).....	1:45:27
2006.....	M: Joshua George.....	USA (Champaign, IL).....	1:38:31
	F: Miriam Ladner.....	USA (Urbana, IL).....	2:04:21
2005.....	M: Krige Schabert.....	RSA.....	1:29:40
	F: Miriam Ladner.....	USA (Urbana, IL).....	2:01:37
2004.....	M: Joshua George.....	USA (Urbana, IL).....	1:36:13
	F: Miriam Nibley.....	USA (Savoy, IL).....	2:05:51
2003.....	M: Joshua George.....	USA (Urbana, IL).....	1:41:01
	F: Christina Ripp.....	USA (Savoy, IL).....	1:56:33
2002.....	M: Adam Bleakney.....	USA (Savoy, IL).....	1:40:14
	F: Tricia Downing.....	USA (Denver, CO).....	1:52:20
2001.....	M: Tony Iniguez.....	USA (Aurora, IL).....	1:37:59
	F: Christina Ripp.....	USA (Urbana, IL).....	1:56:58
2000.....	M: Tony Iniguez.....	USA (Aurora, IL).....	1:41:00
	F: No women competed in the 2000 Wheelchair Division		
1999.....	M: Saul Mendoza.....	USA (Snellville, GA).....	1:37:03
	F: Miriam Nibley.....	USA (Champaign, IL).....	2:03:44
1998.....	M: Franz Nietlispach.....	SUI.....	1:34:22
	F: Candace Cable.....	USA (Truckee, CA).....	1:58:32
1997.....	M: Saul Mendoza.....	USA (Snellville, GA).....	1:37:42
	F: Candace Cable.....	USA (Truckee, CA).....	1:57:32
1996.....	M: Jacob Heilveil.....	USA (Bothell, WA).....	1:39:57
	F: Ann Walters.....	USA (Savoy, IL).....	1:52:13
1995.....	M (tie): James Briggs.....	USA (Champaign, IL).....	1:37:12
	M (tie): Scot Hollonbeck.....	USA (Champaign, IL).....	1:37:12
	F: Ann Walters.....	USA (Champaign, IL).....	1:57:27

Year	Name	Country	Time
1994	M: James Briggs	USA (Champaign, IL)	1:32:14
	F: Ann Walters	USA (Champaign, IL)	1:59:45
1993	M: James Briggs	USA (Champaign, IL)	1:42:03
	F: Ann Walters	USA (Champaign, IL)	1:57:34
1992	M: Vern Achenbach	USA (Birmingham, AL)	1:44:28
	F: Ann Walters	USA (Champaign, IL)	1:44:29
1991	M: Philippe Couprie	FRA	1:41:21
	F: Ann Walters	USA (Champaign, IL)	1:57:17
1990	M: Jim Knaub	USA (IL)	1:42:34
	F: Ann Cody-Morris	USA (Urbana, IL)	1:53:33
1989	M: Scot Hollonbeck	USA (Champaign, IL)	1:45:30
	F: Ann Cody-Morris	USA (Urbana, IL)	1:58:51
1988	No records available		
1987	Half Marathon		
1986	M: Bart Bardwell	USA (MN)	2:10:19
	F: Jonnie Baylark	USA (Bellwood, IL)	3:23:32
1985	M: Robert Fitch	USA (East Lansing, MI)	2:23:41
	F: Jayne Fortson	USA (UT)	2:52:22
1984	M: Robert Fitch	USA (East Lansing, MI)	2:35:06
	F: Jonnie Baylark	USA (Bellwood, IL)	3:29:10

Wheelchair champions by country (male & female)

Australia (5)	Kurt Fearnley	2007, 2008, 2009, 2011, 2015
Canada (1)	Josh Cassidy	2012
France (1)	Philippe Couprie	1991
South Africa (2)	Ernst Van Dyk	2013
	Krige Schabert	2005
Switzerland (3)	Marcel Hug	2016, 2017
	Heinz Frei	2011
	Franz Nietlisbach	1998
United States (50)	Tatyana McFadden (IL)	2009, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017
	Amanda McGrory (IL)	2007, 2008, 2010
	Joshua George (IL)	2003, 2004, 2006, 2014
	Miriam Nibley Ladner (IL)	1999, 2004, 2005, 2006
	Christina Ripp (IL)	2001, 2003
	Tricia Downing (CO)	2002
	Adam Bleakney (IL)	2002
	Tony Iniguez (IL)	2000, 2001
	Saul Mendoza (GA)	1997, 1999
	Candace Cable (CA)	1997, 1998
	Jacob Heilveil (WA)	1996
	Ann Walters (IL)	1991, 1992, 1993, 1994, 1995, 1996
	James Briggs (IL)	1993, 1994, 1995 (tie)
	Scot Hollonbeck (IL)	1989, 1995 (tie)
	Vern Achenbach (AL)	1992
	Jim Knaub (IL)	1990
	Ann Cody-Morris (IL)	1989, 1990
	Bart Bardwell (MN)	1986
	Jonnie Baylark (IL)	1984, 1986
	Jayne Fortson (UT)	1985
	Robert Fitch (MI)	1984, 1985

Champions with multiple victories

Men open

Sammy Wanjiru (KEN).....	2009, 2010
Khalid Khannouchi (MAR, USA as of 2000).....	1997, 1999, 2000, 2002
Evans Rutto (KEN).....	2003, 2004
Luiz Antonio Dos Santos (BRA).....	1993, 1994
Steve Jones (GBR).....	1984, 1985
Dan Cloeter (USA).....	1977, 1979

Women open

Florence Kiplagat (KEN).....	2015, 2016
Berhane Adere (ETH).....	2006, 2007
Catherine Ndereba (KEN).....	2000, 2001
Joyce Chepchumba (KEN).....	1998, 1999
Marian Sutton (GBR).....	1996, 1997
Ritva Lemettinen (FIN).....	1993, 1995
Lisa Weidenbach (USA).....	1988, 1989
Rosa Mota (POR).....	1983, 1984

Men wheelchair

Marcel Hug.....	2016, 2017
Kurt Fearnley (AUS).....	2007, 2008, 2009, 2011, 2015
Joshua George (USA).....	2003, 2004, 2006, 2014
Tony Iniguez (USA).....	2000, 2001
Saul Mendoza (USA).....	1997, 1999
James Briggs (USA).....	1993, 1994, 1995 (tie)
Scot Hollonbeck (USA).....	1989, 1995 (tie)
Robert Fitch (USA).....	1984, 1985

Women wheelchair

Tatyana McFadden (IL).....	2009, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017
Amanda McGrory (IL).....	2007, 2008, 2010
Christina Ripp (IL).....	2001, 2003
Miriam Nibley Ladner (IL).....	1999, 2004, 2005, 2006
Candace Cable (CA).....	1997, 1998
Ann Walters (IL).....	1991, 1992, 1993, 1994, 1995, 1996
Ann Cody-Morris (IL).....	1989, 1990
Jonnie Baylark (IL).....	1984, 1986

Runner up finish followed by victory

Men open

Tsegaye Kebede (ETH).....	2nd in 2010, 1st in 2012
Khalid Khannouchi (MAR).....	2nd in 1998, 1st in 1999
Joseph Nzau (KEN).....	2nd in 1982, 1st in 1983

Women open

Florence Kiplagat (KEN).....	2nd in 2014, 1st in 2015
Rita Jeptoo (KEN).....	2nd in 2012, 1st in 2013
Atsede Baysa (ETH).....	2nd in 2010, 1st in 2012
Constantina Tomescu-Dita (ROU).....	2nd in 2003, 1st in 2004
Ingrid Kristiansen (NOR).....	2nd in 1985, 1st in 1986

Men wheelchair

Marcel Hug (SUI).....	2nd in 2015, 1st in 2016
Kurt Fearnley (AUS).....	2nd in 2014, 1st in 2015
Tony Iniguez (USA).....	2nd in 1992, 1993, 1999, 1st in 2000
Saul Mendoza (USA).....	2nd in 1998, 1st in 1999
Scot Hollonbeck (USA).....	2nd in 1994, 1st in 1995
James Briggs (USA).....	2nd in 1991, 1st in 1993, 1994, 1995

Women wheelchair

Miriam Nibley (USA).....	2nd in 2003, 1st in 2004, 2005, 2006
Candace Cable (USA).....	2nd in 1995, 1996, 1st in 1997, 1998

Top 10 finishers (1977-2017)*

2017 Men

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.....	Galen Rupp.....	31.....	USA.....	2:09:20
2.....	Abel Kirui.....	35.....	KEN.....	2:09:48
3.....	Bernard Kipyego.....	31.....	KEN.....	2:10:23
4.....	Sisay Lemma.....	26.....	ETH.....	2:11:01
5.....	Stephen Sambu.....	29.....	KEN.....	2:11:07
6.....	Kohei Matsumura.....	30.....	JPN.....	2:11:46
7.....	Ezekiel Chebii.....	26.....	KEN.....	2:12:12
8.....	Zersenay Tadese.....	35.....	ERI.....	2:12:19
9.....	Chris Derrick.....	26.....	USA.....	2:12:50
10.....	Michael Shelley.....	33.....	AUS.....	2:12:52

2017 Women

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.....	Tirunesh Dibaba.....	32.....	ETH.....	2:18:31
2.....	Brigid Kosgei.....	23.....	KEN.....	2:20:22
3.....	Jordan Hasay.....	26.....	USA.....	2:20:57
4.....	Madai Perez.....	37.....	MEX.....	2:24:44
5.....	Valentine Kipketer.....	24.....	KEN.....	2:28:05
6.....	Lisa Weightman.....	38.....	AUS.....	2:28:45
7.....	Maegan Krifchin.....	29.....	USA.....	2:33:46
8.....	Alia Gray.....	28.....	USA.....	2:34:25
9.....	Taylor Ward.....	27.....	USA.....	2:35:27
10.....	Becky Wade.....	28.....	USA.....	2:35:46

2016 Men

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.....	Abel Kirui.....	34.....	KEN.....	2:11:23
2.....	Dickson Chumba.....	29.....	KEN.....	2:11:26
3.....	Gideon Kipketer.....	23.....	KEN.....	2:12:20
4.....	Paul Lonyangata.....	24.....	KEN.....	2:13:17
5.....	Stephen Sambu.....	28.....	KEN.....	2:13:35
6.....	Abayneh Abele.....	28.....	ETH.....	2:13:52
7.....	Takuya Fukatsu.....	28.....	JPN.....	2:13:53
8.....	Diego Estrada.....	26.....	USA.....	2:13:56
9.....	Koji Gokaya.....	28.....	JPN.....	2:14:34
10.....	Elkanah Kibet.....	30.....	USA.....	2:16:37

2016 Women

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.....	Florence Kiplagat.....	29.....	KEN.....	2:21:32
2.....	Edna Kiplagat.....	36.....	KEN.....	2:23:28
3.....	Valentine Kipketer.....	23.....	KEN.....	2:23:41
4.....	Purity Rionoripo.....	23.....	KEN.....	2:24:47
5.....	Yebgual Melese.....	26.....	ETH.....	2:24:49
6.....	Atsede Baysa.....	29.....	ETH.....	2:28:53
7.....	Serena Burla.....	34.....	USA.....	2:30:40
8.....	Agnieszka Mierzejewska.....	30.....	POL.....	2:32:13
9.....	Sarah Crouch.....	27.....	USA.....	2:33:48
10.....	Alia Gray.....	27.....	USA.....	2:34:00

2015 Men

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.....	Dickson Chumba.....	28.....	KEN.....	2:09:25
2.....	Sammy Kitwara.....	28.....	KEN.....	2:09:50
3.....	Sammy Ndungu.....	27.....	KEN.....	2:10:06
4.....	Girmay Birhanu Gebre.....	27.....	ETH.....	2:10:07
5.....	Luke Puskedra.....	25.....	USA.....	2:10:24
6.....	Wesley Korir.....	32.....	KEN.....	2:10:39
7.....	Elkanah Kibet.....	29.....	USA.....	2:11:31
8.....	Lucas Rotich.....	25.....	KEN.....	2:13:39
9.....	Abera Kuma.....	25.....	ETH.....	2:13:44
10.....	Fernando Cabada.....	33.....	USA.....	2:15:36

2015 Women

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.....	Florence Kiplagat.....	28.....	KEN.....	2:23:33
2.....	Yebgual Melese.....	25.....	ETH.....	2:23:43
3.....	Birhanu Dibaba.....	22.....	ETH.....	2:24:24
4.....	Kayoko Fukushi.....	33.....	JPN.....	2:24:25
5.....	Mulu Seboka.....	31.....	ETH.....	2:24:40
6.....	Meskerem Assefa.....	30.....	ETH.....	2:25:11
7.....	Deena Kastor.....	42.....	USA.....	2:27:47
8.....	Diane Nukuri.....	30.....	BDI.....	2:29:13
9.....	Jessica Draskau Petersson.....	38.....	DEN.....	2:30:07
10.....	Sara Hall.....	32.....	USA.....	2:31:14

2014 Men

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1	Eliud Kipchoge	29	KEN	2:04:11
2	Sammy Kitwara	27	KEN	2:04:28
3	Dickson Chumba	27	KEN	2:04:32
4	Kenenisa Bekele	32	ETH	2:05:51
5	Bernard Koech	26	KEN	2:08:30
6	Ghirmay Ghebreslassie	18	ERI	2:09:08
7	Lani Rutto	25	KEN	2:10:42
8	Wesley Korir	31	KEN	2:11:09
9	Bobby Curtis	29	USA	2:11:20
10	Koji Kobayashi	25	JPN	2:11:43

2014 Women**

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1	Mare Dibaba	24	ETH	2:25:37
2	Florence Kiplagat	27	KEN	2:25:57
3	Birhane Dibaba	21	ETH	2:27:02
4	Amy Hastings	30	USA	2:27:03
5	Clara Santucci	27	USA	2:32:21
6	Sarah Crouch	25	USA	2:32:44
7	Gelete Burka	28	ETH	2:34:17
8	Melissa White	33	USA	2:34:19
9	Lauren Jimison	24	USA	2:34:38
10	Sarah Cummings	25	USA	2:34:47

2013 Men

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1	Dennis Kimetto	29	KEN	2:03:45
2	Emmanuel Mutai	29	KEN	2:03:52
3	Sammy Kitwara	26	KEN	2:05:16
4	Micah Kogo	27	KEN	2:06:56
5	Dathan Ritzenhein	30	USA	2:09:45
6	Ayele Abshero	22	ETH	2:10:10
7	Hiroaki Sano	29	JPN	2:10:29
8	Moses Mosop	28	KEN	2:11:19
9	Yoshinori Oda	32	JPN	2:11:29
10	Matt Tegenkamp	31	USA	2:12:28

2013 Women**

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1	Rita Jeptoo	32	KEN	2:19:57
2	Jemima Sumgong	28	KEN	2:20:48
3	Atsede Baysa	26	ETH	2:26:42
4	Ehitu Kiros Reda	25	ETH	2:27:42
5	Yukiko Akaba	33	JPN	2:27:49
6	Abebech Afework	22	ETH	2:28:38
7	Clara Santucci	26	USA	2:31:39
8	Melissa White	32	USA	2:32:37
9	Laurie Knowles	36	USA	2:36:29
10	Stephanie Pezullo	31	USA	2:38:03

2012 Men

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1	Tsegaye Kebede	25	ETH	2:04:38
2	Feyisa Lilesa	22	ETH	2:04:52
3	Tilahun Regassa	22	ETH	2:05:27
4	Sammy Kitwara	25	KEN	2:05:54
5	Wesley Korir	29	KEN	2:06:13
6	Bernard Kipyego	26	KEN	2:06:40
7	Samuel Ndungu	24	KEN	2:07:26
8	Dadi Yami	30	ETH	2:07:43
9	Dathan Ritzenhein	29	USA (Beaverton, OR)	2:07:47
10	Shami Dawit	28	ETH	2:08:39

2012 Women**

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1	Atsede Baysa	25	ETH	2:22:03
2	Rita Jeptoo	31	KEN	2:22:04
3	Lucy Kabuu	28	KEN	2:22:41
4	Caroline Rotich	28	KEN	2:23:22
5	Fatuma Sado	20	ETH	2:26:09
6	Renee Baillie	30	USA (Bend, OR)	2:27:17
7	Dot McMahan	35	USA (Royal Oak, MI)	2:32:11
8	Stephanie Pezzullo	30	USA (Charlotte, NC)	2:32:42
9	Laura Portis	25	USA (Kalamazoo, MI)	2:37:18
10	Addie Bracy	26	USA	2:41:29

2011 Men

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1	Moses Mosop	26	KEN	2:05:37
2	Wesley Korir	28	KEN	2:06:15
3	Bernard Kipyego	25	KEN	2:06:29
4	Bekana Daba	23	ETH	2:07:59
5	Ryan Hall	28	USA (Mammoth Lakes, CA)	2:08:04
6	Evans Cheruiyot	29	KEN	2:10:29
7	Kouji Gokaya	23	JPN	2:12:15
8	Hironori Arai	32	JPN	2:13:17
9	Takashi Horiguchi	32	JPN	2:14:48
10	Masaki Shimoju	27	JPN	2:17:49

2011 Women**

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1	Ejegayehu Dibaba	29	ETH	2:22:09
2	Kayoko Fukushi	29	JPN	2:24:38
3	Belainesh Gebre	23	ETH	2:26:17
4	Christelle Daunay	37	FRA	2:26:41
5	Claire Hallissey	28	GBR	2:29:27
6	Yue Chao	20	CHN	2:32:57
7	Askale Tafa	27	ETH	2:33:35
8	Cruz Nonata da Silva	37	BRA	2:35:35
9	Jeannette Faber	29	USA (Portland, OR)	2:36:58
10	Maria De Los Angeles Peralta	33	ARG	2:38:51

2010 Men

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1	Sammy Wanjiru	23	KEN	2:06:24
2	Tsegaye Kebede	23	ETH	2:06:43
3	Feyisa Lilesa	20	ETH	2:08:10
4	Wesley Korir	27	KEN	2:08:44
5	Vincent Kipruto	23	KEN	2:09:08
6	Robert Kiprono Cheruiyot	22	KEN	2:09:28
7	Laban Moiben	26	KEN	2:10:48
8	Jason Hartmann	29	USA (Boulder, CO)	2:11:06
9	Ridouane Harroufi	29	MAR	2:13:01
10	Mike Sayenko	26	USA (Bellevue, WA)	2:14:27

