



EVENT GUIDE

BIRELL PRAGUE GRAND PRIX

ADIDAS WOMEN'S RACE 5 KM

BIRELL 10K RACE

3. 9. 2022



**BIRELL
PRAGUE
GRAND PRIX**



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ZÁTOPEK TRADITION

2022 is the year of Zátópek. This year marks the 100th birthday of Emil and Dana Zátópek, and 70 years since Emil made Olympic history at the games in Helsinki.



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ESSENTIAL INFO

DATE: SEPTEMBER 3RD 2022

FIRST HELD: MAY 18 1996

EDITION: 25

LIVE ENTRIES
ON CT SPORT



ADIDAS WOMEN'S RACE 5 KM

START 18:00
REPUBLIC SQUARE
DISTANCE: 5 KM
CAPACITY: 2 200
LIMIT: 45 MINUTES

BIRELL 10K RACE

START 19:30
REPUBLIC SQUARE
DISTANCE: 10 KM
CAPACITY: 6 350
LIMIT: 1,5 HOURS



EVENT RECORD BIRELL 10K RACE

♂ RHONEX KIPRUTO (KEN) 26:46 (2018)

♀ JOYCYLINE JEPKOSGEI (KEN) 29:43 (2017)

WORLD RECORDS IN 10 KM

♂ RHONEX KIPRUTO (KEN) 26:24 (2020)

♀ JOYCYLINE JEPKOSGEI (KEN) 29:43 (2017)

EUROPEAN RECORD IN 10 KM

♂ JULIEN WANDERS (SUI) 27:13 (2020)

♀ PAULA RADCLIFFE (GBR) 30:21 (2003)

CZECH NATIONAL RECORD IN 10 KM

♂ JAN KREISINGER 28:59 (2009)

♀ PETRA KAMÍNKOVÁ 32:29 (2000)

PROGRAM OF THE BIRELL PRAGUE GRAND PRIX

GRAND PRIX EXPO 29/8 – 3/9/2022

(RUNNING MALL, FRANTIŠKA KŘÍŽKA 11, PRAHA 7)

MONDAY 29/8 – FRIDAY 2/9 12.00 – 19.00

SATURDAY 3/9 9.00 – 16.00 ADIDAS WOMEN'S RACE 5 KM

9.00 – 17.00 BIRELL 10K RACE

THURSDAY 1/9/2022

17:30 TALK WITH LOONO RUNNING MALL

18:00 PRE-RACE RUN RUNNING MALL

FRIDAY 2/9/2022

11:00 PRE-RACE PRESS CONFERENCE CLOUD 9, HILTON, POBŘEŽNÍ 1

SATURDAY 3/9/2022

14:00 PROGRAM STARTS AT REPUBLIC SQUARE

17:00 TECHNICAL AREA OPENING – ADIDAS WOMEN'S RUN 5 KM (WENCESLAS SQUARE)

17:30 GUEST AREA OPENING

18:00 TECHNICAL AREA OPENING – BIRELL 10K RACE (WENCESLAS SQUARE)

18:00 START ADIDAS WOMEN'S RACE 5 KM (REPUBLIC SQUARE)

18:15 – 18:17 FIRST WOMAN ARRIVAL

18:30 AWARD CEREMONY ADIDAS WOMEN'S RACE 5 KM (REPUBLIC SQUARE)

18:45 END OF ADIDAS WOMEN'S RACE 5 KM (REPUBLIC SQUARE)

19:30 START BIRELL 10K RACE (REPUBLIC SQUARE)

19:57 – 19:58 FIRST MAN/WOMAN ARRIVAL

20:05 – 20:15 AWARD CEREMONY BIRELL 10K RACE – MEN, WOMEN, CZECHS (REPUBLIC SQUARE)

