

2011 Flying Pig Full and Half Marathon Parking Guide

Sunday, May 1

Please give yourself ample time to travel downtown and find parking. Traffic is heavy on race morning. We strongly encourage arriving early and carpooling. As part of our greening efforts, we have coordinated a ridesharing program through PickupPal. Please see the www.flyingpigmarathon.com homepage for more details.

Streets south of 4th Street in downtown Cincinnati will close at 6:00 a.m. Be early if you plan on parking near the start. The Marathon, Half Marathon and Marathon Relays start at 6:30 a.m. Relay participants running the 2nd, 3rd or 4th leg are advised to consult the [Relay Parking and Bus Departure map](#) on our website and see the directions below about parking at the lots on Eggleston Ave.

Mehring Way will be closed between W. Pete Rose Way and Elm Street on Sunday, May 1 from 2-9 a.m. Mehring Way between Elm Street and Joe Nuxhall Way will close at 6:00 a.m.

Directions to Lots A, B, C and 1 (north and northeast of Paul Brown Stadium)

Entry will be available from 4-5:30 a.m. Each lot will cost \$5. Please have cash or credit card ready.

- From the South: I-75 N to the 5th St. exit in Cincinnati. Right on Central. Lots A and 1 can be accessed from Central. Turn left on W. Pete Rose Way to access Lots B&C.
- From the North: I-75 S to the Freeman Ave. exit in Cincinnati. Continue straight off the exit. Veer left on to W. Pete Rose Way. Lots B, C and 1 can be accessed from W. Pete Rose Way.
- From the North: I-71 S to 3rd St. exit (left side exit). Continue on 3rd St. off the exit. Left on Central. Lots A and 1 can be accessed from Central. Turn left on W. Pete Rose Way to access Lots B&C.

Longworth Hall, located at 700 W. Pete Rose Way, has generously donated their lot for FREE parking!

Directions to Lot D and F (east of Paul Brown Stadium)

Entry will be available from 4-5:30 a.m. Each lot will cost \$5. Please have cash or credit card ready.

- From the South: I-75 N to the 5th Street exit in Cincinnati. Right on Walnut St. Left on 2nd St. Right on Joe Nuxhall Way. Right on to Mehring Way. Lots D&F can be accessed from Mehring.
- From the North: I-75 S to the 7th Street exit in Cincinnati. Right on Walnut St. Left on 2nd St. Right on Joe Nuxhall Way. Right on to Mehring Way. Lots D&F can be accessed from Mehring.
- From the North: I-71 S to the 3rd Street exit in Cincinnati. Left on Walnut St. Left on 2nd St. Right on Joe Nuxhall Way. Right on to Mehring Way. Lots D&F can be accessed from Mehring.
- From the East: From Riverside Drive, turn right on Broadway. Turn left on 3rd St. Left on Walnut St. Left on 2nd St. Right on Joe Nuxhall Way. Right on to Mehring Way.

Directions to the parking lots on Eggleston Avenue (approx. 1.25 miles from the start line)

Recommended for relay runners taking the bus to their zone. General parking also admitted.

- From the South: I-75 N to the 5th Street exit in Cincinnati. Left on Sentinel. Right on Eggleston.
- From the North: I-75 S to the 7th Street exit in Cincinnati. Continue in the far right lane on 7th St. down to Culvert St. Left on Sentinel. Right on Eggleston.
- From the North: I-71 S to 3rd St. exit, turn right off the exit onto Broadway. Right on 5th St. Left on Sentinel. Right on Eggleston.
- From the East: Take Columbia Parkway to the 6th Street exit. Right on Broadway. Right on 7th St. Continue in the far right lane on 7th St. down to Culvert St. Left on Sentinel. Right on Eggleston.

Directions for downtown Cincinnati parking garages on 3rd Street (For arrivals before 5:30 a.m.):
Queen City Garage located on 3rd St. between Sycamore & Broadway and the Heritage Garage
located at 321 Race St. will open at 4 a.m. and charge \$5.

- From the North or West: I-75 S to 5th Street or 7th Street exits, right on Broadway and right on 3rd Street.
- From the North: I-71 to 3rd Street exit. Go straight onto 3rd Street.
- From the East via Columbia Parkway: Take the 6th Street exit, left on Sycamore and right on 3rd Street.
- From the South: Take I-75 N to 5th Street or 7th Street exits, right on Broadway and right on 3rd Street.
- From the South or East: Take I-471 to 50 West, take 3rd St exit.

Directions for downtown Cincinnati street parking—all NORTH of 4th Street (For arrivals at any time):

- From the North: I-75 S to 5th Street or 7th Street exits.
- From the North: I-71 S to 3rd Street. Turn right off the exit on to Broadway. OR I-71 S to the Reading Rd. exit. Continue on Reading off the exit. Veer left on to Central Parkway. Most parking will be to the south of Central Parkway.
- From the East via Columbia Parkway (US 50): Take the 6th Street exit.
- From the South: Take I-75 N to 5th Street.
- From the South or East: Take I-471 to the 6th Street exit.

*****The Central Riverfront Garage, below Great American Ball Park and The Banks, and the East Garage, located just east of the Taylor Southgate Bridge on E. Pete Rose Way, WILL NOT be available to participants or spectators.*****