2010 Women**

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1	Astede Baysa	23	ETH	2:23:40
2	Desiree Davila	27	USA (Rochester Hills, MI)	2:26:20
3	Irina Mikitenko	38	GER	2:26:40
4	Mamitu Daska	26	ETH	2:28:29
5	Magdalena Lewy-Boulet	37	USA (Oakland, CA)	2:28:44
6	Kaori Yoshida	29	JPN	2:29:45
7	Jia Chaofeng	21	CHN	2:30:35
8	Tera Moody	29	USA (Colorado Springs, CO)	2:30:53
9	Fiona Docherty	35	NZL	2:32:17
10	Askale Tafa Magarsa	26	ETH	2:32:24

2009 Men**

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1	Sammy Wanjiru	22	KEN	2:05:41
2	Vincent Kipruto	22	KEN	2:06:08
3	Charles Munyeki	23	KEN	2:07:06
4	Richard Limo	28	KEN	2:08:43
5	Wesley Korir	26	KEN	2:10:38
6	Isaac Macharia	30	KEN	2:11:09
7	Sergio Reyes	27	USA (Palmdale, CA)	2:15:30
9	Tadesse Tola	30	ETH	2:15:48
9	Patrick Rizzo	26	USA (Rochester Hills, MI)	2:15:48
10	Benjamin Maiyo	31	ETH	2:16:38

2009 Women**

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1	Irina Mikitenko	37	GER	2:26:31
2	Teyba Erkesso	26	ETH	2:26:56
3	Berhane Adere	36	ETH	2:28:38
4	Deena Kastor	36	USA (Mammoth Lakes, CA)	2:28:50
5	Mizuho Nasukawa	29	JPN	2:29:22
6	Melissa White	27	USA (Rochester Hills, MI)	2:32:55
7	Tera Moody	28	USA (Colorado Springs, CO)	2:32:59
8	Adriana Pirtea	29	ROU	2:34:07
9	Elfenesh Alemu	34	ETH	2:35:36
10	Carol Jefferson	24	USA	2:41:15

2008 Men

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.....	Evans Cheruiyot	26	KEN	2:06:25
2.....	David Mandago	30	KEN	2:07:37
3.....	Timothy Cherigat	31	KEN	2:11:39
4.....	Wesley Korir	25	KEN	2:13:53
5.....	Martin Lauret	36	NED	2:15:10
6.....	Emmanuel Mutai	25	KEN	2:15:36
7.....	Mike Reneau	30	USA (Rochester Hills, MI)	2:16:20
8.....	William Kipsang	31	KEN	2:16:41
9.....	Daniel Njenga	32	KEN	2:17:33
10.....	Richard Limo	27	KEN	2:18:48

2008 Women

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.....	Lidiya Grigoryeva	34	RUS	2:27:17
2.....	Alevtina Biktimirova	26	RUS	2:29:32
3.....	Kiyoko Shimahara	32	JPN	2:30:19
4.....	Constantina Tomescu-Dita	38	ROU	2:30:57
5.....	Desiree Davila	25	USA (Rochester Hills, MI)	2:31:33
6.....	Colleen De Reuck	44	USA (Boulder, CO)	2:32:25
7.....	Bezunesh Bekele	25	ETH	2:32:41
8.....	Paige Higgins	26	USA (Flagstaff, AZ)	2:33:06
9.....	Kate O'Neill	28	USA (Mammoth Lakes, CA)	2:34:04
10.....	Berhane Adere	34	ETH	2:34:16

2007 Men

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.....	Patrick Ivuti	29	KEN	2:11:11.00
2.....	Jaouad Gharib	35	MAR	2:11:11.05
3.....	Daniel Njenga	31	KEN	2:12:45
4.....	Robert Kipkoech Cheruiyot	29	KEN	2:16:13
5.....	Ben Maiyo	29	KEN	2:16:59
6.....	Christopher Cheboiboch	30	KEN	2:17:17
7.....	Bong-Ju Lee	36	KOR	2:17:29
8.....	Michael Cox	31	USA (Princeton, WV)	2:21:42
9.....	Jason Flogel	24	USA (West Des Moines, IA)	2:26:34
10.....	Eric Blake	28	USA (New Britain, CT)	2:26:55

2007 Women

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.....	Berhane Adere	34	ETH	2:33:49
2.....	Adriana Pirtea	27	ROU	2:33:52
3.....	Kate O'Neill	27	USA (Mammoth Lakes, CA)	2:36:15
4.....	Liz Yelling	32	GBR	2:37:14
5.....	Benita Johnson	28	AUS	2:38:30
6.....	Nuta Olaru	37	ROU	2:39:04
7.....	Paige Higgins	25	USA (Littleton, CO)	2:40:14
8.....	Yolanda Fernandez	26	COL	2:45:23
9.....	Tera Moody	26	USA (Boulder, CO)	2:46:40
10.....	Kathy Butler	33	GBR	2:48:21

2006 Men

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.....	Robert Kipkoech Cheruiyot	28	KEN	2:07:35
2.....	Daniel Njenga	30	KEN	2:07:40
3.....	Jimmy Muindi	33	KEN	2:07:51
4.....	Abdi Abdirahman	29	USA (Tucson, AZ)	2:08:56
5.....	Robert Cheboror	28	KEN	2:09:25
6.....	Brian Sell	28	USA (Rochester Hills, MI)	2:10:47
7.....	Japhet Kosgei Kipkorir	38	KEN	2:11:37
8.....	Benjamin Maiyo	28	KEN	2:11:53
9.....	Dejene Berhanu	25	ETH	2:12:27
10.....	Meshack Kosgei Kirwa	31	KEN	2:12:31

2006 Women

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.....	Berhane Adere	33	ETH	2:20:42
2.....	Galina Bogomolova	29	RUS	2:20:47
3.....	Benita Johnson	27	AUS	2:22:36
4.....	Madai Perez	26	MEX	2:22:59
5.....	Constantina Tomescu-Dita	36	ROU	2:24:25
6.....	Nuta Olaru	36	ROU	2:25:37
7.....	Hiromi Ominami	30	JPN	2:26:04
8.....	Lyudmila Petrova	38	RUS	2:27:08
9.....	Kathy Butler	33	GBR	2:28:39
10.....	Dulce Maria Rodriguez	34	MEX	2:28:54

2005 Men

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.	Felix Limo	25	KEN	2:07:02
2.	Benjamin Maiyo	27	KEN	2:07:09
3.	Daniel Njenga	29	KEN	2:07:14
4.	Evans Rutto	27	KEN	2:07:28
5.	Patrick Ivuti	27	KEN	2:07:46
6.	Laban Kipkemboi	27	KEN	2:09:22
7.	William Kipsang	28	KEN	2:09:49
8.	Timothy Cherigat	28	KEN	2:10:34
9.	Sammy Korir	33	KEN	2:10:53
10.	John Gwako	27	KEN	2:12:30

2005 Women

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.	Deena Kastor	32	USA (Mammoth Lakes, CA)	2:21:25
2.	Constantina Tomescu-Dita	35	ROU	2:21:30
3.	Masako Chiba	29	JPN	2:26:00
4.	Colleen De Reuck	41	USA (Boulder, CO)	2:28:40
5.	Eri Hayakawa	23	JPN	2:28:50
6.	Blake Russell	30	USA (Marina, CA)	2:29:10
7.	Kathy Butler	31	GBR	2:30:01
8.	Tatyana Petrova	22	RUS	2:31:03
9.	Kate Smyth	33	AUS	2:33:42
10.	Grazyna Syrek	33	POL	2:36:32

2004 Men

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.	Evans Rutto	26	KEN	2:06:16
2.	Daniel Njenga	28	KEN	2:07:44
3.	Toshinari Takaoka	34	JPN	2:07:50
4.	Jimmy Muindi	31	KEN	2:08:27
5.	Khalid Khannouchi	32	USA (Ossining, NY)	2:08:44
6.	Marilson Dos Santos	27	BRA	2:08:48
7.	Stephen Kigora	29	KEN	2:09:21
8.	Scott Westcott	29	AUS	2:13:08
9.	Ben Maiyo	26	KEN	2:13:17
10.	Paul Koech	35	KEN	2:13:20

2004 Women

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.	Constantina Tomescu-Dita	34	ROU	2:23:45
2.	Nuta Olaru	34	ROU	2:24:33
3.	Svetlana Zakharova	34	RUS	2:25:01
4.	Joyce Chepchumba	33	KEN	2:26:21
5.	Albina Ivanova	27	RUS	2:28:22
6.	Shitaye Gemechu	24	ETH	2:28:28
7.	Marla Runyan	35	USA (Eugene, OR)	2:28:33
8.	Derartu Tulu	32	ETH	2:30:21
9.	Blake Russell	29	USA (Acton, MA)	2:32:04
10.	Jenny Spangler	41	USA (Gurnee, IL)	2:33:36

2003 Men

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.	Evans Rutto	25	KEN	2:05:50
2.	Paul Koech	34	KEN	2:07:07
3.	Daniel Njenga	27	KEN	2:07:41
4.	Peter Chebet	26	KEN	2:08:43
5.	Jimmy Muindi	30	KEN	2:08:57
6.	Abdelkader El Mouaziz	34	MAR	2:09:38
7.	Meb Keflezighi	28	USA (Mammoth Lakes, CA)	2:10:03
8.	Hendrik Ramaala	31	RSA	2:10:55
9.	Sisay Bezabeh	26	AUS	2:11:08
10.	Josephat Kiprono	29	KEN	2:11:30

2003 Women

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.	Svetlana Zakharova	33	RUS	2:23:07
2.	Constantina Tomescu-Dita	33	ROU	2:23:35
3.	Jelena Prokopchuka	27	LAT	2:24:53
4.	Albina Ivanova	26	RUS	2:25:35
5.	Grazyna Syrek	31	POL	2:26:22
6.	Malgorzata Sobanska	34	POL	2:27:50
7.	Colleen De Reuck	39	USA (Boulder, CO)	2:28:01
8.	Madina Biktagirova	39	RUS	2:28:33
9.	Nuta Olaru	33	ROU	2:29:00
10.	Deeja Youngquist	26	USA (Albuquerque, NM)	2:29:01

2002 Men

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.	Khalid Khannouchi.....	30	USA (Ossining, NY)	2:05:56
2.	Daniel Njenga.....	26	KEN	2:06:16
2.	Toshinari Takaoka.....	32	JPN	2:06:16
4.	Paul Tergat.....	33	KEN	2:06:18
5.	Abdelkader El Mouaziz.....	33	MAR	2:06:46
6.	Alan Culpepper.....	30	USA (Louisville, CO)	2:09:41
7.	John Kagwe.....	33	KEN	2:10:02
8.	Driss El Himer.....	28	FRA	2:11:51
9.	Peter Githuka.....	33	KEN	2:12:43
10.	Tobias Hiskia.....	25	NAM	2:13:16

2002 Women

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.	Paula Radcliffe.....	28	GBR	2:17:18 WR
2.	Catherine Ndereba.....	30	KEN	2:19:26
3.	Yoko Shibui.....	23	JPN	2:21:22
4.	Svetlana Zakharova.....	32	RUS	2:21:31
5.	Madina Biktagirova.....	38	RUS	2:25:20
6.	Deena Drossin.....	29	USA (Mammoth Lakes, CA)	2:26:53
7.	Obata Kayoko.....	30	JPN	2:28:15
8.	Nuta Olaru.....	32	ROU	2:31:37
9.	Masako Chiba.....	26	JPN	2:34:36
10.	Jeanne Hennessy.....	24	USA (Mahopac, NY)	2:35:53

2001 Men

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.	Ben Kimondiu.....	23	KEN	2:08:52
2.	Paul Tergat.....	32	KEN	2:08:56
3.	Peter Githuka.....	32	KEN	2:09:00
4.	Mohamed Ouadi.....	31	FRA	2:09:26
5.	Noriaki Igarashi.....	28	JPN	2:09:35
6.	Rod DeHaven.....	34	USA (Madison, WI)	2:11:40
7.	Ondoro Osoro.....	34	KEN	2:11:44
8.	Shaun Creighton.....	33	AUS	2:11:54
9.	Mitsunori Hirayama.....	25	JPN	2:12:25
10.	Simon Mphulanyane.....	30	RSA	2:12:44

2001 Women

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.	Catherine Ndereba.....	29	KEN	2:18:47 WR
2.	Elfenesh Alemu.....	26	ETH	2:24:54
3.	Kerryn McCann.....	34	AUS	2:26:04
4.	Malgorzata Sobanska.....	31	POL	2:26:08
5.	Nives Curti.....	32	ITA	2:28:59
6.	Kayoko Obata.....	30	JPN	2:32:19
7.	Ichiko Naganuma.....	29	JPN	2:34:02
8.	Anne van Schuppen.....	40	NED	2:41:51
9.	Karin Schoen.....	39	SWE	2:42:27
10.	Kelly Keeler.....	39	USA (Bloomington, MN)	2:43:06

2000 Men

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.	Khalid Khannouchi.....	28	USA (Ossining, NY)	2:07:01
2.	Josephat Kiprono.....	26	KEN	2:07:29
3.	Moses Tanui.....	35	KEN	2:07:47
4.	Peter Githuka.....	31	KEN	2:08:02
5.	Fred Kiprop.....	26	KEN	2:08:23
6.	William Kiplagat.....	28	KEN	2:11:57
7.	David Morris.....	30	USA (Albuquerque, NM)	2:12:00
8.	Eric Mack.....	26	USA (Las Vegas, NV)	2:12:42
9.	Yi Yong Kim.....	27	KOR	2:13:02
10.	Josh Cox.....	25	USA (El Cajon, CA)	2:13:55

2000 Women

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.	Catherine Ndereba.....	28	KEN	2:21:33
2.	Lornah Kiplagat.....	26	KEN	2:22:36
3.	Irina Timofeyeva.....	30	RUS	2:29:13
4.	Elana Meyer.....	34	RSA	2:31:59
4.	Kayoko Obata.....	29	JPN	2:31:59
6.	Libbie Hickman.....	35	USA (Fort Collins, CO)	2:32:09
7.	Christine Junkermann.....	28	USA (Woodridge, CT)	2:32:45
8.	Kristy Johnston.....	35	USA (Shepherdstown, WV)	2:33:20
9.	Marie Soderstrom.....	40	SWE	2:34:58
10.	Ann Schaefer-Coles.....	35	USA (Algonquin, IL)	2:37:48

1999 Men

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.	Khalid Khannouchi.....	27	MAR.....	2:05:42 WR
2.	Moses Tanui.....	34	KEN.....	2:06:16
3.	Ondoro Osoro.....	31	KEN.....	2:08:00
4.	David Morris.....	29	USA (Albuquerque, NM).....	2:09:32
5.	Simon Bor.....	30	KEN.....	2:09:35
6.	Eder Moreno Fiahlo.....	26	BRA.....	2:09:36
7.	Joseph Kahugu.....	28	KEN.....	2:09:37
8.	James Kariuki.....	27	KEN.....	2:11:14
9.	Simon Lopuyet.....	26	KEN.....	2:11:44
10.	Thabiso Moquali.....	31	LES.....	2:12:20

1999 Women

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.	Joyce Chepchumba.....	28	KEN.....	2:25:59
2.	Margaret Okayo.....	23	KEN.....	2:26:00
3.	Elana Meyer.....	33	RSA.....	2:27:17
4.	Colleen De Reuck.....	35	RSA.....	2:27:30
5.	Irina Bogacheva.....	38	KGZ.....	2:27:46
6.	Libbie Hickman.....	34	USA (Fort Collins, CO).....	2:28:34
7.	Marian Sutton.....	36	GBR.....	2:28:42
8.	Renata Paradowska.....	29	POL.....	2:31:59
9.	Albina Galliamova.....	35	RUS.....	2:32:24
10.	Kristy Johnston.....	34	USA (Shepherdstown, WV).....	2:32:34

1998 Men

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.	Ondoro Osoro.....	30	KEN.....	2:06:54
2.	Khalid Khannouchi.....	26	MAR.....	2:07:19
3.	Gert Thys.....	26	RSA.....	2:07:45
4.	Joseph Kahugu.....	27	KEN.....	2:07:59
5.	Moses Tanui.....	33	KEN.....	2:09:43
6.	Eder Moreno Fiahlo.....	25	BRA.....	2:09:48
7.	Philip Chirchir.....	29	KEN.....	2:09:52
8.	Shinji Kawashima.....	32	JPN.....	2:10:07
9.	Silvio Guerra.....	30	ECU.....	2:10:17
10.	Elijah Lagat.....	32	KEN.....	2:10:33

1998 Women

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.	Joyce Chepchumba.....	28	KEN.....	2:23:57
2.	Colleen De Reuck.....	34	RSA.....	2:27:04
3.	Elana Meyer.....	32	RSA.....	2:27:20
4.	Kayoko Obata.....	27	JPN.....	2:28:39
5.	Tatyana Pozdnyakova.....	43	UKR.....	2:29:25
6.	Irina Bogacheva.....	37	KGZ.....	2:30:34
7.	Gitte Karlshoj.....	39	DEN.....	2:31:57
8.	Kristy Johnston.....	33	USA (Shepherdstown, WV).....	2:32:37
9.	Linda Somers Smith.....	37	USA (San Luis Obispo, CA).....	2:34:21
10.	Marian Sutton.....	35	GBR.....	2:35:41

1997 Men

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.	Khalid Khannouchi.....	26	MAR.....	2:07:10
2.	Fred Kiprop.....	24	KEN.....	2:08:19
3.	Peter Ndirangu.....	29	KEN.....	2:08:46
4.	Philip Chirchir.....	29	KEN.....	2:08:56
5.	Patrick Muturi.....	28	KEN.....	2:08:59
6.	Paul Evans.....	35	GBR.....	2:09:20
7.	Jerry Lawson.....	32	USA (Jacksonville, FL).....	2:09:35
8.	Silvio Guerra.....	30	ECU.....	2:09:49
9.	Jon Brown.....	26	GBR.....	2:10:13
10.	Todd Williams.....	28	USA (Knoxville, TN).....	2:11:17

1997 Women

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.	Marian Sutton.....	34	GBR.....	2:29:03
2.	Gitte Karlshoj.....	37	DEN.....	2:31:31
3.	Irina Bogacheva.....	36	KGZ.....	2:32:45
4.	Christine McNamara.....	31	USA (Boulder, CO).....	2:33:08
5.	Yoshiko Yamamoto.....	27	JPN.....	2:33:55
6.	Debbie Kilpatrick.....	34	USA (Berea, OH).....	2:35:05
7.	Elaine Van Blunk.....	33	USA (Drexel Hill, PA).....	2:35:49
8.	Stefanija Statkuvienė.....	35	LTU.....	2:36:52
9.	Ann Schaeffers-Coles.....	32	USA (Algonquin, IL).....	2:38:25
10.	Lornah Kiplagat.....	23	KEN.....	2:39:13