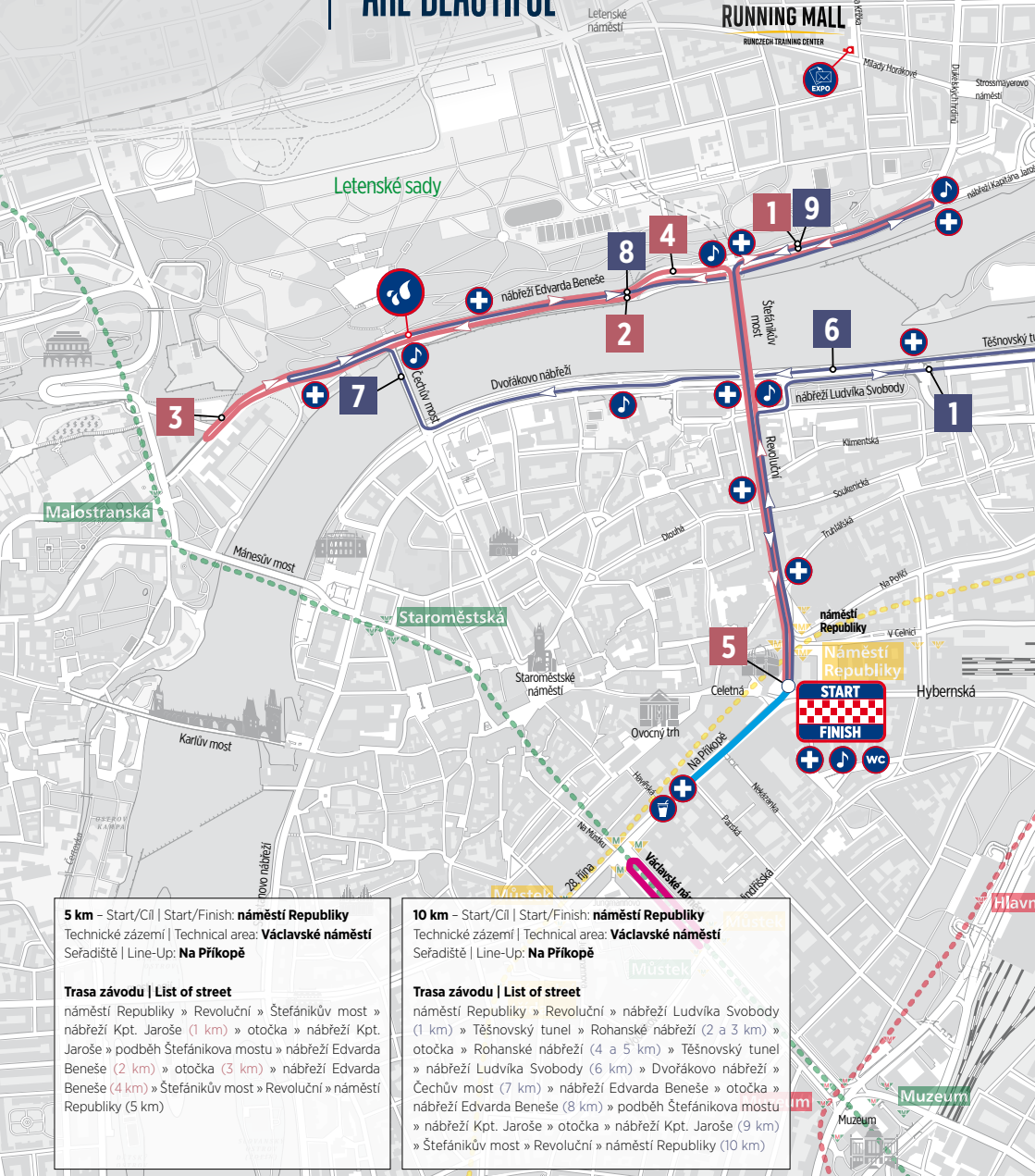
20:40 AFTER-RACE PRESS CONFERENCE (HILTON OLD TOWN, ROOM MOZART 1)

21:00 END OF BIRELL 10K RACE

22:00 TECHNICAL AREA CLOSING

RUNCZECH

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5 km - Start/Cíl | Start/Finish: náměstí Republiky
 Technické zázemí | Technical area: **Václavské náměstí**
 Seřadistiště | Line-Up: **Na Příkopě**

Trasa závodu | List of street

náměstí Republiky » Revoluční » Štefánikův most »
 nábreží Kpt. Jaroše (1 km) » otočka » nábreží Kpt.
 Jaroše » podběh Štefánikova mostu » nábreží Edvarda
 Beneše (2 km) » otočka (3 km) » nábreží Edvarda
 Beneše (4 km) » Štefánikův most » Revoluční » náměstí
 Republiky (5 km)

