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Nevada > Mesquite Marathon, Half Marathon, 10K & 5K Mesquite, NV

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Date

Saturday, November 19, 2011

Event Details

Nevada's Mesquite **Marathon**, Half Marathon, 10K & 5K marks its third annual running in the fall of 2011, after the event's second running in 2010 saw just over 560 runners cross the finish line in all races combined.

Like its counterpart races, the Mesquite Marathon & **Half Marathon** is designed to bring runners out to locations across the American West known for being undiscovered and off the beaten path, and which feature gorgeous natural scenery from the lakeside views of Idaho's Bear Lake Marathon & Half Marathon in June to the spectacular canyon views of Utah's Little Grand Canyon Marathon & Half in September.

Those running in either the full or the half marathon at the Mesquite event will actually get to run through two states, as the starting line for the half marathon begins just across the state line in Arizona, on County Highway 91 just off the Veterans Memorial Highway (Interstate 15). From there, runners follow the route as it winds its way southwest toward the Nevada state line and the city of Mesquite, taking runners along the southern edge of the city and past local parks like Pioneer Park and Hafen Lane Park.

Runners can expect a few rolling hills along the race route -- as well as scenic views of the red rock formations pointing towards the sky, and the Virgin River that flows by the last few miles of the race -- but otherwise the course follows a long, gradual descent from the start on Highway 91 to the finish line near the resort and casino at the CasaBlanca Event Center, just off Mesquite's Smokey Lane.

Race Weather & Climate

Located in Nevada's southeastern corner, just over 85 miles northeast of Las Vegas, the city of Mesquite typically experiences cool (and occasionally cold) to moderately warm weather conditions in the late fall season, and only trace amounts of rainfall year-round. In November, the city's average monthly temperatures range between 67°F and 37°F -- on Nov. 19, the average high is 65°F and the average low is 36°F.

Fees

\$65 for the half marathon

Registration

To reserve your spot in the fall 2011 running of Nevada's Mesquite Marathon, Half Marathon, 10K or 5K race, [register online at the event website](#).

Website

www.mesquitemarathon.com