## Program 2: Beginner B

2 days of running per week
2 days of non impact cardio mixed $w /$ strength training

Ideal for beginners with a primary goal of completion, minimal time to train \& possible injury issues that may make the 2 run week more favorable.

| Beginner B | MONDAY | TUESDAY | WEDNESDAY | THURSDAY | FRIDA Y | SATURDAY | SUNDAY | Total Milage |
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| Week 1-11/27 |  |  | 4 Steady Pace |  |  | 4-5 |  | 9 |
| Week 2-12/4 |  |  | 5 |  |  | 5-6 |  | 11 |
| Week 3-12/11 | XT/ST |  | 6 | XT/ST |  | 7-8 |  | 13 |
| Week 4-12/18 | XT/ST |  | 6 | XT/ST |  | 8 |  | 14 |
| Week 5-12/25 | XT/ST | ST / BW | $6-\mathrm{HI}$ | XT/ST |  | 10 |  | 16 |
| Week 6-1/1 | XT/ST | ST / BW | $6-\mathrm{HI}$ | XT/ST |  | 10-12 |  | 18 |
| Week 7 -1/8 | XT/ST | ST / BW | 7-HI | XT/ST |  | 10 RR \#1 |  | 17 |
| Week 8-1/15 | XT/ST | ST / BW | 7 - HI | XT/ST |  | 12 |  | 19 |
| Week 9-1/22 | XT/ST | ST / BW | $7-\mathrm{HI}$ | XT/ST |  | 10 RR \#2 |  | 19 |
| Week 10-1/29 | XT/ST | ST / BW | $8-\mathrm{HI}$ | XT/ST |  | 14 |  | 22 |
| Week 11-2/5 | XT/ST | ST / BW | $8-\mathrm{HI}$ | XT/ST |  | 10 RR\#3 |  | 18 |
| Week 12-2/12 | XT/ST | ST / BW | $9-\mathrm{HI}$ | XT/ST |  | 14-16 |  | 25 |
| Week 13-2/19 | XT/ST | ST / BW | $9-\mathrm{HI}$ | XT/ST |  | 10 RR \#4 |  | 19 |
| Week 14-2/26 | XT/ST | ST / BW | $9-\mathrm{HI}$ | XT/ST |  | 16-18 |  | 27 |
| Week 15-3/4 | XT/ST | ST / BW | $9-\mathrm{HI}$ | XT/ST |  | 10 RR \#5 |  | 19 |
| Week 16-3/11 | XT/ST | ST / BW | 9-HI | XT/ST |  | 18-20 |  | 29 |
| Week 17-3/18 | XT/ST | ST / BW | $9-\mathrm{HI}$ | XT/ST |  | 12-14 |  | 23 |
| Week 18-3/25 | XT/ST | ST / BW | 8-HI | XT/ST |  | 10-12 |  | 18 |
| Week 19-4/1 | XT/ST | ST / BW | 7-HI | XT/ST |  | 8 |  | 15 |
| Week 20-4/8 | XT/ST |  | 3 | ST (no legs) |  | 2 |  | 5 |
| $\begin{gathered} \text { April } 15 \\ 2024 \end{gathered}$ | RACE DAY |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

## Program Overview:

Starting Weekly Mileage: 13 miles
Longest Run: 20
Injury Risk: very low

Highest Mileage Week: 36 miles
Progression: Very gradual

The number next to each hill interval refers to the total mileage of that workout. Included in that is a 1.5-2 mile easy run at the beginning / end of each hill workout.
You can do some moderate cardio before and/or after the strength training (5-15 minutes).
Or, you could finish the workout with non-impact intervals or finishes

## Key:

RR: Riverside Run
HI: Hill Intervals
SP: Steady Pace
ST: Strength Train
XT: Cross Train
BW: Brisk Walk 30-60 minutes