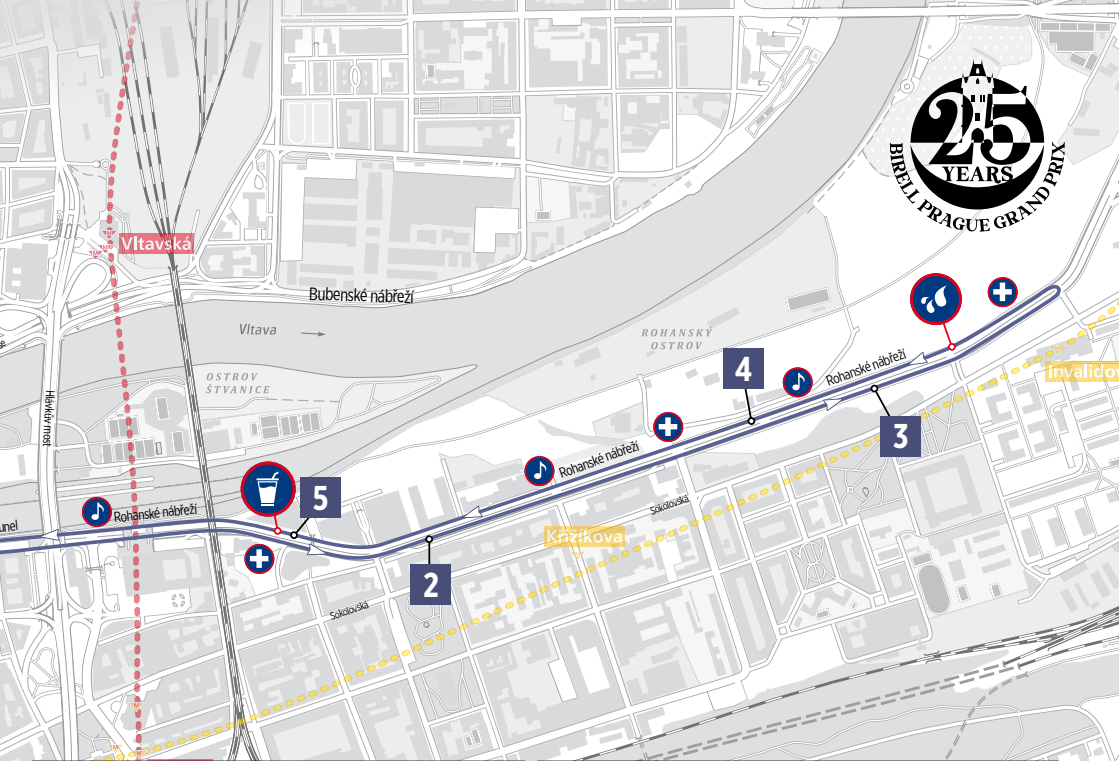
10 km - Start/Cíl | Start/Finish: náměstí Republiky
 Technické zázemí | Technical area: **Václavské náměstí**
 Seřadistiště | Line-Up: **Na Příkopě**

Trasa závodu | List of street

náměstí Republiky » Revoluční » nábreží Ludvíka Svobody
 (1 km) » Těšnovský tunel » Rohanské nábreží (2 a 3 km) »
 otočka » Rohanské nábreží (4 a 5 km) » Těšnovský tunel
 » nábreží Ludvíka Svobody (6 km) » Dvořákovo nábreží »
 Čechův most (7 km) » nábreží Edvarda Beneše » otočka
 » nábreží Edvarda Beneše (8 km) » podběh Štefánikova mostu
 » nábreží Kpt. Jaroše » otočka » nábreží Kpt. Jaroše (9 km)
 » Štefánikův most » Revoluční » náměstí Republiky (10 km)

adidas Běh pro ženy 5 km | adidas Women's race 5 km





km Předpokládaný čas prvního a posledního běžce (časový limit)
Estimated time of the first and the last runner (cutoff time)

1	18:03 / 18:10	3	18:09 / 18:28	5	18:15 / 18:45
2	18:06 / 18:19	4	18:12 / 18:36		

km Předpokládaný čas prvního a posledního běžce (časový limit)
Estimated time of the first and the last runner (cutoff time)

1	19:32 / 19:44	5	19:44 / 20:18	9	19:55 / 20:52
2	19:35 / 19:52	6	19:47 / 20:26	10	19:57 / 21:00
3	19:38 / 20:01	7	19:49 / 20:35		
4	19:41 / 20:09	8	19:52 / 20:43		

- trasa závodu / směr závodu 5 km
race course / direction of the race 5 km
- trasa závodu / směr závodu 10 km
race course / direction of the race 10 km
- km vzdálenost
km distance
- technické zázemí
technical area
- seřadiště
line-up
- METRO (A - B - C)
- významné památky
important monuments
- start / cíl
start / finish
- Grand Prix expo
Grand Prix Expo
- první pomoc
first aid
- Birell Music Point
- toalety
toilets
- osvěžovací stanice
refreshment point
- občerstvovací stanice
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BIRELL PRAGUE GRAND PRIX

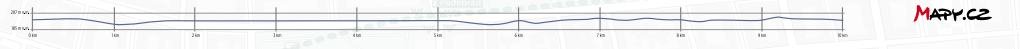
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BIRELL IOK RACE

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Birell Běh na 10 km / Birell 10k Race





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INSURANCE

ADIDAS WOMEN'S RACE 5 KM

- 0:25 ANIČKA NOSILOVÁ
- 0:30 HELENA MCALORUM

BIRELL 10K RACE

- 0:40 HONZA SEIDL
- 0:40 JIŘÍ FIX
- 0:45 CTIBOR KAČER
- 0:45 KATKA ZANOZINA
- 0:50 KAREL KODR
- 0:50 LUCIE SÍBROVÁ
- 0:55 RÍŠA BEDNÁŘ
- 0:55 PETRA HEŘMAN
- 1:00 LIBOR ONDRŮŠEK
- 1:00 PAVEL STUHLÝ
- 1:10 PAVLÍNA BROŽÁNI
- 1:10 JARDA KRÁTKÝ



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RUNCZECH

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TRAFFIC INFO

FREE TRAFFIC INFOLINE

A free infoline is available to you for questions related to the traffic restriction.



