



Marine Corps Marathon 2026 Race-Day Timeline

Starts, course cutoffs and closures, Sunday, Oct. 25, 2026

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| 1 | 2:30 a.m.
Metrobus detours begin | ☐ |
| 2 | 3:00 a.m.
Most Arlington closures begin | ☐ |
| 3 | 7:05 a.m.
Wheels start | ☐ |
| 4 | 7:07 a.m.
Duos start | ☐ |
| 5 | 7:20 a.m.
All runners start | ☐ |
| 6 | 12:33 p.m.
DC Gauntlet cutoff | ☐ |
| 7 | 1:15 p.m.
Beat the Bridge (Mile 20, 14th and D Streets) | ☐ |
| 8 | 1:49 p.m.
Crystal City Gauntlet cutoff | ☐ |
| 9 | 5:00 p.m.
Southbound Route 110 reopens (approx.) | ☐ |
| 10 | 6:00 p.m.
Most Arlington closures end (approx.) | ☐ |
| 11 | 7:00 p.m.
Metrobus detours end | ☐ |

My notes

Sources: Marine Corps Marathon (marinemarathon.com); Arlington County; Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Authority (WMATA). Times are Eastern Daylight Time (EDT); reopening times are approximate.