



INFO FOR HOTEL GUESTS DURING MARATHON WEEKEND

WEEKEND SCHEDULE

The **main race event** is on Sunday morning, April 30, from 7 a.m. to 1 p.m.

- There are six different distances held on Highway 1 that day –
 - A 26.2-mile Marathon, 21-Miler, 10.6 Miler, 12K, 5K and Marathon Relay

The race **Health & Fitness Expo** is held Friday, April 28, 12-6 PM and Saturday, April 29, 9 AM to 6 PM

- This takes place at the Portola Hotel & Spa and includes fitness and apparel vendors AND the area where all race participants pick up their race bib, shirt, and mandatory bus tickets and transportation information
- The **By-the-Bay 3K** fun run is held Saturday morning, April 29 from 8 to 10 AM at Lovers Point Park in Pacific Grove

TRANSPORTATION & ROAD INFORMATION

Highway 1 is closed to regular traffic on Sunday morning from Rio Road south to Big Sur until 1:30 p.m. Cars may access the Carmel Highlands if needed, until 7 a.m. After that time they will be allowed access to Big Sur ONLY via a **CHP-led caravan**. These leave from the Crossroads Shopping Center at **approximately 8:45 and 11 AM**.

We suggest that people heading to Big Sur wait until AFTER 1:30 on Sunday, April 30.

All other traffic around the Monterey Peninsula is not affected with the exception of a Saturday morning closure in Pacific Grove near Lovers Point from 6-11 AM for the running of the By-the-Bay 3K.

GENERAL INFORMATION FOR HOTELS

This is the 32nd Presentation of the Big Sur International Marathon. Runners from 49 states and 35 countries are participating.

Runners will receive all information regarding their transport to the start of their race at the Transportation Desk at the Health & Fitness Expo on Friday or Saturday. They **MUST** receive a bus ticket which includes their time and loading place. (Those in the 5K and 12K will drive themselves to the start near the Crossroads Shopping Center.)

We hope that our hotels will offer late checkout as the race doesn't conclude for some runners until 1 p.m. If your hotel offers breakfast, it would be nice to have a small selection for the runners ready by 2:30 a.m.

For race information, please call 831-6625-6226 or email info@bsim.org or tweet @bsimevents.