



ICE BOUND  
The Antarctica  
Marathon

## SHORT HAUL/LONG HAUL

Look further afield for your race fix

### Treviso Marathon

ITALY, MARCH 31

Treviso has an unfair reputation as being merely the gateway to Venice, and yet its historic centre is quite beautiful in its own right – a walled city in miniature, with elegant palazzos, cobbled streets and ancient waterways. The marathon is a looped course that starts in the Viale Vittorio Veneto, takes you out on a tour of nearby Villorba, Carbonera, Silea, Casale sul Sile and Casier, and finishes back in the centre of Treviso old town at piazzale Burchiellati.

**Flights** Ryanair flies direct to Treviso from Stansted from £46 rtn.

**While you're there...** visit the Bailo Museum to see its collection of frescos and impressionist paintings.

[trevisomarathon.com](http://trevisomarathon.com)

### Antarctica Marathon

KING GEORGE ISLAND, ANTARCTICA, MARCH 2021

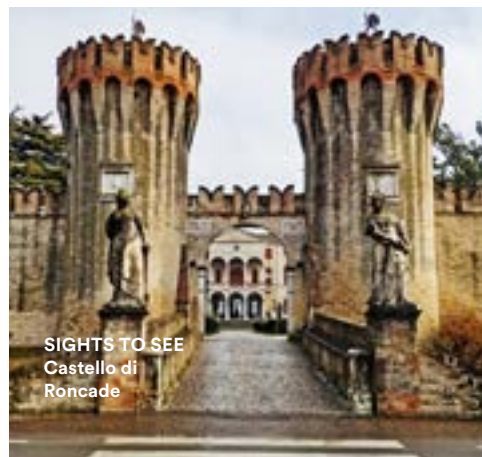
A real bucket-list one, this, with prices to match. After travelling by plane and ship via Buenos Aires, Ushuaia, the Beagle Channel, across the Drake Passage, the South Shetland Islands and along the Antarctic Peninsula,

you'll reach camp, acclimatise and wait for decent weather (ie between -26 and -36C) before running on cleared tracks close to the Russian, Chilean and Chinese research bases on King George Island.

**Flights** Marathon Tours organises comprehensive all-inclusive two-week trips from £5,500 per person. Now taking enquiries for 2021.

**While you're there...** You'll have plenty to marvel at during your time down south, including glaciers, icebergs, penguins and whales.

[marathontours.com](http://marathontours.com)



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### YOU SAID IT



### The Goring 10K

A fun race with some lovely downhills, a team of excellent marshals and flapjacks at the end

#### ● JACKPOT

'A top race. AND there were flapjacks and jelly babies after crossing the finish line – who could ask for more?'

– CHRISTOPHER LEE

#### ● JUST THE TICKET

'A fun 10K with a course that's hilly but not a killer. The basics are all there: good baggage stow, plenty of loos, lots of marshals and a bit of bling.'

– MUTTLEY

#### ● UPS AND DOWNS

'Bit crowded on the first kilometre uphill but once it opened up it was great. Wouldn't say it's the ideal race for beginners or those looking for PBs but there are some excellent downhills too, of course.'

– GRUNDYOXFORD

#### ● SUPPORT SYSTEM

'All the way round, the marshals cheered, as did groups of locals and their children. Sometimes they just happened to be out, getting into their car or walking along, but all had an encouraging word to offer.'

– KATHRYN T

#### ● SENSE OF DIRECTION

'I was particularly impressed with marshals being posted throughout Goring town centre to direct you, before and after, to car parking – which was necessarily some distance from the race start.'

Goring, Oxfordshire, March 3,  
[goring10k.com](http://goring10k.com)