

Emmaus UK – Terms and Conditions for Events

Event: London Marathon – 27th April 2025

By accepting a charity place for the London Marathon 2025 for Emmaus UK (EUK) you agree and acknowledge the following:

General

- You are aged 18 or over (or will be on race day).
- You are aware that this is a big commitment for the months leading up to race day in both training and fundraising.

Health and fitness

- Training for and participation in the event involves potentially strenuous physical activity and risk of personal injury. You confirm that, to the best of your knowledge, you are suitable, healthy, and fit to take part in the event. You will be taking part in and completing the event at your own risk.
- If you have a medical condition or are unsure of your physical ability to take part in the event you are advised to take medical advice from a general practitioner prior to the event.
- If you have to withdraw due to injury or illness prior to the race, you will notify EUK as soon as possible and any money raised will be retained as a donation towards EUK.

Fundraising

- To secure a guaranteed charity place you must commit to raise the minimum of **£2,000** in sponsorship (excluding Gift Aid and any employer Matched Giving), and that the sponsorship money will be paid to EUK via a fundraising platform such as JustGiving or Enthuse, or paid directly to Emmaus UK online / into our bank account.
- Expected timescale of sponsorship money to be raised by:

January 2025	25%	£500
March 2025	50%	£1,000
April 2025	75%	£1,500
June 2025	100%	£2,000

- When fundraising, you must act lawfully and follow the fundraising guidelines given by EUK staff and do nothing that may harm the reputation of EUK or act in a manner contrary to our values.

What happens if you don't raise the minimum sponsorship for a charity place?

- We ask all our runners who have accepted a charity place through EUK to raise a minimum sponsorship of **£2,000**.

Our advice is to start early and to break down the fundraising into smaller amounts in the months leading up to the race – i.e., organise quiz nights, cake sales etc. The fundraising team is always on hand to help you with any fundraising ideas (events@emmaus.org.uk).

However, if you do not reach the minimum, you will be liable for the difference, and we may ask you to continue fundraising after the event to make up any shortfall. Failing to meet this target will significantly impact our ability to provide vital support and services to those experiencing homelessness.

Consent

- You are consenting to be contacted by email, phone and mail about the specific event you have registered for.

We will keep your details on our database to keep track of your sponsorship money.

Please be assured that we **do not** pass on your details to any third parties – this is solely for us to communicate with you about the London Marathon.

Note: We do have a separate consent form for EUK social media which will be sent out shortly after acceptance of the place.

Disclaimers

- This event is not being organised or supervised by EUK therefore you agree that EUK, its employees and its agents, accept no liability whatsoever in respect of any injury, illness, death, loss (including loss of enjoyment or possessions), damage, expense, cost or other sum or claim of any descriptions whatsoever in respect of your participation in the event.
- You agree to follow all reasonable rules and instructions given by the event organiser, event management company and their authorised representatives. You are responsible for your own actions or inactions.
- EUK reserves the right to refuse your Charity Place, or to end your participation in the event if:
 - You fail to complete the registration on the official London Marathon Event Console by their deadline.
 - You are not on target to raise the agreed minimum fundraising pledge (£2,000) as per the expected timescale and no other arrangements have been agreed with the fundraising team.
 - By participating, you would be going against medical / health advice to not participate.