1996 Men

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.	Paul Evans	34	GBR	2:08:52
2.	Jerry Lawson	30	USA (Jacksonville, FL)	2:10:04
3.	Leonid Shvetsov	27	RUS	2:10:23
4.	Eamonn Martin	38	GBR	2:11:21
5.	Gary Staines	32	GBR	2:11:25
6.	Jackson Kabiga	21	KEN	2:11:44
7.	Carlos Bautista	28	MEX	2:12:18
8.	Luis Reyes	27	MEX	2:13:04
9.	Eddy Hellebuyck	35	BEL	2:13:19
10.	Antonio Rodriguez	33	POR	2:13:27

1996 Women

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.	Marian Sutton	33	GBR	2:30:41
2.	Kristy Johnston	31	USA (Coos Bay, OR)	2:31:06
3.	Danuta Bartoszek	35	CAN	2:33:01
4.	Gitte Karlshoj	35	DEN	2:33:53
5.	Irina Bogacheva	35	KGZ	2:34:36
6.	Bonnie McReynolds	32	USA (Nashville, TN)	2:39:18
7.	Debbie Kilpatrick	32	USA (Berea, OH)	2:39:23
8.	Paivi Tikkanen	36	FIN	2:39:36
9.	Ritva Lemettinen	35	FIN	2:42:00
10.	Sharon Stubler	31	USA (Minnetonka, MN)	2:42:39

1995 Men

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.	Eamonn Martin	35	GBR	2:11:18
2.	Carlos Bautista	25	MEX	2:11:21
3.	Leonid Shvetsov	26	RUS	2:11:24
4.	Driss Dacha	30	MAR	2:12:05
5.	Eddy Hellebuyck	34	BEL	2:12:35
6.	Luis Reyes	25	MEX	2:12:51
7.	Jesus Herrera	33	MEX	2:13:18
8.	Carlos Grisales	28	COL	2:13:41
9.	Maurilio Castillo	33	MEX	2:14:17
10.	Hector De Jesus	29	MEX	2:14:27

1995 Women

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.	Ritva Lemettinen	34	FIN	2:28:27
2.	Kim Jones	36	USA (Spokane, WA)	2:31:24
3.	Danuta Bartoszek	34	CAN	2:31:46
4.	Gitte Karlshoj	36	DEN	2:32:10
5.	Marian Sutton	32	GBR	2:32:36
6.	Tatiana Ivanova	25	RUS	2:34:59
7.	Tatyana Podznyakova	39	UKR	2:35:14
8.	Kristy Johnston	30	USA (Coos Bay, OR)	2:35:50
9.	Irina Bogacheva	34	KGZ	2:37:26
10.	Iglandini Gonzalez	29	COL	2:37:26

1994 Men

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.	Luiz Antonio Dos Santos	30	BRA	2:11:16
2.	Ed Eyestone	33	USA (Bountiful, UT)	2:11:51
3.	Patrick Muturi	21	KEN	2:12:56
4.	Ovidio Castilla	28	MEX	2:13:09
5.	Don Janicki	34	USA (Louisville, CO)	2:13:21
6.	Hector De Jesus	28	MEX	2:13:35
7.	Jeff Jacobs	30	USA (Roscoe, IL)	2:13:44
8.	Alejandro Cruz	26	MEX	2:14:33
9.	Carey Nelson	31	CAN	2:15:21
10.	Daniel Martinez	32	USA (Placentia, CA)	2:16:07

1994 Women

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.	Kristy Johnston	29	USA (Coos Bay, OR)	2:31:34
2.	Gitte Karlshoj	35	DEN	2:31:57
3.	Elaine Van Blunk	30	USA (Drexel Hill, PA)	2:32:25
4.	Trina Painter	28	USA (Austin, TX)	2:35:21
5.	Lisa Weidenbach	32	USA (Wichita, KS)	2:36:35
6.	Joan Benoit Samuelson	37	USA (Cape Elizabeth, ME)	2:37:09
7.	Maria Trujillo	35	USA (Salinas, CA)	2:37:25
8.	Inge Marie Nilsson	28	SWE	2:39:43
9.	Lyubov Klochko	35	UKR	2:40:09
10.	Amy Legacki	25	USA (Ann Arbor, MI)	2:40:18

1993 Men

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.....	Luiz Antonio Dos Santos.....	29	BRA	2:13:15
2.....	Eddy Hellebuyck.....	32	BEL	2:14:40
3.....	Antoni Niemczak.....	37	POL	2:15:07
4.....	Reynaldo Ramirez.....	28	MEX	2:15:47
5.....	Bruce Deacon.....	26	CAN	2:15:52
6.....	Jeff Jacobs.....	29	USA (Roscoe, IL).....	2:16:00
7.....	Alfredo Viguera.....	30	MEX	2:16:10
8.....	Tesfaye Bekele.....	23	ETH	2:16:18
9.....	Gumerindo Olmedo.....	29	MEX	2:16:43
10.....	Tadeusz Lawicki.....	37	POL	2:19:12

1993 Women

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.....	Ritva Lemettinen.....	32	FIN	2:33:18
2.....	Linda Somers.....	32	USA (Danville, CA).....	2:34:26
3.....	Silvana Pereira.....	28	BRA	2:37:58
4.....	Danuta Bartoszek.....	32	CAN	2:38:16
5.....	Debra Gormley.....	27	USA (St. Paul, MN).....	2:42:03
6.....	Suzanne Rigg.....	29	GBR	2:45:00
7.....	Ludmilla Ilina.....	23	RUS	2:46:41
8.....	Noeleen Wadden.....	31	CAN	2:47:21
9.....	Bridget Collins.....	32	USA (Lisle, IL).....	2:53:07
10.....	Cynthia Woods.....	37	USA (Bolingbrook, IL).....	2:54:49

1992 Men

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.....	Jose Cesar De Souza.....	29	BRA	2:16:14
2.....	Igor Braslawsky.....	25	UKR	2:17:30
3.....	Eddy Hellebuyck.....	31	BEL	2:17:55
4.....	Thomas O'Gara.....	26	IRL	2:18:05
5.....	Thomasz Gnabel.....	25	POL	2:18:18
6.....	Roy Dooney.....	34	IRL	2:20:25
7.....	Terefe Makonnen.....	24	ETH	2:20:28
8.....	Tadeusz Lawicki.....	30	POL	2:20:39
9.....	Visa Orttenvuori.....	24	FIN	2:21:47
10.....	Kassa Balcha.....	32	ETH	2:22:51

1992 Women

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.....	Linda Somers.....	31	USA (Danville, CA).....	2:37:41
2.....	Gail Hall.....	32	USA (WA).....	2:39:38
3.....	Kirsi Valasti.....	25	FIN	2:40:32
4.....	Ursula Noctor.....	27	IRL	2:41:52
5.....	Emma Cabrera.....	28	MEX	2:45:36
6.....	Betsy Schmidt.....	25	USA (Chapel Hill, NC).....	2:46:49
7.....	Catriona Dowling.....	34	IRL	2:50:24
8.....	Renata Sitek.....	31	AUT	2:52:14
9.....	Sandra Natal.....	30	USA (Brooklyn, NY).....	2:57:09
10.....	Melanie Murray.....	32	USA (San Francisco, CA).....	2:57:25

1991 Men

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.....	Joseildo Rocha.....	26	BRA	2:14:33
2.....	Roy Dooney.....	33	IRL	2:14:39
3.....	Jose Santana.....	27	BRA	2:15:06
4.....	David Mora.....	27	USA (Bloomington, IN).....	2:15:44
5.....	Valmir De Carvalho.....	32	BRA	2:16:22
6.....	Cholon Kim.....	32	KOR	2:17:00
7.....	Thomas O'Gara.....	36	IRL	2:18:27
8.....	David O'Keefe.....	31	USA (Orchard Park, NY).....	2:18:30
9.....	Tommy Ekblom.....	32	FIN	2:19:13
10.....	Greg Meyer.....	36	USA (Ada, MI).....	2:19:27

1991 Women

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.....	Midde Hamrin-Senorski.....	34	SWE	2:36:21
2.....	Kirsi Rauta.....	25	FIN	2:38:21
3.....	Silvana Pereira.....	26	BRA	2:40:10
4.....	Ursula Noctor.....	30	IRL	2:41:21
5.....	Kirsi Valasti.....	27	FIN	2:41:45
6.....	Monica Signahl.....	30	SWE	2:42:36
7.....	Patricia Griffin.....	30	IRL	2:42:45
8.....	Mary Pastillo.....	27	USA (Newington, CT).....	2:46:12
9.....	Carina Leutner.....	31	AUT	2:50:26
10.....	Betsy Frick.....	31	USA (Norcross, VA).....	2:51:05

1990 Men

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.....	Martin Pitayo.....	30.....	MEX.....	2:09:41
2.....	Antoni Niemczak.....	30.....	POL.....	2:09:41
3.....	Rex Wilson.....	30.....	NZL.....	2:10:48
4.....	Ake Eriksson.....	28.....	SWE.....	2:10:53
5.....	Ed Eyestone.....	29.....	USA (Bountiful, UT).....	2:10:59
6.....	Jan Hurak.....	30.....	POL.....	2:11:26
7.....	Joaquin Pinheiro.....	29.....	POR.....	2:12:03
8.....	Osmiro Silva.....	29.....	BRA.....	2:12:17
9.....	Dionicio Ceron.....	25.....	MEX.....	2:12:18
10.....	Victor Mozgovo.....	29.....	URS.....	2:13:27

1990 Women

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.....	Aurora Cunha.....	31.....	POR.....	2:30:11
2.....	Carole Rouillard.....	30.....	CAN.....	2:32:28
3.....	Midde Hamrin.....	33.....	SWE.....	2:34:27
4.....	Helen Moros.....	23.....	NZL.....	2:34:37
5.....	Kellie Cathey.....	28.....	USA (Fort Collins, CO).....	2:35:58
6.....	Mary Knisely.....	31.....	USA (Dallas, TX).....	2:37:58
7.....	Deborah Raunig.....	35.....	USA (Grand Falls, MT).....	2:38:07
8.....	Joy Smith.....	28.....	USA (Sugar Land, TX).....	2:38:22
9.....	Terry Schmidt.....	34.....	USA (Stateline, NV).....	2:38:42
10.....	Anne Roden.....	44.....	GBR.....	2:38:55

1989 Men

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.....	Paul Davis-Hale.....	27.....	GBR.....	2:11:25
2.....	Ravil Kashapov.....	32.....	URS.....	2:13:19
3.....	David Long.....	28.....	GBR.....	2:13:37
4.....	Ed Eyestone.....	28.....	USA (Bountiful, UT).....	2:14:57
5.....	Carlos Montero.....	27.....	ESP.....	2:15:15
6.....	Tadessa Belayneh.....	26.....	ETH.....	2:15:19
7.....	Pedro Ortiz.....	31.....	COL.....	2:16:29
8.....	Gabriel Kamau.....	31.....	KEN.....	2:17:02
9.....	Eddy Hellebuyck.....	28.....	BEL.....	2:17:25
10.....	Salah Qoqaiche.....	22.....	MAR.....	2:18:08

1989 Women

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.....	Lisa Weidenbach.....	27.....	USA (Issaquah, WA).....	2:28:15
2.....	Carla Beurskens.....	37.....	NED.....	2:30:24
3.....	Cathy O'Brien.....	22.....	USA (Boston, MA).....	2:31:19
4.....	Maria Lelut.....	33.....	FRA.....	2:34:59
5.....	Carole Rouillard.....	29.....	CAN.....	2:35:20
6.....	Wanda Panfil.....	30.....	POL.....	2:35:40
7.....	Cassandra Mihailovic.....	28.....	FRA.....	2:35:44
8.....	Jocelyn Villetton.....	35.....	FRA.....	2:36:55
9.....	Margurite Buist.....	36.....	NZL.....	2:37:20
10.....	Kamila Gradus.....	22.....	POL.....	2:37:37

1988 Men

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.....	Alejandro Cruz.....	21.....	MEX.....	2:08:57
2.....	Yakov Tolstikov.....	29.....	URS.....	2:09:20
3.....	Richard Kaitany.....	32.....	KEN.....	2:09:39
4.....	Manuel Matias.....	26.....	POR.....	2:10:19
5.....	Mike O'Reilly.....	30.....	IRL.....	2:11:50
6.....	Steve Brace.....	27.....	GBR.....	2:11:50
7.....	Gerardo Alcala.....	27.....	MEX.....	2:12:11
8.....	Derek Froude.....	29.....	NZL.....	2:12:40
9.....	Elisio Rios.....	27.....	POR.....	2:12:53
10.....	Steve Binns.....	28.....	GBR.....	2:13:32

1988 Women

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.....	Lisa Weidenbach.....	26.....	USA (Issaquah, WA).....	2:29:17
2.....	Emma Scaunich.....	34.....	ITA.....	2:29:46
3.....	Paula Fudge.....	36.....	GBR.....	2:29:47
4.....	Tami Ruckle.....	26.....	AUS.....	2:31:19
5.....	Kim Jones.....	30.....	USA (Spokane, WA).....	2:32:03
6.....	Kellie Cathey.....	26.....	USA (Fort Collins, CO).....	2:32:29
7.....	Elena Tsukhlo.....	34.....	URS.....	2:33:25
8.....	Ekatrina Khramenkova.....	32.....	URS.....	2:33:36
9.....	Midde Hamrin.....	31.....	SWE.....	2:33:56
10.....	Irina Jagodina.....	24.....	URS.....	2:35:53

1987

A half marathon took the place of the full marathon

1986 Men

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1	Toshihiko Seko	30	JPN	2:08:27
2	Ahmed Saleh	29	DJI	2:09:57
3	Charlie Spedding	34	GBR	2:10:13
4	Michael Musyoki	30	KEN	2:10:30
5	Herbert Steffny	33	FRG	2:11:17
6	John Burra	24	TAN	2:13:36
7	Paul Williams	30	CAN	2:13:59
8	Juergen Drescher	28	FRG	2:14:27
9	Jose Gomez	30	MEX	2:14:58
10	Rodolfo Gomez	35	MEX	2:15:02

1986 Women

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1	Ingrid Kristiansen	30	NOR	2:27:08
2	Maria Lelut	30	FRA	2:29:51
3	Priscilla Welch	41	GBR	2:31:14
4	Debbie Raunig	31	USA (Grand Falls, MT)	2:31:28
5	Maureen Custy	31	USA (Denver, CO)	2:34:41
6	Gail Kingma	26	USA (Seattle, WA)	2:35:43
7	Tuija Jousimaa	28	FIN	2:36:48
8	Karina Weber-Leutner	22	AUT	2:37:09
9	Dorothy Goertzen	31	CAN	2:40:34
10	Solweig Haryson	27	SWE	2:43:24

1985 Men

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1	Steve Jones	30	GBR	2:07:13
2	Robleh Djama	27	DJI	2:08:08
3	Rob DeCastella	28	AUS	2:08:48
4	Gianni Poli	27	ITA	2:09:57
5	Ralf Salzmann	30	FRG	2:10:56
6	Jose Gomez	29	MEX	2:11:08
7	Don Janicki	25	USA (Mesa, AZ)	2:11:16
8	Francisco Pacheco	24	MEX	2:11:57
9	Ken Martin	27	USA (Flagstaff, AZ)	2:12:00
10	Henrik Jorgensen	23	DEN	2:12:03

1985 Women

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1	Joan Benoit Samuelson	28	USA (Cape Elizabeth, ME)	2:21:21
2	Ingrid Kristiansen	29	NOR	2:23:05
3	Rosa Mota	27	POR	2:23:29
4	Carla Beurskens	33	NED	2:27:50
5	Veronique Marot	30	GBR	2:28:04
6	Glenys Quick	27	NZL	2:31:44
7	Mary O'Connor	30	NZL	2:33:41
8	Maria Lelut	29	FRA	2:34:02
9	Sylvie Bornet	25	FRA	2:34:05
10	Rita Borralho	31	POR	2:36:03

1984 Men

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1	Steve Jones	29	GBR	2:08:05 WR
2	Carlos Lopes	37	POR	2:09:06
3	Rob De Castella	27	AUS	2:09:09
4	Gabriel Kamau	26	KEN	2:10:05
5	Geoff Smith	30	GBR	2:10:08
6	Martin Pitayo	24	MEX	2:10:29
7	Jerry Kiernan	31	IRL	2:12:24
8	Kjell-Eric Stahl	38	SWE	2:14:16
9	Agapius Masong	22	TAN	2:14:23
10	Cor Lambregts	26	NED	2:14:46

1984 Women

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1	Rosa Mota	26	POR	2:26:01
2	Lisa Martin	24	AUS	2:27:40
3	Ingrid Kristiansen	28	NOR	2:30:21
4	Dorthe Rasmussen	24	DEN	2:30:42
5	Lisa Weidenbach	22	USA (Troy, MI)	2:31:31
6	Glenys Quick	26	NZL	2:32:53
7	Regina Joyce	27	IRL	2:35:05
8	Jacqueline Gareau	31	CAN	2:35:33
9	Rita Borralho	30	POR	2:35:43
10	Magda Ilands	34	BEL	2:36:04

1983 Men

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.....	Joseph Nzau	33	KEN	2:09:44.3
2.....	Hugh Jones	27	GBR	2:09:44.8
3.....	Simeon Kigen	22	KEN	2:10:51
4.....	Agapius Masong	21	TAN	2:11:57
5.....	Christoph Herle	27	FRG	2:12:15
6.....	Gianni Poli	25	ITA	2:12:34
7.....	Tom Raunig	24	USA (Eugene, OR)	2:12:55
8.....	Gabriel Kamau	25	KEN	2:14:20
9.....	Jeff Wells	29	USA (Dallas, TX)	2:15:45
10.....	Henrik Jorgenson	21	DEN	2:15:59

1983 Women

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.....	Rosa Mota	25	POR	2:31:12
2.....	Jacqueline Gareau	30	CAN	2:31:36
3.....	Dorthe Rasmussen	23	DEN	2:31:45
4.....	Anne Audain	27	NZL	2:32:15
5.....	Karen Dunn	20	USA (Durham, NH)	2:34:24
6.....	Lisa Weidenbach	21	USA (Troy, MI)	2:34:55
7.....	Ann Marie Malone	23	CAN	2:36:23
8.....	Nancy Konz	26	USA (East Hampton, MA)	2:36:44
9.....	Rita Marchisio	33	ITA	2:37:29
10.....	Carol Urish	31	USA (Houston, TX)	2:37:57

