

Hello Racers!

With the race less than a week away, there are a few important items I want to discuss. Please read this email in full as there is a lot to share and clear up!

Bib Transfers - Bib transfers will be closed Monday January 10th at 6pm Central Time.

Emergency Contact - Please log in to the website and ensure your profile information is correct. Specifically, your emergency contact information.

Waivers - PLEASE print and sign your waivers prior to the event if possible. This will speed up the check-in process and prevent a lot of crowding in the shelter.

Event Waiver:

https://www.fatotter.com/sites/default/files/documents/Frozen%20Otter_Event_Waiver.pdf

COVID Waiver: https://www.fatotter.com/sites/default/files/documents/COVID_Waiver.pdf

Required Gear Attestation:

https://www.fatotter.com/sites/default/files/documents/Gear_Attestation.pdf

Required Gear - We will not be doing our traditional gear check during check-in this year.

There is an attestation (see above) for everyone to sign stating you will carry the required gear at all times or risk disqualification. Race staff reserves the right to check gear at any point during the race.

Pacers - There have been some questions about whether pacers are allowed. YES! We encourage the use of pacers to increase the safety of the event. Pacer can in NO WAY PROVIDE AID. They can only pace with you and provide moral support. They can assist the volunteers at established checkpoints to provide ONLY the aid the volunteers are providing.

Butler Lake Checkpoint - There was a little confusion around the Butler Lake checkpoint. ONLY CP1 will be a check-through checkpoint without services. The checkpoint will be fully staffed with services on the way back (CP5).

Sponsors - Skratch (<https://www.skratchlabs.com/>) came through with hydration supplements again this year. They have given us the coupon code '**FrozenOtter**' to use for 20% off! Also, I want to thank Jess Feucht and US Cellular for providing some stuff for our volunteers this year!

Thanks again everyone for signing up and I hope we can all make the 15th running of the Frozen Otter a fun, safe, and successful event!

For the LOVE of MISERY...

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