

MELAKA ULTRA 2022 – TERMS & CONDITIONS

WAIVER OF LIABILITY, TERMS AND CONDITIONS, COMPETITION RULES AND COVID19 SOP

Please carefully read the following terms and conditions (**the Terms**) and make sure that you understand them before placing an entry in Melaka Ultra 2022 (**the Event**) on the registration website including all modifications to the Terms before the event. You should understand that by submitting your registration form, you agree to be bound by the Terms set by the PACAT Event Solutions (**the Organizer**) below:

1. I acknowledge my participation in the Event is voluntarily and at my own risk.
2. I have read and understand the COVID-19 SOP of the event and will comply with the entry requirement, the safety and health standards during the event.
3. I agree to complete my COVID-19 vaccination and able to show the proof in MySejahtera apps during the race kit collection and that the organizer have rights to deny my participation if I do not comply to the entry requirements.
4. I am aware that risks exist and may arise during the Event (including, but not limited to, the endurance nature of the sport and the inherent risks associated with running, especially on jungle section, nature obstacles, public roads, pathways, mountainous terrain, away from medical facilities and subject to the forces of nature) by which death, injury or illness to me or damage or loss to my property may occur. I accept and assume all the risks of participating in the Event.
5. I hereby fully release the organiser, its members, and volunteers from any and/or all responsibility or liability for any loss of or damage to any of my property, or any injury or death to me arising in any manner whatsoever (including by way of negligence of any other person or entity) out of my participation in the Event.
6. I give permission the organiser to publish photos of me on its website, social media channels and in their marketing material and I understand that any photos of myself that I disprove will be taken down upon my request.
7. I confirm that my age is above 18 years old on the date of the event.
8. I agree to complete the event entirely on my own foot with no external assistance or pacer during the race.
9. I agree to comply with the event mandatory items requirement or else, it may result to disqualification or penalty
10. I agree that it is forbidden to be accompanied along the race course by anyone other than another registered participant during this race and use of, will result in my disqualification.
11. I agree to conduct myself in a sporting, professional and cautious manner during my participation in the event and understand that I may be disqualified if I do not do so.
12. I agree to always display my race bib and visible to the event crew during the Event.
13. I acknowledge that my registration is personal to me, and it is non-transferable to other person under any circumstances.

14. I agree to retire immediately from the event if ordered to do so by the Event Organisers, crews or marshal, or any government official.
15. I accept full liability for any medical expenses incurred because of training for and/or participating in the Event.
16. I will be immediately disqualified from the Event if I am found to have intentionally shortened the route of the Event.
17. I will be immediately disqualified from the Event if I am found to be deliberately littering the course.
18. I will comply to the event cut off times which require runner to checkout the checkpoint before the COT and the decisions related to it by the Event organisers or crews
19. I accept that the event organisers reserve the right to amend the event format or cancel the Event due to health and safety reasons, including storm, rain, inclement weather, winds or any other act of god conditions. I accept that my Entry fee shall be non-refundable in this circumstance as costs have already been incurred.
20. I accept that the Event Organisers will do their utmost to provide me with a finish time following my completion of the Event, however, they will not be held responsible for any computer result anomalies.
21. I agree that I should only be withdrawing from the Event at a pre-defined checkpoint. It is not the Event Organisers responsibility to pick up a runner at any point of the race course unless I am medically unfit.
22. I agree to notify the timing officials at the race site of my withdrawal from the race. This will ensure all participants who are registered and pull out of the race are accounted for, allowing for the accurate and safe running of the event.
23. I accept that all decisions and rulings by the Event Organisers, its crew or marshal are considered final.
24. I have read the previous paragraphs and I acknowledge that I have accepted the risks and rules stated above and given the release stated above of my own free will and I have not relied upon any verbal, written or visual representations or statements made by organiser and/or its members and volunteers.

COVID19 Standard Operation Procedure (SOP)

The following SOP was drafted based on the SOP released by the KBS and MKN

Summary of General Health Protocols

Registration requirement

1. Only fully vaccinated individual is allowed to register this event

2. Prove of vaccination status such as screenshot of MySejahtera certificate must be uploaded into the registration portal.