1982 Men

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.....	Greg Meyer	27	USA (Wellesley, MA)	2:10:59
2.....	Joseph Nzau	32	KEN	2:11:40
3.....	John Halbersadt	33	RSA	2:11:46
4.....	David Edge	27	CAN	2:12:25
5.....	Randy Thomas	29	USA (Newton Falls, MA)	2:12:33
6.....	Gian Paolo Messina	25	ITA	2:12:42
7.....	Ed Mendoza	29	USA (Flagstaff, AZ)	2:12:47
8.....	Karel Lismont	33	BEL	2:13:02
9.....	Duncan MacDonald	33	USA (Menlo Park, CA)	2:13:07
10.....	Mike Hurd	36	GBR	2:13:17

1982 Women

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.....	Nancy Konz	25	USA (East Hampton, MA)	2:33:23
2.....	Karen Dunn	19	USA (Durham, NH)	2:34:40
3.....	Glenys Quick	24	NZL	2:36:50
4.....	Eileen Claugus	27	USA (Sacramento, CA)	2:37:16
5.....	Shirley Finken	24	USA (Somerset, NJ)	2:41:16
6.....	Cindy Dalrymple	40	USA (New York, NY)	2:43:35
7.....	Tina Grandy	29	USA (Minneapolis, MN)	2:44:06
8.....	Jan Arenz	32	USA (St. Paul, MN)	2:44:51
9.....	Beverly Roland-Miller	25	USA (Macomb, IL)	2:46:50
10.....	Charlene Groet	34	USA (De Motte, IN)	2:48:15

1981 Men

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.....	Phillip Coppess	27	USA (Clinton, IA)	2:16:13
2.....	Tony Shockency	25	USA (Minneapolis, MN)	2:17:15
3.....	Frank Shorter	33	USA (Boulder, CO)	2:17:27
4.....	Robert Busby	32	USA (Warrensburg, MO)	2:17:44
5.....	Dave Hinz	25	USA (Plymouth, MI)	2:18:03
6.....	Kevin Higdon	22	USA (Chicago, IL)	2:19:37
7.....	Joe Sheeran	23	USA (Grayslake, IL)	2:20:15
8.....	Gary Bjorklund	30	USA (Minneapolis, MN)	2:20:26
9.....	Gerald Krane	29	USA (East Lansing, MI)	2:22:22
10.....	John Wellerding	27	USA (Bettendorf, IA)	2:23:35

1981 Women

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.....	Tina Gandy	28	USA (Des Moines, IA)	2:49:39
2.....	Charlene Groet	33	USA (De Motte, IN)	2:56:33
3.....	Betty Johnny	33	USA (Chicago, IL)	2:58:05
4.....	Betty Hite	35	USA (North Webster, IN)	2:58:58
5.....	Sue Petersen	37	USA (Laguna Beach, CA)	2:59:16
6.....	Karen Bukowski	25	USA (Chicago, IL)	3:04:47
7.....	Moo Thorpe	24	USA (Santa Fe, NM)	3:05:40
8.....	Jayne Schiff	25	USA (Chicago, IL)	3:06:43
9.....	Patricia Elmer	27	USA (Des Plaines, IL)	3:06:46
10.....	Peggy McAleer	31	USA (Chicago, IL)	3:08:38

1980 Men

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.....	Frank Richardson.....	25.....	USA (Ames, IA).....	2:14:04
2.....	Chuck Smead.....	28.....	USA (Santa Paula, CA).....	2:16:47
3.....	Joseph Sheeran.....	22.....	USA (Charleston, IL).....	2:19:12
4.....	Duane Spitz.....	31.....	USA (Holt, MI).....	2:19:55
5.....	Gordon Minty.....	32.....	USA (East Lansing, MI).....	2:21:24
6.....	John Wellerding.....	26.....	USA (Bettendorf, IA).....	2:21:37
7.....	Jim Macnider.....	29.....	USA (Roselle, IL).....	2:22:07
8.....	Kurt Shallenberger.....	25.....	USA (Chicago, IL).....	2:22:52
9.....	Frank Shorter.....	32.....	USA (Boulder, CO).....	2:23:38
10.....	Veli Bali.....	31.....	TUR.....	2:24:07

1980 Women

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.....	Sue Petersen.....	36.....	USA (Laguna Beach, CA).....	2:45:03
2.....	Sue Henderson.....	33.....	USA (Boulder, CO).....	2:49:43
3.....	Marilyn Bevans.....	30.....	USA (Baltimore, MD).....	3:00:43
4.....	Bonnie Payne.....	33.....	USA (Hinsdale, IL).....	3:01:00
5.....	Diane Sims Page.....	36.....	USA (Highland Park, IL).....	3:01:00
6.....	Melissa Uchitelle.....	23.....	USA (New Orleans, LA).....	3:05:39
7.....	Helen Dick.....	56.....	USA (Los Angeles, CA).....	3:08:48
8.....	Ada Letinsky.....	42.....	CAN.....	3:10:58
9.....	Maryanne Joyce.....	28.....	USA (Chicago, IL).....	3:12:45
10.....	Matilee Christman.....	49.....	USA (Des Plaines, IL).....	3:14:11

1979 Men

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.....	Dan Cloeter.....	25.....	USA (Norfolk, NE).....	2:23:20
2.....	Mike Healer.....	25.....	USA (St. Petersburg, FL).....	2:27:36
3.....	Patrick Chmiel.....	34.....	USA (Miami, FL).....	2:33:51
4.....	Antonio Peso.....	28.....	USA (Mt. Prospect, IL).....	2:36:21
5.....	Rick Wilson.....	22.....	USA (Frankfort, IL).....	2:36:40
6.....	Don White.....	22.....	USA (Montgomery, IL).....	2:38:56
7.....	Jon Eggers.....	23.....	USA (Lincoln, NE).....	2:39:22
8.....	John Wellerding.....	25.....	USA (Bettendorf, IA).....	2:40:00
9.....	Robert Prince.....	24.....	USA (Hinsdale, IL).....	2:40:20
10.....	Thomas Benedict.....	35.....	USA (Park Ridge, IL).....	2:43:03

1979 Women

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.....	Laura Michalek.....	15.....	USA (Berwyn, IL).....	3:15:45
2.....	Lynae Larson.....	23.....	USA (Brookings, SD).....	3:16:45
3.....	Marilyn Reinhardt.....	28.....	USA (Indianapolis, IN).....	3:17:40
4.....	Diane Sims Page.....	35.....	USA (Highland Park, IL).....	3:26:05
5.....	Helen Rea.....	19.....	USA (West Lafayette, IN).....	3:29:45
6.....	Susie Sandstrom.....	21.....	USA (Wheaton, IL).....	3:30:20
7.....	Charlene Groet.....	32.....	USA (De Motte, IN).....	3:30:50
8.....	Edna Craig.....	30.....	USA (Ft. Lauderdale, FL).....	3:31:05
9.....	Lorraine Norgle.....	41.....	USA (Elmhurst, IL).....	3:37:20
10.....	Joan Hirt.....	27.....	USA (Bolingbrook, IL).....	3:43:50

1978 Men

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.....	Mark Stanforth.....	28.....	USA (Phoenix, AZ).....	2:19:20
2.....	Barney Klecker.....	27.....	USA (Chaska, MN).....	2:24:13
3.....	Dan Cloeter.....	24.....	USA (Norfolk, NE).....	2:24:33
4.....	Blair Bertaccini.....	24.....	USA (Litchfield, IL).....	2:26:31
5.....	Dean Reinke.....	25.....	USA (Bloomington, IN).....	2:26:55
6.....	Pat Chmiel.....	33.....	USA (Miami, FL).....	2:27:22
7.....	Les Myers.....	23.....	USA (Mackinaw, IL).....	2:29:39
8.....	Robert Brown.....	23.....	USA (Chicago, IL).....	2:30:08
9.....	Thomas Blumer.....	23.....	USA (Cincinnati, OH).....	2:30:08
10.....	John Been.....	24.....	USA (Chicago Heights, IL).....	2:30:33

1978 Women

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.....	Lynae Larson.....	24.....	USA (Brookings, SD).....	2:59:25
2.....	Karen Doppes.....	22.....	USA (Cincinnati, OH).....	3:13:20
3.....	Debbie Hartsock.....	25.....	USA (Collegedale, TN).....	3:13:25
4.....	Marion Burchfield.....	42.....	USA (Glenwood, IL).....	3:20:00
5.....	Martha McCafferty.....	28.....	USA (Great Falls, IL).....	3:22:45
6.....	Susan Grossman.....	26.....	USA (Skokie, IL).....	3:25:00
7.....	Mary Logan.....	38.....	USA (Delafield, WI).....	3:26:00
8.....	Samatha Danner.....	30.....	USA (Chicago, IL).....	3:28:35
9.....	Lydi Pallares.....	39.....	USA (Miami, FL).....	3:29:35
10.....	Sonja Liems.....	32.....	USA (Niles, IL).....	3:29:55

1977 Men

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.....	Dan Cloeter.....	23.....	USA (Fort Wayne, IN).....	2:17:52
2.....	Jim Macnider.....	26.....	USA (Hoffman Estates, IL).....	2:22:49
3.....	Dave Elger.....	24.....	USA (Muskegon, WI).....	2:25:25
4.....	Steven Flanagan.....	28.....	USA (East Lansing, MI).....	2:26:47
5.....	Gary Barrett.....	28.....	USA (Naperville, IL).....	2:27:41
6.....	Walter Crawford.....	28.....	USA (Chicago, IL).....	2:28:00
7.....	Patrick Davis.....	31.....	USA (Mokena, IL).....	2:30:18

8.....	Ken Burke	22	USA (Lockport, IL)	2:30:30
9.....	Roger Rouiller	39	USA (Lockport, IL)	2:31:58
10.....	William Van Dyke.....	33	USA (Evanston, IL).....	2:32:49

1977 Women

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.....	Dorothy Doolittle	30	USA (Austin, TX)	2:50:47
2.....	Marilyn Bevans.....	27	USA (Baltimore, MD).....	2:54:56
3.....	Lynn Johnson.....	31	USA (Brookings, SD)	2:58:53
4.....	Cheryl Flanagan	26	USA (East Lansing, MI).....	2:58:53
5.....	Penny DeMoss.....	25	USA (Los Altos, CA)	3:10:37
6.....	Ellen O'Malley.....	15	USA (Hinsdale, IL)	3:11:04
7.....	Sue Ellen Trapp	31	USA (Lehigh, FL)	3:14:09
8.....	Mary Burns	20	USA (Iowa City, IA).....	3:15:31
9.....	Diana McIntosh.....	34	USA (Winnetka, IL)	3:30:36
10.....	Andrea Arena.....	26	ITA.....	3:33:42

WR = World Record

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**As a result of a doping violation, the International Athletics Association Federations (IAAF) announced in 2016 that the 2014 result of Rita Jeptoo has been annulled. In 2015, as a result of a doping violation, the IAAF announced that the 2009-2012 results of Liliya Shobukhova have been annulled. As a result of doping violations, the IAAF also announced that the 2009 result of Lidiya Grigoryeva, the 2009 result of Abderrahim Goumri, the 2010, 2012 and 2013 results of Mariya Kononova and the 2013 result of Aleksandra Duliba have been annulled. The official results of the Bank of America Chicago Marathon reflect this change

Top 5 wheelchair finishers (1984-2017)

2017 Men

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.....	Marcel Hug	31	SUI	1:29:23
2.....	Kurt Fearnley	36	AUS	1:30:24
3.....	Jordi Madera Jimenez.....	37	ESP	1:30:25
4.....	Sho Watanabe.....	25	JPN	1:30:26
5.....	Rafael Botello Jimenez	38	ESP	1:30:27

2017 Women

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.....	Tatyana McFadden.....	28	USA (Clarksville, MD)	1:39:15
2.....	Amanda McGrory.....	31	USA (Savoy, IL)	1:39:15
3.....	Manuela Schär	32	SUI	1:39:17
4.....	Madison de Rozario.....	23	AUS	1:39:22
5.....	Sammi Kinghorn.....	21	GBR	1:43:52

2016 Men

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.....	Marcel Hug	30	SUI	1:32:57
2.....	Kurt Fearnley	35	AUS	1:32:58
3.....	Josh George.....	31	USA (Champaign, IL)	1:32:59
4.....	Gyudae Kim	32	KOR	1:33:00
5.....	Aaron Pike.....	30	USA (Champaign, IL)	1:33:01

2016 Women

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.....	Tatyana McFadden.....	27	USA (Clarksville, MD)	1:42:28
2.....	Manuela Schär	31	SUI	1:42:29
3.....	Amanda McGrory	30	USA (Savoy, IL)	1:47:55
4.....	Sandra Graf	47	SUI	1:50:13
5.....	Susannah Scaroni.....	25	USA (Champaign, IL)	1:52:50

2015 Men

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.....	Kurt Fearnley	34	AUS	1:30:46
2.....	Marcel Hug	29	SUI	1:30:48
3.....	Josh George	31	USA (Champaign, IL)	1:30:48
4.....	Ernst Van Dyk.....	42	RSA.....	1:30:50
5.....	Gyudae Kim	31	KOR (Champaign, IL).....	1:30:51

2015 Women

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.....	Tatyana McFadden.....	26	USA (Clarksville, MD)	1:41:10
2.....	Manuela Schär	30	SUI	1:41:56
3.....	Chelsea McClammer.....	21	USA (Champaign, IL)	1:50:02
4.....	Amanda McGrory.....	29	USA (Savoy, IL)	1:50:02
5.....	Shirley Reilly	30	USA (Tucson, AZ).....	1:50:06

2014 Men

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.....	Joshua George.....	30.....	USA (Champaign, IL).....	1:32:12
2.....	Kurt Fearnley.....	33.....	AUS.....	1:32:13
3.....	Ernst Van Dyk.....	41.....	RSA.....	1:32:13
4.....	Tomasz Hamerlak.....	39.....	POL.....	1:32:15
5.....	Kota Hokinoue.....	40.....	JPN.....	1:32:16

2014 Women

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.....	Tatyana McFadden.....	25.....	USA (Champaign, IL).....	1:44:50
2.....	Manuela Schär.....	29.....	SUI.....	1:45:12
3.....	Amanda McGrory.....	28.....	USA (Champaign, IL).....	1:45:55
4.....	Chelsea McClammer.....	20.....	USA (Champaign, IL).....	1:45:55
5.....	Sandra Graf.....	44.....	SUI.....	1:46:15

2013 Men

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.....	Ernst Van Dyk.....	40.....	RSA.....	1:30:37
2.....	Kurt Fearnley.....	32.....	AUS.....	1:30:38
2.....	Joshua George.....	29.....	USA (Champaign, IL).....	1:30:38
4.....	Heinz Frei.....	55.....	SUI.....	1:30:41
5.....	Josh Cassidy.....	28.....	CAN.....	1:33:30

2013 Women

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.....	Tatyana McFadden.....	24.....	USA (Champaign, IL).....	1:42:35
2.....	Manuela Schär.....	28.....	SUI.....	1:42:37
3.....	Amanda McGrory.....	27.....	USA (Champaign, IL).....	1:42:55
4.....	Shirley Reilly.....	28.....	USA (Tucson, AZ).....	1:49:30
5.....	Christie Dawes.....	33.....	AUS.....	1:49:31

2012 Men

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.....	Josh Cassidy.....	27.....	CAN.....	1:32:58
2.....	Adam Bleakney.....	37.....	USA (Savoy, IL).....	1:34:23
3.....	Joshua George.....	28.....	USA (Champaign, IL).....	1:36:06
4.....	Aaron Pike.....	26.....	USA (Champaign, IL).....	1:39:08
5.....	Brian Siemann.....	23.....	USA (Savoy, IL).....	1:47:25

2012 Women

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.....	Tatyana McFadden.....	23.....	USA (Champaign, IL).....	1:49:52
2.....	Susannah Scaroni.....	21.....	USA (Champaign, IL).....	1:56:30
3.....	Kelsey Lefevour.....	23.....	USA (Savoy, IL).....	2:20:02
4.....	Chelsea McClammer.....	18.....	USA (Champaign, IL).....	2:30:00
5.....	Jill Moore.....	19.....	USA (Champaign, IL).....	2:37:12

2011 Men

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.....	Kurt Fearnley.....	30.....	AUS.....	1:29:18
2.....	Heinz Frei.....	53.....	SUI.....	1:29:23
3.....	Joshua George.....	27.....	USA (Champaign, IL).....	1:29:23
4.....	Josh Cassidy.....	26.....	CAN.....	1:29:24
5.....	Adam Bleakney.....	36.....	USA (Champaign, IL).....	1:29:58

2011 Women

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.....	Tatyana McFadden.....	22.....	USA (Champaign, IL).....	1:45:03
2.....	Christine Dawes.....	31.....	AUS.....	1:47:04
3.....	Diane Roy.....	38.....	CAN.....	1:47:14
4.....	Shirley Reilly.....	26.....	USA (Tucson, AZ).....	1:47:56
5.....	Jessica Galli.....	26.....	USA (Savoy, IL).....	1:58:20

2010 Men

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.....	Heinz Frei.....	52.....	SUI.....	1:26:56
2.....	Masazumi Soejima.....	40.....	JPN.....	1:28:01
3.....	Rafael Botello Jimenez.....	31.....	ESP.....	1:28:46
4.....	Ernst Van Dyke.....	37.....	RSA.....	1:32:43
5.....	Saul Mendoza.....	43.....	MEX.....	1:36:04

2010 Women

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.....	Amanda McGrory.....	24.....	USA (Savoy, IL).....	1:47:25
2.....	Wakako Tsuchida.....	35.....	JPN.....	1:47:27
3.....	Tatyana McFadden.....	21.....	USA (Clarksville, MD).....	1:56:11
4.....	Anjali Forber Pratt.....	26.....	USA (Champaign, IL).....	2:02:05
5.....	Margaret Frederick.....	20.....	USA (Champaign, IL).....	2:43:45

2009 Men

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.....	Kurt Fearnley.....	28.....	AUS.....	1:29:09
2.....	Masazumi Soejima.....	39.....	JPN.....	1:30:58
3.....	Krige Schabort.....	46.....	USA (Cedartown, GA).....	1:34:28
4.....	Rafael Botello Jimenez.....	30.....	ESP.....	1:39:56
5.....	Tony Iniguez.....	39.....	USA (Savoy, IL).....	1:40:00

2009 Women

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.....	Tatyana McFadden.....	20.....	USA (Champaign, IL).....	1:50:47
2.....	Diane Roy.....	38.....	CAN.....	1:50:49
3.....	Amanda McGrory.....	23.....	USA (Champaign, IL).....	1:50:49
4.....	Shelly Woods.....	23.....	GBR.....	1:50:50
5.....	Christie Dawes.....	29.....	AUS.....	1:50:50

