



# Mountain Madness Relay Race

Friday January 24, 2020

## Race Information Sheet:

The Banff Mountain Madness Relay is an exciting multi-sport race through Banff National Park and the Town of Banff with teams of five (5) competing in a five leg relay race from the top of Mount Norquay to the finish line on the Bow River. The individual downhill skiers' time at Mount Norquay will be added to the other 4 team member's times for a team total.

## Race Registration:

Team registration takes place at Banff Town Hall on Thursday January 23 from 10:00a.m – 4:00p.m and on race day between 8:00 - 10:00 a.m. Competitor packs and race bibs will be distributed at registration.

**\* All participants must sign an individual waiver**

**ALL individual waivers must be handed in on race day to receive your race package.**

## Race Relay Leg 1: Start time 1:00 p.m.

Leg 1: Downhill Ski – At top of Mt. Norquay

## Race Relay Leg 2: Start time 2:00 p.m.

Leg 2: Runner – Bow River Boat Dock

Leg 3: Classic Skier – Bow River Track

Leg 4: Skater – Bow River Skating Oval

Leg 5: Snowshoe – Bow River Track

Finish Line

*\*Race routes/legs subject to weather, snow and ice conditions and may change up to and including the day of the race.*

*\*Route Maps will be available at Town Hall on race day and at Banff.ca as of January 16, 2020*

## Award Function: 3:00 p.m. The Royal Canadian Legion

All team bibs (five total) and relay ropes (one per team) must be handed in at the Legion in order to get your food and drink tickets. Race Participants only due to limited space.

Team Categories	Description	Entry Fees	LATE REGISTRATION FEE January 20, 2020
1. Elementary (Grades 4 - 6)	Categories are based on the grade of the oldest team member.	\$75.00 / Elementary team	<b>\$50.00/team</b>
2. Jr. High (Grades 7 – 9)		\$100.00 / Jr. & Sr. team	
3. Sr. High (Grades 10 – 12)			
4. Adult Male or Female	Adults are 18 years of age and older.	\$125.00 / team	
5. Adult Mixed			
6. Family Mixed			

**Entry fee includes:** Awards Function with food & drink ticket.

## Judging:

Fastest team in each Team Category wins a prize.

Fastest Adult team wins the **Ian Wilson Memorial Trophy**.

## REGISTRATION DEADLINE: Thursday January 16, 2020

Entries to be delivered to Town of Banff.

Please direct any inquiries to:

ph. 403.762.1251 or email [community.services@banff.ca](mailto:community.services@banff.ca)



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## Participant “Need to Know”

### Wildlife Response Flagging System

Parks Canada will monitor and assess potential risk of wildlife to event participants and staff, and vice versa. If there is wildlife on the course there are three different scenario responses, “Green”, “Yellow” and “Red”:

**“Green”** – No wildlife concerns currently along the event route, or any sections of that route.

**“Yellow”** – Wildlife are present in the area (species of special concern) but there is a low risk of direct conflict between the wildlife and the event participants/staff. The marathon may continue along the planned route, but the participants are to be warned of the wildlife sighting and to use caution in the area, potentially having to slow down, stop, or turn around.

**“Red”** – Wildlife are present in the event area and the risk of human-wildlife conflict is deemed by the Parks Canada RMO as being high if the marathon continues along the planned route. Participants are not permitted to proceed and all people must remain at a safe distance as designated by the RMO.

This situation will require the Mountain Madness Relay to implement the appropriate contingency, in consultation with the Parks Canada RMO, depending on the timing and the location of the Code Red wildlife situation. The race may be delayed up to a maximum time frame established in the Traffic Management Plan.

Examples of code red scenarios include (but are not limited to):

- A bear or wolf <100 m to the event route and staying in the area.
- A wolf, or other carnivore feeding on a kill in the area at any distance from the event with a line of sight to the race route.

**“Special Notice”** – There is a possibility of wildlife encounters along the Mountain Madness Relay course – If wildlife (bear, elk, cougar, or wolf) is observed STOP and retreat to a safe distance (100m). Observations must be reported to race organizers or Parks Canada staff. In the case of a wildlife situation, the race start may be delayed, participants may be stopped, or the course may be rerouted.





# Town of Banff

## Community Services

### Release of Liability Waiver

Please Read Carefully



P.O. Box 1260, Banff, Alberta T1L 1A1

[www.banff.ca](http://www.banff.ca)

IN CONSIDERATION of my being permitted to participate in **Mountain Madness Relay Race on Friday January 24, 2020 in Banff, on the Bow River and surrounding area**, I hereby accept all of the inherent risks associated with such participation including the possibility of personal injury, death and property damage, or other loss. I HEREBY waive any and all claims I may have against, and release from all liability and agree not to sue The Town of Banff, their employees, agents **Mount Norquay** or representatives for any personal injury, death, property damage or loss sustained by me or my child as a result of such participation, including, without limitation, negligence on the part of the Town of Banff, its agents and employees. I CONFIRM that I have read and understood this Release prior to signing it and agree that this Release shall be binding upon my heirs, next of kin, executors, administrators and personal representatives.