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29. 8. – 2. 9. 2022 (9:00 – 18:00) & 3. 9. 2022 (9:00 – 21:00)

On Saturday the 3rd of September 2022, Prague streets will be full of runners from all over the world. The **adidas Women's Race 5 km** starts at 6 p.m. at the Republic Square (náměstí Republiky), 7:30 p.m. is the start time of the **Birell 10 km Race**. The courses of both races are described on the first page of this leaflet.

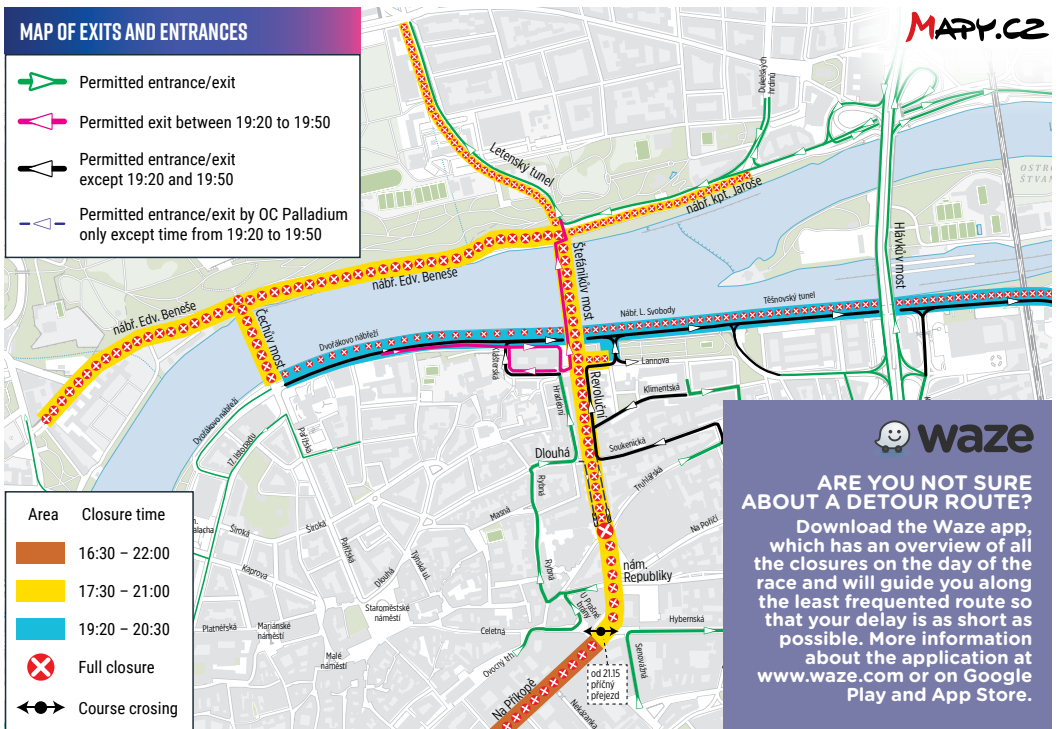
CLOSURES:

The huge range event brings traffic closures, which are controlled by the Police of the CR, and they go as following:

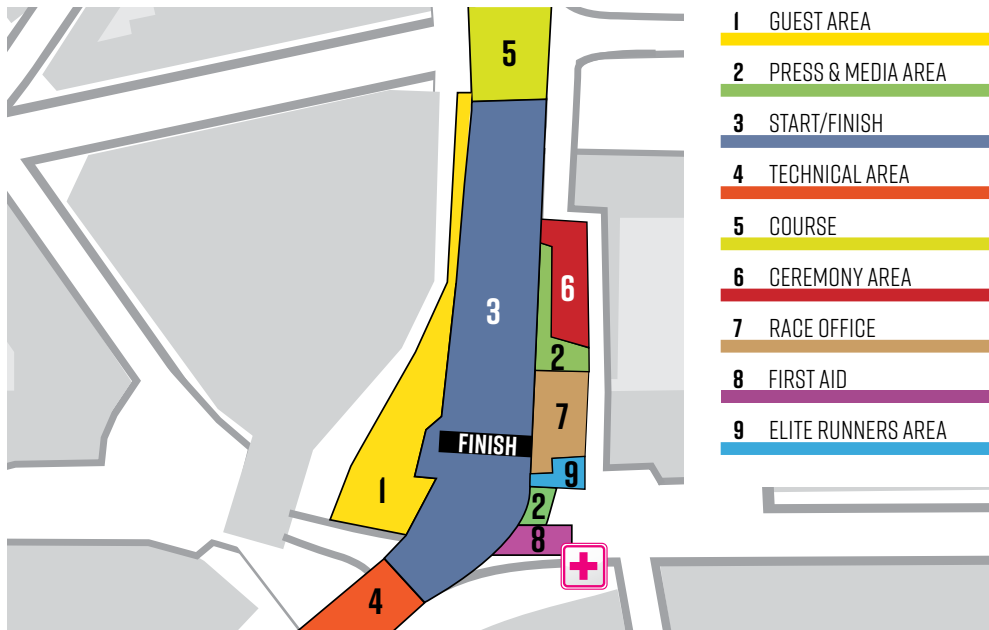
- 4:30 p.m. – 10 p.m. Na Příkopě str., Republic Square (Náměstí Republiky), Wenceslas Square
- 5:30 p.m. – 9 p.m. Revoluční str., Edvard Beneš riverbank (nábřeží Edvarda Beneše), Štefaník bridge (Štefaníkův most), Czech Bridge (Čechův most), riverbank Kpt. Jaroše (nábřeží Kpt. Jaroše), Letenský tunnel (way to city centre)
- 7 p.m. – 9 p.m. Rohanské riverbank (Rohanské nábřeží), Dvořák riverbank (Dvořákovo nábřeží), Ludvík Svoboda riverbank (nábřeží L. Svobody), Těšnovský tunel, Lannova str., Nové mlýny str.

NO PARKING:

Stopping the car is forbidden on the whole race route and will lead to the car towing. Please find another parking place and avoid any problems with the car towing. In case if it happens, please contact the Prague City Police on line 156 and follow the instructions.



START/FINISH AREA



START NUMBERS



BIRELL 10K RACE - MEN



BIRELL 10K RACE - WOMEN



ADIDAS WOMEN'S RACE 5 KM



BIRELL 10K RACE - ELITE MEN

















BIRELL 10K RACE - ELITE WOMEN

START LIST MEN - BIRELL 10K RACE

BIB NUMBER	FULL NAME	NAT	FLAGS	PB	BIB NAME	COMMENTS
1	Rhonex Kipruto	KEN		26:24 WR - Valencia 2020	Rhonex	RCR ALUMNUS
2	Tadese Worku Gebresilase	ETH		26:56 - Herzogenaurach 2021	Tadese G.	
3	Kennedy Kimutai	KEN		27:09 - Herzogenaurach 2021	Kennedy	
4	Bravin Kipkogei Kiptoo	KEN		27:12 - Prague 2019	Bravin	RCR ALUMNUS
5	Tadese Takele Bikila	ETH		27:21 - Castellon 2022	Tadese B.	
6	Alexander Mutiso Munyao	KEN		10,000m PB: 27:23.01 - Yokohama 2021	Alexander	
7	Patrick Kabirech Mosin	KEN		27:31 - Malaga 2022	Patrick	
8	Isaac Kipkemboi	KEN		27:37 - Durban 2022	Isaac K.	
9	Hicham Amghar	MAR		27:46 - Prague 2018	Hicham	
10	David Ngure Irungu	KEN		10,000m PB: 27:48.22 - Machida 2019	David	
11	Mogos Tuemay Ab रहा	ETH		27:50 - Herzogenaurach 2021	Mogos	
12	Isaac Kibet Ndiema	KEN		28:00 - Herzogenaurach 2021	Isaac N.	RUNCZECH RACING
13	Samuel Fitwi Sibhatu	GER		28:00 - Berlin 2021	Samuel S.	
14	Kelvin Kibiwott	KEN		28:01 - Valencia 2022	Kelvin	
15	Samuel Vila Barata	POR		28:12 - Valencia 2022	Samuel B.	
16	Lahsene Bouchikhi	BEL		28:24 - Dresden 2020	Lahsene	
17	Sebastian Udo Hendel	GER		28:35 - Berlin 2021	Sebastian	ILLNESS
18	Jacob Simonsen	DEN		28:41 - Valencia 2022	Jacob	
19	Eric Laurent Rüttimann	SUI		29:00 - Prague 2019	Eric	
20	Olle Walleräng	SWE		29:00 - Valencia 2019	Olle	
21	Timothy Wayne Vincent	AUS		29:22 - Launceston 2021	Timothy	
22	Jakub Zemaník	CZE		29:30 - Prague 2018	Jakub Z.	
23	Josphat Kipkorir Meli	KEN		29:37 - Iten 2022, at altitude	Josphat	RUNCZECH RACING
24	Jiří Homoláč	CZE		29:37 - Prague 2018	Jiří	
25	Laban Kiplimo	KEN		29:46 - Iten 2022, at altitude	Laban	
26	Vít Pavlišta	CZE		29:50 - Prague 2019	Vít	
27	Patrik Vebr	CZE		30:21 - Valencia 2022	Patrik	
28	Martin Zajíc	CZE		30:34 - Prague 2021	Martin	
29	Vladimír Marčík	CZE		30:44 - Frýdek Místek 2019	Vladimír	
30	Felix Mursoi Kurui	KEN		debut	Felix	
31	Jakub Szymankiewicz	POL		debut	Jakub S.	
32	Michael Thabang Langgaard Jensen	DEN		debut	Michael	
33	Petr Hošna	CZE		10,000m PB: 32:42.46 - Pisek 2021	Petr	
34	Luuk Maas	NED		28:53 - Berlin 2021	Luuk	
35	Nibret Melak Bogale	ETH		27:26 - Laredo 2019	Nibret	
40	Daniel Kinyanjui	KEN		debut	PACE M1	(PACEMAKER)
41	Victor Kipkirui Mutai	KEN		debut	PACE M2	(PACEMAKER)
42	Julius Kipchumba	KEN		debut	PACE W1	(PACEMAKER, WOMEN)
43	Shadrack Kipchirchir Ruto	KEN		debut	PACE M3	(PACEMAKER) - RESERVE RUNCZECH RACING

