

AUTOPARTS



HALF-MARATHON & 10K

Registration and race day final details

Thank you for entering the 2019 Autoparts Stornoway Half Marathon or 10k. We are so pleased you have decided to join us and proud to say this year's event has a record number of entries! (300 for the Half Marathon and 120 for the 10K). So thank you for choosing to run in Stornoway!

Race registration – Friday night

This will be held in Martin's Memorial Church hall (entrance on Francis Street, opposite the Post Office) on Friday evening between 5pm and 9pm. You will collect your race number here for the Half Marathon or 10k and can buy a ticket for the Saturday evening ceilidh dance in Stornoway Golf Club. Ceilidh tickets are £5, with all proceeds going to our nominated charity Alzheimer Scotland - Western Isles.

For those arriving on the evening Ullapool to Stornoway ferry at 8pm, Martin's Memorial Church Hall is very close to the ferry terminal. Approximately a 300 metre walk, see the map below.

The race routes

The Half and 10k routes can be viewed on the SRAC website, please familiarise yourself with them - <https://srac.org.uk/half>. If you have a spare 1 hour and 13 minutes you can actually watch the full Half route here! <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=vPD6sDb14zQ>

There will be plenty of Marshals to direct you on the route so you won't get lost!

MINOR ROUTE CHANGE: due to the ongoing improvement works in the Lews Castle Grounds we have been forced to make a very small change to both routes. Porters Lodge, the archway that you pass through with half a mile to go in both races, is now closed for restoration work. As a result both routes will now be diverted out the main road entrance to the Castle Grounds before heading down Bayhead Street to the finish. This adds 0.1 miles to the routes so the start of both races will be adjusted to compensate for this.

Race day - Saturday

- Half Marathon race starts at 10am
- 10k race starts at 10:50am

(Please arrive at the start line at least 15 minutes before this for the race briefing)

It is advisable to come ready to run as there are no changing facilities close to the start line, there will be a luggage van at the start/finish area of the Half Marathon. If you wish to use this, please write your race number on the luggage tag provided at registration. Those requiring changing facilities can use the Lewis Sports Centre which is a 10 minute walk from the start line. There is no charge for event runners using the facilities there. If you do wish to use these, you must give your name and race number to the Sports Centre reception staff.

As shown on the location map below, the Half Marathon starts near the marina on the harbour. The 10k starts near the Bridge Centre on Bayhead Street.

Toilets

The public toilets in Perceval Square right next to the start/finish of the Half Marathon will be open for runners to use on race day.

At the finish line

There will be water and bananas available for all runners. Goody Bags are available for Half Marathon runners ONLY. The goody bags can be collected just beyond the race finish line - your medal will be in the bag. 10k runners will be given their medal at the finish line.

Shower facilities after the race are available at the Lewis Sports Centre which is a 10 minute walk from the finish line. There is no charge for event runners using the showers there. If you do wish to use these, you must give your name and race number to the Sports Centre reception staff.

Prize-giving and post-race buffet

Will start at approximately 1.00pm in the Free Church Hall (MA Hall) on Kenneth Street. There will be a buffet of soup, sandwiches, cakes, tea and coffee available to all Half and 10k runners there. The buffet is free of charge. See the website for prize categories <https://srac.org.uk/half>.

