

### Cross Country & Road Running Fixtures 2026-2027 – PROVISIONAL

Note to Road Race organisers – Due to the ever-increasing amount of road applications, dates may be held provisionally however full details will only be included upon receipt of completed permit application and fee.

Cross Country ■    Ultra Running ■    Mountain Races ■

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\*XC fixtures in bold = Part of the XC League

#### April 2026

Sat 25 <sup>th</sup>	Almac 5k & 10k	Craigavon Lakes	12 noon	Almac <a href="mailto:amy.neill@almacgroup.com">amy.neill@almacgroup.com</a>	
Sat 25 <sup>th</sup>	Annalong Horseshoe Fell Race	Carricklittletrack, Annalong	11:00am	B.A.R.F Richard Wilson <a href="mailto:ricky.s.wilson84@gmail.com">ricky.s.wilson84@gmail.com</a>	
Sat 25 <sup>th</sup>	Shore 10k	Start of The Sea Boxing Club	11am	Atlas Running Club <a href="mailto:atlas@atlasrunning.co.uk">atlas@atlasrunning.co.uk</a>	
Tues 28 <sup>th</sup>	Belfast Primary Schools Cross Country	Mallusk Playing Fields	10:00am	Belfast City Council <a href="mailto:phillipsl@belfastcity.gov.uk">phillipsl@belfastcity.gov.uk</a>	
Weds 29 <sup>th</sup>	Purple Ladies 5k	Joey Dunlop Leisure Centre	7:30pm	Springwell Running Club <a href="http://www.springwellrunners.co.uk">www.springwellrunners.co.uk</a>	
Thurs 30 <sup>th</sup>	Slieve Martin Hill & Dale Race 3	Rostrevor Forest Park	7:30pm	Newcastle & District AC <a href="mailto:info@newcastle.ac.org">info@newcastle.ac.org</a>	

#### May 2026

Sun 3 <sup>rd</sup>	Pheonix Energy Belfast City Marathon NI & Ulster Championships	Stormont Estate	9am	Belfast City Marathon <a href="mailto:info@belfastcitymarathon.org">info@belfastcitymarathon.org</a>	✓
Thurs 7 <sup>th</sup>	Binnian Hill & Dale Race 4	Rostrevor Forest Park	7:30pm	Newcastle & District AC <a href="mailto:info@newcastle.ac.org">info@newcastle.ac.org</a>	
Fri 8 <sup>th</sup>	Glasswater 5k			Pending permit	
Fri 8 <sup>th</sup>	Regent Flooring Run The Runways	Newtownards Flying Club	6:30pm	Scrabo Striders <a href="http://www.scrabostriders.com">www.scrabostriders.com</a>	✓
Fri 8 <sup>th</sup>	Termoneeny 5k & 10k	Quarry Road	7pm	Termoneeny Running Club <a href="mailto:termoneenyc@gmail.com">termoneenyc@gmail.com</a>	
Sat 9 <sup>th</sup>	Watertown Wander 10k	Silent Valley Reservoir	12noon	NIMRA <a href="mailto:ronankernan@live.com">ronankernan@live.com</a>	
Sat 9 <sup>th</sup>	Run Armagh: May Midnight Marathon			Pending permit	
Thurs 14 <sup>th</sup>	Cock & Hen Hill & Dale Race 5				
Sat 16 <sup>th</sup>	Seskinore Forest 5k	Seskinore Forest	11am	Seskinore Rural Community Group <a href="mailto:seskinorerccg@gmail.com">seskinorerccg@gmail.com</a>	
Sun 17 <sup>th</sup>	Strabane Lifford Half Marathon			Pending permit	
Sun 17 <sup>th</sup>	Newell 5k & 10k	Main Street, Coalisland	10:45am	Newell Stores <a href="mailto:sean.boyle@newellstores.com">sean.boyle@newellstores.com</a>	
Thurs 21 <sup>st</sup>	Lukes Hill & Dale Race 6	Meelmore Lodge	7:30pm	Newcastle & District AC <a href="mailto:info@newcastle.ac.org">info@newcastle.ac.org</a>	
Sat 23 <sup>rd</sup>	Mayfair Races	Ballyclare Rugby Club	10am	County Antrim Harriers <a href="mailto:caharrierschair@gmail.com">caharrierschair@gmail.com</a> <a href="https://www.countyantrimharriers.com/">https://www.countyantrimharriers.com/</a>	✓

