



APPLICATION FOR 2010 BOSTON MARATHON WAIVER

The Boston Athletic Association (BAA) has again given several Boston Marathon qualifying-time “waivers” to Colonial Road Runners, to distribute to our members. Those who receive the waivers do not have to meet the standard qualifying-time requirements. Instead, they are given a special “invitational” Boston Marathon application to file with the BAA. The registration fee for the invitational application was \$200 in 2009.

CRITERIA:

- **All Colonial members are eligible to apply** to the club for a Boston Marathon waiver **and are encouraged to do so.**
- If you applied for a waiver for the current year (2009), you are still **eligible to apply again** for 2010 regardless of whether you received one or not
- In the event that the number of applications exceeds the number of available waivers, **preference will be given to members who have:**
 - (1) Belonged to the club for at least one full year,
 - (2) Volunteered in club activities during 2009,
 - (3) Been actively involved in club races and events during 2009.
 - (4) Have completed one or more races at least 20K (12.4 miles) or longer during 2009.

APPLICATION:

- **To apply** for a 2010 Boston Marathon waiver, please **fill** out the attached Application Form, **and return it to Jim Conley by October 10, 2009:**

E-mail: Jamcon42@verizon.net

Mail: 171 Hancock St., Abington, MA 02351

- If you have any **questions** about the application process or selection criteria, please contact Jim at (781)-878-7296 or his e-mail address listed above.

THE DEADLINE FOR WAIVER APPLICATIONS IS OCTOBER 10, 2009.

We expect to select the waiver recipients at a Board of Directors meeting in early-November. Once we receive the waiver applications from the BAA, we will notify all applicants of the results and distribute the applications accordingly. Last year we were able to do this in November, however in other years this has occurred in December.