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TRAFFIC ADVISORY NOTIFICATION – Saturday September 21, 2019 **Day 1 of Rochester Marathon Weekend**

September 16, 2019: Rochester, NY: YellowJacket Racing, event producer of the Rochester Marathon Weekend a two day event featuring an event for all abilities. Day 1 - Saturday, September 21st at 8AM, features the Rochester 5K with approximately 800 athletes and a Kids 26.2 Marathon of 200 children. Day 2 - Sunday, September 22nd, incorporates a full marathon (26.2 miles), half marathon (13.1 miles) and marathon relay. The Saturday 5K and Kids 26.2 will start and finish at Frontier Field, while Sunday events begin in Maplewood Park and finish at Frontier Field.

Saturday, September 21st, the **Rochester 5K & Kids Marathon**, will take place on select city streets and includes a 5K (3.1 Mile) race and a 1-mile children's race.

This notification is to inform you of street closures in the area on the morning of the race:

Closed Sept 20th 7pm – Sept 23rd 3pm:

- Morrie Silver Way from Oak St to Verona St

Closed Sept 21st at 7:45 am:

- Plymouth Ave from Main St to Brown St
- Morrie Silver Way from Verona St to State St
- Verona St from Brown St to Morrie Silver Way
- State St from Brown St to Andrews St
- The Innerloop

All streets will immediately reopen after the race or by 10:30 am.

Participant Parking will be available at Frontier Field in Kodak Parking Lot D, located on Morrie Silver Way (across from Frontier Field). There is plenty of free parking. Roads around Frontier Field will close by 7:45 am on race morning. Therefore, participants for both the 5K & the Kids Marathon need to arrive to Frontier Field **no later** than 7:30 am. Plymouth Ave will be closed at 7:45 am and will remain closed until the race is completely over, so if one chooses to park in Kodak Lot C (on Plymouth), they will not be able to leave that lot until the roads have been re-opened.

Please note, while streets will be closed during certain timeframes, local residential traffic may be delayed, but accommodated. The Rochester Police Department will be working diligently to assist with traffic. Traffic will be able to be diverted around the closed areas, so not to completely halt transportation to businesses and homes.

For more information or to register for the race, please visit www.RochesterMarathon.com.

About YellowJacket Racing—YellowJacket Racing is a locally owned event production and race timing company, producing upwards of 40 events including the Webster Turkey Trot, Rochester Regional Health Flower City Challenge, Rochester Marathon, FireCracker Five Mile and the Winter Warrior Half Marathon. For more information, visit www.yellowjacketracing.com.

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