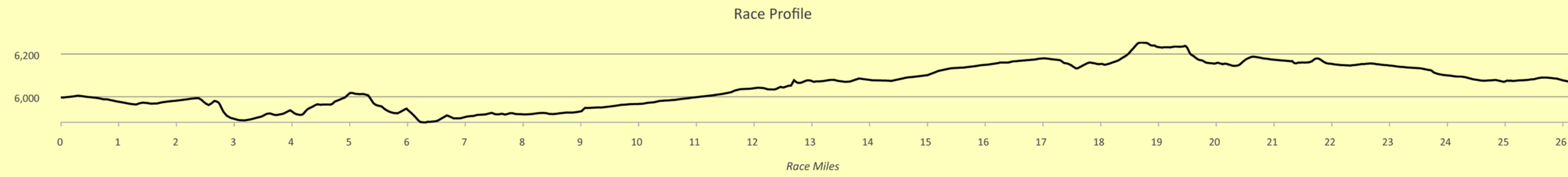




# CHEYENNE MARATHON

RUN THE LEGEND

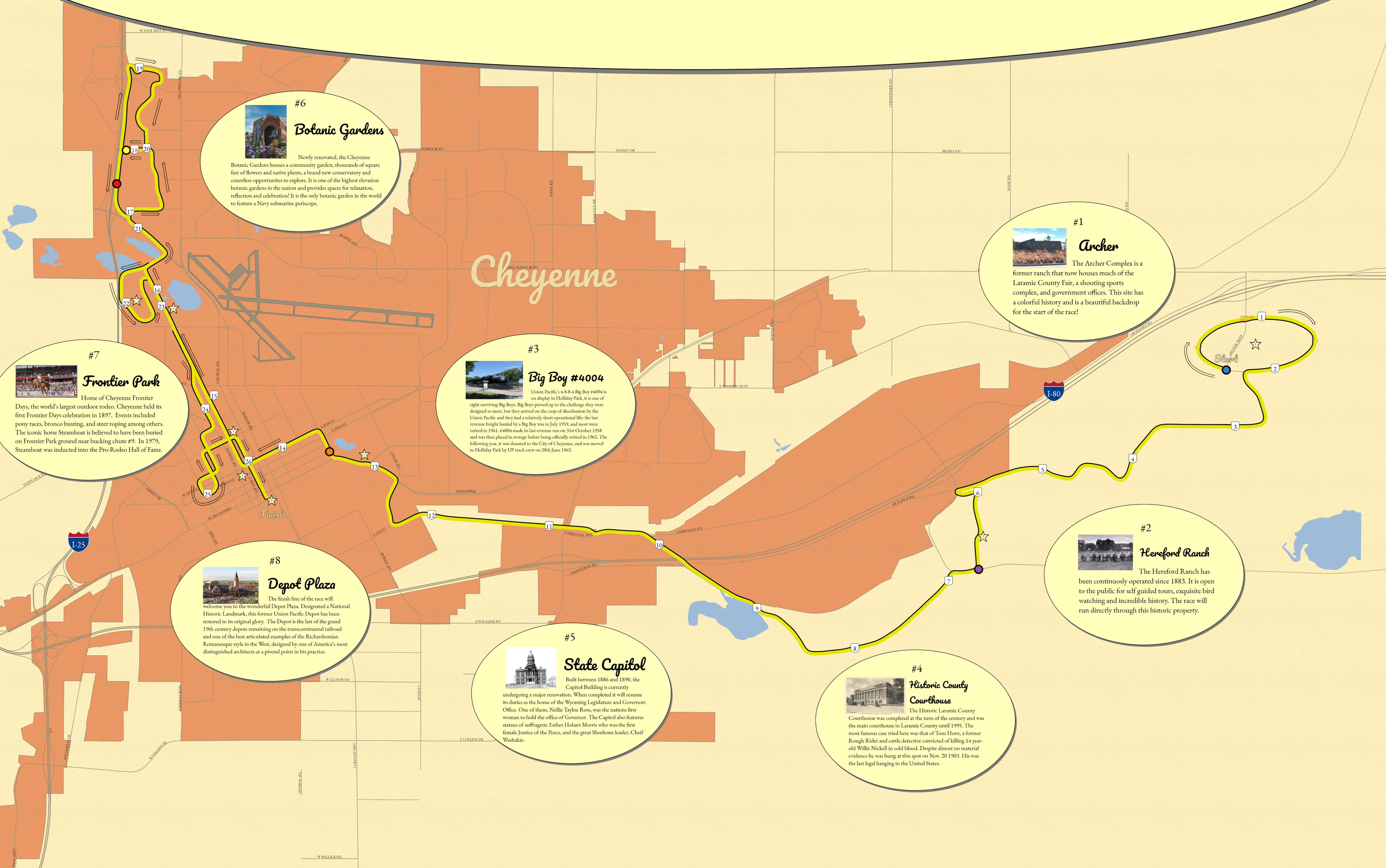
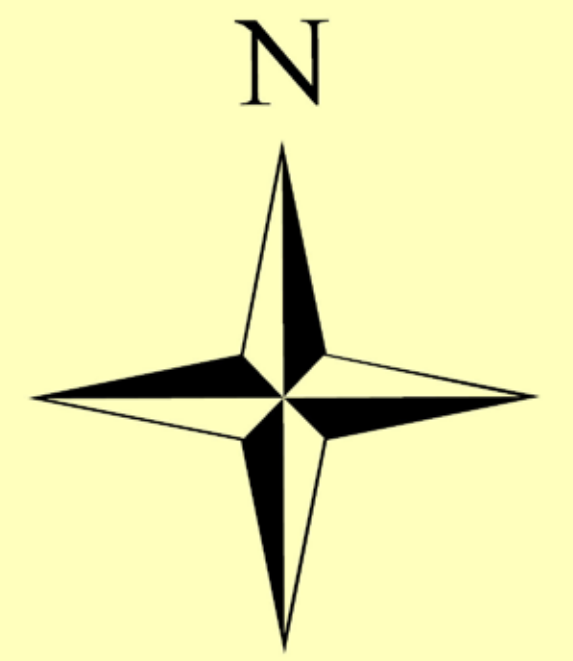