Check-in/Check-out Accessibility

1. All participants **MUST HAVE** an updated MySejahtera apps version and profile to check-in at the race venue.
2. All participants **MUST FULLY VACCINATED** based on the latest definition release by the KKM
3. All participants are also to be classified as “Low Risk” in MySejahtera in order to be accepted for check-in accessibility.
4. Participants who are identify as close contact, person under surveillance (PUS) or person under investigation (PUI), or any symptomatic individuals are not allowed to participate or attend to the race venues. They will be denied entry to any event locations.

Enhanced Hygiene Practices

1. Hand sanitizer will be readily available around our race venues.
2. Participants are expected to wear face mask around our event venues.
3. Crew team will be provided with face mask and glove (if requires) to be used while working in all race areas.
4. Cleaning of common venues areas will be enhanced.

Contacts Minimization

1. The event organizer will assure to reduce or remove touchpoints and points of interaction between staff members, participants and crews without compromising event safety and security.
2. The layout and setup of the venue and the checkpoints have reviewed to minimize person-to-person contact.

Participants Self-Reliance

1. All participants are to determine their individual level of self-reliance to further minimize interaction and touchpoints with race officials and crew event.
2. All participants are encouraged to carry their own nutrition and hydration while utilizing items such hydration vests and event offered special needs check points.

Summary on Event Modifications for Enhanced Health and Safety

For Participants

1. All participants are advised to perform COVID-19 test if symptoms arise, before entering to the race venues.
2. All participants must wear face mask at all venues before and after the run.
3. All participants must read and understand the race handbook issued by the event organizer.

4. All participants must review and acknowledge the race indemnity clauses, committing to safe and conscientious conduct.

At Race Venue

1. The organizer will publish signage and markers to enforce physical distancing.
2. The organizer will make sure that one-directional foot traffic flows are enforced to avoid crowd and gathering.
3. The organizer will assure that cleaning and disinfecting of surfaces with scheduled breaks.
4. Greater space between any designated tents, portable toilet units and increase portable toilet units where possible.
5. Additional garbage receptacles.

At Registration Area and Race Entry Pack Collections (REPC)

1. After entry access being allowed, all participants are to go for no-touch body temperature screening to collect their race packs.
2. Where possible, scheduled participants packet pick-up times will be offered to accommodate participants. This is restricted to ONLY registered participants.
3. Participant race packs time will be expanded to allow for scheduled cleaning breaks.
4. Participant race packs will be consolidated during participant's registration time to optimize the flow within the area.
5. One directional foot traffic flows are to be enforced in the registration area to avoid crowd and gathering.

At Expo and Merchandise Store

1. The organizer will modify the increase expo floor plan size or reducing the number of vendors to enable greater physical distancing.
2. There will be limited number of customers in the store at once to allow for appropriate physical distancing.
3. The organizer will require expo vendors to conduct regular disinfection of surfaces.
4. Expo vendors will be monitoring customer density at expo booths and product trial areas.
5. Customers will be encouraged to use contactless payment.

At the Start Line

1. Flag-off should be conducted in a systematic and orderly manner by group waves.
2. The starting area only limited to the participants and event team.
3. Face masks are to be worn at the starting area.
4. Participants can remove their face mask 100m after they have started their race. The face mask needs to be kept by the participant.

At the Finish Line

1. The organizer will increase space and flow through post-finish line area, exiting participants as efficiently as possible through the process and exiting into public space.
2. No selfies/photos or waiting for other participants at the finishing line.
3. Medical personnel will monitor and assist participants if needed at the finish line area.
4. All finisher entitlements should be individually packed on a designated counter/area instead of handing over to the participants.
5. Food and beverages will be provided to participants in a packaged self-serving style.
6. Post-race massage services will not be available for participants.

Podium Winners

1. Only podium winners are allowed to remain at the finishing line/finish area for verification and results purposes.
2. A resting area to be designated for podium winners.
3. Podium winners are required to wear face masks all the time and maintain a physical distance of at least 1-meter while waiting for the process.
4. The award should be placed on a tray for winners to collect. There will be no bodily contact.
5. Physical distancing of at least 1-meter should be demonstrated for photo-taking.

Spectators and Supporters

1. Spectators and supporters are not allowed at race venues and race villages.
2. Event organizer will not be responsible if any of the illegal spectator/supporter being penalised or summoned by the local authority who are on duty at the race venue/areas.

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