

JBG Kolkata Marathon — Photo-Videography Volunteers

A marathon is made up of thousands of moments—the excitement at the start line, the determination on the route, the celebrations at the finish line, and the stories of every runner who takes on the challenge.

We are looking for passionate photographers and videographers to join the **JBG Kolkata Marathon** team as **Photo-Videography Volunteers** and help us capture these moments throughout the event.

This is an opportunity to be right in the middle of the action, documenting the energy, emotion and spirit of one of Kolkata's biggest running events.

Who Are Photo-Videography Volunteers?

Photo-Videography Volunteers are individuals who will support the JBG Kolkata Marathon by capturing photographs and videos during the **Bib Expo and Race Day**.

Volunteers may be deployed at both the **event venues and along the race route**, depending on operational requirements.

Their work will help us document:

- The Bib Expo and its activities
- Runner interactions and registrations
- Event setup and venue atmosphere
- Race-day preparations
- Start-line excitement
- Runners on the route
- Crowd and spectator moments
- Hydration and support stations
- Volunteers and event operations
- Runner emotions and memorable moments
- Finish-line celebrations
- Awards and podium moments
- Behind-the-scenes activities
- Special moments that capture the spirit of JBG Kolkata Marathon

Where Will You Be?

Photo-Videography Volunteers may be assigned to different locations depending on the event's requirements.

Bib Expo- Capture the excitement leading up to race day, including runners collecting their bibs, interacting with fellow participants, exploring the expo and preparing for the race.

Race Venue- Capture the atmosphere at the start and finish areas, runner interactions, event activities, celebrations and important moments taking place at the venue.

Race Route- Volunteers may be positioned at designated locations along the race route to capture runners in action, their emotions, determination, camaraderie and the overall atmosphere of the marathon.

Who Can Volunteer?

We welcome:

- Amateur photographers and videographers
- Photography and filmmaking enthusiasts
- Students pursuing photography, filmmaking or media
- Content creators
- Running and sports enthusiasts with photography/videography skills
- Professional photographers or videographers who would like to contribute to the event
- Anyone passionate about capturing real sporting moments

Professional experience is not mandatory. What matters is your ability to capture meaningful moments and your willingness to work as part of the event team.

What Equipment Do You Need?

Volunteers are expected to use their **own camera, smartphone or other photography/videography equipment.**

You may use:

- DSLR or mirrorless cameras
- Action cameras
- Smartphones
- Video cameras
- Appropriate lenses and accessories

Volunteers should carry the equipment they are comfortable and experienced with.

What You Get:

The Photo-Videography Volunteer opportunity is **non-paid**. No monetary remuneration will be provided for your contribution.

However, every volunteer who successfully completes their assigned responsibilities will receive a **Certificate of Appreciation from JBG Kolkata Marathon** in recognition of their contribution.

Beyond the certificate, you get the opportunity to:

- Photograph and film a major sporting event
- Build your sports/event photography portfolio
- Capture real marathon and human-interest stories
- Work in a live, high-energy sporting environment
- Gain experience in event photography and videography
- Meet runners, photographers, creators and members of the running community
- Have your work become part of the visual story of the **JBG Kolkata Marathon**

Our Expectations:

As a Photo-Videography Volunteer, you will be representing the **JBG Kolkata Marathon** while working at the venue and along the route.

We expect volunteers to demonstrate:

Professionalism • Creativity • Punctuality • Responsibility • Teamwork • Respect for Runners • Safety Awareness

Volunteers must follow instructions from the event management team, remain within designated areas and ensure that photography or videography does not interfere with runners, medical operations, traffic management or other event activities.

Important:

Photo-Videography Volunteers will be required to participate **only during the Bib Expo and/or Race Day**, as assigned by the event team.

Specific deployment locations, reporting times and responsibilities will be communicated to selected volunteers before the event.

Join Us:

If you believe that the best way to tell the story of a marathon is through **images and videos**, we want you on our team.

Come capture the **speed, sweat, smiles, struggles, celebrations and spirit** of the JBG Kolkata Marathon.

Don't Just Watch the Race. Capture Its Story.

Become a Photo-Videography Volunteer for the JBG Kolkata Marathon.