Sat 23 <sup>rd</sup>	The Argory Endurance Challenge	The Argory, Dungannon	6pm	Gaithouse Events <a href="mailto:george@gaithouseevents.com">george@gaithouseevents.com</a>	
Sun 24 <sup>th</sup>	Newry City Half Marathon	The Quays Shopping Centre	10am	Newry City Runners <a href="http://www.newrycityrunners.com/our-races">www.newrycityrunners.com/our-races</a>	✓
Sun 24 <sup>th</sup>	Marconi 5			Pending permit	
Sat 30 <sup>th</sup>	Slieve Donard Mountain Race	Donard Forest Park	2:00pm	Newcastle & District AC <a href="mailto:info@newcastle.ac.org">info@newcastle.ac.org</a>	
<b>June 2026</b>					
Thurs 4 <sup>th</sup>	Fairhill 5 Mile	Fairhill Shopping Centre	7pm	Ballymena Runners <a href="mailto:drainey7@aol.com">drainey7@aol.com</a> <a href="http://www.ballymenarunners.org">www.ballymenarunners.org</a>	✓
Thurs 4 <sup>th</sup>	Out the Line 5 Mile Classic			Pending permit	
Thurs 4 <sup>th</sup>	Millstone Hill & Dale Race 7	Carn Car Park	7:30pm	Newcastle & District AC <a href="mailto:info@newcastle.ac.org">info@newcastle.ac.org</a>	
Fri 5 <sup>th</sup>	Paul Murray 5k Grand Prix Series			Pending permit	
Fri 5 <sup>th</sup>	CS Lewis 5 Mile Challenge	CS Lewis Square	7pm	Victoria Park & Connswater AC <a href="mailto:ghisjane@ntlworld.com">ghisjane@ntlworld.com</a> <a href="https://cslewis5mile.com/">https://cslewis5mile.com/</a>	
Fri 5 <sup>th</sup>	Coleraine Grammar Family Run	Coleraine Grammar School	7:30pm	BasaltSix/ Coleraine Grammar <a href="http://www.colerainegrammar.com">www.colerainegrammar.com</a>	
Sat 6 <sup>th</sup>	Killyclogher 10k	Killyclogher GAA Club	11:00am	Killyclogher GAA <a href="mailto:secretary.killyclogher.tyrone@gaa.ie">secretary.killyclogher.tyrone@gaa.ie</a> <a href="http://www.killycloghergaa.com">www.killycloghergaa.com</a>	
Weds 10 <sup>th</sup>	Dromara 5k Run	Laganpark, Dromara	7pm	Dromore AC <a href="mailto:paulieputthekettleon@hotmail.com">paulieputthekettleon@hotmail.com</a>	
Weds 10 <sup>th</sup>	Sperrin Harriers Stunnerz n Runnerz Ladies 5k	Loughry Campus	7:30pm	Sperrin Harriers <a href="mailto:timothy-johnston91@hotmail.com">timothy-johnston91@hotmail.com</a>	
Thurs 11 <sup>th</sup>	Loughshannagh Hill & Dale Race 8	Carn Car Park	7:30pm	Newcastle & District AC <a href="mailto:info@newcastle.ac.org">info@newcastle.ac.org</a>	
Fri 12 <sup>th</sup>	Co Down 5k	Downpatrick	6:00pm	Tel's Fitness <a href="mailto:andrewtel84@gmail.com">andrewtel84@gmail.com</a>	✓
Fri 12 <sup>th</sup>	Paul Murray 5k Grand Prix Series			Pending permit	
Sun 14 <sup>th</sup>	Eglinton Road Runners Charity 5k			Pending permit	
Weds 17 <sup>th</sup>	LCCC Lisburn Half Marathon, 5k and Fun Run			Pending Permit	
Thurs 18 <sup>th</sup>	Meelmore Hill & Dale Race 9	Meelmore Lodge	7:30pm	Newcastle & District AC <a href="mailto:info@newcastle.ac.org">info@newcastle.ac.org</a>	
Fri 19 <sup>th</sup>	Comber 10k	Castle Lane, Comber	7:30pm	Ballydrain Harriers <a href="mailto:Ballydrain.treasurer@outlook.com">Ballydrain.treasurer@outlook.com</a>	✓
Fri 19 <sup>th</sup>	Paul Murray 5k Grand Prix Series			Pending permit	
Sat 20 <sup>th</sup>	Last One Standing			Pending permit	
Sun 21 <sup>st</sup>	Phoenix Energy Belfast City Women's 10k	Titanic Quarter	10am	Belfast City Marathon <a href="mailto:info@belfastcitymarathon.org">info@belfastcitymarathon.org</a>	✓
Tues 23 <sup>rd</sup>	Bluebelles 5k			Pending permit	
Fri 26 <sup>th</sup>	Carnlough Quarry Challenge			Pending permit	

