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## Dick's Sporting Goods Pittsburgh Marathon Early Registration Deadline is November 28th Save \$5 AND Get a Personalized Bib

**Pittsburgh, PA** - The Dick's Sporting Goods Pittsburgh Marathon announces they have the strongest early registration numbers on record for event. Runners who wish to save money, get a personalized bib number (available to the first 5,000 registrants only), and be assured of a spot in this year's event are encouraged to register online now at [pittsburghmarathon.com](http://pittsburghmarathon.com). Early bird savings will expire at midnight on November 28, 2009.

As of November 20, 2009, registration for all Pittsburgh Marathon events combined was at 2,800; on the same date in 2008, registration was at 600. Race Director Patrice Matamoros comments, "We're thrilled about the strong registration numbers, and very grateful for the strong community-wide support we've received. Sponsors, runners and volunteers are all critical to this event, so our success is a direct reflection of the commitment of all of these wonderful individuals and organizations."

The 21st running of the event takes place Sunday, May 2, 2010, with a marathon, half marathon, and 5-person marathon relay. Complete race information, including training information and a runners forum, are available on the new [pittsburghmarathon.com](http://pittsburghmarathon.com) website. Price information is as follows:

	Early Bird Savings	Fee as of November 29th
Dick's Sporting Goods Pittsburgh Marathon	\$75.	\$80.
Pittsburgh Half Marathon	\$60.	\$65.
FedEx Ground Marathon Relay (5 person team)	\$160.	\$185.

### MISSION STATEMENT

The Pittsburgh Marathon is a non-profit organization which promotes the love of long-distance running and enhances community involvement in fitness activities through high quality events open to a wide variety of ages and ability levels. Our events will consistently serve the needs of our runners and our sponsors; will engage and reward our volunteers; will enhance the economic well-being of the Pittsburgh region; will partner with public and private entities to create the best possible event experience; and partner with appropriate charitable organizations to give back to the community.

### OUR SPONSORS

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