



## California Firefighter Summer Games

### Trail Race (Running Event)

June 22, 2026 | Newport Beach, CA

### Proudly Hosted by the Newport Beach Firefighter Association

On behalf of the Newport Beach Firefighter's Association (NBFA) through the California Firemen's Athletic Association (CFAA) is hosting running Trail Race at Crystal Cove State Park during the 2026 California Firefighter Summer Games in Newport Beach June 21-26, 2026.

This location has been identified as the most ideal venue for the event, not only for its central accessibility but also for the remarkable features it offers: natural beauty, technical terrain, and panoramic views of the Pacific Ocean. These elements will provide a challenging, scenic, and memorable experience for participants while showcasing the park's unique environment.

The race will start and finish at lower Morrow Parking. The 15k (9.3 mile) event will feature challenging terrain, 2 rehab stations, and lots of places to pass your competition. Trails include Fence Line, Missing Link, Ticketron, Morro Ridge, and No Name. Trails are wide with 20% single track easy to intermediate in difficulty. Entrance/parking fee is not included in registration fee. \$15 daily park entrance fee is paid to directly to the park upon entering in through the gate. Annual California State Park pass will work as well.

We will be awarding medals for the top 3 finishers in the Men's and Women's Groups.

Together, we are dedicated to hosting an event that honors both the firefighting community and the natural resources of our state.

Your event lead:  
Nic Lucas

## **SCHEDULE OF EVENTS**

### SUNDAY, JUNE 21

17:00 pm – 1900 pm

Racer Check-in and packet pick up. Poolside music and beer at the host hotel

### MONDAY, JUNE 22

**RACE VENUE:** Crystal Cove State Park

**Insert sponsor and event stuff here.**

6:00 am - Park opens

7:00 am -7:30am: **Last chance emergency late check in at Moro Parking lot.**

#### **SCHEDULE:**

7:55 am – National Anthem and last-minute announcements

8:15 am – Runner line up begins

8:30 am – Race begins for ALL Groups

11:30 am – Awards begin

#### **IMPORTANT INFORMATION AND RULES:**

- You must have your ID to pick up at Check-In and every racer must pick up their own packet and sign the event waiver, either online or at Check-In.
- This is **not a closed course**. Always be aware of hikers and bikers on the course and follow right of way on descents.
- DO NOT enter the start corral until your group or color is called up.
- Race will start promptly at 8:30 am after the National Anthem and Mountain Bike race begins.
- All age groups and race categories will have started by 8:30 am.
- You must have your race plate attached on your person at all times.
- Unsportsmanlike conduct, swearing, and littering are grounds for disqualification.
- No earphones! It is unsafe if you cannot hear a rider verbally attempting to pass you.
- Be safe and courteous when passing another racer.
- Please DO NOT intentionally litter and pick up your trash.
- Do not leave clothing or trash on the course or thrown in surrounding areas.

- If you do not finish, please inform the Timer or Race Director at the Finish Area to ensure you are accounted for. Look for a “Race Crew” person with a fire shirt.

#### **RACE PLATES:**

Race plates must be visible and attached to your person. Please do not cut or fold your plate, as this could damage the timing chip and result in not capturing your race time.

#### **COURSE CUT OFFS”**

You must complete the running course loop (15k/9.3 miles) by 11:30 am.

#### **Course map**

The race takes place entirely in the Crystal Cove State Park. Park is open to the public and features various terrain, challenging climbs, ocean views, and a few sections of single track. It starts near sea level and climbs to 1000 ft. The first section is wide and steady climb to the top of Moro Ridge. The climb continues along Upper Moro campground to the Missing Link single track. Trail continues to Fenceline and then heads down Red Tail Ridge to some more single track called Ticketron. Finally, No Name trail to No Dogs back to Lower Moro parking to the finish

