

Finish Line Water, Nature's Fury & Ice Team 101

Logistics

- On race day, enter Memorial Stadium on the Southwest corner at Gate 24, where you will check in for your volunteer job.
- If you are a Christie Clinic employee or friend/family of a Christie Clinic employee, wear your Team Christie Volunteer t-shirt.
- If you are not a Christie Clinic employee or friend/family member, you will receive your official marathon volunteer t-shirt and drawstring backpack upon check in at Gate 24 at Memorial Stadium on race day. Please change into your volunteer shirt.
- Proceed to the field and check in with Greg Maxwell (217-714-5456)

The Finish Line Water, Nature Fury & Ice Team will be responsible for handing out bottled water and Nature's Fury to finishers and keeping the water and Nature's Fury troughs stocked and iced. Additionally, you will help keep the stadium floor free of empty bottles (there is a recycling bin by each of the UP stairs runners take to get to the food at the Great West Hall.)

The volunteers will be divided into three teams: Water, Nature's Fury, & Ice Teams

Friday 5K Water Team

TEN large troughs will be located on the south side of the Stadium, filled with bottled water. Your job is to hand out bottles of water to the race finishers and to keep restocking the troughs with more bottles of water. Volunteers should grab several bottles of water, give them to finishers, and then REPEAT. Unless the weather is hot on Friday night, we will NOT ice the 5K water bottles. **No Nature's Fury is handed out on Friday night.**

Saturday Water & Ice Teams

TEN large troughs will be located on the south side of the Stadium, filled with bottled water and ice. Your job is to hand out bottles of water to the race finishers and to keep restocking the troughs with more bottles of water and more ice, as needed. Volunteers should grab several bottles of water, give them to finishers, and then REPEAT.

Saturday Nature's Fury & Ice Teams

All Saturday finishers on Saturday may receive Nature's Fury.

We will have 5 troughs of Nature's along the west side of the Stadium, one by each of the UP set of stairs leading to the Great West Hall. The Nature's & Ice Team's job is to keep these troughs filled with Nature's Fury and ice.

Reminders:

- **Troughs do not need to be FILLED WITH ICE. Depending on the temperature outside, use 1 to 2 bags of ice per trough. The bottles of water need to be cool not ice cold. Same for the Nature's Fury on Saturday.**
- Wear appropriate shoes & clothes for the weather. Wear sunscreen & a hat if it is a sunny day!
- Take a break when you need it.
- Runners climb 25 stairs to reach the Great West Hall. Some will complain about it. Remind them there is GREAT food waiting for them when they get there!