

Vietnam Trail Marathon (VTM) 2024

Acknowledgement, Release and Indemnity

This is an important document which affects your legal rights and obligations. All competitors must sign this form.

- 1. In consideration of the VTM organization accepting my participation to Vietnam Trail Marathon held on 20 January 2024 (the "Event") I agree to this release of claims, waiver of liability and assumption of risk.
- 2. I have read and understood the mandatory equipment (on the other side of this paper), race rules, and information relating to the Event.
- 3. I understand the demanding physical nature of the Event. I declare, as a condition of entry to the Event, that I have sufficiently trained for this Event and that I am not aware of any illness, injury or any other physical disability which may cause me injury or death whilst participating in the Event.
- 4. In the event that I become aware of any medical condition or impairment, or I am sick or injured prior to or during the Event, I will withdraw from the Event.
- 5. I acknowledge that participating in the Event is a dangerous activity and that by such participation I am exposed to certain risks. I acknowledge that the enjoyment of trail running is derived in part from the inherent risks and exertion beyond the accepted safety of life at home or at work and that these inherent risks contribute to such enjoyment and is a reason for my participation in the Event.
- 6. I acknowledge and understand that whilst participating in the Event:

• I may be injured, physically or mentally, or may die from various causes including, but not limited to, over exertion, dehydration, cardiac arrest, slips, trips or falls, accidents with other participants, spectators and road users, or accidents caused by my own actions;

- My personal property may be lost or damaged;
- I may cause injury to other persons or damage their property;
- The conditions in which the Event is conducted may vary without warning;

• I may be in a remote or isolated location where access to medical support may be limited and take significant time to reach me;

- There may be no or inadequate facilities for treatment or transport of me if I am injured;
- I assume the risk and responsibility for any injury, death or property damage resulting from my participation in the Event.
- 7. I agree that if I am injured or require medical assistance, the Event Organisers can, at my cost, arrange medical treatment and emergency evacuation as deemed necessary by the Event Organisers. I agree that I am responsible for my own medical and ambulance insurance cover.
- 8. I agree to release, indemnify and hold harmless the Event Organisers, its officers, employees, agents, volunteers, contractors, public bodies, landholders and sponsors, from and against any and all claims, demands, right or cause of action, suits, expenses, costs and! proceedings of any nature whatsoever which may be made by me or on my behalf or by other parties for or in respect of or arising out of any injury, loss, damage or death caused to me or my property as a result of my entry or participation in the Event whether by negligence, breach of contract or in any way whatsoever.
- 9. I also agree that in the event I am injured or my property is damaged I will bring no claim, legal or otherwise, against the Event Organisers in respect to that injury or damage.
- 10. I agree to allow my name, results, photographs, videos, multi-media or film likeness to be used for any legitimate purpose by the race organisers without payment or compensation.
- 11. I agree to abide by the Event rules and the directions of all Event officials.
- 12. I acknowledge that the Event Organiser may change the advertised course without notice if the Event Organisers deem this necessary. I also acknowledge that the Event Organiser may cancel the Event due to, but not limited to, terrorism, war, public health emergency, epidemic, pandemic, civil unrest, weather conditions, 'acts of god' and that in such circumstances my entry fee will be non-refundable.

Your Name:
Your Signature:
Your VTM Race distance:
Your hotel name and address in Moc Chau:
Your contact person in case of emergency (name & phone number with country code):

70KM MANDATORY KIT

- 1. Means of carrying all kit (e.g. race pack / belt) (Lack of this = DSQ)
- 2. 1.0L liquid carrying capacity (Lack of this = DSQ)
- 3. Strong headlamp (Lack of this = DSQ)
- 4. Waterproof jacket, with hood, sufficient to keep you dry in case of heavy rain (i.e not a windproof-only jacket; not cheap, thin poncho) (Lack of this = DSQ)
- 5. Survival blanket / Emergency blanket / Space blanket (Lack of this = DSQ)
- 6. Mobile phone (with battery for the full event. On local network.) (Lack of this = DSQ)
- 7. Additional top layer (long sleeve). Total top layers = 3: normal layer + second, long sleeve warm layer + jacket (Lack of this = DSQ)
- 8. Headwear (hat / cap / buff) (30 minute Penalty)
- 9. Whistle (30 minute Penalty)
- 10. Basic first aid kit (30 minute Penalty)

42KM MANDATORY KIT

- 1. Means of carrying all kit (e.g. race pack / belt) (Lack of this = DSQ)
- 2. 1.0L liquid carrying capacity (Lack of this = DSQ)
- 3. Strong headlamp if on course after 6pm (you will be checked) (Lack of this = DSQ)
- 4. Waterproof jacket, with hood, sufficient to keep you dry in case of heavy rain (i.e not a windproof-only jacket; not cheap, thin poncho) (Lack of this = DSQ)
- 5. Survival blanket / Emergency blanket / Space blanket (Lack of this = DSQ)
- 6. Mobile phone (with battery for the full event. On local network.) (Lack of this = DSQ)
- 7. Additional top layer (long sleeve). Total top layers = 3: normal layer + second, long sleeve warm layer + jacket (Lack of this = DSQ)
- 8. Headwear (hat / cap / buff) (30 minute Penalty)
- 9. Whistle (30 minute Penalty)
- 10. Basic first aid kit (30 minute Penalty)

21KM MANDATORY KIT

- 1. Means of carrying all kit (e.g. race pack / belt) (Lack of this = DSQ)
- 2. 1.0L liquid carrying capacity (Lack of this = DSQ)
- 3. Strong headlamp if on course after 6pm (you will be checked) (Lack of this = DSQ)
- 4. Waterproof jacket, with hood, sufficient to keep you dry in case of heavy rain (i.e not a windproof-only jacket; not cheap, thin poncho) (Lack of this = DSQ)
- 5. Survival blanket / Emergency blanket / Space blanket (Lack of this = DSQ)
- 6. Mobile phone (with battery for the full event. On local network.) (Lack of this = DSQ)
- 7. Headwear (hat / cap / buff) (30 minute Penalty)
- 8. Whistle (30 minute Penalty)
- 9. Basic first aid kit (30 minute Penalty)

Top 3 Runners will have mandatory kit inspections.

Other kit inspections are carried out at random.

Lack of mandatory kit will result in disqualification or time penalty.

*Mandatory kit list is subject to change closer to the race date.

I have read and understood the mandatory kit list and rules.