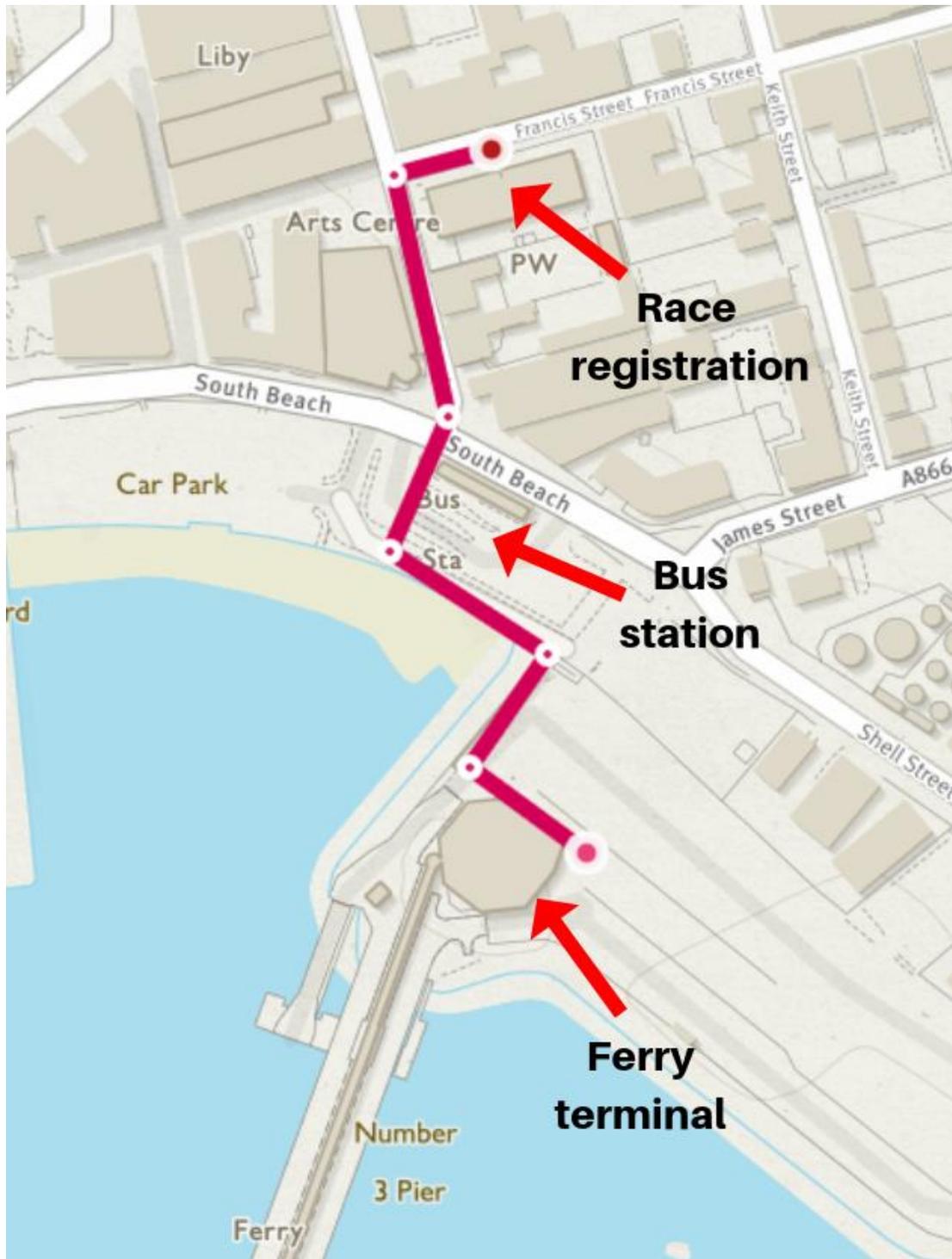
The post-race evening ceilidh

It just wouldn't be a Hebridean half marathon without a ceilidh! This will be held in the main lounge of the Stornoway Golf Club, a short 10 minute walk from the town centre, starting at 8pm until late. Tickets costs £5 and can be bought at race registration or on the door. All ticket proceeds are going to our nominated charity Alzheimer Scotland - Western Isles. There is a licenced bar in the Golf Club.

