



MARATHON TOURS & TRAVEL

SEVEN CONTINENTS CLUB PRE-REGISTRATION FOR ABBOTT WORLD MARATHON MAJORS

THE PROCESS

The six Abbott World Marathon Majors (AbbottWMM) consist of the Tokyo Marathon, Boston Marathon, London Marathon, Berlin Marathon, Chicago Marathon and the NYC Marathon. Marathon Tours & Travel has guaranteed entries to these events EXCEPT for Boston.

Seven Continents Club (SCC) Members will have a pre-registration period. An allocated number of guaranteed entries with our package have been set aside specifically for SCC Members, but unfortunately there are not always enough to fulfill our anticipated demand. **Also, members must have joined the SCC at least two weeks prior to the start of the early pre-registration period for the tour in which they are applying.**

IMPORTANT: Due to COVID-19 and 2020 marathons being postponed or canceled, we expect limited number of openings in 2021. We will continue to keep you posted through our *SCC Bulletin* as well as on each AbbottWMM webpage, as is applicable. We encourage you to read our recent [AbbottWMM Bulletin](#) that presents an outline of how we view the **Course Ahead**.

When a pre-registration period is open, the following outlines our process to ensure fairness to our SCC Members.

1. There is a pre-registration period for each SCC Tier Level. Registration is open first to Gold Members (11+ tours), then Silver (6 to 10 tours), and then Bronze (0 to 5 tours). To find out your Tier Level, please log on to your SCC Membership Profile, which can be done [HERE](#). You will find benefits of each Tier on the [SCC Website](#).
2. During the time period that you can register, it is the responsibility of the member to complete the application with the required deposit information. You will not be charged the deposit until you are confirmed with an entry and hotel package. Please note that registrations are NOT processed on a first-come, first-serve basis.
3. If there is more than one hotel option, please be sure to indicate your second and third hotel choice under special requests on your online booking form. This will help us immensely to confirm participants quicker.
4. When you complete your registration, you will receive an automated confirmation by email. Please do not call to re-confirm that your booking form was submitted. Remember your deposit is not charged until your spot is confirmed.



SAMPLE

Thank you for submitting your booking form. Additional information will be sent to you in a separate email by the notification date listed for this tour. Please keep the information below for your records. Should any information be incorrect please call the office (617-242-7845) to make any adjustments. Additionally, please do not resubmit the booking form.

Select a Trip: Berlin Marathon
Select a Package: 4 Night Package
Package Choice: The Ritz Carlton Berlin - \$1365.00
Rooming Preference: Single Supplement - \$895.00
Extensions: No Extension - \$0.00

Main Contact

I'm a member of the Seven Continents Club
Passport First Name: Joe
Passport Middle Name: L
Passport Last Name: Smith
Gender: Male
Date of birth: 01/03/1960
Preferred Email: joe.smith2u@icloud.com
Phone Number: 8453346801
Passport Number:
Passport Expiry Date:
Passport Nationality: United States of America
Select your race entry option: I Need An Entry
What is your shirt size? Men's Large
Address Line #1: 100 Everett Ave
Address Line #2:
City: Chelsea
State/Province: MA
Zip/Postal Code: 01250
Country: United States of America
Emergency Contact Name: Meagan Smith
Emergency Contact Email: Meagansmith@gmail.com
Emergency Contact Phone: 8453346805
Dietary Restrictions:
Special Requests: Choice 1: Ritz Carlton Choice 2: Grand Hyatt

5. Marathon Tours & Travel will inform those who have been accepted by email by the date indicated for the tour. We know you will be eager to know the results, but we kindly ask for you to wait to receive an email with your status.
6. Following your initial confirmation email, you will receive a follow-up email at a later date with your hotel confirmation and invoice, which will show your total package cost and balance due after your deposit was applied. These will be sent out as quickly as possible and we appreciate your patience in advance.

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

Who can purchase our package with a guaranteed entry?

Please refer to [Marathon Tours & Travel website](#). On each trips' Registration & Booking Information page you will find the ELIGIBILITY for that specific race.

How will Marathon Tours & Travel determine who receives a spot?

Within each SCC Tier, we will make the selection based on your SCC Join Date.

How do I find my Tier Level?

Log into your profile [here](#) and it will tell you what tier you are. As a review of what each Tier offers, please visit the [SCC website](#).

What if I'm not selected during the SCC pre-registration period?

Any SCC member who does not get in through the process explained above, will be added to the Random Drawing for the specific race in which they applied. This will provide you with one more chance to secure a spot through Marathon Tours & Travel.

If I'm still not selected then what?

You will be placed on the WAITLIST in the order of your join date.

What if I'm selected by Marathon Tours & Travel and also receive an entry for the race through the official lottery?

We encourage all interested runners to apply for the lottery directly with the race AND to submit an application with Marathon Tours & Travel. If you are successful with both, we will simply remove the entry fee from your invoice so you are only paying for one entry. It is the runner's responsibility to inform us if you received an entry with the lottery. Please note that you will still be responsible for participating in the package.

What if I have an entry by qualifying or through an official charity?

Based on availability, we invite all runners and their supporters to join our package even if you secure your own entry!

What if there are two of us that want to apply for a guaranteed entry but only one is an SCC Member?

In order to pre-register you must be an SCC member. If you submit an application requesting two entries and only one is an SCC member it will not be considered.

What if there are two of us that want to apply for a guaranteed entry but we are in different SCC Tiers and/or have different join dates?

If there are two SCC members on the same form with different join dates and/or tier levels, we will resort to the lowest tier and the latest join date. We highly recommend that if this is your situation you submit them separately.

If I applied last year, does my application roll over to this year?

No. You must submit your application each year. For example, if you applied for Berlin 2020 and did not get a spot, then you must reapply when Berlin 2021 opens for SCC pre-registration.

Can I purchase an upgrade from the Bronze Tier to Silver or Gold?

No. The only way you can move up a tier is by taking trips with Marathon Tours & Travel.