Fri 26 <sup>th</sup>	Ards Half Marathon	Ards Blair Mayne Leisure Centre	6 :30pm	Scrabo Striders <a href="http://www.scrabostriders.com">www.scrabostriders.com</a>	
Fri 26 <sup>th</sup>	Paul Murray 5k Grand Prix Series			Pending permit	
Thurs 25 <sup>th</sup>	Drinnahilly Hill & Dale Race 10	Donard Forest	7:30pm	Newcastle & District AC <a href="mailto:info@newcastle.ac.org">info@newcastle.ac.org</a>	
Sun 28 <sup>th</sup>	Run For Vanessa			Pending permit	

### July 2026

Sun 5 <sup>th</sup>	The Great Rossa Run 2026	Ardboe Parish Centre	10:00am	GRR Committee <a href="mailto:thegreatrossarun@gmail.com">thegreatrossarun@gmail.com</a>	✓
Sun 12 <sup>th</sup>	Kilclief Ben Dearg Coastal Run			Pending permit	
Sat 18 <sup>th</sup>	The Grey Abbey Endurance Challenge & Trail Races	Grey Abbey Estate	8am, 2pm & 5pm	Gaithouse Events <a href="mailto:george@gaithouseevents.com">george@gaithouseevents.com</a>	
Sat 18 <sup>th</sup>	Rossi 5k			Pending permit	
Sun 19 <sup>th</sup>	Run with Pride	Ormeau Park	10am	Rainbow Project <a href="mailto:anna@rainbow-project.org">anna@rainbow-project.org</a>	
Sun 19 <sup>th</sup>	Darragh Cross 5k & 10k	Darragh Cross GAC	12noon	Darragh Cross Committee <a href="mailto:carolineleckie@hotmail.co.uk">carolineleckie@hotmail.co.uk</a>	
Tues 21 <sup>st</sup>	Portaferry Gala 10 Mile Road Race			Pending permit	
Weds 22 <sup>nd</sup>	Donaghadee 5k	The Harbour, Donaghadee	7 :30pm	Dee Runners <a href="mailto:runninginthedeer@gmail.com">runninginthedeer@gmail.com</a>	
Mon 27 <sup>th</sup>	Ardglass 10k & 5k	Ardglass Primary School	7pm	Atlas Running Club <a href="mailto:atlas@atlasrunning.co.uk">atlas@atlasrunning.co.uk</a>	