2008 Men

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.....	Kurt Fearnley.....	27.....	AUS.....	1:30:16
2.....	Masazumi Soejima.....	38.....	JPN.....	1:32:30
3.....	Krige Schabort.....	45.....	USA (Cedartown, GA).....	1:36:21
4.....	Tony Iniguez.....	38.....	USA (Bolingbrook, IL).....	1:38:57
5.....	Aaron Pike.....	22.....	USA (Champaign, IL).....	1:38:57

2008 Women

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.....	Amanda McGrory.....	22.....	USA (Champaign, IL).....	1:55:12
2.....	Cheri Blauwet.....	28.....	USA (Boston, MA).....	1:55:34

Only two women competed in the Wheelchair Division

2007 Men

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.....	Kurt Fearnley.....	26.....	AUS.....	1:28:06
2.....	Krige Schabort.....	44.....	RSA.....	1:28:07
3.....	Tony Iniguez.....	37.....	USA (Bolingbrook, IL).....	1:44:23
4.....	Jeff Fisher.....	50.....	USA (Medina, OH).....	1:44:38
5.....	Santiago Sanz.....	27.....	ESP.....	1:46:13

2007 Women

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.....	Amanda McGrory.....	21.....	USA (Champaign, IL).....	1:45:27
2.....	Jessica Galli.....	23.....	USA (Savoy, IL).....	2:01:23

Only two women competed in the Wheelchair Division

2006 Men

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.....	Joshua George.....	22.....	USA (Champaign, IL).....	1:38:31
2.....	Saul Mendoza.....	39.....	USA (Wimberley, TX).....	1:38:32
3.....	Krige Schabort.....	43.....	RSA.....	1:38:33
4.....	Tyler Byers.....	24.....	USA (Reston, VA).....	1:41:48
5.....	Pierre Samuelsson.....	44.....	SWE.....	1:44:38

2006 Women

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.....	Miriam Ladner.....	29.....	USA (Urbana, IL).....	2:04:21

Only one woman competed in the Wheelchair Division

2005 Men

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.....	Krige Schabort.....	42.....	RSA.....	1:29:40
2.....	Scot Hollonbeck.....	35.....	USA (Atlanta, GA).....	1:30:34
3.....	Franz Nietlispach.....	47.....	SUI.....	1:30:49
4.....	Adam Bleakney.....	30.....	USA (Urbana, IL).....	1:39:19
5.....	Joshua George.....	21.....	USA (Urbana, IL).....	1:40:30

2005 Women

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.....	Miriam Ladner.....	28.....	USA (Urbana, IL).....	2:01:37
2.....	Jessica Galli.....	21.....	USA (Urbana, IL).....	2:05:06

Only two women competed in the Wheelchair Division

2004 Men

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.....	Joshua George.....	20.....	USA (Urbana, IL).....	1:36:13
2.....	Adam Bleakney.....	29.....	USA (Urbana, IL).....	1:40:01
3.....	Tony Iniguez.....	34.....	USA (Naperville, IL).....	1:42:32
4.....	Kevin Hosea.....	19.....	USA (Loveland, OH).....	2:03:11
5.....	Ryan Myers.....	24.....	USA (Smithfield, VA).....	2:13:14

2004 Women

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.....	Miriam Nibley.....	26.....	USA (Savoy, IL).....	2:05:51

Only one woman competed in the Wheelchair Division

2003 Men

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.....	Joshua George.....	19.....	USA (Urbana, IL).....	1:41:01
2.....	Joseph Miller.....	30.....	USA (Urbana, IL).....	1:59:38
3.....	Brad Schramel.....	32.....	USA (Naperville, IL).....	2:45:56

Only three men competed in the Wheelchair Division

2003 Women

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.....	Christina Ripp.....	23.....	USA (Savoy, IL).....	1:56:33
2.....	Miriam Nibley.....	26.....	USA (Savoy, IL).....	1:57:46

Only two women competed in the Wheelchair Division

2002 Men

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.	Adam Bleakney.....	27	USA (Savoy, IL).....	1:40:14
2.	Tony Iniguez.....	32	USA (Aurora, IL).....	1:40:16
3.	Paul Nunnari.....	29	AUS.....	1:40:18
4.	Joshua George.....	18	USA (Herndon, VA).....	1:56:49
5.	Joe Miller.....	29	USA (Urbana, IL).....	2:15:07

2002 Women

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.	Tricia Downing.....	33	USA (Denver, CO).....	1:52:20
2.	Holly Koester.....	42	USA (Cleveland, OH).....	2:26:51

Only two women competed in the Wheelchair Division

2001 Men

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.	Tony Iniguez.....	31	USA (Aurora, IL).....	1:37:59
2.	Mathieu Blanchette.....	24	CAN.....	1:47:45
3.	Jeff Fisher.....	44	USA (Medina, OH).....	1:54:22
4.	Thomas Gorman.....	45	USA (Littlestown, PA).....	1:57:24
5.	Patrick Doak.....	33	USA (Cumming, GA).....	1:57:52

2001 Women

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.	Christina Ripp.....	21	USA (Urbana, IL).....	1:56:58
2.	Stephanie Wheeler.....	20	USA (Champaign, IL).....	1:58:35
3.	Holly Koester.....	41	USA (Cleveland, OH).....	3:11:46

Only three women competed in the Wheelchair Division

2000 Men

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.	Tony Iniguez.....	30	USA (Aurora, IL).....	1:41:00
2.	Michel Filteau.....	33	CAN.....	1:41:03
3.	Daniel Normandin.....	29	CAN.....	1:50:06
4.	James Lilly.....	30	USA (Brookfield, IL).....	1:52:17
5.	Chad Johnson.....	25	USA (Muncie, IN).....	1:52:31

2000 Women

No women competed in the Wheelchair Division

1999 Men

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.	Saul Mendoza.....	32	USA (Snellville, GA).....	1:37:03
2.	Tony Iniguez.....	29	USA (Aurora, IL).....	1:43:42
2.	Adam Bleakney.....	24	USA (Savoy, IL).....	1:43:42
4.	Kris Kreutzmann.....	32	USA (Menomee, WI).....	1:54:27
5.	Joe Hidler.....	27	USA (Evanston, IL).....	1:54:34

1999 Women

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.	Miriam Nibley.....	22	USA (Champaign, IL).....	2:03:44
2.	Teresa Brandenburg.....	24	USA (Champaign, IL).....	2:04:49
3.	Candace Cable.....	45	USA (Truckee, CA).....	2:06:55
4.	Sylvie Potvin.....	27	CAN.....	2:22:18
5.	Denise Fortier.....	35	CAN.....	2:23:07

1998 Men

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.	Franz Nietlispach.....	40	SUI.....	1:34:22
2.	Saul Mendoza.....	31	USA (Snellville, GA).....	1:34:23
3.	Scot Hollonbeck.....	28	USA (Atlanta, GA).....	1:34:24
4.	Krige Schabert.....	35	RSA.....	1:34:26
5.	Clayton Peters.....	24	USA (Champaign, IL).....	1:40:09

1998 Women

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.	Candace Cable.....	44	USA (Truckee, CA).....	1:58:32
2.	Colette Bourgonje.....	36	CAN.....	2:00:31
3.	Mariam Nibley.....	21	USA (Champaign, IL).....	2:03:13
4.	Sylvie Potvin.....	26	CAN.....	2:15:00
5.	Patricia Brown.....	21	USA (Atlanta, GA).....	2:19:42

1997 Men

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.	Saul Mendoza.....	30	USA (Snellville, GA).....	1:37:42
2.	Miguel Such.....	23	USA (Wilkes-Barre, PA).....	1:44:05
3.	James Iniguez.....	27	USA (Morris, IL).....	1:51:34
4.	Kris Kreutzmann.....	30	USA (Milwaukee, WI).....	1:51:42
5.	James Lilly.....	27	USA (Brookfield, IL).....	1:53:12

1997 Women

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.	Candace Cable.....	43	USA (Truckee, CA).....	1:57:32
2.	Julia Wallace.....	33	USA (Roswell, GA).....	1:58:52
3.	Teresa Brandenburg.....	22	USA (Champaign, IL).....	2:01:30
4.	Miriam Nibley.....	20	USA (Champaign, IL).....	2:04:59
5.	Diana McClure.....	50	USA (Charleston, WV).....	2:42:24

1996 Men

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.	Jacob Heilveil.....	28	USA (Bothell, WA).....	1:39:57
2.	Tony Iniguez.....	26	USA (Morris, IL).....	1:40:01
3.	Kris Kreutzmann.....	29	USA (Milwaukee, WI).....	1:51:14
4.	Ramiro Bermudez.....	37	USA (Houston, TX).....	1:58:04
5.	Jim Fouts.....	49	USA (Seymour, IN).....	2:02:56

1996 Women

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.	Ann Walters	27	USA (Savoy, IL)	1:52:13
2.	Candace Cable	42	USA (Truckee, CA)	2:05:25
3.	Tracey Ferguson	22	USA (Champaign, IL)	2:05:39
4.	Miriam Nibley	19	USA (Champaign, IL)	2:08:56
5.	Julia Wallace	34	USA (Rumson, NJ)	2:16:51

1995 Men

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.	James Briggs	23	USA (Champaign, IL)	1:37:12
1.	Scot Hollonbeck	25	USA (Champaign, IL)	1:37:12
3.	Tony Iniguez	25	USA (Brookfield, IL)	1:38:15
4.	James Lilly	25	USA (Chicago, IL)	1:54:17
5.	Kris Kreutzmann	28	USA (Milwaukee, WI)	1:55:20

1995 Women

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.	Ann Walters	26	USA (Champaign, IL)	1:57:27
2.	Candace Cable	41	USA (Truckee, CA)	1:58:14
3.	Ruth Munez	21	USA (Champaign, IL)	2:03:45
4.	Tracey Ferguson	21	USA (Champaign, IL)	2:03:46
5.	Cecelia Perkins	20	USA (Champaign, IL)	2:34:24

1994 Men

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.	James Briggs	22	USA (Champaign, IL)	1:32:14
2.	Scot Hollonbeck	24	USA (Champaign, IL)	1:32:15
3.	Tony Iniguez	28	USA (Summit, IL)	1:43:25
4.	James Lilly	24	USA (Summit, IL)	1:53:47
5.	Tony Possehl	35	USA (Frontenac, MN)	1:54:14

1994 Women

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.	Ann Walters	25	USA (Champaign, IL)	1:59:45
2.	Ruth Nunez	20	USA (Champaign, IL)	1:59:45
3.	Rene Johnston	15	USA (St. Charles, MO)	3:04:04

Only three women competed in the Wheelchair Division

1993 Men

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.	James Briggs	22	USA (Champaign, IL)	1:42:03
2.	Tony Iniguez	27	USA (Summit, IL)	1:43:43
3.	James Lilly	23	USA (Summit, IL)	1:47:40
4.	Don Dowling	43	USA (Eureka, MO)	1:56:13
5.	James Fouts	46	USA (Seymour, IN)	2:08:09

1993 Women

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.	Ann Walters	24	USA (Champaign, IL)	1:57:34
2.	Carol Hetherington	22	USA (Urbana, IL)	1:59:35

Only two women competed in the Wheelchair Division

1992 Men

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.	Vern Achenbach	50	USA (Birmingham, AL)	1:44:28
2.	Tony Iniguez	23	USA (Champaign, IL)	1:52:15
3.	Marty Morse	38	USA (Urbana, IL)	1:59:36
4.	Bart Bardwell	45	USA (Sterwartville, MN)	1:59:58
5.	Peter Decleva	28	USA (Dallas, TX)	2:01:56

1992 Women

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.	Ann Walters	23	USA (Champaign, IL)	1:44:29

Only one woman competed in the Wheelchair Division

1991 Men

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.	Philippe Couprie	28	FRA	1:41:21
2.	James Briggs	19	USA (Champaign, IL)	1:47:06
3.	Scot Hollonbeck	21	USA (Champaign, IL)	1:49:32
4.	Kevin Orr	23	USA (Champaign, IL)	1:49:32
5.	Jeffrey Muralt	25	USA (Birmingham, AL)	1:53:51

1991 Women

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.	Ann Walters	22	USA (Champaign, IL)	1:57:17
2.	Carol Hetherington	21	USA (Urbana, IL)	2:00:12
3.	Maura McVan	20	USA (Champaign, IL)	2:21:03
4.	Amy Gregson	27	USA (Champaign, IL)	2:22:41
5.	Mary Thompson	Unknown	USA (San Diego, CA)	2:53:22

1990 Men

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.	Jim Knaub	34	USA (IL)	1:42:34
2.	Jim Green	Unknown	USA (IL)	1:46:17
3.	Scot Hollonbeck	20	USA (Champaign, IL)	2:06:45
4.	Alberto Alcocer	Unknown	USA (Lakeside, CA)	2:36:22
5.	William Fricke	Unknown	USA (IL)	2:38:24

1990 Women

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.....	Ann Cody Morris.....	Unknown...	USA (Urbana, IL)	1:53:33
2.....	Jean Driscoll	24	USA (Champaign, IL)	1:53:33
3.....	Ann Walters.....	21	USA (Champaign, IL).....	2:06:45
4.....	Didier Touat.....	Unknown...	USA (IL).....	2:50:27

Only four women competed in the Wheelchair Division

1989 Men

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.....	Scot Hollonbeck.....	19	USA (Champaign, IL).....	1:45:30

Only one man competed in the Wheelchair Division

1989 Women

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.....	Ann Cody-Morris.....	Unknown...	USA (Urbana, IL)	1:58:51

Only one woman competed in the Wheelchair Division

1988

Records unknown

1987

A half marathon took the place of the full marathon

1986 Men

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.....	Bart Bardwell.....	Unknown...	USA (MN).....	2:10:19
2.....	Tony Possehl.....	27	USA (MN).....	2:16:59
3.....	Alberto Alcocer.....	Unknown...	USA (Lakeside, CA)	2:24:52
4.....	Gary Weber.....	Unknown...	USA (MN).....	2:25:00
5.....	Marty Morse	32	USA (IL).....	2:33:02

1986 Women

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.....	Jonnie Baylark	Unknown...	USA (Bellwood, IL).....	3:23:32

Only one woman competed in the Wheelchair Division

1985 Men

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.....	Robert Fitch	Unknown...	USA (East Lansing, MI).....	2:23:41
2.....	Alberto Alcocer	Unknown...	USA (Lakeside, CA)	2:36:22
3.....	William Fricke	Unknown...	USA (IL).....	2:38:24
4.....	John Jones	Unknown...	USA (IA).....	2:40:52
5.....	Jeff Pagels	37	USA (WI).....	2:46:55

1985 Women

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.....	Jayne Fortson	Unknown...	USA (UT).....	2:52:22

Only one woman competed in the Wheelchair Division

1984 Men

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.....	Robert Fitch	Unknown...	USA (East Lansing, MI).....	2:35:06
2.....	Howard Cohen.....	Unknown...	USA (Minneapolis, MN)	2:59:20
3.....	Albert Alcocer.....	Unknown...	USA (Lakeside, CA)	3:01:33
4.....	Richard Wendt	Unknown...	USA (Grand Rapids, MI).....	3:22:04
5.....	Robert White	Unknown...	USA (West Lafayette, IN).....	3:37:24

1984 Women

#	Name	Age	Country	Time
1.....	Jonnie Baylark	Unknown...	USA (Bellwood, IL).....	3:29:10

Only one woman competed in the Wheelchair Division

Historic event statistics

Year	Start time	Registrants	%	Growth	finishers	Prize purse	Title sponsor
2018	7:30 a.m.	N/A	0% (C)	NA		\$803,500	Bank of America
2017	7:30 a.m.	N/A	0% (C)	44,341 (ER)		\$803,500	Bank of America
2016	7:30 a.m.	45,000	0% (C)	39,313		\$753,000	Bank of America
2015	7:30 a.m.	45,000	0% (C)	37,459		\$550,000	Bank of America
2014	7:30 a.m.	45,000	0% (C)	40,659		\$550,000	Bank of America
2013	7:30 a.m.	45,000	0% (C)	39,122		\$550,000	Bank of America
2012	7:30 a.m.	45,000	0% (C)	37,475		\$500,000	Bank of America
2011	7:30 a.m.	45,000	0% (C)	35,755		\$500,000	Bank of America
2010	7:30 a.m.	45,000	0% (C)	36,088		\$475,000	Bank of America
2009	7:30 a.m.	45,000	0% (C)	33,703		\$450,000	Bank of America
2008	8:00 a.m.	45,000	0% (C)	31,344		\$485,000	Bank of America
2007	8:00 a.m.	45,000	5% (C)	25,534		\$581,500	LaSalle Bank
2006	8:00 a.m.	40,000	0% (C)	33,633		\$650,000	LaSalle Bank
2005	8:00 a.m.	40,000	0% (C)	32,868		\$650,000	LaSalle Bank
2004	8:00 a.m.	40,000	0% (C)	33,082		\$650,000	LaSalle Bank
2003	8:00 a.m.	40,000	7%	32,361		\$550,000	LaSalle Bank
2002	7:30 a.m.	37,500	0% (C)	31,106		\$500,000	LaSalle Bank
2001	7:30 a.m.	37,500	6%	28,830		\$450,000	LaSalle Bank
2000	7:30 a.m.	33,171	12%	27,965		\$450,000	LaSalle Bank
1999	7:30 a.m.	29,256	46%	24,654		\$400,000	LaSalle Bank
1998	7:45 a.m.	20,063	23%	17,204		\$350,000	LaSalle Bank
1997	7:45 a.m.	16,372	50% (ER)	14,322		\$300,000	LaSalle Bank
1996	7:45 a.m.	10,925	2%	9,196		\$275,000	LaSalle Bank
1995	7:45 a.m.	10,802	8%	8,641		\$250,000	LaSalle Bank
1994	8:00 a.m.	10,021	44%	7,223		\$200,000	LaSalle Bank
1993	8:30 a.m.	6,941	-15%	5,491		\$100,000	N/A
1992	8:00 a.m.	8,214	9%	5,906		\$50,000	N/A
1991	8:00 a.m.	7,513	-6%	5,908		\$50,000	N/A
1990	8:30 a.m.	7,957	9%	6,168		\$250,000	Old Style
1989	9:00 a.m.	7,269	-3%	5,635		\$350,000	Old Style
1988	9:00 a.m.	7,476	29% (B)	5,795		\$350,000	Old Style
1986	8:45 a.m.	10,543	8%	8,173		\$285,000	Beatrice Foods
1985	8:45 a.m.	9,755	29%	7,562		\$250,000	Beatrice Foods
1984	9:15 a.m.	7,539	12%	5,844		\$250,000	Beatrice Foods
1983	9:30 a.m.	6,756	12%	5,237		\$135,000	Beatrice Foods
1982	9:30 a.m.	6,014	10%	4,642		\$77,000	Beatrice Foods
1981	9:30 a.m.	5,485	17%	4,252		N/A	Beatrice Foods
1980	9:30 a.m.	4,675	26%	3,624		N/A	Beatrice Foods
1979	9:30 a.m.	3,701	29%	2,869		N/A	Beatrice Foods
1978	10:30 a.m.	5,228	25%	4,053		N/A	Flair Communications
1977	8:00 a.m.	4,200	N/A	2,128		N/A	Flair Communications

B = Based on 1986, C = Capacity, ER = Event Record

Historic weather conditions

Race date	High temp. (°F/°C)	Low temp. (°F/°C)
Oct. 8, 2017	80/22	56/11
Oct. 9, 2016	62/17	48/9
Oct. 11, 2015	79/26	53/12
Oct. 12, 2014	64/18	45/7
Oct. 13, 2013	64/18	47/8
Oct. 7, 2012	51/11	38/3
Oct. 9, 2011	80/26	56/13
Oct. 10, 2010	84/29	59/15
Oct. 11, 2009	45/7	28/-2
Oct. 12, 2008	84/29	57/14
Oct. 7, 2007	89/31	74/23
Oct. 22, 2006	48/8	36/2
Oct. 9, 2005	59/15	50/10
Oct. 10, 2004	67/19	48/9
Oct. 12, 2003	57/14	35/2
Oct. 13, 2002	50/10	33/5
Oct. 7, 2001	60/16	41/5
Oct. 22, 2000	69/21	49/9
Oct. 24, 1999	51/11	28/-2
Oct. 11, 1998	60/16	39/4
Oct. 19, 1997	62/17	41/5
Oct. 20, 1996	59/15	31/-1
Oct. 15, 1995	56/13	36/2
Oct. 30, 1994	61/16	36/2
Oct. 31, 1993	44/7	25/-4
Oct. 25, 1992	62/17	35/2
Oct. 27, 1991	53/12	47/8
Oct. 28, 1990	60/16	30/-1
Oct. 29, 1989	74/23	54/12
Oct. 30, 1988	45/7	21/-6
Oct. 25, 1987	53/12	29/-2
Oct. 26, 1986	59/15	52/11
Oct. 20, 1985	57/14	51/11
Oct. 21, 1984	55/13	37/3
Oct. 16, 1983	72/22	41/5
Sep. 26, 1982	63/17	49/9
Sep. 27, 1981	72/22	49/9
Sep. 28, 1980	69/21	53/12
Oct. 21, 1979	84/29	70/21
Sep. 24, 1978	79/26	49/9
Sep. 25, 1977	78/26	57/14

*These temperatures are official records from O'Hare International Airport, not the Chicago Marathon start/finish area.

