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Dear Athletes,

Thank you for participating in the 2024 Wenatchee Marathon, Half Marathon, 10k and 5k. We had 750 registrants across the four races and witnessed countless inspiring performances in this, our 20th edition of the event.

We were fortunate to see two course records fall in women's events and an addition to the men's marathon all time leaderboard. Congratulations to:

- Women's Half Marathon: Katie Huibregtse, 1:19:58 new course record
- Women's 10K: Audra McPartland, 36:10 new course record
- Men's Marathon: Kurt Warwick, 2:38:48 third best all time

Whatever your race distance and finishing time, toeing the starting line and putting forth your best effort takes courage and we congratulate you!

Thank you also to our community partners and the many volunteers who made this race possible. We are proud to share that through your participation, we are able to financially support many local non-profits and youth programs, as well as continuing to fund <u>cancer research</u>.

If you enjoyed your experience and would like to share it with other runners, please consider completing an online participant review. Here are a few options we recommend:

- For Marathon: <u>Marathonguide.com</u>
- For any category: <u>Raceraves.com</u>

Registration for next year (April 19, 2025) is now open! Please register <u>HERE</u> and receive an "early bird" discount through June.

In the meantime, we would like to invite you to the <u>Leavenworth Mai BlumenLauf</u>, a new event we are hosting on May 12th, Mother's Day, in collaboration with the Leavenworth Chamber of Commerce. This is a fun community run/walk offering a 5k, 10k and Half Marathon on a circuit course starting and ending in downtown Leavenworth and utilizing the beautiful riverfront trails. This is a perfect Mother's Day plan as we welcome spring to the Upper Valley.

Happy running and see you all again soon!

Cheers, Lynda, Wendy, Colin & Ian TedDriven



