

## Last Chance for Early Bird Price for 2024 MCM Weekend

*Registration for three MCM Weekend events increases on Dec 26*

**QUANTICO, VA (December 22, 2023)** – The registration price for the 49<sup>th</sup> Marine Corps Marathon (MCM) Weekend increases by 10 percent on December 26. Military members will still be able to register for a discounted price until the event is sold out. Entries are available on a first come, first served basis at [www.marinemarathon.com](http://www.marinemarathon.com).

The 49<sup>th</sup> MCM, MCM50K and MCM10K will run live and in-person on Sunday, October 27. The MCM is open to ages 14 and up and currently costs \$200, while the MCM50K is currently priced at \$225 for ages 18 and up. The MCM10K currently costs \$65 for ages 10 and up.

The Health & Fitness Expo and Packet Pick-up will be held at the Gaylord National Resort & Convention Center. This allows MCMO to offer a limited number of Four Star packages for interested participants. This stellar bundle of benefits includes a hotel stay, an entry or two, transportation and more, providing a VIP experience for runners.

Ambitious runners can once again compete for the Semper Fidelis Challenge, a three-event challenge including the Marine Corps 17.75K on March 23, the Marine Corps Historic Half on May 19 and the MCM in October. Finishers will receive an exclusive Semper Fidelis Challenge medal, in addition to the individual race medals, upon completion of the MCM.

Additionally, MCM Weekend Events are also a part of the 2024 Distinguished Participant program. Runners who seek to earn this coveted title must complete a distance from each of MCMO's live event weekends:

- Marine Corps 17.75K on March 23
- Marine Corps Historic Half on May 19
- Quantico 12K on August 24
- One of the MCM Weekend Events (MCM, MCM10K or MCM50K) on October 27
- Turkey Trot 10K on November 16

Participants will receive a long sleeve technical shirt, stunning medal and more. All event information can be found at [marinemarathon.com](http://marinemarathon.com).

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