

# 39th Annual Mackinac Island 8 Mile Road Race

Saturday, September 12, 2009



MACKINAC ISLAND  
EIGHT MILE

## STARTING TIME

The 8 Mile Run and Walk will both start at 9:30 AM.  
The Kid's Race will start at approximately 11:30 AM.

## LOCATION

All races will start and finish in front of the Mission Point Resort.

## NUMBER PICK-UP/LATE REGISTRATION

Entrants are required to pick up their numbers, scoring D-Tags, and race souvenirs at Mission Point Resort on:

- Friday, September 11, 4:00 - 8:00 PM
- Saturday, September 12, 7:30 - 9:15 AM

We recommend you catch a ferry from Mackinaw City or St. Ignace no later than 8:00 AM on race day.

## COURSE

### 8 Mile Run and Walk

The course is on a paved road around the perimeter of Mackinac Island, along the shores of the Straits of Mackinac. The course is mostly flat and 100% paved, with shade along much of the route. Expect a fast & scenic race. There will be 3 aid stations on the course.

*Absolutely no roller blades, pets, wagons or other wheeled vehicles will be allowed on the course. Baby joggers are strongly discouraged due to safety concerns.*

The St. Ignace Kiwanis Club will provide water and fruit at the finish and staff the three water stations along the route.

### Great Kids Race

After the race, over 200 youngsters join the fun with a Kids Run held on the lakefront lawn in front of the hotel. Children receive a special shirt and medal, plus lots of fun. This event will begin at approximately 11:30 AM.

## OPTIONAL FRIDAY NIGHT PASTA DINNER

Come to the Friday night Pasta Dinner and enjoy the camaraderie of fellow runners and walkers. The pasta dinner will be held on Friday, September 11, 6:00 - 8:00 PM at Mission Point Resort. Dinner features pasta, choice of three sauces, salad, rolls and dessert. The cost is \$16.00 per person, \$10.00 per child. If you're guests at Mission Point, kids 12 and under can use their "Kids Eat Free" coupon for the pasta dinner.

## OPTIONAL SOUVENIR DUFFLE BAG

Purchase a great embroidered duffle bag with storage compartments for all of your travel needs. This wonderful travel companion sells for \$20.00 and includes a padded insert for your laptop computer and an external pouch for your water bottle.

## ENTRY FEES

### Run & Walk:

On or before August 30: \$25.00  
Late Registration: \$30.00

### Kids 1/2K and 1/4K:

On or before August 30: \$8.00  
Late Registration: \$10.00

*We encourage you to register online—it's faster, you get immediate confirmation, clean data and we can communicate with you via email. Plus you have longer to register.*

**Register online at [www.runmackinac.com](http://www.runmackinac.com).**

## AMENITIES & AWARDS

There will be medals for all finishers and a short sleeve, pigment dyed race shirt to pre-registered entrants. Sorry, but we cannot guarantee a shirt on race day to late entrants. If shirts are unavailable, you may order one and pay for shipping. Post-race refreshments for all entrants.

**Run Awards:** Awards to Overall and Masters male and female and the first five finishers in each age group.

**Walk Awards:** Awards to Overall and Masters male and female and the first three finishers in each age group; we will go deeper in some age groups depending on participation.

### **Age Groups - Both Events:**

Men & Women: 12 & under, 13-15, 16-19, 20-24, 25-29, 30-34, 35-39, 40-44, 45-49, 50-54, 55-59, 60-64, 65-69, 70-74, 75 & Over.

**Note:** There will be no formal awards ceremony. Please check the posted results after the race and if you have placed as an award winner, you may pick up your award at approximately 11:00 AM in the Sound Stage at Mission Point Resort.

## TRAVEL INFORMATION

Stay where the action is! Book your reservations at the Mission Point Resort and be sure to mention you are participating in the race to receive a discount on your room. Call 800-833-7711 for reservations.

### Ferry Discounts

All ferry lines will offer discounts on Saturday morning through the 8:00 AM boat. Please call individual ferry lines for departure times.

Shepler's: 800-828-6157  
Arnold's: 800-542-8528  
Star: 800-638-9892





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BIB NUMBER

MACKINAC ISLAND EIGHT MILE

REGISTER ONLINE - WWW.RUNMACKINAC.COM

LAST NAME

FIRST NAME

M.I.

STREET ADDRESS

CITY/TOWN

SEX

STATE

ZIP CODE

PHONE NUMBER

DATE OF BIRTH

AGE

EMAIL ADDRESS

TO RECEIVE EMAIL CONFIRMATION OF REGISTRATION AND BIB NUMBER, PLEASE PROVIDE YOUR EMAIL ADDRESS:

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EVENT:

- 8 Mile Run
8 Mile Walk
Kid's 1/2K or 1/4K

SHIRT SIZE:

- Small, X-Large, Medium, XX-Large (Add \$1.00), Large

KID'S SHIRT SIZE:

- 6-8, Adult Medium, 10-12, Adult Large, 14-16

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PLEASE MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: ST. IGNACE KIWANIS CLUB
MAIL TO: ST. IGNACE AREA SCHOOLS
840 PORTAGE, ST. IGNACE, MI 49781

Table with 3 columns: ITEM, QTY., FEE. Includes items like ENTRY FEE, SHIRT SIZE, ADULT PASTA TICKETS, CHILD PASTA TICKETS, SOUVENIR DUFFLE BAG, 2008 SOUVENIR SWEATSHIRT, and TOTAL ENCLOSED.

In consideration of my participation in this event, I for myself, my heirs, executors, and administrators, waive all rights and claims for damages I may have against Gault Race Management, the sponsors of this event, their agents, representatives, successors, and assignees for any and all injuries suffered by me at said event, or which may arise out of my traveling to, participating in, and returning from this event. I further state that I am in proper physical condition to compete in this event.

ATHLETE (OR PARENT, IF UNDER 18) MUST SIGN: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

DON'T FORGET TO BOOK YOUR RESERVATIONS AT MISSION POINT RESORT!

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