Race day temperature extremes

Highest race day temperature:	89° F	Oct. 7, 2007
Lowest race day temperature:	21° F	Oct. 30, 1988
Highest race day humidity:	90%	Oct. 26, 1986
Record high for month of October:	94° F	Oct. 6, 1963
Record low for month of October:	14° F	Oct. 25, 1887

Miscellaneous weather notes

Last race day with snow:	Oct. 31, 1993	
Last race day with rain:	Oct. 22, 2006	
Last race day with strong winds:	Oct. 15, 1995	
Last race day with unseasonable heat:	Oct. 9, 2011	80° F
Last race day with unseasonable cold:	Oct. 31, 1993	25° F with a 12° F wind-chill
Last race day with high heat & high humidity:	Oct. 7, 2007	89° F with 73% humidity and 0-3 mph winds

Average high/low temperatures for October 8: 65° F/41° F
October has an average of 7 clear days, 8.75 partly cloudy days and 14.7 cloudy days

Year-by-Year event summary

October 8, 2017

The race celebrated 40 years of running and history with runners from more than 100 countries and all 50 states. The inaugural Chicago Marathon started in Daley Plaza on September 25, 1977.

In an elite competition loaded with four world record holders and seven men with sub 2:08 personal bests and six women who have run 2:23 or faster, the stage was set for another year of fantastic finishes. The men's race saw the first American champion crowned since 2002 as three-time Olympian Galen Rupp surged with three miles to go, crushing the field behind him to capture his first Abbott World Marathon Majors (AbbottWMM) victory in 2:09:20. Defending champion and 2012 Olympic Marathon silver medalist Abel Kirui (KEN) hung on to finish second in 2:09:48 and Bernard Kipyego (KEN) arrived a distant third in 2:10:23.

In stark contrast to the men's race, three-time Olympic gold medalist Tirunesh Dibaba (ETH) led a pack of five women through the first half on course record pace and then dropped the hammer immediately after the 13.1 mile mark in an attempt to shake her competitors. Dibaba turned in the second fastest time in Chicago Marathon history, 2:18:31, and the third fastest time in the world this year. Relative newcomer to the AbbottWMM Brigid Kosgei (KEN) subtracted four minutes from her previous best to finish second in 2:20:22, and American Jordan Hasay became the second fastest American woman in history – and the fastest American woman ever to run Chicago – when she grabbed the final spot on the podium in 2:20:57.

In the women's wheelchair competition, Tatyana McFadden (USA) defended her title in a photo finish, taking home her seventh straight victory and her eighth win at the Bank of America Chicago Marathon, while setting a course record in 1:39:15. Three-time Chicago Marathon champion Amanda McGrory (USA) finished with an identical time for second, and four-time runner up Manuela Shär (SUI) finished third in 1:39:17. For the first time in Chicago Marathon history, the top four women finished faster than the course record.

The men's competition marked a striking departure from the sprint finishes typically seen in Chicago. Defending champion and Abbott WMM Series X winner, Marcel Hug (SUI), clocked the fastest winning time since 2011, 1:29:23. Hug made the turn from Roosevelt Road to Columbus Drive unchallenged by the chase pack. Five-time Chicago Marathon champion Kurt Fearnley (AUS) repeated as the runner up in 1:30:24 and Jordi Madera Jimenez (ESP) trailed him by one second for third, 1:30:25.

October 9, 2016

Ideal weather conditions greeted runners as thousands of volunteers and more than 1.7 million spectators descended on the city to usher in the 39th annual Bank of America Chicago Marathon. For the second consecutive year, race organizers did not use pacesetters, resulting in championship style racing and head-to-head competition. The men's race saw a new champion crowned as 2012 Olympic marathon silver medalist Abel Kirui (KEN) held off defending champion Dickson Chumba (KEN) down the homestretch, 2:11:23 to 2:11:26, respectively. Gideon Kipketer (KEN) arrived a distant third in 2:12:20. The men's race entertained fans with fartlek-style pace surges and multiple leadership changes.

In stark contrast to the men's race, Florence Kiplagat (KEN) led a pack of women aggressively through the first 19 miles on sub 2:22 pace and then threw down a 5:10 mile to break away from the pack and defend her title. Kiplagat ran the fifth fastest time in the world and the 13th fastest time in Bank of America Chicago Marathon history, 2:21:32. Double IAAF World Championships Marathon winner Edna Kiplagat (KEN) was the runner up in 2:23:28, and Valentine Kipketer (KEN) claimed the final spot on the podium in 2:23:41.

In the women's wheelchair competition, Tatyana McFadden (Clarksville, MD.) defended her title, beating Switzerland's Manuela Schär by one second in 1:42:28, taking home her sixth straight victory and her seventh win at the Chicago Marathon, making her the most decorated champion in race history. The men's competition featured another thrilling finish with the top nine men finishing within 16 seconds of each other. Abbott World Marathon Majors Series X leader Marcel Hug (SUI) edged out Kurt Fearnley (AUS) in a photo finish in 1:32:57, earning his first career Chicago Marathon victory. 2014 champion Joshua George (Champaign, Ill.) was a close third in 1:32:59.

October 11, 2015

The 2015 Bank of America Chicago Marathon was another year for the record books: Deena Kastor broke the American Master's record and Tatyana McFadden broke her own course record in the professional wheelchair competition.

For the first time in more than two decades, pacesetters were not at the helm of the race, and in a strategic competition up front, the men's race saw a Kenyan sweep with Dickson Chumba running away from the field in 2:09:25, Sammy Kitwara finishing as the runner-up for the second time in 2:09:50 and newcomer to the Abbott World Marathon Majors, Sammy Ndungu, sprinting down the homestretch for third in 2:10:06. American Luke Puskedra (Eugene, Ore.) kicked it in for a fifth place finish in 2:10:24, becoming just the sixth American over the last two decades to score a top five finish in Chicago.

Florence Kiplagat (KEN), the reigning half marathon world record holder, stayed patient in an aggressive race that saw a strong pack of women bolt from the start on 2:19 pace. Kiplagat finally made her move 40K into the race, breaking the tape first in 2:23:33. Yebgual Melese (ETH) held on for second in 2:23:43, and Birhane Dibaba (ETH) secured a podium finish in 2:24:24.

On the tenth anniversary of her victory in Chicago, Deena Kastor (Mammoth Lake, Calif.) finished in seventh place in 2:27:47, breaking the American Master's Record, 2:28:40, set by Colleen De Reuk at the 2005 Chicago Marathon. Kastor now owns the second (2:21:25), fourth (2:26:53) and seventh fastest times run by an American woman on the Chicago Marathon course.

In the women's wheelchair competition, Tatyana McFadden (USA) handily defended her title in a course record time, 1:41:10, taking home her fifth straight victory and her sixth win at the Bank of America Chicago Marathon since her 2009 debut. The men's competition featured another thrilling finish with the top 11 men finishing within 13 seconds of each other. Kurt Fearnley (USA) beat his competitors to the line in 1:30:46, earning his fifth career Chicago Marathon victory. In a photo finish for second place, Marcel Hug (SUI) held off 2014 champion Joshua George (Champaign, Ill.), both clocking 1:30:48.

October 12, 2014

The 2014 Bank of America Chicago Marathon witnessed two new records: 40,659 runners crossed the finish line, and more than 10,000 participants raised \$17.3 million for charity.

The men's race opened with a world record chase as a pack of twelve stormed through the first mile in 4:34. The pace simmered as the wind picked up, but the group remained intact through the half. Two pacers led the charge with a 1:02:11 split. In the later stages of the race, pre-race favorites Eliud Kipchoge and Kenenisa Bekele followed the leaders in what grew into a tactical race. Kipchoge, Sammy Kitwara and Dickson Chumba stayed together until Kipchoge made his final move at mile 25. With his victory clearly sealed, Kipchoge strode down Columbus Drive with a smile, stealing the show in 2:04:11. Kitwara and Chumba dueled for second, with Kitwara out-striding Chumba down the homestretch, 2:04:28 to 2:04:32.

American Amy Hastings led the women's race from the gun, hitting the 5K in 17:12 and the 10K in 34:22 with defending champion Rita Jeptoo a few steps behind. Things shifted over the next 5K with Florence Kiplagat and Jeptoo taking over the lead. The pace remained relatively pedestrian until defending champion Rita Jeptoo took the reins and dropped a 16:37 5K between 35K and 40K. Jeptoo easily defended her title, breaking the tape in 2:24:35. Mare Dibaba held on for second in 2:25:37, and half-marathon world record holder, Kiplagat, secured a podium finish in 2:25:57.

The men's wheelchair competition featured an historic finish with the top 11 men finishing within 11 seconds of each other. Josh George edged Kurt Fearnley at the line by one second, 1:32:12 to 1:32:13. In the women's race, Tatyana McFadden handily defended her title, taking home her fourth straight victory, and her fifth in the last six years. In 2013, McFadden became the first male or female athlete to win four World Marathon Majors in one year (she won Boston, London, Chicago and New York).

October 13, 2013

The 2013 Bank of America Chicago Marathon concluded with course records, more than 39,000 finishers, more than \$15 million in charitable fundraising and a record \$253 million economic impact. Kenyan athletes dominated the men's and women's races with historic performances, leading the way for the event record 39,122 runners who crossed the sun-splashed finish line in Grant Park under ideal weather conditions. Kenya's Dennis Kimetto smashed the men's course record with a 2:03:45 performance, taking 53 seconds off the previous mark set in 2012. The men's race was a world record chase from the start with a 29:20 opening 10K. The pack was whittled down to four when Kimetto and fellow Kenyans Emmanuel Mutai, Sammy Kitwara and Micah Kogo split 14:33 from 30K to 35K. Heading up the Roosevelt Road overpass, it was still a two-way battle between Kimetto and Mutai, with Kimetto grinding away for a seven-second advantage over Mutai at the finish line. Both athletes registered personal best performances, becoming the fourth and fifth fastest marathon performers of all-time. It was also the first time in history that two athletes broke 2:04 in the same race (on a record-eligible course). Michigan native Dathan Ritzenhein was the first American finisher, placing fifth in 2:09:45.

In the women's competition, Kenya's Rita Jeptoo cracked the 2:20 barrier with a winning time of 2:19:57, the fastest women's marathon time in the world in 2013. The lead pack of eight women traveled through the half in a relatively relaxed 1:11:15, but things started to heat up by 25K, when Kenyans Rita Jeptoo and Jemima Sumgong began to separate themselves from the field, leaving defending champion Atsede Baysa of Ethiopia in their wake. Jeptoo's 15:57 split from 35K to 40K sealed her victory and put her in position to break the 2:20 barrier for the first time in her career. Her 2:19:57 ranks as the fifth fastest performance in Chicago Marathon history and she became the first Kenyan woman to break the finish tape on Columbus Drive since Catherine Ndereba in 2001. Clara Santucci, of Dilliner, Pa., was the top American, finishing ninth in 2:31:39.

In the elite wheelchair competition, Tatyana McFadden of the United States won her third straight Chicago Marathon in a course record time of 1:42:35, taking down the previous mark set in 1992. South Africa's Ernst Van Dyk won a sprint finish in the men's wheelchair race to claim his first Chicago title.

October 7, 2012

The 35th anniversary Bank of America Chicago Marathon proved to be one for the record books. It started with registration selling out in a record six days, and ended with an all-time high 37,475 runners crossing the finish line in Grant Park. The event also established new benchmarks in charitable fundraising (\$15.3 million) and economic impact (\$243 million).

After minor improvements on the course record two out of the last three years, Ethiopia's Tsegaye Kebede took advantage of cool weather (the day's high reached 51 degrees) and a stacked elite field to slash 59 seconds from the course mark, becoming the first to break 2:05 in Chicago with his 2:04:38 performance. He led two others under the previous record; Feyisa Lilesa was second in 2:04:52 and Tilahun Regassa third in 2:05:27, making it an Ethiopian sweep of the podium. Kebede also became Chicago's first male champion from Ethiopia. The top American was Oregon's Dathan Ritzenhein in ninth. His 2:07:47 was a personal best by more than two minutes and made him the third fastest American marathoner of all-time.

Ethiopia's Atsede Baysa clinched the victory after a sprint finish with Kenya's Rita Jeptoo. In the end, Baysa broke the tape a stride ahead, with both athletes recording personal bests, 2:22:03 and 2:22:04, respectively. The dramatic finish tied for the narrowest margin of victory in the history of the women's competition. Kenya's Lucy Kabuu was third (2:22:41). Running her debut marathon, Renee Baillie of the U.S. was eighth in 2:27:17, registering the fifth fastest U.S. debut of all-time.

In the wheelchair division, Tatyana McFadden of the U.S. won her second consecutive title and third in the last four years. In the men's race, Canadian Paralympian Josh Cassidy moved up from fourth the previous year to the top spot on the podium.

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October 9, 2011

The Bank of America Chicago Marathon reached its registration capacity of 45,000 in record time (31 days), which led to the second-largest field in event history (35,755) crossing the finish line in Grant Park. Runners battled another unseasonably warm October day with temperatures peaking at 80 degrees, albeit with low humidity and light winds.

The elite athletes were undaunted by the conditions, as Kenya's Moses Mosop surged to a new men's course record of 2:05:37, breaking Sammy Wanjiru's two-year-old mark. Running just his second marathon, Mosop showed great poise as he withstood a dramatic surge by countryman Wesley Korir between 25 and 30K, before answering with a surge of his own that sprung him to victory. Korir hung on for second in 2:06:15, and Bernard Kipyego third place finish in 2:06:29 made it a Kenyan sweep. America's Ryan Hall placed fifth in 2:08:04, becoming the second fastest American in Chicago history behind a pair of Khalid Khannouchi performances.

Liliya Shobukhova of Russia became the first runner to win three straight Chicago titles, and did so with the second fastest time in event history (2:18:20). Shobukhova had company in Ethiopia's Ejegayehu Dibaba (running her debut marathon) and Japan's Kayoko Fukushi for the first half, before powering away to a nearly four-minute margin of victory. Dibaba's runner-up time of 2:22:09 was the world's second-fastest debut, while Fukushi took third in 2:24:38.

Australia's Kurt Fearnley won a tight wheelchair race with just six seconds separating the top four finishers. His time of 1:29:18 was five seconds faster than the ageless Heinz Frei of Switzerland, who edged Joshua George of the U.S. for second. In the women's race, Tatyana McFadden boldly pulled away after 10 miles and the gamble paid off, as she was dominant in a nearly two-minute victory over Christine Dawes of Australia. McFadden's time of 1:45:03 was the second-fastest in event history. With 10,000 charity runners representing more than 160 nonprofit organizations, the Chicago Marathon Charity Program netted an event record \$13.4 million in fundraising, while the event's overall impact on the city also grew to \$219 million.

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October 10, 2010

A record number of race finishers (36,088) contributed to a major Bank of America Chicago Marathon milestone—more than a half million finishers since the event's founding in 1977.

Leading the way for the record field of participants were a pair of repeat champions as both Sammy Wanjiru of Kenya and Liliya Shobukhova of Russia defended their titles. In a dazzling rematch of the 2008 Olympic gold and bronze medalists, Wanjiru and Ethiopia's Tsegaye Kebede pushed each other to the limit, with Wanjiru weathering a series of attacks in the final miles before finally prevailing on the incline up Roosevelt Road. Several of the running industry's top commentators remarked that the battle between the two great champions was the finest they had ever witnessed.

Shobukhova's victory, on the other hand, was a runaway by more than three minutes over Ethiopia's Astede Baysa, who held a half-minute lead at 30K. But the patient and measured Russian proved too much in the race's final 12K, as she posted a Russian national record of 2:20:25 for the win. Desiree Davila become the fourth fastest American with her fourth place finish in 2:26:20, ranking behind only Deena Kastor, Joan Benoit Samuelson and Kara Goucher on the all-time list.

In the men's wheelchair division, a new course record was set by 52-year-old Heinz Frei of Switzerland who blitzed the course in 1:26:56. In the women's wheelchair division, Amanda McGrory of downstate Savoy, IL returned to the winner's circle with a two-second victory over Japan's Wakako Tsuchida.

