



Event Information

Hatfield 5

Sunday 26th November





Dear Competitor,

Thank you for entering the Hatfield 5.

ATW advises you read this information document carefully in advance of Sunday, November 26th (event day), so that you can enjoy the event to its fullest.

Summary Event Info

Address:

Forum Building, College Lane Campus, Hatfield, AL10 9AB

Registration:

Registration will be open from 08.30am to 09:45am. This will take place outside the forum building.

Start Times:

Race starts at 10:00am for **ALL** competitors.

We ask that after registering runners warm up and prepare for their race. There are green areas by the start and finish area and quiet roads on the campus you can use.

You must not give your race number to any other person if you can't attend for any reason.



Venue:

Forum Building, College Lane Campus, Hatfield, AL10 9AB

Parking:

Ample Parking is available at the venue, please see diagram on next page for additional info.

Please [click here](#) to see the location on Google Maps.

Parking in the UH Multi-Storey Car Park is completely free.

Please enter on Broad Way via the green arrow depicted on the image below and follow the signage and marshals instructions. You won't be able to enter the car park from College Lane. This is depicted by the 'No Entry' symbols.

Changing and Toilets:

There will be no changing facilities on site, but toilets will be available in the forum building and portable toilets outside.

Baggage

A baggage area will be provided next to registration, in the forum building.

Headphones

Bone conduction headphones are allowed to be worn (no in-ear, or full ear coverings), but we recommend the volume is kept low. There are several road crossings on the course and it is important that you can hear the instructions of marshals, other runners and any other road users.



Public Transport:

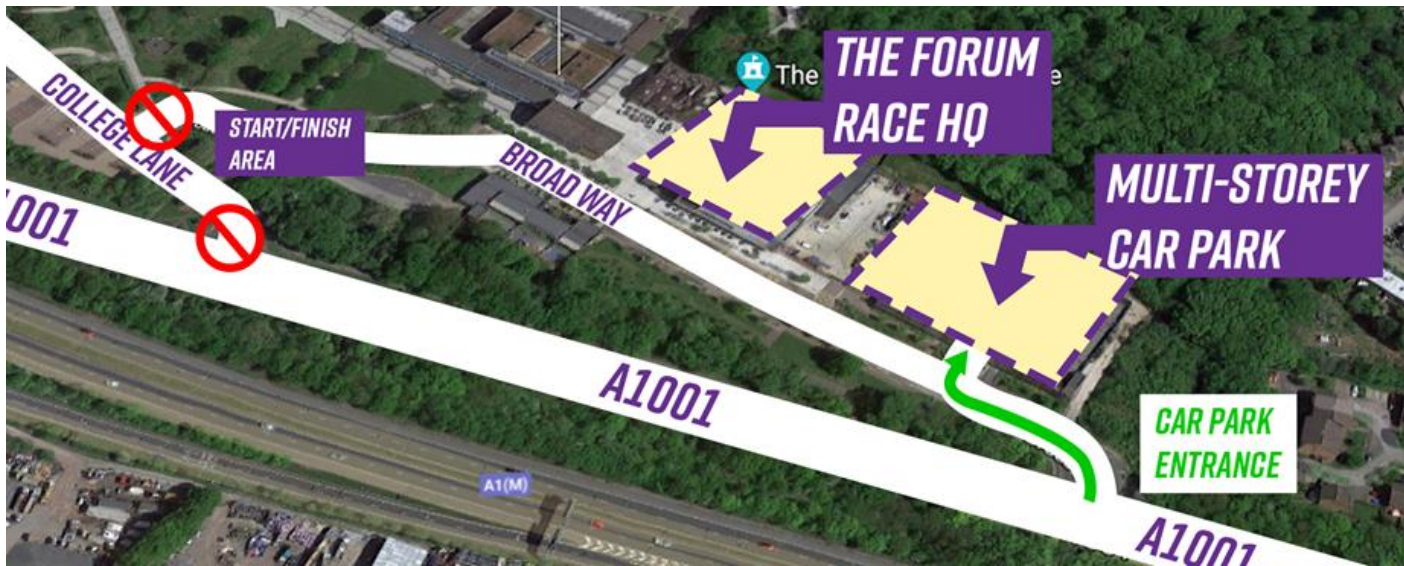
Train Stations:

