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Nashikites run for social unity

Marathon winners felicitated

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With an objective to strengthen the social unity and brotherhood, over 15,000 Nashikites ran in the 18th Nashik Run marathon organised by the Nashik Run Charitable Trust. Over 250 runners, including police commissioner Vishwas Nangare-Patil, participated in the special 10-km Nashik Run.

The Nashik Run marathon began with the lighting of the ceremonial lamp at the hands of the sports personalities and release of balloons by the chief guests. The marathon which began from Mahatma Nagar Sports ground proceeded to Parijat Nagar, Jehan



Circle, Swami Samarth Chowk, Nandan Sweets and then returned to Mahatma Nagar Sports ground by the same route. About 15,000 runners ran in the marathon, spreading the message of health, fitness and brotherhood. The chief guests were Mayor Satish Kulkarni, BOSCH India managing director Saumitra Bhattacharya,

assistant director SC Shrinivas, Power Train BOSCH's divisional president John Oliver, Jerk Bernd, Karsten Mueller, Sandeep Nalamangala, TDK India managing director N Balakrishnan, Nashik Run president HS Banerjee, Ramesh G R, Anil Dalthankar, Rajaram Kasar, Prabal Ray, Ananthraman, Ashok

Patil, Shrikant Chauhan, Kukund Bhat, Kallol Saha, Avinash Deshpande, Dr Vyankatesh, Raju Gadhave, Sanjay Modi and Vivek Zankar. Ironman Kishor Gumgre along with fellow Ironmen Mahendra Choriya, Prashant Dabri, Dr Arun Gachale were felicitated at hands of the chief guests. During the event, 15 lucky

Winners of the Nashik Run marathon

Women's group (10 km) (15 to 35 years)

First: Yogita Wagh
Second: Disha Borse
Third: Nivrutta Dhavad

Women's group (10 km) (36 to 50 years)

First: Ashwini Deore
Second: Nitu Singh
Third: Neeta Narang

Open marathon (women)

First: Suchita Palve
Second: Kalpana Kushare
Third: Revti Chitko

Men's group (10 km) (15 to 35 years)

First: Rohit Yadav
Second: Suneet Kumar
Third: Ravi Kumar

Men's group (10 km) (36 to 50 years)

First: Savliram Shinde
Second: Santosh Wagh
Third: Nandu Ugale

Open marathon (men)

First: Harish Chandra
Second: Vasantao Kachru
Third: Dinker Shelke

winners were selected in a draw and were given attractive gifts. The marathon had a special segment of a 10-km Nashik Run, from Mahatma Nagar ground to Someshwar Chowk and back to Mahatma Nagar ground. About 250 runners, including Nangare-Patil, ran the

10-km Nashik Run. The event was successful due to the hard work of 400 volunteers under the leadership of Vijay Kakad, Rohan Tandle, Santosh Joshi, Umesh Tajanpure, Sneha Oak, Dr Archana Saigaonkar, Aditya Avasthi, Jatin Sule, Sharad Gite, among others.