

Dear ESBRU Applicant:

Congratulations! You have been accepted to the 2007 NYRR Empire State Building Run Up scheduled to take place on Tuesday, February 6th. Once Again, this years' Run Up attracted a record number of applicants from all over the world, so you will be competing against an elite and diverse group.

I have included some important race day information so please take the time to read below.

Race Day Check In Will take place only on Tuesday, February 6th from 9-10AM. You must enter the Empire State Building from the Main entrance on 33rd Street and 5th Avenue. There will be a security check point so please be sure to bring photo ID. At race check in you will receive your race number, championship and t-shirt. You must securely attach your chip to your shoe in order to be scored, it will be removed on the 86th floor after the Run Up – if you do not have your chip removed you will be charged \$35.

Guest passes will be available at race check in – you will be given ONE guest pass per runner due to space limitations. Guests must go directly to the **75th floor (Room 7519)** – guests CANNOT stay on the ground floor for the race to begin or wait at the finish line on the 86th floor. All runners will quickly return to the 75th Floor after completion of the Run Up where all guests will be waiting.

Baggage Check will be available to transport your belongings to the 75th floor (**Room 7512**). Please drop them off at the baggage area near race check in before 10AM. NYRR is NOT responsible for lost or stolen items.

Start time is exactly 10:30AM – women will start first. The fast/elite men will start at 10:35AM and the second men's heat will go off at 10:40AM.

Seeding Numbers have been assigned according to the times indicated on your biography form. Low numbered runners line up in the front, higher numbers will be in the back. It is very important that you cooperate for this will be **enforced**. **YOU MUST RUN IN THE HEAT THAT YOU ARE ASSIGNED OR YOU WILL BE DISQUALIFIED. Failure to abide by these procedures will result in your disqualification and your application will be automatically rejected next year.**