

Wicked Running Club Invitational Bib Application B.A.A. Boston Marathon

Completion of this application does not guarantee you a Wicked Running Club Invitational Bib.

Eligible candidates must be active and paid Wicked Running Club members. Application criteria is based upon volunteer service to the club, participation in club events, and participation in club relays and the Wicked Grand Prix Series. Wicked Board of Directors will review all applications to confirm eligibility. Applications that meet eligibility requirements will be entered into a drawing. Two members will be selected at random from eligible candidates. If selected, runners are responsible for providing the Boston Athletic Association entry fee payment and a completed application. If a member of the first two awarded does not accept, the board will select an additional name. If you have been a recipient of a Wicked Running Club Invitational Bib in the past, you are not eligible to apply again.

Please do not exceed the word count where applicable.

Please print/type clearly:

Basic Information:

Last Name: _____ First Name: _____

Preferred Phone: _____ Email: _____

How long have you been a Wicked Member?: _____

Why would you like to run the Boston Marathon for the Wicked Running Club (150 words or less):

General WRC criteria for obtaining an invitational bib include considerations of: service to the club, participation in club events, and participation as a Wicked Running Club member in relays and the Grand Prix series. By setting these criteria, the goal of the Board of Directors is to have members who are active and have given back to Wicked represent our club at one of the biggest marathons in the world. Both the service and participation sections can include sponsorships, donations, supplies, or food and drink procured for a race or event in the past three years.

Service to club:

I have volunteered at the following Wicked Running Club organized races. Please list years of involvement. (minimum of 2 should be selected):

- Wicked Frosty Four _____
- Miles Over the Moon _____
- Wicked Kidz _____
- North Shore Cancer Run _____

Optional: Elaborate on your volunteer service at Wicked Running Club events (100 words or less):

Club Participation:

I have participated in the following Wicked Running Club events. Please list years of involvement. (minimum of 2 should be selected):

- General Membership Meeting _____
- Wicked Board Meeting _____
- Wicked Frosty Four Scholarship Committee _____
- Wicked Winter Banquet _____
- Wicked Summer BBQ _____
- Wicked Social Events _____
- Wicked Open House _____
- Boston Marathon Gel Stop or Start Line _____
- Other club approved committee or volunteer work _____

Optional: Elaborate on your club participation (100 words or less):

Relay/Grand Prix Participation:

I have participated in the following team relays/series (please list years of involvement):

- Wicked Grand Prix Finisher (60% of selected races in a year) _____
- Mill Cities Relay _____
- Lynn Woods Relay _____
- 26x1 Club Challenge Relay (Tufts) _____
- USATF-NE Grand Prix (running as a Wicked member) _____

Optional: Elaborate on your relay and grand prix participation (100 words or less):

Running Experience

The Wicked Running Club is expected to select runners that can complete both training for the Boston Marathon as well as the race in six hours or less, per Boston Athletic Association regulations. These questions will help to determine your readiness to train and run the Boston Marathon.

What is the average number of miles that you have run over the past three months? _____ miles/week

What has been your longest training run in the past three months? _____ number of miles

Have you ever completed a half marathon or marathon before? Yes: _____ No: _____

If you have not completed a marathon or half marathon, what is the longest race distance that you have completed? _____

Are you capable of finishing a marathon within six hours? Yes: _____ No: _____

Responsibilities of being a member of the Wicked Running Club Boston Marathon Team:

- Be physically able to complete the Marathon in under 6 hours
- \$355 B.A.A. race entry fee (final amount TBD on the invitational entry, subject to change from \$355).
- Once the application has been submitted to the BAA, no substitutions can be made. If you become injured and are unable to run Boston 2018 you must notify both the Board and the BAA immediately. UNDER NO CIRCUMSTANCES ARE THESE APPLICATIONS TO BE TRANSFERRED TO ANOTHER PARTY, SOLD, AUCTIONED, USED AS AWARDS OR DISTRIBUTED IN ANY OTHER MANNER. Any conflicts will result in the disqualification of the runner and review of the club's standing in the B.A.A. Running Club Program.