The Chicago Marathon continued its growth in charitable and economic impact with a record 10,000 charity runners and \$12 million raised for local, national and global causes. With all the fanfare surrounding "Marathon Weekend" in Chicago, the city benefitted from \$170 million in economic impact.

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October 11, 2009

The 2009 race set a number of new benchmarks, among them a record number of finishers (33,703), a record number of charity runners (8,500) and dollars raised (\$10-plus million), a greater economic impact (\$150 million), a record number of spectators (1.7 million), and a new men's course record (2:05:41).

In a welcome departure from the past two years, race day temperatures started in the low 30s, and the stage was set for a world record attempt by Olympic Marathon gold medalist Sammy Wanjiru of Kenya. With the help of pacemakers, 22-year-old Wanjiru challenged Haile Gebrselassie's 2:03:59 mark with a blistering first half run in 1:02:01. Fellow Kenyans Vincent Kipruto and Charles Munyeki went along for the ride, but the pace slowed during the second half and the world record was no longer in sight. Wanjiru still managed to carve a second off Khalid Khannouchi's course record and take home an additional \$100,000 for his efforts. Morocco's Abderrahim Goumri ran a tactical race for second in 2:06:04, while Kipruto held on for third in 2:06:08.

In the women's race, Russia's Liliya Shobukhova won her first major marathon in only her second attempt at the distance. After a tactical first half, Ethiopia's Teyba Erkesso burst to the lead, trimming down the lead back to the main contenders. Shobukhova displayed unparalleled speed over the final two miles (run at sub five-minute pace), finishing in 2:25:56, with Germany's Irina Mikitenko second in 2:26:31 and 2008 Chicago champion Lidiya Grigoryeva of Russia third in 2:26:47.

Australia's Kurt Fearnley won the men's wheelchair race for the third straight year (1:29:09), and the women's race produced one of the most thrilling finishes in race history, with the top five women all finishing within three seconds. First-time marathoner Tatyana McFadden got the win in 1:50:47.

In the debut of the Nike Northside/Southside Challenge, a high school invitational held on the final 2.6 miles of the Marathon course, Lincoln Way Central runner Kyle Counter beat a field of 71 competitors to finish 52 seconds ahead of second place in 13:35. The girl's champion from Luther North, Stephanie Simpson, won in 16:01, 19 seconds ahead of second place. Fifty-seven high school girls competed in the race.

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October 12, 2008:

With Bank of America at the helm as the new title sponsor, and Nike as the new footwear and apparel sponsor, the 2008 race attracted 45,000 participants and closed registration in less than three months. With another year of hot temperatures predicted on race day, almost 33,000 runners started and 31,344 finished. 2008 witnessed several new changes, including a separate start for the men's and women's elite field (starting five minutes before the Open field), an increase in Aid Stations from 15 to 20, and the first-ever handcycle division as the event welcomed the Achilles Freedom Team of Wounded Veterans. With a star-studded field, the men's elite race went out in a blistering pace, at one point threatening to take down Khalid Khannouchi's course record. But the early pace wilted most of the field by 25K, leaving Kenyans Evans Cheruiyot and David Mandago to battle it out in a two-man race. After another six miles spent running shoulder to shoulder, Cheruiyot, in just his second marathon, pulled away for the victory in 2:06:25, the eighth fastest time in event history.

The women's race went out much more conservatively, with the lead pack moving at a pedestrian pace nearly 15 minutes off the course record. Shortly after the halfway point, Russians Lidiya Grigoryeva and Alevtina Biktimirova broke away from the pack. They matched each other's strides until mile 21, when Grigoryeva emerged as the clear victor (2:27:17). The wheelchair races witnessed Australian Kurt Fearnley and American Amanda McGrory repeat as champions.

October 7, 2007

The 30th anniversary race was historic in many regards. Both the men's victory by Kenya's Patrick Ivuti and women's repeat championship by Ethiopia's Berhane Adere undoubtedly rank among the most exciting finishes in event history. After a neck-and-neck sprint down Columbus Drive between Ivuti and Moroccan Jaouad Gharib, Ivuti made a final surge, pushing his chest forward to break the tape only hundredths of a second before his opponent. Moments later, Adere surprised Romanian Adriana Pirtea in the final stretch by strategically positioning herself out of Pirtea's peripheral vision and sprinting wide of the finish tape to steal the title. Thinking she was in the final stretch of certain victory, Pirtea was in the midst of pumping her arms to the crowd when she spotted Adere much too late to match her stride. In the wheelchair race, Australia's Kurt Fearnley set a new course record with his speedy 1:28:06, just one second ahead of 2005 champion Krige Schabort, and Amanda McGrory took the women's title.

But the real story of the day was the historic heat. Temperatures soared into the high 80s and combined with high humidity, which forced organizers to halt the race for the first time in its history. Approximately three and a half hours after the official start, runners were rerouted to Grant Park and instructed to stop running as the heat was too intense to ensure their safety. As a result, while the race welcomed its largest field to the start line (36,867), only 25,534 were able to officially finish the race.

On October 1, only six days before the race, Bank of America completed its acquisition of LaSalle Bank and thereby its future involvement with the historic Marathon. The 30th anniversary closed a storied chapter in the race's history, ending its 14-year run as The LaSalle Bank Chicago Marathon, a time during which it experienced tremendous growth in many areas including popularity among runners, civic and community support, and international recognition.

October 22, 2006

Kenya's Robert Kipkoech Cheruiyot outsprinted countryman Daniel Njenga to win an exciting race which presented weather challenges of low temperatures, gusty winds and chilling rain. The race saw Cheruiyot, Njenga, fellow Kenyans Jimmy Muindi and Robert Cheboror, and American Abdi Abdirahman separate themselves from the pack near mile 19. With a mile to go, it was just Cheruiyot and Njenga racing for the title. After setting his eyes on the prize following a 2004 runner-up finish and 2005 third-place finish, Njenga challenged Cheruiyot in the final sprint on Columbus Drive but finished in second place once again. On his approach to the finish line, Cheruiyot slipped and fell just before breaking the tape. On official review, the Kenyan's torso had crossed the plane securing his second consecutive win in a World Marathon Major race.

After leading the women's race at a blazing world record pace in the first half, returning runner-up Constantina Tomescu-Dita of Romania faltered in the second half. Ethiopia's Berhane Adere and Russia's Galina Bogomolova closed the gap by Mile 22. Adere's long strides against Bogomolova's quicker steps proved stronger as she edged ahead and took the win. Both Adere and Bogomolova set new national records for Ethiopia and Russia, respectively, as did third and fourth place finishers Benita Johnson of Australia and Madia Perez of Mexico.

October 9, 2005

The 2005 Chicago Marathon was a world-class racing event as young champion Felix Limo defeated a deep men's field, and U.S. record holder Deena Kastor claimed victory in a thrilling race against returning 2004 champion Constantina Tomescu-Dita.

It was a tactical battle from the start as the men's field settled in for a cautious 15:35 split in the first 5K. The lead pack was spread 11 athletes-wide across Ashland Avenue about 7.5 miles from the finish. Defending champion Evans Rutto surged ahead at mile 20, but painful blisters dashed his chances to earn a third consecutive victory. Limo accelerated at 40K to take the lead and sprinted to an impressive victory in 2:07:02. Four more Kenyans—Ben Maiyo, Daniel Njenga, Evans Rutto and Patrick Ivuti—all finished within 44 seconds of Limo to set a Chicago record for the fastest top five finishers. In the women's race, Kastor snatched the lead from Tomescu-Dita shortly after the first 5K and led the defending champion at sub-2:20 pace through the remaining 23 miles. Tomescu-Dita kept a short leash on Kastor through 25K before the American shifted gears and pushed to a 40-second lead with seven miles remaining. But Tomescu-Dita steadily edged her way back into the race before ultimately running out of real estate, as Kastor hung tough for a five second victory over the Romanian record-holder. The win was Kastor's first in a big-city marathon, and the third fastest time ever run by an American. Tomescu-Dita improved her personal best by one minute and 20 seconds, and reset her national record by the same margin.

October 10, 2004

Awash in bright sunshine, Evans Rutto of Kenya and Constantina Tomescu-Dita of Romania charged to victory in the Chicago Marathon's 27th running. Their world-class runs made the city proud on a day when 33,125 participants from 121 countries crossed the finish line on Columbus Drive.

Rutto, who had not come just to defend his 2003 title but to break the world record, got the victory in a stellar 2:06:16, but was left to wonder what could have been if the wind had not kicked up in the final miles. While he had set his sights on Paul Tergat's time of 2:04:55 set in Berlin the previous fall, the wind was the wild card on a day he had been dealt an otherwise perfect hand. Still, Rutto notched the fourth-fastest winning time in Chicago history, and the second fastest marathon in 2004. The victory kept the 26-year-old undefeated over the marathon distance.

Tomescu-Dita deployed her usual tactic of going out hard and hanging on, which had not yet resulted in victory at a major marathon. But on this day, the Romanian ruled the road. Looking back five times from the corner of Michigan Avenue and Roosevelt Road to the finish on Columbus Drive, she was overcome with emotion as she realized she would win her first major marathon title in a time of 2:23:45, just 10 seconds off her personal best.

October 12, 2003

The 2003 Chicago Marathon was up for grabs with four-time champion Khalid Khannouchi out of the field due to injury. Kenyan Evans Rutto picked a good year to take on his first 26.2-miler in Chicago. In a seemingly effortless performance, Rutto not only took home the victory, but he set the debut marathon record in 2:05:50. Rutto's time marked the sixth fastest marathon ever run, only eight seconds behind Khalid Khannouchi's course record. The women's victory went to veteran runner Svetlana Zakharova of Russia. Zakharova trailed behind Constantina Tomescu-Dita until mile 25, where she surged ahead to win in 2:23:07.

October 13, 2002

The 25th anniversary of the Chicago Marathon was simply unforgettable—a beautiful day with a record number of finishers, nearly a million spectators, a new women's world record and the crowning of Chicago's first four-time male winner.

Great Britain's Paula Radcliffe capped off her phenomenal year by shattering the world record with a stunning 2:17:18 performance. Against a topnotch field, including defending champion and former world record holder Catherine Ndereba of Kenya, Radcliffe took control of the race for good after the halfway mark when she clocked mile splits of 5:08, 5:11 and 5:06 from miles 17 through 19. She ran alone and stayed strong during the final stretch up Lake Shore Drive to improve the world record by an amazing 89 seconds, which Ndereba set a year earlier.

After a one-year absence, Khalid Khannouchi returned to win his fourth Chicago title. Competing in the most impressive elite field in the event's 25-year history, Khannouchi went head-to-head with Paul Tergat, defending champion Ben Kimondiu, and two-time London champion Abdelkader El Mouaziz. But it was Toshinari Takaoka who would provide Khannouchi with his biggest challenge as the Japanese 10,000-meter champion broke away from the pack at mile 19 to take a 21-second lead at mile 23. In response, Khannouchi kicked it into higher gear, catching Takaoka by mile 25 near McCormick Place. After taking the lead, Khannouchi kept his furious pace over the last mile and a half to win in 2:05:56, becoming the first marathoner to record three sub-2:06 performances.

October 7, 2001

The 2001 Chicago Marathon was another historic race—a record number of runners, nearly a million spectators, a pacer surprising all by winning and a new women's world record. In 2001, registration reached a record 37,500 participants.

Catherine Ndereba ran the race of her life, producing a new women's world record with a stunning time of 2:18:47. After a slow start and an early challenge by friend and fellow Kenyan, Lornah Kiplagat, she ran alone most of the second half. Ndereba put the record well within her sights when she ran miles 23 and 24 in 5:12 and 5:09, respectively. Her performance, the first ever sub-2:19 run by a woman, lowered the mark by 59 seconds, set only a week earlier in Berlin.

In one of the most stunning upsets in Chicago Marathon history, Kenya's Ben Kimondiu—a pacesetter hired to push a fast pace for the first half—decided to stay in the race and won in impressive fashion, out-kicking heavily favored Paul Tergat of Kenya in 2:08:52. It was the first and only time in Chicago's history that a pacer led from start to finish. Rod DeHaven was the fastest American, placing sixth with a personal best 2:11:40.

October 22, 2000

Khalid Khannouchi, in another magnificence display of marathon running, won his third Chicago Marathon in 2:07:01. Khannouchi set the American record after being disappointed at not being able to represent the U.S. in the Sydney Olympics earlier in the year.

In nearly ideal conditions, Khannouchi beat a strong field including Moses Tanui and three other Kenyans: Fred Kiprop, Josephat Kiprono and Peter Githuka. Kenyans finished in the next five places, Kiprono taking runner-up honors 28 seconds behind Khannouchi. Then it was Tanui, Githuka, Kiprop and William Kiplagat. It was also a good day for the American men as eight placed in the top 20, with notable performances by Eric Mack (2:12:42 in his debut) and Josh Cox (2:13:55).

Catherine Ndereba joined Ingrid Kristiansen (1986) as the only women to win Boston and Chicago in the same year. Ndereba's winning time (2:21:33) was the fastest run in 2000. Ndereba shadowed Kenyan compatriot Lornah Kiplagat after closing down an early gap of 15 seconds, finally taking the lead in the 23rd mile. Kiplagat hung on for a personal best 2:22:36. Americans Libbie Hickman, Christine Junkermann and Kristy Johnston ran together for much of the race before Hickman prevailed as the first American in 2:32:09.

A record 27,956 finishers made this race the fourth-largest marathon in history.

October 24, 1999

Hollywood couldn't have scripted it better: a world record for the men, a photo finish for the women and a monster field. Chicago had it all on this chilly (mid 30s at the start) yet sunny October morning. Kenya's Moses Tanui had a 33-second lead on the pack at Mile 21 when Khalid Khannouchi of Morocco took over the second position. From that point on, it was a two-man race with Khannouchi effectively gaining on the leader. At 40K, as Tanui grabbed his bottle from the elite fluid table, Khannouchi flew by. From that point on, he was chasing only the record book. The men's leaders had already been on world record pace most of the race, but Khannouchi switched into another gear, finishing in an incredible 2:05:42, breaking Ronaldo da Costa's world record by 23 seconds, and becoming the first man to run under 2:06. Tanui finished in 2:06:16, still good for the third fastest marathon ever run. Khannouchi collected \$65,000 for the win, a \$100,000 world record bonus and a new Volkswagen Beetle. American David Morris, an Alaskan native who had been training and racing in Japan, put forth an impressive run of 2:09:32. He finished fourth behind defending champ Ondoro Osoro of Kenya (2:08:00).

Defending champion Joyce Chepchumba of Kenya headlined the women's race. Stunned when she tripped near mile 10 (skinning her left knee, hip and both elbows), she regained her composure and slowly reeled the lead pack back in. In the last several miles the race boiled down to her and fellow Kenyan Margaret Okayo. They arrived at the final stretch on Columbus Drive side by side, with Chepchumba's track speed making the difference as she won by less than one step (2:25:59 to 2:26:00), earning \$80,000 plus a \$15,000 time bonus. In all, \$715,200 of prize money was awarded—the largest payout in event history.

In all, 29,256 runners registered, with 25,145 starters and 24,654 finishers. Participants representing all 50 states, plus 2,241 international runners from a record 80 countries, were cheered on by an estimated 820,000 spectators.

October 11, 1998

Records were the order of the day once again at the 21st Chicago Marathon with new high marks set for runners (20,063 registrants) and spectators (700,000) under beautiful weather conditions (50s and calm). For only the first time in marathon history, four men with personal bests under 2:08:00 were at the start line: defending champ Khalid Khannouchi of Morocco, Kenyans Moses Tanui and Elijah Lagat, and South Africa's Gert Thys. Experience proved fruitless as a marathon rookie stunned the field.

Newcomer Ondoro Osoro of Kenya emerged victorious from the pack, running one of the fastest marathons in history. Khannouchi had a comfortable lead after a surge at mile 21, but ligament damage in his left foot (suffered just two weeks earlier), compounded by a cramping calf, spelled his doom as Osoro surged past him with less than a mile to go. Khannouchi held on for second (2:07:19), with Thys (2:07:45) and Homewood, IL-based Kenyan Joseph Kahugu (2:07:59) close behind. Osoro set course, world debut, North American and Kenyan national records with the then third-fastest performance of all-time. He earned \$105,000 (\$55,000 for first and a \$50,000 time bonus).

In the women's race, South Africans Colleen De Reuck and Elana Meyer pushed the pace early with Joan Benoit Samuelson's course record of 2:21:21 in sight. The quick pace proved too much, however, as patient Kenyan Joyce Chepchumba stormed past Meyer at mile 19, then De Reuck at mile 22 to win in an impressive 2:23:57, the year's fourth fastest women's time and 15th fastest ever. Chepchumba pocketed \$85,000 (\$55,000 for the win and a \$30,000 time bonus). Defending champ Marian Sutton of Great Britain never found her groove, finishing 10th in 2:35:41.

Race organizers debuted the ChampionChip timing system to ensure exact timing for every runner at the start, half marathon and finish. The 17,731 starters (now an exact count thanks to the Chip) and 17,204 finishers (a 97 percent completion rate), including 40 wheelchair finishers, were all new Chicago records.

October 19, 1997

The 20th anniversary LaSalle Bank Chicago Marathon was truly a record-breaking event. Perfect weather conditions and an unprecedented 650,000 spectators welcomed a record 16,372 registrants, 14,322 of whom finished the race. In addition, the 1997 race showed a new diversity, with all 50 states and 47 countries represented. The event awarded \$300,000 in prize money and an additional \$197,000 in time bonuses.

Khalid Khannouchi, a Moroccan based in Brooklyn, NY, arrived in Chicago for his marathon debut. Not only did his 2:07:10 give him the victory, but he also set course, debut and North American records while running the fourth-fastest marathon time ever. Khannouchi took home the \$50,000 first prize, plus an additional \$50,000 bonus for his sub-2:07:30 performance. The American men fared well as Jerry Lawson of Jacksonville, FL, placed seventh in 2:09:35, just outside of the American record. Also, Todd Williams of Knoxville, TN, placed 10th in 2:11:17, the second best American debut time ever. In all, five men cracked 2:09 and eight finished under 2:10.

Great Britain's Marian Sutton won back-to-back Chicago titles. After battling a messy nosebleed beginning at mile 20, Sutton persevered with a personal best 2:29:03. She received \$50,000 plus a \$4,000 bonus for her sub-2:30. In the wheelchair competition, Saul Mendoza of Snellville, GA, and Candace Cable of Truckee, CA, won with times of 1:37:42 and 1:57:32, respectively. This year's event also took a big step in expanding its international field, with 1,074 foreign athletes competing, a 202 percent increase over 1996.