START LIST WOMEN - BIRELL 10K RACE

BIB NUMBER	FULL NAME	NAT	FLAGS	PB	BIB NAME	COMMENTS
F1	Irine Chepet Cheptai	KEN		30:35 - Bangalore 2022	Irine	
F2	Jesca Chelangat	KEN		30:40 - Durban 2022	Jesca	
F3	Faith Cheronu	KEN		30:50 - Herzogenaurach 2022	Faith	RUNCZECH RACING
F4	Esther Birundu Borura	KEN		31:02 - Herzogenaurach 2022	Esther	RUNCZECH RACING
F5	Vivian Jepkemei Melly	KEN		HM PB: 1:08:17 - Herzogenaurach 2022	Vivian	RUNCZECH RACING
F6	Enatnesh Alamrew Tirusew	ETH		31:15 - Languieux 2022	Enatnesh	
F7	Mekdes Woldu	FRA		31:25 - Berlin 2022	Mekdes	
F8	Alemitu Tariku Olana	ETH		32:04 - Bangalore 2022	Alemitu	
F9	Eva Vrabcová Nývltová	CZE		33:01 - New York, NY 2018	Eva	RUNCZECH RACING
F10	Brenda Jepkoech Tuwei	KEN		10,000m PB: 34:23.8h - Nairobi 2022, at altitude	Brenda	RUNCZECH RACING
F11	Sheila Jebiwot	KEN		34:24 - Eldoret 2019, at altitude	Sheila	RUNCZECH RACING
F12	Hana Homolková	CZE		35:59 - Prague 2019	Hana	
F13	Gabriela Veigertová	CZE		37:19 - Prague 2021	Gabriela	
F14	Tereza Hrochová	CZE		34:37 - Prague 2021	Tereza	



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FOR BIRELL 10K RACE



The Cesta za Snem organization wants to “get moving” people with and without disabilities, to give them the desire and courage to fulfill their dreams, to support each other, and most importantly to celebrate every success together. It connects the handicapped and the healthy and, thanks to their movement, gives them a new joy of life.



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WOMEN'S RACE 5 KM



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1996

May 18 was the first year that PIM (Prague International Marathon) had added a major new contest to its collection of events. Kenyan Laban Chege won during a massive spring hailstorm rains the first-ever Golden 10, a race that would later become the Prague Grand Prix.

WINNER: LABAN CHEGE (KEN)

The 10 km race was moved from May to September to showcase what would become a signature event. The presence of both Kenyans Moses Tanui and Paul Tergat, who was the then-world record holder in the 10 km, shone a global spotlight on the Grand Prix and ensured it would be a memorable one. Tergat won only one second ahead of his rival.

**WINNER:
PAUL TERGAT**

1997



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1998



Kenyan Paul Tergat won in time 28:30. The second place took Moses Tanui from Kenya in 28:35. The third place belong to Slovak Robert Štefko (29:10). The winners were congratulated by President Václav Klaus.

**WINNER:
PAUL TERGAT**

Antonio Pinto – the fastest European marathon runner, joined the prestigious Grand Prix and won with a time 28:16. This year is mainly remembered thanks to a total solar eclipse. Thousand of people across Europe and the Middle East gathered on August 11 to catch a glimpse of the rarest of celestial events.