#### **Course Signage**

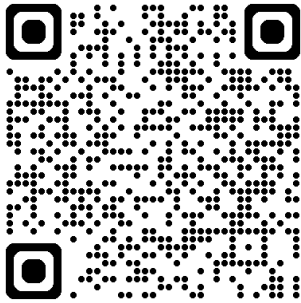
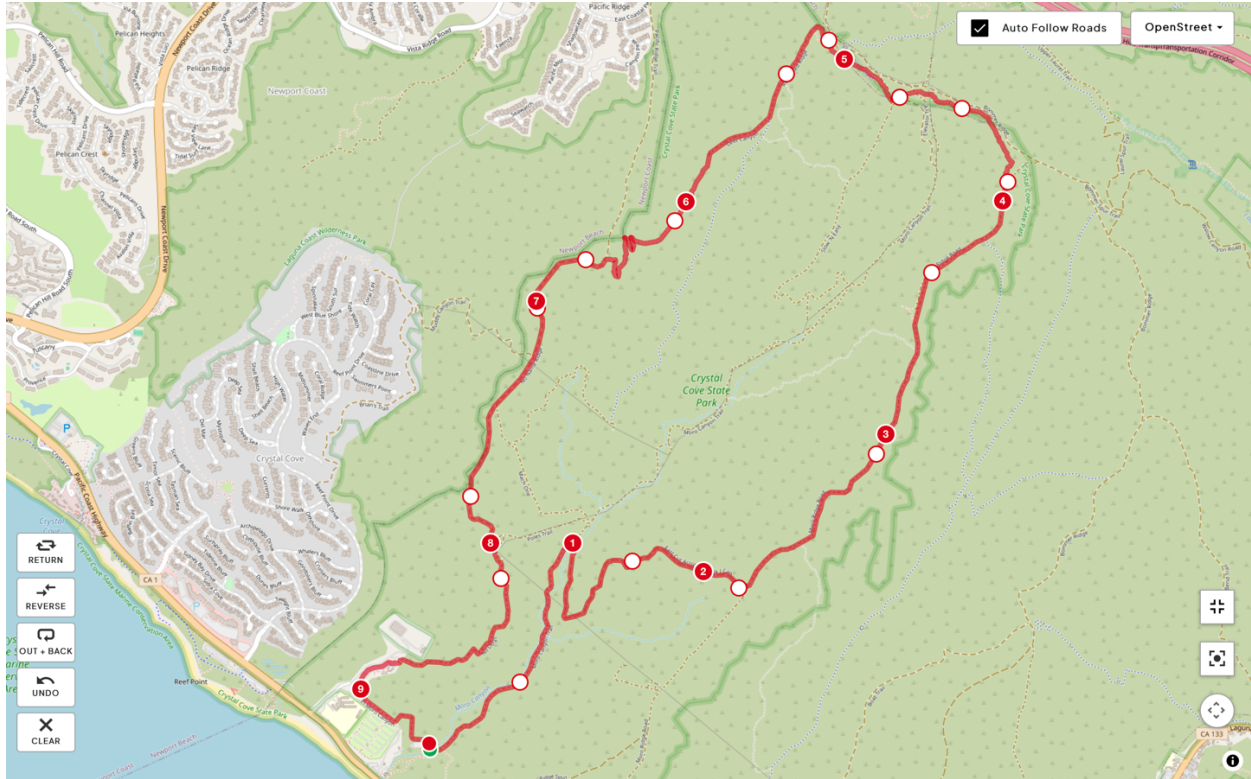
The course will be clearly marked at every crucial turn and crossing, with nearly 40 signs and course tape. Look for these important signs:

#### ***Insert Pictures***

#### **Support and Medical**

- All support stations will be on course by the Start and designated with signage.
- Newport Beach Pop Up – Water Station, GU chews and gels.
- Newport Beach Fire – FIRST AID – At top near Bommer Canyon and also at Moro Parking
- Tech Area Inspection and Repair – Located at Moro Parking.

Best of luck to all runners



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## Parking and event location



## Mile markers and directional signs