### August 2026

Sat 1 <sup>st</sup>	Run The Trails			Pending permit	
Sun 2 <sup>nd</sup>	Feile 10k & 5k			Pending permit	
Weds 5 <sup>th</sup>	Crossgar 10k			Pending permit	
Fri 7 <sup>th</sup>	Sperrin Harriers Stanley Reid 5 Mile Classic	Loughry College	7:30pm	Sperrin Harriers <a href="mailto:timothy-johnston91@hotmail.com">timothy-johnston91@hotmail.com</a>	
Sun 9 <sup>th</sup>	Legend of the Lakes for Air Ambulance NI & Evora Hospice	South Lakes Leisure Centre	10am	Track 2 Track <a href="mailto:natalie.christie1@outlook.com">natalie.christie1@outlook.com</a>	
Fri 14 <sup>th</sup>	Mallusk 5 Mile Road Race			Pending permit	
Mon 17 <sup>th</sup>	Broughshane 5 mile	Broughshane Community Centre	7pm	Ballymena Runners <a href="mailto:drainey7@aol.com">drainey7@aol.com</a> <a href="http://www.ballymenarunners.org">www.ballymenarunners.org</a>	✓
Fri 21 <sup>st</sup>	NI Chamber of Commerce 5k	Stormont Estate	6pm	NI Chamber of Commerce <a href="mailto:Susan.Cummings@northernirelandchamber.com">Susan.Cummings@northernirelandchamber.com</a>	
Fri 21 <sup>st</sup>	Coleraine Campus 5k NI & Ulster Championships	Ulster University, Coleraine	7pm	Springwell Running Club <a href="mailto:springwellrunningclub@gmail.com">springwellrunningclub@gmail.com</a>	✓
Sat 22 <sup>nd</sup>	Dromore 5k & 10k Run			Pending permit	
Sun 23 <sup>rd</sup>	Storming the Castle	Carrickfergus Amphitheatre	1 :30pm	Seapark AC <a href="mailto:Stormcastle800@gmail.com">Stormcastle800@gmail.com</a>	✓
Fri 28 <sup>th</sup>	Portrush 5 Mile Road Race			Pending permit	
Sun 30 <sup>th</sup>	Clonmore 10 Mile Road Race			Pending permit	

### September 2026

Sun 6 <sup>th</sup>	Laganside 10k and Children's 1 Mile	Ormeau Park	11am	North Belfast Harriers <a href="mailto:Laganside10k@gmail.com">Laganside10k@gmail.com</a>	✓
Fri 4 <sup>th</sup>	Heath Graham Ards 5 Mile			Pending permit	
Fri 4 <sup>th</sup>	GRC Coastal 5k			Pending permit	
Sun 6 <sup>th</sup>	Waterside Half Marathon			Pending Permit	
Weds 9 <sup>th</sup>	St Patrick's Academy 5k			Pending permit	
Sat 12 <sup>th</sup>	Break 4 The Border Half Marathon			Pending permit	
Sat 12 <sup>th</sup>	Pats 5k			Pending permit	
Sun 13 <sup>th</sup>	Coastal Runners Clandeboye 10k			Pending permit	
Sun 13 <sup>th</sup>	Rock the Lough and Lakes			Pending Permit	
Sun 20 <sup>th</sup>	Phoenix Energy Belfast City Half Marathon	Ormeau Park	9am	Belfast City Marathon <a href="mailto:info@belfastcitymarathon.org">info@belfastcitymarathon.org</a>	✓
Sat 26 <sup>th</sup>	Annaghmore Running Festival			Pending permit	
Sat 26 <sup>th</sup>	Seaton Classic 10k NI & Ulster Championships			Pending permit	

### October 2026

Sat 3 <sup>rd</sup>	NI Masters Association Cross Country Trials & Championships			Pending permit	
Sun 4 <sup>th</sup>	Groomsport 10k	Groomsport Football Ground	1pm	Ward Park Runners <a href="mailto:wprace@gmail.com">wprace@gmail.com</a>	
Sun 4 <sup>th</sup>	Belfast Bay Run 10k			Pending permit	
Sat 10 <sup>th</sup>	SkyRun The Mourne	Donard Park	7am	Apex Running <a href="mailto:mike@apexrunning.com">mike@apexrunning.com</a>	
Fri 16 <sup>th</sup>	Galloper Thompson 5k	Grove Park	7:30pm	North Belfast Harriers <a href="mailto:conalm109@gmail.com">conalm109@gmail.com</a>	
Sun 18 <sup>th</sup>	Centra Run Together 5k & 10k			Pending permit	
Sat 31 <sup>st</sup>	Dromore XC			Pending permit	

### November 2026

Weds 11 <sup>th</sup>	NEBSSA Cross Country Championships	Six Mile Water Park Ballyclare	11am	Kate Law <a href="mailto:katelaw660@hotmail.com">katelaw660@hotmail.com</a>	
Sun 15 <sup>th</sup>	Phoenix Energy Belfast City 5k	Belfast City Hall	9am	Belfast City Marathon <a href="mailto:info@belfastcitymarathon.org">info@belfastcitymarathon.org</a>	✓

**January 2027**

Fri 1 <sup>st</sup>	Race Over The Glens			Pending permit	
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**March 2027**

Sun 14 <sup>th</sup>	Portadown Running Festival			Pending permit	
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