2024 Eau Cla	ire Marathon	G-EAU Big(ger)	- MARATHON	l	Plan by: Coach Maria Long www.BrightsideRunning.org	CoachMariaLong@gmail.com @run_ria_run	
Aonday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday	
Rest Day	Dynamic Warmup	Dynamic Warmup	Rest or Cross Train	Core Circuit	Dynamic Warmup	Dynamic Warmup	1
Hydrate, Mobility	E: 4-6 mi	E: 4-6mi + 3x20/40s strides	20-30min max	Dynamic Warmup	E: 3-6mi + 3x20/40s strides	LR: 8-10mi	23-34
Stretch/Foam Roll	Strength Circuit 1			E: 4-6mi			Build
Prep for the week							
February 5	6	7	8	9	10	11	
Rest Day	Dynamic Warmup	Dynamic Warmup	Dynamic Warmup	Rest or Cross Train	Dynamic Warmup	Dynamic Warmup	2
Hydrate, Mobility	E: 4-6mi + 3x20/40s strides	E: 4-6mi	Fartleks: 2mi warmup,	20-30min max	E: 3-6mi + 3x20/40s strides	Long Run: 10-12mi	26-36
Stretch/Foam Roll	Strength Circuit 1		6x35sec fast, recover				Build
Prep for the week			as needed. 5-6mi total				
			Core Circuit				
12	13	14	15	16	17	18	
Rest Day	Dynamic Warmup	Dynamic Warmup	Dynamic Warmup	Rest or Cross Train	Dynamic Warmup	Dynamic Warmup	3
Hydrate, Mobility	E: 4-6mi + 4x20/40s hill strides	E: 4-6mi	Fartleks: 2mi warmup,	20-30min max	E: 3-6mi + 3x20/40s strides	Long Run: 12-14mi	28-38
Stretch/Foam Roll	Strength Circuit 1		6x45sec fast, recover				Build
Prep for the week			as needed. 5-6miles total				
			Core Circuit				
19	20	21	22		24		
Rest Day	Dynamic Warmup	Dynamic Warmup	Dynamic Warmup	Rest or Cross Train	Dynamic Warmup	Dynamic Warmup	4
Hydrate, Mobility	E: 4-6mi + 4x20/40s hill strides	Negative Split: 4-6mi	R: 3-6mi	20-30min max	E: 5-6mi + 3x20/40s strides	Long Run: 10-12mi	26-3
Stretch/Foam Roll	Strength Circuit 2	2mi easy, then	Core Circuit		(PM Run)	(AM Run)	Cutbac
Prep for the week		progress the run as feels					
		right to you					
26	27	28	29		2	3	
Rest Day	Dynamic Warmup	Dynamic Warmup	Dynamic Warmup	Rest or Cross Train	Dynamic Warmup	PT Warmup	5
Hydrate, Mobility	E: 5-7mi + 4x20/40s strides	Tempo: 2mi warmup	R: 3-5mi	20-30min max	E: 3-6mi + 4x20/40s strides	Long Run: 15-17mi	31-42
Stretch/Foam Roll	Strength Circuit 2	3x5min @HMP/HME	Core Circuit				Build
Prep for the week		Cooldown to 5-7mi total					
4	5	6	7	8	9	10	

