



Club ballot for London Marathon places

Bellahouston Harriers, by virtue of being a British athletics club, are able to apply for a number of London Marathon (LM) places, the exact number each year being decided by LM criteria, and the current level of our club membership.

Our club runs a ballot to give out these places to members. In order to be eligible for the ballot, a member who wishes to be considered for a club place & have their name entered into the ballot should meet all of the following criteria:

1. The ballot is open to all 1st claim 'senior' members who are registered as competing athletes (Scottish Athletics registered) and have been fully paid up Bellahouston Harriers member since the date of the previous London Marathon, and still paid-up club members when the draw is made. Confirmed by Membership Secretary.
2. Be an active participant in our club, having completed a minimum of two Club Championship races & volunteered at least once at a Harriers event i.e. Brian Goodwin, a time trail, held a committee, coaching assistant or other recognised role, between the date of the previous London Marathon & the current London Marathon club ballot.
3. Are not eligible for a Championship or 'Good For Age' entry, which can be guaranteed directly with the London Marathon organisers.
4. Must have applied for that year's official London Marathon ballot entry through the normal channels and a rejection letter/email passed to our club's draw organiser at least 24-hours before the club ballot taking place. (Date & time will be published on club website)
5. Successful ballot applicants are EXCLUDED from entering our London Marathon club place ballot the following year.
6. Successful applicants will be responsible for submitting their entry direct to London Marathon (via their online entry system) by the closing date stated on the entry page, along with paying the relevant entry fee – full details which will be provided to successful ballot participants.
7. Bellahouston Harriers vest to be worn during the race.

The committee will agree the club's ballot date and inform members by usual methods of communication, but reserve the right to make changes to criteria and date of ballot at their discretion.