**WINNER:
ANTONIO PINTO,
GUNHILDA HALLE**

1999



This year was accompanied with a sad spirit. Emil Zátopek died in a hospital at the age of 78. The legendary runner helped to found the Prague Marathon and was a great supporter of the race until his last days. But Grand Prix had to go on. Miroslav Vanko (SVK) won 10K with a time of 29:34. The Women's race was dominated by Hungarian runner Anikó Kalóvics with a time of 15:38.

WINNERS:
MIROSLAV VANKO, ANIKÓ KALÓVICS

2000



20 01

Ethiopian Haile Gebreselassie, the latest world-class athlete to compete in PIM events after Paul Tergat and Antonio Pinto, won the 10 km race in 28:07, breaking the record set by laban Chege during that legendary hailstorm in the inaugural race in 1996.

**WINNERS: HAILE GEBRESELASSIE,
BEATA RAKONZAI**

2002

As for PIM's 10 km race, it escaped the floods in August that shut down much of Prague's areas through the marathon is run. PIM organizers had to put on a brave face in the run – up to the Grand Prix, which was just days after the city had been cleaned up. Thankfully, Paul Tergat was again in Prague and triumphed in 28:14.

WINNERS:
PAUL TERGAT, ANIKÓ KALÓVICS



2003

Kenyan Simon Kisinga Kiliu won a second before Daniel Rono and won the Grand Prix in dramatic fashion. Barmen race held on the occasion of the Grand Prix had a surprise winner – students beat professionals bartenders.

Winners:
SIMON
KISINGA KILIU,
ANIKÓ KALÓVICS





Wilson Kebenei Kiprotich and Caroline Cheptonui from Kenya won the international Grand Prix in the center of Prague. The winner crossed the finish line of the 10 K race in 27:37 seconds. The African competitor recalled the uniqueness and speed of the course in the historic center.

**WINNERS:
WILSON KEBENEI
KIPROTICH,
CAROLINE CHEPTONUI**

2004

2005



Stanley Salil of Kenya, runner – up the previous year, won the 10 km contest in 28:46, with Athens Olympic marathon champion Stefano Baldini of Italy taking fourth – but confirming PIM's tradition of bringing the world's fastest runners to the Czech capital.

**WINNERS:
STANLEY KIPKOSGEI SALIL,
ANIKÓ KALÓVICS**

2006



2006 marked the 11th running of the September Grand Prix.

For the 4th time it will be open not only for elite runners, but to the public at large as well.

Two separate competitions, 10 km for men and 5 km for women, are becoming more popular among runners and sportsman.

WINNERS:

WILSON K. KEBENEI, ANIKO KALOVICSOVÁ

2007 will mark the 12th running of the Grand Prix. The grand annual finals of the PIM running season included the Men's Race 10 Km, Women's Race 5 Km, Barman Race and the Embassy Race. The winner of the Men's Race became Wilfred Kipkoe Taragon and the Womens Race dominated Irene K. Kwambai.

WINNERS:
**WILFRED KIPKOE
TARAGON IRENE K.
KWAMBAI**



2007

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On September 13, Europeans swept the Grand Prix, held for the first time at night, with Ukraine's Vitalii Rybak taking the men's race in 29:27 and Aniko Kalovics of Hungary setting the course record for the women's 5 km event in 15:27.

WINNERS:
VITALII RYBAK,
ANIKO KALOVICS

2008



2009



PIM organized 14th edition of the Prague Grand Prix, a great event that connects sport and charity. The race have been awarded by silver IAAF label for year 2009. In addition to the classic categories, the Race was dedicated to charity, it was an integral of this sport day.

WINNERS: **MARWA DICKSON MKAMI,**
GLADYS KERUBO OTERO



2010

After Kenyans failed to win the Grand Prix for the second time in three years – Moroccan Mourad Marofit and Tanzanian Zakia Mrisho took the titles on September 11 – PIM turned its attention to expanding once again.

WINNERS:
**MRISHO MOURAD MAROFIT,
ZAKIA MRISHO**



2011

At the Grand Prix in September, Kenya's Limo smashed another record, becoming the first to break the 28 minute mark on finishing in 27:34, while his compatriot Priscah Cherono won the 5 km race contest in 15:32.

It was one of the most successful years in PIM history. The worldwide famous ex football player Pavel Nedvěd took part at Grand Prix 2011.

WINNERS:
**PHILEMON LIMO,
PRISCAH
NGETICH-CHERONO**

Kenyan Henry Kiplagat dominated in the center of Prague during the Grand Prix. The 10-kilometer race in the center of Prague was won by a 19-year-old Kenyan runner, who was second in the march Prague half-marathon. He crossed the finish line on Old Town Square in a time of 27:51, which was 17 seconds behind last year's record of his compatriot Philemon Lim.

