

EARNED RUNS™ HALF MARATHON with “SAINTS DAYS” 5K & 10K
Training Plan (Part 1) WEEKS 1-10: January 14 – March 24, 2018
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	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Week 1 Jan 14	Myrtls DWarm-ups Walk 30 min	Lower Body Strength	Myrtls DWarm-ups Run: walk (15:2min) x 3 = <u>51 min</u> Stretches	Dead Bugs	Myrtls DWarm-ups Run: walk (15:1min) x 3 = <u>48 min.</u> Stretches	Foam Roll	Myrtls DWarm-ups Run 3miles Post-run Stretch/roll
Week 2 Jan 21	Myrtls DWarm-ups Walk 30 min	Upper Body Strength	Myrtls DWarm-ups Run <u>30 min</u> (or 3miles) Stretches	Dead Bugs	Myrtls DWarm-ups Run 35 min (or 3.5miles) Stretches	Foam Roll	Myrtls DWarm-ups Run 4miles Post-run Stretch/roll
Week 3 Jan 28	Myrtls DWarm-ups Walk 30min	Lower Body Strength	Myrtls DWarm-ups Run 30 min (or 3miles) Stretches	Dead Bugs	Myrtls DWarm-ups Run 40 min (or 4miles) Stretches	Foam Roll	Myrtls DWarm-ups Run 5 miles Post-run Stretch/roll
Week 4 Feb 4	Myrtls DWarm-ups Walk 30min	Upper Body Strength	Myrtls DWarm-ups Run 35min (or 3.5miles) Stretches	Dead Bugs	Myrtls DWarm-ups Run 40min (or 4miles) Stretches	Foam Roll	Myrtls DWarm-ups Run 55 min (or 5.5miles) or 5k RACE + 1-2mile recovery run/walk Post-run Stretch/roll

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Week 5 Feb 11	Myrtls DWarm-ups Walk 20min	Myrtls DWarm-ups Run 30 min (or 3miles) Stretches	Myrtls DWarm-ups Run 35 min (or 3.5miles) OR 2miles + 3-4 hill repeats Stretches	Dead Bugs Lower Body Strength St. Valen- tine's Day!	Myrtls DWarm-ups Run 25 min (or 2.5 miles) Stretches		Myrtls DWarm-ups Run 60 min (or 6 miles) or 5k RACE + 1-2 mile recovery run/walk Post-run Stretch/roll
Week 6 Feb 18	Myrtls DWarm-ups Walk 20min	Myrtls DWarm-ups Run 30min (or 3 miles) Stretches	Myrtls DWarm-ups Run 35min (or 3.5miles) OR 2miles + 3-4 hill repeats Stretches	Dead Bugs Upper Body Strength	Myrtls DWarm-ups Run 25min (or 2.5 miles) Stretches	Foam Roll	Myrtls DWarm-ups Run 60min (or 6miles) Post-run Stretch/roll
Week 7 Feb 25	Myrtls DWarm-ups Walk 20min	Myrtls DWarm-ups Run 40 min (or 4miles) Stretches	Myrtls DWarm-ups Run 35min (or 3.5miles) OR 2miles + 3-4 hill repeats Stretches	Dead Bugs Lower Body Strength	Myrtls DWarm-ups Run 30min (or 3miles) Stretches	Foam Roll	Myrtls DWarm-ups Run 65min (or 6.5miles) Post-run Stretch/roll

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Week 8 Mar 4	Myrtls DWarm-ups Walk 20min	Myrtls DWarm-ups Run 30min (or 3.0 miles) Stretches	Myrtls DWarm-ups Run 30min (or 3miles) OR 2miles + 3-4 hill repeats Stretches	Dead Bugs	Myrtls DWarm-ups Run 30min (or 3miles) Stretches	20 min walk Foam Roll	Myrtls DWarm-ups Run 70 min (or 7miles) or Race 10k! +1-2 mile recovery run/walk Post-run Stretch/roll
Week 9 Mar 11	Myrtls DWarm-ups Walk 20 min	Myrtls DWarm-ups Run 30 min (or 3miles) Stretches	Myrtls DWarm-ups Run 30min (or 3miles) OR 2miles + 3-4 hill repeats Stretches	Dead Bugs	Myrtls DWarm-ups Run 30 min (or 3miles) Foam Roll Stretches	Foam Roll St. Pat's Day!!!	Myrtls DWarm-ups Run 70 min (or 7 miles) or Race 10K! + I-2 mile recovery run/walk Post-run Stretch/roll
Week 10 Mar 18	Myrtls DWarm-ups Walk 20min	Myrtls DWarm-ups Run 30min (or 3miles) Stretches	Myrtls DWarm-ups Run 30min (or 3miles) OR 2miles + 3-4 hill repeats Stretches	Dead Bugs	Myrtls DWarm-ups Run 30 min (or 3miles) Stretches	Foam Roll	Myrtls DWarm-ups Run 80min (or 8 miles) or Race 10K! +1- 2mile recovery run/walk Post-run Stretch/roll

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KEY to workouts:

Myrtls: hip girdle mobility exercises

DWarm-ups: dynamic warmups exercises

Foam roll: self-massage routine with a foam roller routine

Post-run Stretches: static stretches to be performed after a run or at a time unrelated to a run but after a walking warmup

Dead Bugs: exercises that strengthen both lower back and abdominal muscles

Upper Body and Lower body strength: resistance exercises without or with weights

LINKS to demonstrations (see also on the RESOURCES webpage):

MYRTLs video demonstration by Wolf Creek Track Club Coach Brandon Wise

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=nmHjMCN0nx0>

DYNAMIC WARM-UPS:

Chris Bailey of Twin Cities Orthopedics video demo

(quite extensive and possibly difficult)

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=pZolGpjfjlc>

Cleveland Clinic Physical Therapy

(fewer, easier exercises)

<https://health.clevelandclinic.org/2015/06/try-these-4-dynamic-exercise-warm-ups-video/>

POST-RUN STATIC STRETCHES

Active.com by Ashley Lauretta

<http://www.active.com/fitness/articles/10-post-workout-stretches-everyone-should-do>

Lindsay Kunkel for running.competitor.com

http://running.competitor.com/2017/07/training/simple-stretches-every-run_161595

DEAD BUG: low impact exercise to strengthen abdomen and lower back
Without Stability Ball (easier)

Very easy to moderate by Move Forward PT: Robert Gillanders

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=8NBNM8haZx0>

Dr. Jeffrey O'Guin - beginner and intermediate

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=h0s77nPUPZQ>

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7IykMKgbm_E

With Stability Ball (advanced, harder)

Monica Ksel of Marmora <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bUfeEgFly8w>

This routine doesn't explain how to brace your core, but shows how to position the ball; it's harder than it looks!