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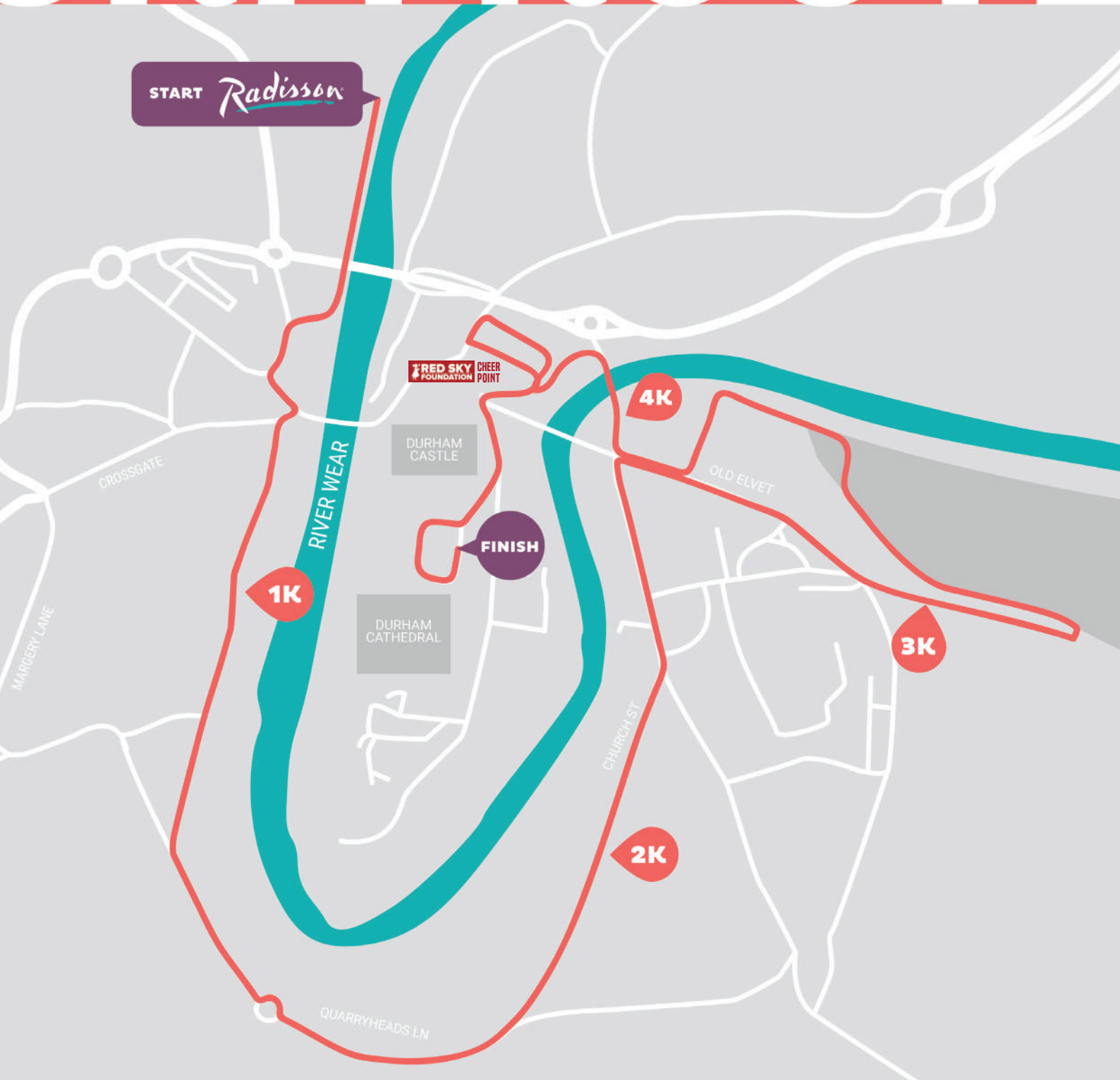


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# Durham City Run

# 5KM ROUTE



# Durham City Run

# 10KM ROUTE



# RACE INFORMATION

We are delighted to welcome you to the Durham City Run, part of the Durham City Run Festival in partnership with Durham University and supported by Durham County Council.

If you entered by Tuesday 1st July you will be receiving your race number and any pre-ordered t-shirts in the post. If your number has not arrived by Tuesday 15th July please email [info@eventsofthenorth.com](mailto:info@eventsofthenorth.com)

If you entered **after** Tuesday 1st July your race number will be available for collection from Freeman's Quay Leisure Centre [DH1 1SW] at the following times:

Wednesday 16th July from 10:30 – 16:00

Thursday 17th July from 10:30 – Start of RACE ASSEMBLY



## RACE ASSEMBLY

**5K** 5K ASSEMBLY: 18:45 / START: 19:00

**10K** 10K ASSEMBLY: 19:15 / START: 19:30

All races will start at Framwelgate Waterside outside the Radisson Blu Hotel [DH1 5TA] and finish on Palace Green [DH1 3RW]. All athletes should assemble 15 MINUTES before your event.



