

Half Marathon Route

The Starting location is inside the reservoir. The Start/Finish line is the SAME as the 5K and 5 Mile runs. The Half Marathon will start at 8:00 am, 5 minutes before the 5 Mile, and 10 minutes before the 5K.

You will run on the Old San Pablo Dam Road, which runs parallel to the water. Mile one is pretty much flat until you hit a wide trail for approximately 1.4 Miles. Leaving the trail you will run approximately ½ Mile on a paved road. Make a left turn at the replenishing station (Water and Heed available to all Runners).

Follow the trail and the signs till you go past the EMUD Office Building AND Storage Yard. You will see EBMUD trucks parked here. Follow the trail to Mile 4 where you will make a left turn across the bridge and continue through a meadow and through a gate to the OURSAN trail.

This is where the work begins... you will go uphill on a trail to the Briones reservoir. Once you get to the top you will see the Reservoir on your left. Stay to the right on the Bear Creek Trail, (sign and arrows) you will then reach the aid station that has water, cliff bars, Hammergels, and Heed drink. Follow Bear Creek trail up to Oursan Staging area, follow trail and markers to the left down the hill to the asphalt road where after ¼ mile you will make a right to run over the Briones Reservoir Road and take in the breathtaking views of the Valley ON YOUR LEFT SIDE and the Reservoir ON YOUR RIGHT SIDE. As you cross the Reservoir, stay to the right. Follow the direction arrows to the Turnaround, it's about ¼ Mile ahead.

Now, going back to the finish line, head back across the Briones Reservoir. At this point the Valley is on your right and the Reservoir is on your left. At the end of the reservoir follow the OURSAND TRAIL BACK DOWN TO THE RIGHT. Go through the meadow, across the bridge, and right after the bridge make a right on the trail back by the EBMUD office. The direction arrows will be there to guide you. Then make a right turn and go back on the paved road for 1/3 Mile where you will make a slight left on the Old San Pablo Dam trail. Just 2.5 Miles to go to the finish line.

Over the entire route, wherever there is a turn or confusion, I will have organic white flour on the ground going into and through the turn. We will also have signs with Pink arrows with the Wolf Pack Event logo on them. I will personally put up the signs so you will have a smooth fun trip over this course. I used my Garmin in case you wonder how it was measured.

There are 3 bathrooms, Mile 1, Mile 5.5, and Mile 7, and of course they will be there on the way back. Half marathon aid stations will be at the following Miles, 3, 5 (top of the hill) out-and-back, and 8 going back down the hill. Each will have Water, Heed and Hammer Gels.

Good Luck out there. I'll be cheering you on.

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