



From fourth left: Olympic Council of Malaysia vice-president Datuk Paduka Mumtaz Jaafar, Giam, Pulainthiran, Olympic Council of Malaysia secretary-general Datuk Mohd Nazifuddin Mohd Najib and FTKLAA honorary secretary Murugesu Soosalmany (right) with sponsors at the launch.  
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# Cross-country run **back on track** after two-year break

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**PETALING JAYA:** The “FTKLAA Cross Country Run – Go For It!” is officially back with improved routes after a two-year hiatus due to the Covid-19 pandemic.

Federal Territory Kuala Lumpur Athletic Association (FTKLAA) president Datuk Seri Dr V. Pulainthiran said the past two years have been very difficult because of the pandemic, which led to the cancellation or postponement of events.

“Initially, this event was scheduled to be held in April 2020, but it had to be cancelled because of the pandemic. It will now resume on Sept 11,” he said.

Pulainthiran said this year’s

➤ Event to resume on Sept 11 with several improvements and extended run routes, plus RM10,950 in total cash prizes

cross country run will be the 35th edition since it began in 1985. He added that STM Lottery, formerly known as Sports Toto Malaysia, is the title sponsor for the sixth time.

Pulainthiran thanked the organisation for its continuous support over the years.

He said it was decided to hold the event at Padang Merbok and Taman Botani in Kuala Lumpur instead of its usual venue at Templer Park in Rawang, where there are ongoing

construction works.

“We made some improvements after reviewing feedback on races in the past few years. We noticed that participants like to compete over long distances.

“So, we have made changes in the running distances, with the 10km run now extended to 15km, and 6.6km to 10km.”

STM Lottery communications manager Giam Say Khoon said it was time to resume the FTKLAA Cross Country Run as Malaysia is moving

towards the endemic phase.

“It is time to bring the fun back, and I’m sure runners are eager to join the event,” he said.

Giam thanked FTKLAA for the opportunity to sponsor the event as the firm advocates healthy lifestyles.

“We are looking forward to seeing all the runners back on Sept 11,” he added.

The race is open to Malaysians and foreigners and features four categories, with distances of between 3km and 15km.

The total cash rewards for winners is RM10,950 for all categories.

Those who are keen to participate can register at [www.racexasia.com](http://www.racexasia.com) or [www.checkpointssport.asia.com](http://www.checkpointssport.asia.com), while those who prefer to register manually can walk in at FTKLAA office in Kuala Lumpur.



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（吉隆坡20日讯）多多博彩再次与联邦直辖区吉隆坡田径协会（FTKLAA）于年9月11日，在吉隆坡默布草场，联办“2022年追之也！联邦直辖区吉隆坡田径协会越野赛”。

多多博彩公关部高级经理严世坤先生指出，该公司曾在2020年迫于新冠肺炎疫情而无奈取消当届越野赛，惟由于众多本地越野竞跑爱好者皆翘首盼望，能再次参与此项在市中心举办的特殊越野赛，因此该公司决定在今年重启越野赛，可说来得正是时候。

他前日在越野赛推介礼上说，在国内逐渐迈入地

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方流行病阶段下，该公司认为这正是时候为竞跑群体带来欢乐。在疫情爆发之前，国内几乎每个周末都有竞跑活动，而如今大家已逐渐迈向疫情前的正常生活，因此本公司冀望参赛者能做好准备，再次迎接挑战。”

这项引领参赛者穿越林中步道、斜坡和泊油路的赛事分别为男参赛者和女参赛者，开设了涵盖15、7和3公里（幼年组）赛程的竞跑组别。此参赛者也

可召集家庭成员，一同参加5公里赛程的“欢乐竞跑组”。

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除了赛事优胜者能获得总值1万零950令吉的奖金，所有参赛者也能参与幸运抽奖环节，并赢取丰富奖品。

多多博彩在此感谢联邦直辖区吉隆坡田径协会，让前者有幸成为本届赛事的冠名赞助商。该公司也感谢其他共襄盛举的赞助

夥伴，例如成功酒店与度假村、ANSA Hotel Kuala Lumpur、ACES Hotel Kuala Lumpur、科士威、大马星巴克、100Plus、美禄、大马BOSSfit健身中心、泽合即溶咖啡（Chek Hup）、护肤品牌Simple Little Things、Kenny Rogers Roasters及U Mobile。

欲获取更多有关这项越野赛的详情，请浏览<https://www.racexasia.com/event/go-for-it-ftklaa-cross-country-2022-cros22>或<https://www.checkpointspot.asia/event/ftklaa-cross-country>。