

November 2019



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
					1	2
3	4	<p><i>Your target race is in May 2020. No need to train with too much intensity this month. Aim to run 3 times per week. That means two mid-week runs and one long-ish run on the weekends. This is just a guide, you can certainly take more time off than this suggests.</i></p> <p><i>Vicki will be providing long run and Thursday routes to those interested. If that includes you, be sure that you're on her email list by contacting her directly:</i></p> <p><u>Vbrown2350@gmail.com</u></p> <p><i>I will see you December 12th at 7 pm at Hiker's Haven!</i></p>				
10	11					
17	18					
24	25					
<p>For most of you, November is a general fitness month. If you are racing in Tokyo or Los Angeles in March 2020 – get your butt running! Be smart, build up your fitness and run frequency this month. Be smart.</p>						



December 2019

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1 8-10K Long Run	2	3	4	5	6	7
8 10K Long Run	9	10	11	12 <u>WOO HOO!</u> Opening Night 8K Run!	13	14 <u>EASY</u> 30 Minute Easy Run
15 12K Long Run	16	17 <u>STEADY</u> 8K Steady Run	18	19 <u>SOCIAL</u> 8K Social Run	20	21 <u>EASY</u> 35 Minute Easy Run
22 10K Long Run	23	24 <u>AM RUN</u> 8K Run	25 REST DAY!	26 <u>SOCIAL</u> 8K Social Run	27	28 <u>EASY</u> 40 Minute Easy Run
29 12K Long Run	30	31 <u>1-2 PUNCH x5</u> 1min HD 2 min EZ 2 min HD 1 min EZ				

"I'll be happy if Running and I can grow old together" – Haruki Murakami
 "Pain is inevitable. Suffering is OPTIONAL" – Haruki Murakami
 "All I do is keep on running in my own cozy, homemade void, my own nostalgic silence. And this is a pretty wonderful thing. No matter what anybody else says" – Haruki Murakami



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January 2020




SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
			1 Rest Day	2 <u>HILLS</u> 6 Hill Repeats	3 <u>FLUSH OUT</u> 6K Flush-out Run	4
5 14K Long Run	6	7 <u>SPEED-DURE</u> 3K + 4 X 2 Minutes Hard 4 Min EZ	8	9 <u>PYLONS</u> 3 sets	10	11 <u>EASY</u> 40 Minute Easy Run
12 14K Long Run	13	14 <u>HIIT (1:3)</u> 3K + 8 x 45 sec Hard, 2:15 EZ	15 <u>FLOAT</u> Watch-Free EASY 5K	16 <u>HILLS</u> 9 Hills – GO!	17	18 <u>TEMPO</u> 6K Tempo Run
19 16K SPECIAL RUN	20	21 <u>STRONG-DURE</u> 3K + 3 X 4 Minutes Hard 2 Min EZ	22	23 <u>PYLONS +</u> 3 sets	24 <u>FLUSH OUT</u> 8K Flush-out Run	25
26 14K Long Run	27	28 <u>1-2 PUNCH x5</u> 1min HD 2 min EZ 2 min HD 1 min EZ	29 <u>FLOAT</u> Watch-Free EASY 5K	30 <u>BUILD</u> 9K Build by 3K EZ – Med - Strong	31	

“People think I’m crazy to put myself through such torture, though I would argue otherwise. Somewhere along the line, we seem to have confused comfort with happiness. Dostoyevsky had it right: ‘Suffering is the sole origin of consciousness.’ Never are my senses more engaged than when the pain sets in. There is magic in misery. Just ask any runner.” – Dean Karnazes



February 2020



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
						1 <u>TEMPO</u> 6K Tempo Run
2 16K Long Run	3	4 <u>SPEED-DURE</u> 3K + 4 X 2 Minutes Hard 4 Min EZ	5 <u>FLOAT</u> <i>Watch-Free</i> EASY 6K	6 <u>PYLONS</u> 3 sets + after each 10 Jump Squats 30 sec ankle hops 30 sec skip far	7	8
9 18K Long Run	10	11 <u>HIIT (1:3)</u> 3K + 10 x 45 sec Hard, 2:15 EZ	12	13 <u>BUILD</u> 9K Build by 3K EZ – Med - Strong	14	15 <u>TEMPO</u> 8K Tempo Run
16 16K SPECIAL RUN	17 Family Day!	18 <u>STEADY</u> 8K Steady Run	19 <u>MED-LONG</u> 12K Run	20 <u>PYLONS</u> 3 sets + after each 10 Jump Squats 30 sec ankle hops 30 sec skip far	21	22 <u>BUILD</u> 9K Build by 3K EZ – Med - Strong
23 18K Long Run	24	25 <u>1-2 PUNCH x6</u> 1min HD 2 min EZ 2 min HD 1 min EZ	26	27 <u>The REID</u> 3K + 30 Min Rolling Hills + 2K cool down	28 <u>TEMPO</u> 6K Tempo Run	29 

“There is nothing so momentary as a sporting achievement, and nothing so lasting as the memory of it.” – Greg Dening
 “Running is real and relatively simple...but it ain’t easy.” – Mark Will-Weber

