Dynafit Trail Running Series
Frequently Asked Questions

Q: What are you doing different with regards to Covid-19?

- Racing protocols were submitted and reviewed by Eagle County Health Department.
- Social distancing will be strictly enforced for both racers and spectators.
- Racers must agree not to participate if they have any illness symptom.
- Racers must wear face coverings while retrieving their bibs, in the starting chute, while passing on course and when receiving their post-race t-shirt.
- Hand Sanitation Stations will be provided at race start and registration area.
- Staff will wear gloves and face masks.
- High touch area will be sanitized regularly.
- Racers are advised to bring their own nutrition and water to the race. Water will be available on course with Water coolers sanitized after each use.
- Racers and spectators not willing to follow these guidelines will be ordered to leave the venue.

Q: Will the Dynafit Trail Running Series happen this year?
A: Yes. Now that Eagle County has moved into the Blue Square phase of their reopening protocols, VRD will host races with a number of new procedures and protocols to align with the current public health orders and maximum gathering sizes. The Series schedule is:

June 20: Summer Solstice
July 4: Vail HillClimb
July 18: 10@10
August 1: Berry Picker
August 29: Half Marathon
September 12: EverGold
September 26: Boneyard Boogie

Q: What happens if I sign up for a race and it does not happen?
A: If a race does not occur a full refund will be issued.

Q: How do I sign up for the race? Can I register day-of?
A: There will be no day-of registration for 2020. Registration will be available online at www.vailrec.com. We highly encourage participants to use contactless registration through vailrec.com. In an effort to reduce crowd population, we will be offering bib pick-up and day before registration at various locations. Please refer to vailrec.com for locations for each race. Bib pick-up and registration will take place on the Friday prior to race day from 3pm to 6pm.
Q: Can I pick-up my bib race day?
A: Yes. Race day bib pick-up will be available starting 60 minutes prior to the first wave start. Please do not arrive early to collect your bib and linger in the starting area. We are requesting that you arrive to bib pick-up no more than 30 minutes prior to your wave start to collect your bib.

Q: Can I pay with Cash?
A: No. Only credit cards will be accepted for registration

Q: Who can register?
A: The Dynafit Vail Trail Running Series is open to participants ages 13 and up. Participants showing signs of illness are not permitted to race and we discourage at-risk populations from participating.

Q: Can I sign up for the entire series?
A: This year, due to the uncertainties we are only offering registration for each individual race.

Q: Are the races mass start?
A: For the 2020 season, wave starts will be implemented. You will receive a start time the week prior to Saturdays race. Start times will be between the hours of 7am and 9:30am.

Q: How is my start time determined?
A: You will start with members of your age group. Age group waves will be incremental allowing proper spacing on the course. Your wave start time will be communicated to you the week of the event.

Q: What time should I arrive for my race?
A: Please be respectful of racers starting before you. We are requesting you arrive to your race no more than 30 minutes before your start time.

Q: Will there be restrooms at the start line?
A: Yes, restrooms or port-a-lets will be available in the start area. Restrooms and port-a-let will be sanitized prior to race day. Additional hand sanitizer will be provided.

Q: What changes are you making to the start line?
A: To adhere to social distancing guidelines, the start line will include a physical diagram to keep all participants in each wave separated by at least 6 feet.

Q: Will there be aid stations on course at each course for the 2020 season?
A: We are requesting that participants are self-sufficient on course for each of the 7 races. We will have limited resources at one aid station on all 10k courses and 2 aid stations on the Half Marathon Course.
Q: My whole family wants to come and spectate. Is that allowed?
A: Due to gathering size limits, we are requesting no spectators for the 2020 race season.

Q: I would like to race with my family member who is in a different age group, can I do that?
A: We are committed to creating a safe environment for competition. That commitment begins with keeping wave starts limited in size. If you would like to start in a different wave from the one assigned to your age group, you must contact race staff prior to the race. We will do our best to accommodate your request to run with your family member. If you do not race in your assigned wave and do not contact race staff prior to the race, your race will not be timed.

Q: Will there be an awards ceremony?
A: There will not be a post-race awards ceremony. Results will be posted on vailrec.com and on Vail Rec Facebook page. Awards will be mailed to the recipients the Monday following the race.

Q: Will there be a raffle?
A: A random drawing raffle will take place during the race. Bib numbers will be used in the raffle. If you were a random drawing winner, you will receive your raffle with your official t-shirt as you exit the race finish area.

Q: What happens after I race?
A: After completing your race, please put on your mask, check on the raffle board to see if you won a prize (raffle winners will be randomly selected during your race), collect raffle prize if necessary, collect your race participant t-shirt, and then you then must leave the venue immediately. Race result will be posted online, and podium prizes will be mailed.

Q: I look forward to receiving my race t-shirt, can I try on different sizes to determine the best fit?
A: We are excited about the shirt designs this year but participants are unable to try on shirts before choosing their size. We will communicate the shirt style to all registered runners and you will be able to review their sizing chart on-line prior to finishing each race.

Q: Can we expect the same courses this year?
A: All courses in the Dynafit Trail Running Series are subject to change. We continue to communicate with Land Owners and Managers to provide the best guest experience at each race.
Q: What can I do to help ensure these races continue?

- Read and adhere to all race rules and protocols.
- Help educate your fellow racers.
- Do not register if you do not agree to the race rules and protocols.
- Follow the 5 commitments of containment
  - Maintain six feet of social distance
  - Wash my hands often
  - Cover my face in public
  - Stay home when I am sick
  - Get tested immediately if I have symptoms

Q: Is there a chance that racing will return to normal operations?
A: If we progress into the Black Diamond phase of the recovery plan, we may be able to make operational changes to each race. Those changes would be communicated to the race community.

Q: Will there be an end of season awards ceremony?
A: If we continue to make progress as a community there may be an opportunity to host an end of season ceremony. The final race of the season is now The Boneyard Boogie on September 26.