

# 7th International Carinthia Marathon

Marathon Carinzia Koroška

The running festival in the heart of Carinthia

Sunday, September 29, 2024

Feldkirchen on April 18, 2024

## The most beautiful marathon in Austria is in Carinthia

The "International Carinthia Marathon" in and around Feldkirchen has now been named the most beautiful marathon in Austria by Austria's largest online running platform "HDsports".

The most beautiful marathons in Austria were selected after extensive and intensive research and in collaboration with many runners. In the end, seven of them made it into the final selection, including the "International Carinthia Marathon" in and around Feldkirchen!

## Strange but true

This means that the "International Carinthia Marathon" joins the ranks of greats such as the Salzkammergut Marathon, Montafon Arlberg Marathon, Gletscher Trailrun, Kaisermarathon, Gletschermarathon and Salzkammergut Marathon. "It's a feeling like when the local football club Feldkirchen beats the champions Red Bull Salzburg!" says marathon initiator Helmut Paul, beaming from ear to ear. The man from Wahlfeldkirchen is considered the "inventor" of the Wachau Marathon, which at its best inspired over 12,000 runners. Seven years ago he launched the international Carinthia Marathon in and around Feldkirchen.

### Landscape, friendliness & southern flair

Organizer Helmut Paul knows why his "International Carinthia Marathon" is one of the most beautiful in Austria: "The landscape, route, the southern flair as well as the friendly manner, professionalism and friendliness of everyone involved make our marathon an unforgettable experience." This is how one explains Part of the marathon route through the idyllic natural jewel and Natura 2000 area "Bleistätter Moor" with a view of the tranquil Ossiacher See. The starting and finishing point is the historic Tiebelstadt Feldkirchen. "The varied route never gets boring and allows personal best times at just 200 meters in altitude, up and down," explains Paul and adds: "And our starter package is also impressive. It's full to the brim and really contains a lot of goodies, usually more than others."

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The "International Carinthia Marathon" offers the opportunity to choose between different distances: marathon, half marathon, quarter marathon, city run, children's and youth runs and finally the ultra distance over 50 kilometers with the Super Marathon. Several distances (5km / 10.5km / 21.1km) are offered as walking routes. For the city run and the quarter marathon, a first and second classification is also offered and for the quarter marathon there is also the opportunity to start as a team of three. By the way: The largest group that registers for the competition (common club or team name required) will be rewarded with a special surprise.

## Information & registration (limited number of participants)

https://internationaler-kaernten-marathon.at/en

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