Hatfield Station, Hatfield,
AL9 5AB – 2 Miles from Race
HQ

Welham Green Station,
Hatfield AL9 7JA – 2.4 Miles
from race HQ

Bus Services:

Several buses, including an
inter-campus shuttle can
get you directly to Race HQ.
To find out more, visit
the Uno Bus website.



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Registration

Registration will be open from 08.30am to 09:45am

At registration you will be required to give the name you used to sign up to the event online. In exchange, you will be given:

- 1) Your race number
- 2) Timing chip (attached to your race number)
- 3) 4 Safety pins
- 4) Baggage label

Pens will be provided to fill in the medical details on the reverse of the race number.

DO NOT REMOVE THE FOAM STRIP FROM THE NUMBER

Photography

We will have an official photographer at the event. The pictures of all the races will be made available for you to download via our photo page. If you wish for any of the published photos to be removed, just let us know.

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Spectators

Spectators are encouraged to attend our events to give that extra support to friends and family taking part.

Marshals

Did you know marshals at our events get money and free race entries. If you know people who may wish to be involved with ATW events then ask them to email racemakers@activetrainingworld.co.uk

Baggage area

There will be a manned baggage area at the race HQ, inside the Forum building for you to leave any essential items that cannot be left in your car. Attach the baggage label on your race number to your bag before approaching the baggage drop.

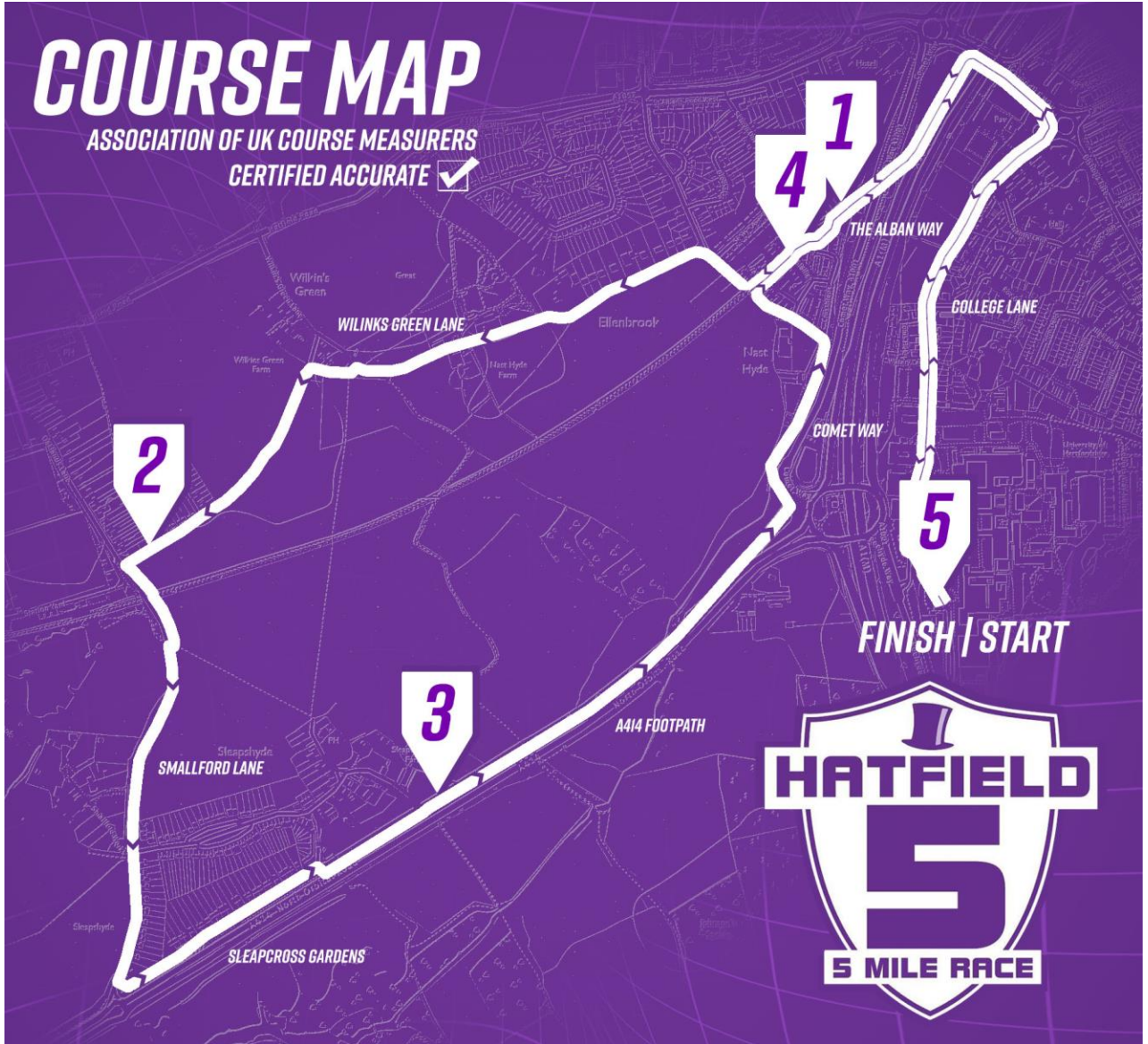
Competitors are advised not to leave any valuables as Active Training World will not be held responsible for any lost property.