October 20, 1996

Almost 11,000 runners enjoyed ideal weather conditions for the 19th running of the Chicago Marathon. With a 4:54 minute per mile pace, Englishman Paul Evans won the men's competition in 2:08:52, the eighth fastest time in the world for 1996. Sutton, also of Great Britain, won the women's race in 2:30:41 after trailing American Kristy Johnston for the first 25 miles. Evans and Sutton were both awarded \$40,000 for their victories. Johnston (2:31:06) and fellow American Jerry Lawson (2:10:04) both finished second. Jacob Heilveil won the men's wheelchair competition in 1:39:57 while Ann Walters won the women's race for the sixth year in a row in 1:52:13.

After struggling to find solid financial footing throughout the early 1990s, a long-term agreement with the LaSalle Bank ensured financial backing and stability for the race. With such corporate support, the Chicago Marathon finally had the foundation to be a world-class event for years to come. Furthermore, the Marathon and the Chicago Area Runners Association (CARA), formed in 1978 partly as a protest movement, had long since settled their differences. By 1996, CARA was running its highly successful Chicago Marathon training program, with nearly 700 participants at four different locations throughout the Chicago area.

October 15, 1995

A brisk morning and gusty winds greeted the 10,802 participants in the 18th running of the Chicago Marathon. The winds quickly died down, but the men's competition remained a strategic one. Running side by side for much of the race, Eamonn Martin of Great Britain bolted past Carlos Bautista of Mexico in the last 200 meters to claim victory by just three seconds. The women's race was not nearly as tight. 1993 women's winner Ritva Lemettinen of Finland returned to Chicago and took the lead in the first two miles of the race. With only 35 men finishing before her, Lemettinen claimed her second Chicago title in 2:28:27, beating her personal best by 51 seconds. Martin and Lemettinen pocketed \$35,000 of the \$250,000 total purse for their victories.

Other finishers included 75-year-old Warren Utes of Park Forest, IL, who set his seventh national age group record with his time of 3:18:07. In the wheelchair competition, James Briggs of Champaign, IL, beat Scot Hollonbeck, also of Champaign, by one second, claiming victory in 1:37:12. Ann Walters, another Champaign resident, kept her streak alive in the women's competition with a victory in 1:57:27.

October 30, 1994

A new title sponsor and the accompanying financial boost from LaSalle Bank put a freshly christened "LaSalle Bank Chicago Marathon" back among the world's top races, a position not seen since 1986. Over 10,000 runners competed in cool and cloudy weather to make the 17th Chicago Marathon a spectacular event. Luiz Antonio Dos Santos of Brazil successfully defended his title with a time of 2:11:16. Kristy Johnston, a native of Coos Bay, OR, out-battled the women's competition to finish in 2:31:34. After claiming victory, she collapsed into race director Carey Pinkowski's arms at the finish line. Both Dos Santos and Johnston took home \$30,000 out of the \$200,000 total purse for their victories.

October 31, 1993

Snowfall, 34-degree temperatures and 12-degree wind chills greeted the 6,941 Chicago Marathon runners on Halloween (the latest race date in Chicago's history). Battling whipping wind and snow along the lakeshore, some dropped out with hypothermia. With prize money at \$20,000 for the first men's and women's finishers, Luiz Antonio Dos Santos of Brazil and Ritva Lemettinen of Finland trudged through the wintry conditions to claim victory with the fastest winning times since 1990. Dos Santos became the third straight Brazilian man to win while Lemettinen was briefly disqualified with charges of running behind two male pacers who blocked the wind from her path, a violation of USA Track & Field Rule 66. The decision was later overturned due to unclear wording of Rule 66, and her victory was restored. Ann Walters won the women's wheelchair competition, continuing the streak she started in 1991. This year marked her easiest victory in 1:57:34; she was the only female competitor.

October 25, 1992

Under perfect running conditions, 8,214 runners competed in the 1992 Chicago Marathon. With a lack of depth of world-class runners, Chicago's 15th edition was difficult to predict. Jose Cesar DeSouza, with his unmatched 5:11 per mile pace, won the men's competition to become the second consecutive champion from Brazil. Linda Somers of Pleasant Hill, CA, set a personal best, winning the women's race by a two-minute margin. She would later represent the U.S. in the marathon at the 1996 Olympic Games. However, both winning times were the slowest since 1981. DeSouza and Somers each walked away with \$7,500 for their victories. In the wheelchair competition, Ann Walters, uncontested, set a new course record of 1:44:29, a record that still stands today.

October 27, 1991

The 14th Chicago Marathon did not start on a positive note. The loss of another title sponsor drastically reduced the prize money for winners to \$7,500, compared to \$30,000 the previous year. Around 7,500 started the race, but only 5,908 crossed the finish line. Thus, even with ideal racing conditions, Joseildo Rocha of Brazil and Midde Hamrin-Senorski of Sweden finished with the slowest winning times since 1981 for both men and women. Ann Walters won the women's wheelchair competition in 1:53:33, a streak she would continue for the next six years through 1996. No other athlete has won six consecutive Chicago Marathon titles.

October 28, 1990

As a result of the hard work of new race director Carey Pinkowski, the 1990 race was a big success. Pinkowski was the youngest director of any major U.S. marathon. More important than his effective management, however, was that Pinkowski brought the Chicago Marathon together with the Chicago Area Runners Association (CARA). As a result, he was able to get local runners and running clubs more involved than ever before in the race, especially as volunteers.

On race day, the finish could not have been more exciting. Mexico's Martin Pitayo and Poland's Antoni Niemczak ran the final 10 miles of the race side by side. At the last possible moment, Pitayo surged ahead to beat Niemczak by less than a step; the 0.3 second margin of victory was the narrowest in race history. Meanwhile, in her first U.S. marathon appearance, Portugal's Aurora Cunha took the women's title with a personal best time of 2:30:11. Pitayo and Cunha claimed \$30,000 each out of the \$250,000 total purse for their victories. The winners were not the only stars of the day. Local resident Ann Clark enjoyed celebrity status as spectators applauded her finish and asked her to pose with them in pictures. The 81-year-old from Carol Stream, IL, who didn't take up running until age 64, finished in 5:46.

October 29, 1989

Along with the other 8,529 runners who started the race, and in stark contrast to the previous year, Paul Davis-Hale of Great Britain and America's Lisa Weidenbach battled unseasonably warm temperatures, 64 percent humidity and windy conditions that accompanied the 12th Chicago Marathon. Davis-Hale won the race in 2:11:25. Weidenbach, while breaking her personal best time, became Chicago's second repeat women's champion. Both winners walked away with \$50,000 in prize money. The oldest competitor in the race was 84-year-old Ida Mintz, who finished in 6:07. In the wheelchair competition, America's Scot Hollonbeck won for the men in 1:45:30, and Ann Cody-Morris won for the women in 1:58:51.

October 30, 1988

With 8,700 registered runners, the Chicago Marathon was back in 1998 after a one-year demotion as a half marathon, and with a new title sponsor in Old Style. Runners were greeted with unseasonably cold temperatures in the 30s. The chilly conditions could not stop Alejandro Cruz of Mexico and Lisa Weidenbach of the U.S. from claiming victory over the 5,795 finishers. Cruz broke his country's record with a personal best of 2:08:57. Weidenbach, of Seattle, WA, became just the fifth American woman to run a sub-2:30 marathon with her personal best 2:29:17. The champions took home a then record \$50,000 each out of the \$350,000 total purse for their victories.

October 25, 1987

Due to a loss in sponsorship, the Chicago Marathon was not held in 1987. However, a half-marathon was organized to provide Chicago's runners with a low-budget alternative. Taster's Choice was the sponsor of the event called the Columbian Select Half-Marathon. Steve Jones, by now a hero in Chicago, returned to claim victory in 1:04:20. Kim Ballentine of Brentwood, MO, won the women's division in 1:18:20.

October 26, 1986

The 10th anniversary Chicago Marathon delivered great racing weather. Despite the 90 percent humidity, temperatures remained in the upper 50s, providing comfortable conditions for the 12,000 runners who started the race. Japan's Toshihiko Seko took the lead after 22 miles and went on to win in 2:08:27. Norway's Ingrid Kristiansen dominated the women's competition by more than two minutes. Both winners received \$40,000 for their victories. However, the rest of the 8,173 runners who finished did not go home empty-handed. Due to high popularity the previous year, race officials doubled the number of massage tables and therapists, giving more than 500 racers "special treatment" for their tired muscles.

October 20, 1985

The 1985 race turned out the largest number of runners Chicago had seen to date, and the fastest. Nearly 10,000 competed as Great Britain's Steve Jones and America's Joan Benoit Samuelson claimed victory. Jones' goal was to set another world record, as he had done the previous year, but he missed Carlos Lopes of Portugal's mark by just one second. His victory earned him \$35,000 for winning, \$10,000 for setting the new course record and \$13,000 in time bonuses for running under 2:08.

The women's competition featured one of the top fields ever assembled, with the then second-, fourth- and fifth-fastest times in the world being set. Ingrid Kristiansen of Norway, the world record-holder; Joan Benoit Samuelson, the 1984 Olympic Marathon gold medalist; and Rosa Mota of Portugal, the Olympic Marathon bronze medalist and Chicago's defending champion, battled for victory. Not only did Benoit Samuelson win (missing Kristiansen's world record by just 15 seconds), but she established new American and course records.

October 21, 1984

Despite cold temperatures and a steady downpour of rain, nearly 8,000 runners started the race, including 70 world-class athletes; both totals were event records. Great Britain's Steve Jones delivered Chicago's first-ever world record, establishing the event's reputation on the international stage. According to Jones, "I had no idea what kind of pace I was running and no idea how fast they were running. I got to 24 and a half and 25 and the press truck left to go to the finish line. A writer from London shouted that if I kept it under five-minute pace, I had a chance for the record. I was confused and thought he meant a course record!" While defending her title, Portugal's Rosa Mota also broke the women's course record she set the previous year. For their wins, Jones and Mota took home \$35,000 each out of the \$250,000 purse. This year's race also marked the first official wheelchair competition, with five men and one woman competing. Robert Fitch from East Lansing, MI took the men's title in 2:35:06 while Jonnie Baylark from Bellwood, IL won the women's race in 3:29:10.

October 16, 1983

Almost 7,000 runners came out for what would be the most competitive race Chicago had ever seen. Mere feet from the finish, Joseph Nzau of Kenya surged ahead and out-leaped Hugh Jones of Great Britain to win the race by half a second (2:09:44.3 to 2:09:44.8). Nzau would be the first of many Kenyan victors in Chicago, although East African dominance would not take hold of the sport for another decade and a half.

In the women's competition, Rosa Mota of Portugal took over the lead with one mile left, beating Anne Audain of New Zealand and setting a new course record. Although the race was called "America's Marathon," \$113,000 out of the \$135,000 prize purse went to 15 men and women from 11 foreign countries. A record 250,000 Chicagoans cheered on the participants, helping 5,237 mostly local runners make it to the finish.

September 26, 1982

The sixth annual Chicago Marathon was an international affair, with over 30 world-class runners from eight different nations competing among the 6,014 racers, 4,642 of whom finished. But it was Americans Greg Meyer and Nancy Conz, both from Massachusetts, who won the day, both establishing new course records (by three and 12 minutes, respectively). Not only did they take home the thrill of victory, but also the event's first prize money checks (\$12,000 for each out of a \$77,000 purse).

September 27, 1981

While most runners were sleeping, two participants began the 1981 Chicago Marathon at 2 a.m. on Sunday in order to finish the entire 26.2-mile course by the 3:30 p.m. deadline...walking. At the regular start time, another 5,400 joined them, ages seven to 78 years old, including 12 corporate teams, two wheelchair entrants and one blind runner. With 1,800 volunteers helping out along the way and 25,000 spectators, Iowa's Phil Coppess, running his third marathon, and Tina Gandy of Minnesota raced against 25 mile per hour winds on their way to victory.

September 28, 1980:

With temperatures in the low 60s, more than 4,600 runners turned out for a race in ideal conditions. Frank Richardson, a newlywed of just 49 days from Iowa, and Sue Peterson, a Californian who crossed the finish line alongside her husband Pete, claimed victories with the fastest winning times Chicago had seen to date. Ida Mintz, 74, finished the race with her son, daughter-in-law and grandson in 4:45, claiming the title of the world's oldest female marathoner. Jane Schiff was the Chicago Marathon's first unofficial wheelchair winner with a time of 3:02:38. Proceeds of the 1980 race went to the Chicago Boys Club.

October 21, 1979

After miserable running weather the previous year, race organizers attempted to avoid similar conditions by pushing the race date back to October. Despite these efforts, temperatures were once again against runners' favor as 3,700 race starters battled the 77 degree heat, 81 percent humidity and 20 mile per hour wind gusts along the lakefront. Due to the challenging conditions, only 2,869 runners finished the race. Dan Cloeter, the 1977 winner, returned to claim the men's victory. Shortly after winning, he collapsed with severe dehydration. Nancy Reid and Donna Simmons illegally "dropped in" to place first and second for the women, but were disqualified when it was proven that they did not run the entire race. This gave the victory to 15-year-old Laura Michalek of Berwyn, IL, the youngest winner in Chicago Marathon history. Also for the record book, both the men's and women's times are still Chicago's slowest winning times. Beatrice Foods sponsored the race for the first time, providing their Tropicana orange juice and Dannon yogurt to exhausted runners at the finish line.

September 24, 1978

Organizing the second Chicago Marathon was not an easy task. Controversy surrounding the start time and entry fee developed, leaving founders divided. On one side were those who wanted a \$10 entry fee and a noon kick-off. The later start time would draw more spectators and publicity, while also allowing out-of-town participants more travel time. On the other side were those who felt \$10 was too expensive and that a noon start time could be detrimental to the runners, especially the slower participants who would be running in the heat of the afternoon. They also felt that organizers were putting the interest of the media before that of the runners. While the \$10 entry fee remained, a compromise of a 10:30 a.m. start time was finally reached. (In November 1977, Dr. Noel Nequin, along with Erma Trantor, Sharon Mier and other protesters, ended their involvement and formed the Chicago Area Runners Association (CARA) to manage races for runners' protection.)

On race day, thousands of participants wore black armbands in protest of the later start time. The Chicago Marathon quickly became a dual competition—the race against time and the battle against the heat. With lakefront temperatures reaching 85 degrees, nearly 300 runners were treated for blisters or heat exhaustion, while 10 more were taken to local hospitals for heat-related issues and dehydration. But the warm temperatures couldn't stop Arizona's Mark Stanforth or South Dakota's Lynae Larson. Both conquered the heat to claim victory over the other 5,200 starters, 4,053 of whom finished the race. Despite the heat, the event ran smoothly. For the first time in U.S. history a dual start was used, the two points a block apart, which helped spread the runners out. Plenty of water was available to help quench thirst, and most agreed that the second Chicago Marathon was a success.

September 25, 1977

More than 4,200 runners turned out for the first Mayor Daley Marathon, making it the largest marathon in the world at the time (in terms of registered runners). Dan Cloeter of Indiana and Dorothy Doolittle of Texas battled the crowds to become Chicago's first winners in a race that 2,128 actually finished. Other competitors included Wesley Paul, an eight-year-old who finished in 3:15:20, setting a world record in his age group. Jack Donahue was the final person across the finish line at 7:09:42. The only glitch of the race occurred when the ceremonial starter's cannon misfired into the crowd, injuring two spectators. Ironically, the two burned were the wife and daughter of Wayne Goeldner, an original race founder. Despite the accident, the event ran very smoothly and, as advertised, was an event for the whole city to enjoy.

The Founding

In November 1976 at the Metropolitan YMCA on LaSalle Street, five key founders of what would eventually become the Bank of America Chicago Marathon met to begin discussions and planning. Those present included Wayne Goeldner, physical education director of the Hyde Park YMCA; Wendell "Wendy" Miller, a partner in a financial advising firm and founder of Midwest Masters Running Club; Bill Robinson, executive director of Friends of Parks; Sharon Mier, director of women's sports at the Loop Center YMCA; and Dr. Noel Nequin, director of cardiac rehabilitation at the Swedish Covenant Hospital. At this meeting, the group decided it was time for a marathon in Chicago.

Talks of a marathon continued, but little was actually done to stage the race. The turning point came in May 1977 when Dr. Nequin organized the first "mega" race in Chicago—the Ravenswood Bank Lakefront 10-Mile Run. The race was a great success, with more than 1,000 runners participating, up from an expected 200-300. Michael Bilandic, Chicago's new Mayor and an avid runner, was invited to the event. Not only did he show up to lend his support, but he and his wife, Heather, also handed out the awards to the winners. The Mayor's strong support and overwhelming runner participation gave the marathon's founders, who weren't quite sure if a marathon could succeed in Chicago, the inspiration they needed to make the city's first 26.2-mile road race a reality.

Suddenly 1977 was becoming a landmark year for running in Chicago. Several other shorter races were organized for the first time in addition to the Chicago Marathon, including the Chicago Distance Classic with almost 5,000 runners, an unheard number of participants at the time. But running fever did not stop with the new races. After seeing the success of the Lakefront 10, Mayor Bilandic decided to make Chicago "the running capital of the world." To further show his support, Bilandic turned five miles of an old equestrian path along the lakefront into jogging paths, creating a scenic course for runners that today stretches 18 miles and serves as the hub of the Chicago running community. Thus, with all of the new events and opportunities, the sport of running in Chicago was enjoying a groundswell of excitement and participation.

By July 1977, Wendy Miller approached his friend and fellow Chicago businessman Lee Flaherty to rally support. Miller convinced Flaherty, a running enthusiast himself, to have his company, Flair Communications, be the official sponsor of the Chicago Marathon. Dr. Nequin and Flaherty then had a lunch meeting at the Drake Hotel with William Daley, son of the late Mayor Richard J. Daley, about naming the event. Following the meeting, the Daley family gave its blessing to name the race the Mayor Daley Marathon.

Initially set-up with a \$5 entry fee and an 8 a.m. start time, the race was scheduled for September 25, 1977, and specific jobs were distributed amongst the founders. Dr. Nequin was the medical director; Miller was the race director; Goeldner was in charge of registration; Mier was responsible for organizing 700 volunteers to marshal and officiate the race; and Robinson was treasurer. In addition, Erma Trantor, a friend of Mier's, was hired to be the race coordinator; Ruth Ratny, a business friend of Flaherty's, was the publicist.

The first ever Mayor Daley Marathon was soon to be a great success. Ads declared it the "people's race anyone can come and enjoy," and that was the approach organizers took. Then, on September 25, the hard work of many dedicated people who established the race as something for the entire city, paid off.

