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## Enthusiasm marks first promo run of half-marathon

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As many as 365 runners took part in the first promo run of B Safal half-mara thon on Sunday morning. The promo run was postponed by one week and it only raised the level of anticipation as enthusiastic runners started pouring in at the starting point from as early as 5.45 am. The second promo run of the half-marathon, organised by B Safal in association with TOI and NGS, will be held on December 28.

Omprakash Kaiwart, the winner of the Gujarat categoty of half-marathon last year, emerged the winner of the 21km run for men, while Pooja Tikmani took the honours in the female category, followed by Sandhya Chandna and Seema Singh. In the 10km promo, Subhash Yadav, Suresh Kankodia and Vaishali Joshi emerged winners. Some well-known faces like Piyush Shah, an ultra-marathoner, Kaushal Mehta, Parul Mehta and Vishal Chiripal were among the runners.

The registrations for the half-marathon are open till December 25.



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