The Course



The course is one lap of 5 miles. The route's popularity is down to its reputation for fast times. It is incredibly flat and primarily free of pedestrians and traffic. The course is accurately measured by the Association of UK Course Measurers. If your GPS watch doesn't read exactly 5 miles, you might be interested in reading [this article](#) from their website.



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Do you have an ICE (In Case of Emergency) Band? Ideal for both training and racing, the chip embedded in this lightweight, waterproof band can be easily scanned, ensuring you receive prompt and appropriate treatment in the unfortunate event of being involved in an incident. Follow this link to purchase one for yourself (or a loved one).

[ICE Bands \(atwevents.co.uk\)](https://atwevents.co.uk)



Results

Results are calculated by Active Training World's timing partner, Event Chip Timing. Your time will be uploaded to their website within seconds of you crossing the finish line. There will be no ticket printer for times at the event but you can find your result immediately at:

<http://results.eventchiptiming.com/>

The chip data requires WIFI access and occasionally we have to load this data in manually after the event if the connection is lost. If you have a query on your chip time, please wait until the evening of the event before raising the query.

Please note that if you are using GPS to measure your run distance the units are NOT accurate and consistent enough to measure a course for certification. The course has been officially measured and holds a certificate of course accuracy. Please read the guidance below.

<http://coursemeasurement.org.uk/gps.htm>

In addition, the time you record on your smart phone is not a reliable guide and will not be your correct chip timed result. Please wait until the official results are published to find out your accurate finish time. Following the event, the results will be published on the RunBritain website.

The "Power of 10" rankings will be updated by RunBritain, usually in around 7 days

Timing

The event will be chip-timed. Your registration pack will include your race number that must be worn on your front. Safety pins will be available at registration if required. Your number will have a unique timing chip attached on the rear, covered by a foam pad. DO NOT REMOVE THE FOAM PAD.

Your race timing will not start until you cross the start line, marked by the ATW inflatable arch.

Prizegiving

There will be a prizegiving for the top3 Male and Female finishers based on their position at the finish (not their chip time)

County Champs

The presentation for the Herts Senior County Champs will take place after the main prizegiving.

Times from the gun (not chip time) will be used for these presentations.

Final word

We hope you are excited to be a part of this occasion. Have fun, race well, and smash that PB!