### Staging


- Relay 1/Marathon
- Relay 2
- Relay 3/Half Marathon
- Relay 4
- 10K
- ★ Points of Interest
- Marathon Route

### Boundaries

- Cheyenne
- Laramie County



**#6**  
**Botanic Gardens**




Newly renovated, the Cheyenne Botanic Gardens houses a community garden, thousands of square feet of flowers and native plants, a brand new conservatory and countless opportunities to explore. It is one of the highest elevation botanic gardens in the nation and provides spaces for relaxation, reflection and celebration! It is the only botanic garden in the world to feature a Navy submarine periscope.

**#1**  
**Archer**




The Archer Complex is a former ranch that now houses much of the Laramie County Fair, a shooting sports complex, and government offices. This site has a colorful history and is a beautiful backdrop for the start of the race!

**#7**  
**Frontier Park**



Home of Cheyenne Frontier Days, the world's largest outdoor rodeo. Cheyenne held its first Frontier Days celebration in 1897. Events included pony races, bronco busting, and steer roping among others. The iconic horse Steamboat is believed to have been buried on Frontier Park ground near bucking chute #9. In 1979, Steamboat was inducted into the Pro-Rodeo Hall of Fame.

**#3**  
**Big Boy #4004**




Union Pacific's 4-8-8-4 Big Boy #4004 is on display in Holiday Park. It is one of eight surviving Big Boys. Big Boys proved up to the challenge they were designed to meet, but they arrived on the cusp of dislodgement by the Union Pacific and they had a relatively short operational life: the last revenue freight hauled by a Big Boy was in July 1959, and most were retired in 1961. #4004 made its last revenue run on 31st October 1958 and was then placed in storage before being officially retired in 1962. The following year, it was donated to the City of Cheyenne, and was moved to Holiday Park by UP track crew on 28th June 1963.

**#2**  
**Hereford Ranch**




The Hereford Ranch has been continuously operated since 1883. It is open to the public for self guided tours, exquisite bird watching and incredible history. The race will run directly through this historic property.

**#8**  
**Depot Plaza**




The finish line of the race will welcome you to the wonderful Depot Plaza. Designated a National Historic Landmark, this former Union Pacific Depot has been restored to its original glory. The Depot is the last of the grand 19th century depots remaining on the transcontinental railroad and one of the best articulated examples of the Richardsonian Romanesque style in the West, designed by one of America's most distinguished architects at a pivotal point in his practice.

**#5**  
**State Capitol**



Built between 1886 and 1890, the Capitol Building is currently undergoing a major renovation. When completed it will resume its duties as the home of the Wyoming Legislature and Governors Office. One of them, Nellie Tayloe Ross, was the nations first woman to hold the office of Governor. The Capitol also features statues of suffragette Esther Hobart Morris who was the first female Justice of the Peace, and the great Shoshone leader, Chief Washakie.

**#4**  
**Historic County Courthouse**



The Historic Laramie County Courthouse was completed at the turn of the century and was the main courthouse in Laramie County until 1995. The most famous case tried here was that of Tom Horn, a former Rough Rider and cattle detective convicted of killing 14 year-old Willie Nickell in cold blood. Despite almost no material evidence he was hung at this spot on Nov. 20 1903. His was the last legal hanging in the United States.