

Inaugural Midvaal Marathon with Tlowana Resources doing their part assisting in manning water points

The First Edition of the Midvaal May Marathon held on the 29th of May 2022. This event was a Comrades Marathon 2022 qualifier and was aimed at positioning the Midvaal Municipality as a sports and tourism destination. Meyerton Athletics Club (MAC) hosted the inaugural Midvaal May Marathon in conjunction with the Oliphant Institute of Leadership on Sunday the 29th of May 2022. This race consisted of 42.2, 21.1, 10 and 6km distances, highlighting the beauty and “proudly Midvaal” spirit of the people of Midvaal.

Companies / Institutions were required to assist in manning water points along the route on the morning of the race. Tlowana Resources was one of these companies, positioned at the 14km water point on Springbok road.

The race started in the early hours of the morning at 6a.m and Tlowana Resources had set up their water point and was ready to be of assistance to the runners. The first runner passed this water point at 6:30 AM, shortly after the rest of the already tired runners flocked by, scorched with thirst.

Tlowana Resources had volunteers at their water point, providing water, energy boosters, sanitation points and words of encouragement and support to the runners/participants.



This race was also a benefit for Tlowana Resources as per some of the colleagues comments, “This was a great team-building opportunity. It was a fun and informal way to interact with co-workers and a chance to get to know each other better”

“We were happy to be giving back to the community and getting a chance to support runners from all over South Africa”



Race Results

The runners who came to the first position in the female and male categories are as follows:

1. Women: Natasha Malan of IMPALA MARATHON CLUB who ran 3:30:12 at a speed of 4:59 min/km
2. Men: Robert Mathonsi of KHOMANANI AC who ran 2:42:37 at 3:52 min/km.

Tlowana Resources congratulates all the winners, and we look forward to the next Marathon

Overall it was a great initiative and a great day, the team thoroughly enjoyed engaging with each other over lunch, reflecting on the day, and looking forward to more initiatives like it.

