

# Boston Marathon Team Application

2018 Marathon Charity Program

All pages of the application must be completed and returned to Bottom Line by December 1 by e-mail or fax. If you have any questions as you fill out the application, please don't hesitate to contact Sarah Feldman by phone at (617) 524-8833 or by e-mail at sfeldman@bottomline.org.

# Send completed applications to Sarah Feldman

Email: <u>sfeldman@bottomline.org</u> Fax: 617-524-8833

Please print clearly	
Date of Birth /	
First Name	Last Name
Address	
City	State Zip
Home Phone	Cell Phone
Employer	Job Title
Work Address	
City	State Zip
Work Phone	Fax Fax
Preferred Email Address	
Does your company have a matching g	ifts program 🗌 Yes 🗌 No

I would like to be contacted at: Home Work Cell			
Running Shirt Size: Men Women			
XS Small Med Large XL			
Social Media:			
Instagram: Twitter:			
Other:			
<b>Fundraising Experience</b> Have you participated in an athletic charity program before? Yes No			
If yes, what was the most recent charity/race?			
Amount Raised: \$ Date			
What is the most substantial amount of money you have raised for a non-profit organization (this does not need to be a marathon/road race program)?			
Amount Raised: \$ Date			
How did you accomplish this?			
If you are a member of our team, what will your personal fundraising goal be? (Our minimum this year is \$10,000)			
What is your plan for reaching or surpassing this goal? <i>Please let us know some of the specific actions you intend to take. We will gladly provide support throughout your experience as a member of the team to help you with these activities.</i>			

## Running Experience

In this section, we want to learn more about your running history. This is merely so we can get to know you better and provide the support you need to succeed! Whether this is your first or fiftieth marathon, we will be there to help you reach your personal goals, along with a team of professional coaches that we provide to our team members. Yes Have you ever run a marathon before? No If yes, when was the last marathon you ran? If no, what is the longest distance you have run? What pace do you run a mile during marathons or longer runs (if you know)? We host weekly training runs on Saturday along the marathon course. How frequently would you plan to attend these training runs? If you are out of state, we hope you can join us for at least one, although we understand if that's not possible. Bottom Line is excited to offer an excellent training program run by our head coach, Rick Muhr, and several assistant coaches. Rick will also provide personalized coaching to each runner. In preparation for the year, we want to know in what areas you would like advice or support from Rick and any other marathon experts we bring in to speak with the team (nutrition, form, shoe selection, injury prevention, etc). We will also provide a Bottom Line / John Hancock singlet and t-shirt for each runner

#### **Connection to Bottom Line**

How did you learn about Bottom Line's marathon team?

Have you had any previous experience with Bottom Line?

Yes No

If yes, please explain.

Please describe why you would like to run for Bottom Line.

What other community organizations are you involved with? Other fundraising commitments you currently have?

Is there anything else you want us to know?

**Bottom Line Terms and Conditions 2018 Marathon Charity Program** 

## Please read the following carefully before signing below.

**Fundraising Commitment:** Each runner must raise a minimum of \$10,000 to join Bottom Line's marathon team. Half of this amount will be due by February 1<sup>st</sup>, 2018. In addition to this commitment, each runner will also need to pay \$360 to the Boston Athletic Association (B.A.A.), which will be a non-refundable payment covering the runner's entry and registration fee for the 2018 Boston Marathon.

The \$10,000 fundraising commitment and the \$360 fee are the only two expenses that runners must commit to Bottom Line. Personal expenses (i.e. running shoes, exercise/stretching equipment, etc) that are incurred over the course of training (at the suggestion of our marathon coach or otherwise) are not included in these commitments.

# *In the event that you do not meet the fundraising minimum by April 16th, 2018, Bottom Line reserves the right to charge the balance owed to your credit card, unless prior arrangements have been made.*

**Cancellation Policy:** You may cancel your participation with Bottom Line's team for the Boston Marathon®, waiving your responsibility for the \$10,000 minimum, any time on or before Friday, January 1, 2018. To do so you must contact Justin Strasburger, Executive Director at Bottom Line, in writing, on or before the cancellation date. After January 1, 2018, you are responsible for raising the \$10,000 minimum, even if for any reason, including injury, you are unable to run in the Boston Marathon.

Donations raised and received by our office will not be refunded, even if you leave the team before January 1, 2018.

**B.A.A. Registration:** Bottom Line will inform you of the details of the B.A.A. registration after your application is accepted. Runners will need to pay the \$360

registration fee. Bottom Line will provide information in advance, but will not be responsible if the registration deadline is missed.

**Emergency Information:** In the event of an illness, injury or medical emergency arising during the event or in the training and planning sessions for said event, I hereby authorize and give my consent to Bottom Line to secure from any accredited hospital, clinic and/or physician any treatment deemed necessary for my immediate care. I agree that I will be fully responsible for payment of any and all medical services and treatment rendered to me including but not limited to medical transport, medications, treatment, and hospitalization. The following person should be contacted in the event of an emergency:

Name	Relationship:
Telephone Number:	
Allergies to medications	
Other Pertinent Medical Information:	

Release Form and Contribution Agreement: In consideration of my accepting this entry, I hereby for myself, my heirs, executors and administrators, waive and release any and all rights for claims and damages I may have against Bottom Line, its employees, volunteers, officers and sponsors for any and all injuries suffered or sustained by me in said event, in the training and planning sessions for said event, or travel to or from any of the preceding. I further attest and certify that I am physically fit and have sufficiently trained for competition in this event, and a licensed medical doctor has verified my physical condition. I also grant permission for use of my name and or photograph or voice in broadcast, telecast, print or any other account of this event and agree to waive any compensation for such use. I agree to collect a minimum of \$10,000 for Bottom Line by April 16, 2018. If I have not reached the minimum in sponsorships by that date, I will personally be responsible for the balance owed. I understand that unless I cancel by January 1, 2018, Bottom Line reserves the right to charge the balance I owe to my credit card. I declare that I have exercised my own judgment in signing this agreement and I further declare that the decision to sign this agreement was voluntary and not based on or influenced by any representation of Bottom Line.

Signature (typed if submitted electronically):		
Name (printed):	Date:	

Thank you for applying to join Bottom Line's 2018 Boston Marathon Team. We will be in touch shortly!