

Rules and regulations of the Royal Raid – trail run Mauritius

Article 1: No refund will be given to participants in case of cancellation of the race due to any natural catastrophe or any case of force majeure.

Article 2: Participants will be ranked by categories. In case of dead heat at the Finish line, the winner will be the older participant.

Article 2b: The minimum age limit in order to be allowed to enter the different races has been fixed on 31st of December of the previous year, and is as follows:

Royal Raid 80 – 20 years

Royal Raid 35 - 18 years

Royal Raid 15 - 13 years

Article 3: Participant will have to wear proper sports gear and running shoes for all events.

Article 4: Participants must run with the Race Number / Check Point Card which will be presented to the Organizers for tagging at all Check Points including Departure and Finish, failing this will lead to immediate disqualification.

Article 5: The participant must give back his Race Number / Check Point Card to the Organizers at the Check Point Table for security reasons and to avoid unnecessary searching:

- If he withdraw from the race
- If he is expelled from the race by the Organizing Committee or one of the doctors
- And at the Finish line if required

If the participant does not respect this procedure, the Organizing Committee declines any responsibility on all consequences and matters resulting from this negligence and reserves the right to refuse the participant from participating in subsequent races.

Article 6: Any Participant who has voluntarily withdrawn from the race or who has been disqualified from the race will have to leave the track path immediately.

Article 7: Each participant will have to make provision for his own refreshment supplies even if the Organizing Committee is making provision for fresh supplies at different check points.

Article 8: Participants using the help of a pace runner or being carried by car or any motorized or non-motorized vehicle during the race, will be disqualified.

Article 9: Each participant must reach the Finish line at his own pace, by **carefully** following the markings on and along the track, within official time limits.

Official time limits for the RR80 are:

Points No. and name	Distance from start	Time allowed	Time limit
No.7 Parking National Park	37.3Km	8hrs	13H00
No.18 Jet Ranch	50.3Km	12hrs	17H00
No.24 Parakeet	64.3Km	16hrs	21H00
No. 26 Watook exit Bel Ombre	73.3Km	18hrs	23H00
No.27 Finish Tamassa hotel	79Km	19hrs	00H00

Official time limits for the RR35 are:

Place	Distance from start	Time allowed	Time limit
No.24 Parakeet	20.5Km	6hrs	14H00
No.26 Watook exit Bel Ombre	29.5Km	8hrs	16H00
No.27 Finish Tamassa hotel	35Km	9hrs	17H00

Official time limits for the RR15 are:

Place	Distance from start	Time allowed	Time limit
No.26 Watook exit Bel Ombre	9.4Km	2hrs30mns	10H30
No.27 Finish Tamassa hotel	15Km	5hrs	13H00

Article 10: During the whole race the participant must at all times carry with him the following equipment:

- RR80: water 1 litre, frontal lamp and a whistle
- RR35: whistle only is compulsory but 1 litre of water is strongly recommended
- RR15: 0.5 to 1litre of water is strongly recommended

The participant found not to have the compulsory equipment will be disqualified; surprise check will be made during the race.

Article 11: The Medical Team of the Organizing Committee have full and irrevocable power to decide, at any time, whether a participant is fit enough or not, to continue the race.

Article 12: Any damage to the markings, tracks, natural environment and materials installed by the Organizing Committee by a participant or any participant's supporters (member of family, friend etc.) will result in the immediate disqualification of the participant.

Article 13: Any participant threatening or insulting a member of the organization will be disqualified.

Article 14: Responsibility of the Organizing Committee will be cease for any incident occurring on the track after the passage of the "Serre File" Team closing the race or for not respecting the Rules & Regulations.

Article 15: The Organizing Committee reserves the right to change or modify (for security or any other reasons) the track path and the time limits along the track, without notice.

Article 16: Any claims by a participant must be made in writing and handed to the Organizing Committee within 30 minutes of the provisional results having been posted. After a time of deliberation and consultation, the decision of the Committee is final.

Article 17: By his/her registration into the race, the participant automatically accepts to abide by all the Rules and Regulations of the race. Furthermore he gives the right to the Organizing Committee to use any photo on which the participant is seen for the promotional purposes of the race.

Article 18: No animal is allowed on the race.