WINNERS:
HENRY KIPLAGAT,
TADELECH BEKELE



2012

At the start of the 18th Grand Prix – 10 km run, welcomes an elite line-up of womens athletes for the first time. Thanks to this, PIM would like to see the race climb to the highest possible ranking – that of the Gold label. Womens Race remains only for the general public, without foreign elite athletes. That means every participant has a chance to win.

WINNERS:
DANIEL CHEBII,
JOSEPHINE CHEPKOECH



2013

2014

Kenya's Geoffrey Ronoh again dusted the field, dramatically outdueling compatriot Geoffrey Mutai down the stretch on Na Příkopě Street to triumph in a race-record time of 27:28. Mutai, of course, has been called the world's fastest marathoner after winning Boston marathon in the world best time.

**WINNERS:
GEOFFREY RONOH,
CORRETI JEPKOECH**



The Grand Prix 2015 race traditionally started with the main charity partner - the non-profit organization Světlo pro svět. As in other races of PIM series, at the Grand Prix runners could donate a part of the starting fee to restore sight to the blind people in Africa. Among the ambassadors of Světlo pro svět is the running legend, Ethiopian Haile Gebrselassie, who won this race in Prague in 2001.

Winners:
**DANIEL CHEBII,
PERES JEPCHIRCHIR**

2015



2016

Performances of world parameters in both men's and women's categories were offered by the 21st Grand Prix. The drama until the last meters was taken care of by Kenyan athletes. Viola Jephumba was fighting for the world record, which she missed by just three seconds. There were also great times in the men's category – five athletes ran under 28 minutes and Abraham Kipyatich, a member of the RunCzech Racing Team, ran through Prague the fastest night.

WINNERS:

**ABRAHAM KIPYATICH,
VIOLAH JEPCHUMBA**



The 22nd Grand Prix was broadcast live on ČT Sport and on ivysilani.cz. The race was awarded with the International Association of Athletics Federation IAAF Gold Quality for the fourth time in a row. Seven races of the RunCzech Running League have a total of seven gold quality marks, which moves the Czech Republic to the top of the global ranking of countries organizing long - distance races.

Joycile Jepkosgei broke the **world record in 10 km** among women with time **29:43**.

WINNERS:

**BENARD KIMELI,
JOYCILINE JEPKOSGEI**

2017

The last year's defending champion Benard Kimeli couldn't miss the start same as the fastest man in the 2018 ten-kilometer road, Rhonex Kipruto, who finished only 1 second behind the world record. Among the women, for example, Fancy Chemutai, the second fastest half marathoner of all time was at the start of Grand Prix 2018. Czech fans cheered for Eva Vrabcová Nývltová, the marathon bronze medalist from the Berlin European Championships, and Jiří Homoláč and Vít Pavlišta.

**WINNERS: RHONEX KIPRUTO,
CAROLINE KIPKIRUI**

2018



2019

Among the women - The Prague Grand Prix was won by Kenyan runner Sheila Chepkirui in the second fastest time of history of the 10 km 29:57 minutes. Two runners got below the thirty-minute mark for the first time in one race. The second Dorcas Kimeli had the same time as the winner. Among the men, in the fastest time of the year 27:02, the favored Kenyan Geoffrey Koech won.

**WINNERS: GEOFFREY KOECH,
DORCA KIMELI**

UPCOMING EVENTS

**MATTONI
ÚSTÍ NAD LABEM
HALF MARATHON
17. 9. 2022**



**MATTONI
LIBEREC
NATURE RUN
12 KM - 22 KM
15. 10. 2022**

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HALF MARATHON**
26. 2. 2023



PRAGUE RELAY
4 x 5 KM
28.— 29. 6. 2023



**PRAGUE
HALF
MARATHON**
1. 4. 2023



**BIRELL
10K RACE**
2. 9. 2023



**PRAGUE
INTERNATIONAL
MARATHON**
7. 5. 2023



**adidas WOMEN'S
RACE 5 KM**
2. 9. 2023



**MATTONI
KARLOVY VARY
HALF MARATHON**
20. 5. 2023



**MATTONI
ÚSTÍ NAD LABEM
HALF MARATHON**
16. 9. 2023



**MATTONI
ČESKÉ BUDĚJOVICE
HALF MARATHON**
3. 6. 2023



**MATTONI LIBEREC
NATURE RUN**
12 KM | 22 KM
30. 9. 2023



**MATTONI
OLOMOUC
HALF MARATHON**
17. 6. 2023



**SORRENTO POSITANO
PANORAMICA 27 KM
ULTRAMARATHON 54 KM**
3. 12. 2023