

## Wild Yelpers Spotted at Bay to Breakers!

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Have zany plans for Bay to Breakers? You should!

### ON THE RADAR

Indie Designers take over the Hayes Green: Capsule SF

Wine is Divine: Uncorked!

Now open in North Beach: Joe & Eddie's

Once a year, [Bay to Breakers](#) comes around -- a spectacle of galactic proportions for others to peer at from their living room televisions and realize that **yes, San Franciscans are still that wacky**. Are you ready to run, walk, or in some cases, stumble, to the finish line? No surprise, yelpers are on their game to [make sure your posse is prepared](#) for all forms of pseudo athletic hedonism.

First thing's first, you need to get glammed up! Trust us, you don't want to be that naked guy (no, not that one, the other one). Go from classy to trashy with just one stop at the [Piedmont Boutique](#), where **Fannie S** claims to have come away with one **seriously scandalous outfit, complete with fishnets and lashes**, in two shakes of a synthetic lamb's tail. Make sure to wig out like our girl **Katie B** does over at the [Wig Factory](#), where the selection is fit for a whole royal family of drag queens. And nothing says merry pranksterism like fresh body paint, and for that Castro stronghold [Cliff's Variety](#) has got you covered, in all the right places.

But wait, some of you actually run this thing? Hey, to each his or her own.

**Self-proclaimed running junkie/nerd/snob Josh M** claims that [Fleet Feet](#) will have your kicks fitted in no time flat, and by actual runners to boot. And people, you'll need fluids, and not just of the alcoholic variety, so pick up a camelback at [Sports Basement](#) to stay hydrated throughout the day.

Once you've crossed that glorious finish line, plop yourself down, pat yourself on the back and... continue the party! The **outdoor scene and general drunken revelry** at both the [Park and Beach Chalets](#) will be most evident post race, and expect a madhouse of sweaty proportions. For tender, juicy nearby sustenance, **Peter M** recommends [Ironwood BBQ](#) for Memphis-style BBQ done right, and a view from their huge outdoor patio clear out to the Farallon Islands.

Ready, Set, Go! Let your freak flag fly, and if you're looking for "useful, funny and cool" companionship that day, **come out and support/join Team Yelp!!!**

## ING Bay to Breakers 12K Race in San Francisco, CA 5/18/2008

**Category:** Sports & Active Life  
**When:** Sunday, May 18 2008, 8:00am - 12:00pm  
**Where:** The Embarcadero Waterfront **0000** based on 18 reviews  
 Embarcadero  
 San Francisco, CA  
**How:** Official Website  
 Tickets  
**Cost:** \$39.00-59.00  
**Submitted by:** Ron S. [See all Ron S.'s events »](#)



### What/Why:

The Bay to Breakers is an annual footrace which takes place in San Francisco, California. The name reflects the fact that the race runs from the northeast end of the downtown area near The Embarcadero (the Bay side of the city) to the west end of the city and Ocean Beach (the ocean breakers near the finish line on the Pacific coast). The race is 7.46 miles (12 kilometers) long, and is run on the third Sunday in May.

### START LINE

Entry points to the start area will be determined by estimated finishing time and assigned division. Only registered participants with a 2008 bib will be admitted to the Start and Finish areas. Once in the start area you should line up according to the posted signage. More details will be provided in your Race Instruction Guide. Transportation for sweats is not provided.

### Zone 1 - BLUE

Bibs with a BLUE stripe across the bottom enter at Mission & Spear. Proceed to Howard and assemble according to posted estimated finishing time/pace signage.

### Zone 2 - Yellow

Bibs with a YELLOW stripe across the bottom enter at Mission & Steuart and proceed to Howard. Centipedes, wheeled objects, over-sized costumes and "floats" must line up at the back of the pack.

### Elite, Seeded, and Pledge Divisions

Runners in the seeded divisions must enter the start area at Mission and Beale before 7:00 am. Only elite or seeded runners are eligible to win prizes. Transportation for sweats is not provided.

### FEEES

Early Registration (through March 31)  
 \$44.00 - adult  
 \$39.00 - children under 18

Standard Registration (April 1 to May 14)  
 \$48.00 - adult  
 \$44.00 - children under 18

Late Registration (May 16 and 17)  
 \$59.00 - adult  
 \$55.00 - children under 18