In entering into this release I am not relying on oral or written representations or statements made by the Town of Banff, its agents or employees, to induce me to participate in this course.

I certify that to the best of my knowledge, I am physically fit and able to engage in the above named activities.

I confirm that I am:

- Of the full age of 18 years, have read and understood this release prior to signing it and agree that this release shall be binding upon my heirs, next of kin, executors, administrators, and personal representatives.

#### PHOTO RELEASE PERMISSION:

This waiver allows for the use of photo/video of you and your child to be used in community publications. I give permission for photos of myself and or my child to be published.

Yes  No

#### Town of Banff PROGRAM INFORMATION DISTRIBUTION PERMISSION:

I, give consent to receive further information by email regarding the Town of Banff Recreation Programs.

Yes  No

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Signature of Participant)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Print Name of Participant)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Date)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Emergency Contact Number)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Witness)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Print Name of Witness)

This personal information is being collected under the authority of the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy (FOIP) Act, Section 33(c). This information will be used in the administration of this program. If you have any questions regarding the collection and use of this information, please contact the Town of Banff FOIP Coordinator ([municipal.clerk@banff.ca](mailto:municipal.clerk@banff.ca)) at 403-762-1209.



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Child/Youth Release Waiver & Indemnity  
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IN CONSIDERATION of my child being permitted to participate in **Mountain Madness Relay Race on Friday January 24, 2020 on the Bow River and surrounding area**, I hereby accept all of the inherent risks associated with such participation including the possibility of personal injury, death and property damage, or other loss. I HEREBY waive any and all claims I may have against, and release from all liability and agree not to sue The Town of Banff, their employees, agents, **Mount Norquay** or representatives for any personal injury, death, property damage or loss sustained by me or my child as a result of such participation, including, without limitation, negligence on the part of the Town of Banff, its agents and employees. **I/We indemnify and save The Town of Banff, Mount Norquay harmless for any and all damages, losses, costs, expenses, liabilities, claims, demands, actions, of any nature which The Town of Banff, Canadian Rockies Public Schools or any third party may suffer or incur as a result of my child being allowed to participate in the activity, program or event described above.** I CONFIRM that I have read and understood this release and indemnity prior to signing it and agree that this Release shall be binding upon my heirs, next of kin, executors, administrators and personal representatives

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Child Name (please print): \_\_\_\_\_ Year of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardians Name (please print): \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Witness: \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact Number: \_\_\_\_\_

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**BY SIGNING THIS DOCUMENT YOU WILL WAIVE CERTAIN LEGAL RIGHTS, INCLUDING THE RIGHT TO SUE**

**EVENT:** Mt. Madness Relay, Friday Jan 25, 2019

**Mt Norquay** hereinafter referred to as “the ski area”

Initial

I am aware that the Event has, in addition to the usual dangers and risks inherent in the activity of skiing/snowboarding/snowshoeing certain additional dangers and risks including, but not limited to, the danger and risk of collision with natural and/or man-made objects, with other participants and spectators, and I freely accept and fully assume all such dangers and risks and the possibility of personal injury, death, property damage or loss resulting there from.

In consideration of the ski area and the sponsors permitting my participation in the Event, I hereby agree as follows:

1. **TO WAIVE ANY AND ALL CLAIMS** that I may have against the ski area, the sponsors, and the directors, officers, employees, agents and representatives and any volunteers in any way associated with the Event. (all of whom are hereinafter collectively referred to as the “Releases”);
2. **TO RELEASE THE RELEASEES FROM ANY AND ALL LIABILITY** For any loss, damage, injury or expense that I may suffer or that my next of kin may suffer as a result of my participation in the event due to any cause whatsoever, **INCLUDING ANY NEGLIGENCE ON THE PART OF THE RELEASES**;
3. **TO HOLD HARMLESS AND INDEMNIFY THE RELEASEES** from any and all liability for any property damages of personal injury to any third party, resulting from my participation in the event; and
4. **THAT THIS RELEASE OF LIABILITY** shall be effective and binding upon my heirs, next of kin, executor’s administrators and assigns in the event of my death.
5. **AUTHORISE MT NORQUAY** to publish in part completely, without any restriction photographs of myself participating in the Event. I renounce all my rights regarding usage and publication to the photographs and I will not receive any monetary compensation

Participants Name (Print) \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Postal Code \_\_\_\_\_

Participants Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Guardian Name (Print) \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Guardian signature \_\_\_\_\_