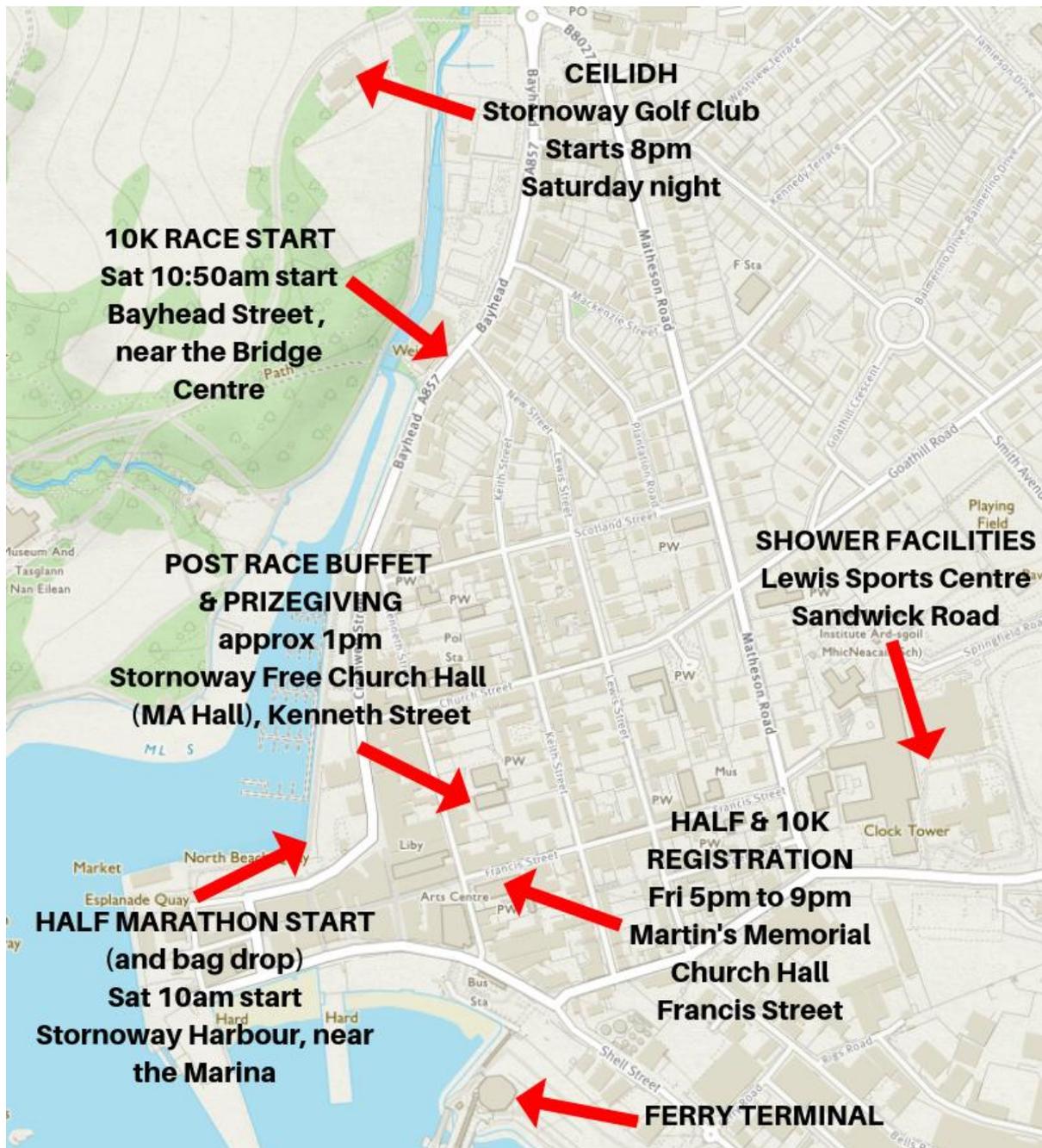
We look forward to seeing you soon in Stornoway, we hope that you will have a great run, enjoy the route, the buffet, prize giving and ceilidh!

Best of luck and moran taing!

Directions from the ferry terminal to race registration



Key event locations





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