March 2020




SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1 18K Long Run	2	3 <u>SPEED-DURE</u> 3K + 4 X 2 Minutes Hard 4 Min EZ	4 <u>FLOAT</u> <i>Watch-Free</i> EASY 6K	5 <u>TEMPO</u> 8K Tempo Run	6	7
8 20K Long Run	9	10 <u>HIIT (1:3)</u> 3K + 10 x 45 sec Hard, 2:15 EZ	11	12 <u>PYLONS</u> 3 sets + after each 10 Jump Squats 30 sec ankle hops 30 sec skip far	13	14 <u>TEMPO</u> 8K Tempo Run
15 16K SPECIAL RUN	16	17 <u>STRONG-DURE</u> 3K + 4 X 4 Minutes Hard 2 Min EZ	18 <u>MED-LONG</u> 12K Run	19 <u>The REID</u> 3K + 30 Min Rolling Hills + 2K cool down	20 <u>FLUSH OUT</u> 6K Flush-out Run	21
22 18K Long Run	23	24 <u>1-2 PUNCH x6</u> 1min HD 2 min EZ 2 min HD 1 min EZ	25	26 <u>BUILD</u> 9K Build by 3K EZ – Med - Strong	27 <u>EASY</u> 6K Easy Run	28
29 22K Long Run	30	31 <u>FLUSH OUT</u> 8K Flush Out the legs Run				



The KEY workout to get faster for endurance runners has always been the TEMPO run. It is often misunderstood, it is fluid in its pace, and it is ALWAYS uncomfortable. Speak to me about making the most of your last 2-3 months of training to get ready for your Spring Marathon/ Half Marathon. We will make changes to some of your runs for this.

April 2020



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
			1	2 <u>The KRISTA</u> 8K Run, at RP NO WATCH . All by feel	3	4 <u>TEMPO</u> 8K Tempo Run
5 14K Long Run	6	7 <u>SPEED-DURE</u> 3K + 5 X 2 Minutes Hard 4 Min EZ	8	9 <u>10K BUILD</u> 4K EZ - 3K RP - 3K Strong	10	11 <u>EASY</u> 40 Minute Easy Run
12 Happy Easter! 22K Long Run	13	14 <u>HIIT (1:3)</u> 3K + 10 x 45 sec Hard, 2:15 EZ	15	16 <u>FARTLEKS</u> Team Fartleks 8K of Intervals	17 <u>TEMPO</u> 8K Tempo Run	18
19 16K SPECIAL RUN	20	21 <u>Track Attack</u> 3K +10x <i>In & Outs</i> +2K Straight HD curve EZ	22 <u>RACE PACE</u> 8K Run with middle 4K @RP	23 <u>The REID</u> 3K + 30 Min Rolling Hills + 2K cool down	24	25 <u>EASY</u> 7K Easy Run
26 20K Long Run 5K @RacePace	27	28 <u>STRONG-DURE</u> 3K + 3 X 5 Minutes Hard 2 Min EZ	29 <u>MED-LONG</u> 12K Run	30 <u>The KRISTA</u> 8K Run, at RP NO WATCH . All by feel		
<p>“My grandmother started walking 5 miles a day when she was sixty. She’s ninety-seven now, and we don’t know where the heck she is.” – Ellen DeGeneres</p>						

May 2020



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
					1	2
3 20K Long Run	4	5 <u>HIIT (1:3)</u> 3K + 10 x 45 sec Hard, 2:15 EZ	6	7 <u>10K BUILD</u> 4K EZ - 3K RP - 3K Strong	8	9 <u>STEADY</u> 8K Steady Run
10 16K SPECIAL RUN	11	12 <u>Track Attack</u> 3K +10x <i>In & Outs</i> +2K Straight HD curve EZ	13 <u>MED-LONG</u> 12K Run	14 <u>FARTLEKS</u> Team Fartleks 8K of Intervals	15	16
17 24K Long Run 6K @RacePace	18 Victoria Day!	19 <u>TEMPO</u> 10K Tempo Run	20	21 <u>The KRISTA</u> 8K Run, at RP NO WATCH . All by feel	22 <u>TEMPO</u> 6K Tempo Run	23
24 26K Long Run	25	26 <u>FLUSH-OUT</u> 8K Easy Run	27	28 <u>BUILD</u> 9K Build by 3K EZ – RP - Strong	29	30 <u>STEADY</u> 6K Steady Run
31 14K Long Run	'Never trust runners' – they're the ones that always find the bodies!					



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June 2020



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	1	2 <u>STEADY</u> 8K Steady Run	3 <u>RACE PACE</u> 6K Run with middle 3K @RP	4 <u>STEADY</u> 8K Steady Run + Accelerations	5	6
7 10K Long Run	8	9 <u>RACE PACE</u> 6K Run with middle 2K @RP	10	11 <u>SUPER EASY</u> 30 Minute Super EASY Run	12	13 <u>Taper Break</u> 3K Jog with 3 Accelerations
14 RACE DAY!	11	12	13	14	15	16
21	18	19	20	21	22	23
28	25	26	27	28	29	30
<p>“It seems to me we can never give up longing and wishing while we are thoroughly alive, There are certain things we feel to be beautiful and good, and we must hunger after them” George Eliot</p>						