## LOCATIONS

- START**  
Radisson Blu Hotel
- RACE ASSEMBLY**  
Framwelgate Waterside
- RACE INFO**  
Freeman's Quay Leisure Centre
- BAGGAGE**  
Freeman's Quay Leisure Centre
- EVENT VILLAGE**  
Durham University Business School
- ROUTE TO START**

# GENERAL INFORMATION



## DON'T FORGET YOUR KIT AND RACE NUMBER

Especially safety pins and a bin bag if it's raining! Think about putting your name on the front and back of your t-shirt, commentators will then be able to give you a shout out.

## YOUR RACE NUMBER

Your timing chip is already affixed to your race bib. When storing your race number please take care not to fold or bend the chip as this can damage it and reduce its effectiveness. Please make no attempt to remove it or swap it as this will invariably result in damage. When you put your bib on, please make sure it is fully visible on the front of your body, and take care not to pierce the chip with your safety pins. Do not pass your number to another runner before or during the race. This is very important for health and safety and is a serious breach of UK athletics rules. It will result in disqualification and exclusion from the event.

## BAGGAGE

Baggage will be available in the Freeman's Quay Leisure Centre [DH1 1SW] from 5:30pm. Follow the BAGGAGE signs and check your final race email for details. Only athletes wearing a race number will be PERMITTED to enter the baggage area. All items are left at runners own risk and discretion, please do not leave valuables.

## RACE INFORMATION/ASSISTANCE

Race Information will be located in Freeman's Quay Leisure Centre [DH1 1SW] throughout Wednesday and Thursday from 10:30am. Follow the Event Info signs and check the site maps provided for the exact location. RACE NUMBERS should be collected no later than 30 MINUTES BEFORE THE START OF YOUR EVENT. Please note, Race Information and Baggage are located at least a 5 minute walk from Race Assembly. Please allow enough time to get to the Race Assembly area.

## TRAVEL

There is parking available at Prince Bishops Shopping Centre (normal charges apply), there is also free parking at County Hall. A full list of car parks can be found at [www.durham.gov.uk](http://www.durham.gov.uk).

## PUBLIC TRANSPORT

Durham Train Station is a 10 minute walk from the start area. There are also a number of bus routes through Durham City Centre, please see routes and timetables on the following link [www.durham.gov.uk/busmap](http://www.durham.gov.uk/busmap)

## ROAD CLOSURES

Road closures for the event will start to come into place from 3:00pm. A rolling road closure programme will be in operation around Durham from 3:00pm until approximately 9:30pm. Further road closure information can be found [here](#).

## ON COURSE

There will be one water station on the 10K course indicated on the course map. Water will be available at the finish for both the 5K and 10K.

## CALL OF NATURE

Toilets will be provided at the start area, finish area and on course, if there are any non-participants attending with you please ask them to keep toilets clear for the use of the event participants, staff and volunteers.



# GENERAL INFORMATION



## RACE MARSHALS

Our race marshals ensure that the event is safe for YOU! During the race please follow all instructions given by the official race marshals. Don't forget to give them a cheer and a thank you, they have all given up their time for free to make this event happen, we couldn't do it without them!

## MEDICAL ASSISTANCE

Our medical staff will attend to anyone requiring medical help or first aid. The medical area is immediately adjacent to the finish line. Road and mobile paramedics will be covering the route. In addition there are mountain rescue personnel on site.

## THE FINISHING STRAIGHT

Both races finish at Palace Green where you will be directed through secondary finish. Please follow instructions from marshals, they will hand you your medal and goody bag.

## PRESENTATIONS

Presentations for the top 3 winners will take place on Palace Green approximately 15 minutes after all categories have crossed the finish line.

## YOUR RACE TIME

Keep your race number and chip as a memento of your day! A link to the race results will be available at [durhamcityrunfestival.com](http://durhamcityrunfestival.com) as well as [titaniumracetiming.com](http://titaniumracetiming.com) shortly after the event. If you have provided us with a mobile number, your official time and finishing position will be sent to you via text soon after you've finished.

## AFTER THE RACE

Please arrange a meeting point away from Palace Green after the race. All runners and spectators will be directed away from this area to maintain a constant flow through secondary finish.

## GOOD CAUSES

Our Charity Partner for 2025 is Red Sky Foundation. Many of you will be raising funds for many valuable causes but if you are yet to choose a charity Red Sky Foundation would love to have you on board. It's not too late, please email [info@eventsofthenorth.com](mailto:info@eventsofthenorth.com) to request a fundraising pack.

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## Things to do this summer

Get out and about this summer – explore our amazing venues and discover family-friendly things to do!

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exhibition at Oriental Museum



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## EVENTS OF THE NORTH

The 200 strong volunteer team over the weekend is integral to the event and we really appreciate the time they give up for your enjoyment. Please say thank you as you run round the course!

THANK YOU FROM ALL THE TEAM AT EVENTS OF THE NORTH. **WE CAN'T WAIT TO WELCOME YOU BACK TO DURHAM!**

PLEASE MAKE SURE TO CHECK THE EVENT WEBSITE  
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