

United States Naval Academy Marathon Team

Date: Saturday, 25 March and Sunday, 26 March 2017, 0730

Event: Volunteering for, and participating in, the B&A Trail Marathon and Half Marathon

Distance: 26.2 miles / 13.1 miles

Location: Severna Park, MD

Weather: Cloudy, moderate temperature (about 50F)

Participants: 21 Runners, 5 Volunteers, 1 Officer Representative



The team poses for a picture before the race.

Each year the Navy Marathon team travels to Severna Park, MD to compete in the B&A Trail Marathon and Half Marathon. The race takes place on a paved, flat segment of the B&A Trail which runs between Annapolis and Baltimore. The B&A Marathon is a race in which competitive members of the Marathon Team try to qualify for Boston, this year was no exception: Luke Redito, Jack Huntress, Charles Oestreich, and Victor Kim, all completed their first marathon as well as qualifying for Boston. The Midshipmen pushed one another, and had many strong finishes and awards within their age groups:



All of the above midshipman placed in their respective age groups.

United States Naval Academy Marathon Team

This race was the first marathon of the 2017 spring semester for most team members. It occurred on the same day of the West Point Half Marathon. Half of the team went to West Point and half of the team participated in the B&A. The runners worked hard to prepare for the event, doing long-distance workouts on the weekends and hard speed-training during the week. There were also many team members who participated as volunteers at the event; 9 members assisted in setting up and running the Race Expo on Saturday, March 25th as well as directing racers along the course and helping at two water stations during the race.



Team members assist in setting up the Race Expo on 25 March

The help of the Marathon Team was especially appreciated:



The after presenting two signed Navy Marathon Posters, the team took a picture with the race directors.

United States Naval Academy Marathon Team

Results (Men), * indicates Boston qualifying time

Name:	Full or Half Marathon	Finish Time	Overall Place	Place Within Age Group	Awards
Jack Huntress	Full	02:54:09 *	3	1/16	1 st in 20-24 age group
Charles Oestreich	Full	02:54:26 *	4	2/16	2 nd in 20-24 age group
Luke Redito	Full	02:56:14 *	5	3/16	3 rd in 20-24 age group
Victor Kim	Full	03:02:51 *	9	1/6	1 st in 15-19 age group
Xavier Haley	Full	03:10:44	22	2/6	2 nd in 15-19 age group
Brendan Fish	Full	03:22:55	37	3/6	3 rd in 15-19 age group
Dakota Allen	Full	03:26:03	43	7/16	-
Andrew Thomas Hudspeth	Full	03:27:17	44	4/6	-
Raymond Sutschek	Full	03:31:35	48	5/6	-
Luke Sullivan	Full	03:33:42	50	8/16	-
Sam Sipelle	Full	03:33:54	53	9/16	-
Jamel Brown	Full	03:41:52	72	10/16	-
George Peng	Full	04:00:38	113	12/16	-
Gabriel Larios	Half	01:32:06	26	3/31	-
Jordan Harris	Half	01:32:37	31	4/31	-

United States Naval Academy Marathon Team

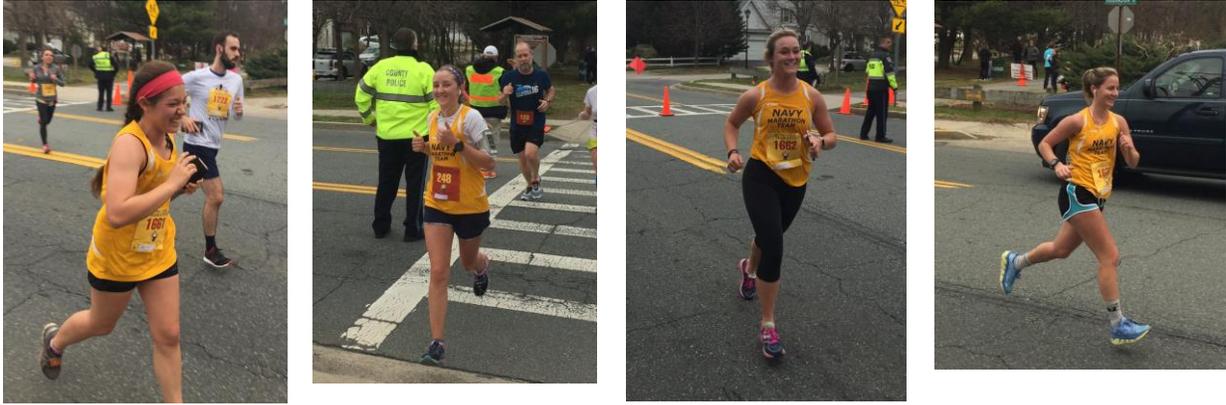


Members of the Men's team before and during the race.

Results (Women), * indicates Boston qualifying time

Name:	Full or Half Marathon	Finish Time	Overall Place	Place Within Age Group	Awards
Anmol Walha	Full	03:45:27	79	2/2	2 nd in 15-19 age group
Meghan McDonough	Full	04:21:14	142	8/11	-
Julia MacDonald	Half	01:43:21	94	6/51	-
Katherine Gooding	Half	01:46:09	121	7/51	-
Mina Kim	Half	01:52:27	198	18/51	-
Theresa Erbach	Half	02:01:21	305	32/51	-

United States Naval Academy Marathon Team



Members of the Navy Women's team running in the race.

Results (Officer Representative)

Name:	Full or Half Marathon	Finish Time	Overall Place	Place within age group	Awards
Casey Rayburg	Full	03:03:29	10	4/33	3 rd in 35-39 age group

Prepared by MIDN 3/C Raymond Gerrety