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday	
Rest Day	Dynamic Warmup	Dynamic Warmup	Dynamic Warmup	Rest or Cross Train	Dynamic Warmup	Dynamic Warmup	6
Hydrate, Mobility	R: 5-7mi	Hill Repeats: 2mi WU	R: 3-6mi	20-30min max	E: 4-6mi + 4x20/40s strides	Long Run: 16-18mi, last	34-4
Stretch/Foam Roll	Strength Circuit 2	4x45s hard uphill, slow	Core Circuit			10min strong finish	Build
Prep for the week		downhill to recover.					
		Cooldown to 6-8mi					
11	12	13	14	15	16	17	
Rest Day	Dynamic Warmup	Dynamic Warmup	Dynamic Warmup	Rest or Cross Train	Dynamic Warmup	Dynamic Warmup	7
Hydrate, Mobility	E: 5-7mi + 4x20/40s hill strides	Negative Split: 6-8mi	R: 3-5mi	20-30min max	E: 5-7mi + 4x20/40s strides	LR: 11-13mi	30-4
Stretch/Foam Roll	Strength 1, w/weights	2mi easy, then	Core Circuit		(PM Run)	(AM Run)	Cutba
Prep for the week		progress the run as feels					
		right to you					
18	3 19	20	21	22	23	24	
Rest Day	Dynamic Warmup	Dynamic Warmup	Dynamic Warmup	Rest or Cross Train	Core Circuit	Dynamic Warmup	8
Hydrate, Mobility	E: 5-7mi + 4x20/40s strides	Tempo: 2mi warmup	R: 3-5mi	20-30min max	Dynamic Warmup	LR: 17-20mi	36-4
Stretch/Foam Roll	Strength 1, w/weights	4x5min @HMP/HME	Strength Circuit 2		E: 5-7mi + 3x20/40s strides		Build
Prep for the week		Cooldown to 6-8mi					
25		27	28			-	
Rest Day	Dynamic Warmup	Dynamic Warmup	Rest or Cross Train	Dynamic Warmup	Core Circuit	Dynamic Warmup	9
Hydrate, Mobility	E: 5-7mi + 4x20/40s strides	•	20-30min max	E: 4-6mi	Dynamic Warmup	,	39-5
Stretch/Foam Roll	Strength 1, w/weights	4x45s hard uphill, slow		Strength Circuit 2	E: 5-7mi + 3x20/40s strides	10min strong finish	Buil
Prep for the week		downhill to recover.					
		Cooldown to 7-9mi total					
April 1		3	4	5	6	7	-
Rest Day	Dynamic Warmup	Dynamic Warmup	Dynamic Warmup	Rest or Cross Train	Core Circuit	Dynamic Warmup	10
Hydrate, Mobility	E: 4-5mi + 4x20/40s strides		R: 3-5mi	20-30min max	Dynamic Warmup	LR: 11-14mi	26-3
Stretch/Foam Roll	Strength 1, w/weights	2x10min @HMP/HME	Strength Circuit 2		E: 4-6mi + 4x20/40s hill strides	(AM Run)	Таре
Prep for the week		Cooldown to 4-6mi total			(PM Run)		
8	3 9	10	11	12	13	14	

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday	
Rest Day	Dynamic Warmup	Dynamic Warmup	Dynamic Warmup	Rest or Cross Train	Dynamic Warmup	Dynamic Warmup	11
Hydrate, Mobility	E: 3-5mi + 4x20/40s strides	Fartlek Ladder: 2mi WU	R: 3-5mi	20-30min max	E: 3mi + 3x20/40s strides	LR: 6-8mi, last 10min	20-26
Stretch/Foam Roll	Strength 1, w/weights	30s/30sR, 60s/60sR,	Core Circuit		(PM Run)	strong finish	Taper
Prep for the week		90s/90sR, 60/60, 30/30				(AM Run)	
		Cooldown to 5mi total					
15	16	17	18	19	20	21	
Rest Day	Dynamic Warmup	Dynamic Warmup	Rest	Core Circuit	ECM 10k & 5k	EC Marathon	12
Hydrate, Mobility	E: 3-5mi	E: 3-4mi + 4x20/40s strides	Hydrate, Mobility	Dynamic Warmup	Dynamic Warmup	Dynamic Warmup	9-12
Stretch/Foam Roll	Strength 1, no weights		Stretch/Foam Roll	E: 2-3mi with 2-3 strides	.5-1mi warmup w/ 2-3 strides	26.2 miles!!!	Taper
Prep for the week			Prep/Pack for the weekend		10k, 5k, or Both!!!		
22	23	24	25	26	27	28	

Strength Circuit 1

Body weight or low-moderate weight dumbbells

2-3 Sets of: 10-15 Squats 10-15 Walking Lunges 10-15 Pushups 30-60sec Plank

Core Circuit

Body weight 2-3 Sets of: 10-15 Mountain Climbers 10-15 Plank Shoulder Taps 10-16 Bicycles 10-15 Bridges 30-60sec Side Plank (each side)

Strength Circuit 2

Body weight or low-moderate weight dumbbells

2-3 Sets of: 16-20 Side Lunges (8-10 each leg)

16-20 Single Leg step ups (8-10 each leg)

10-16 Single Leg Dumbbell curl to press (5-8 standing on 1 leg, 5-8 standing on the other leg) 10-15 Dead Bugs

Dynamic Warmup

5-10min before your run 2-3 Sets of: Knee to Chest, 5-8 each leg Reach & Drive, 5-8 each leg Side steps with a band, 8-10 left and 8-10 right Donkey Kicks, 5-8 each leg

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