## Dashing Whippets Chicago Marathon Training Plan (2017)

|  | Weekly Miles... |  |  | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday | Sunday | Notes/ Totals |
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| Week | Min | Mid | Max | REST, easy run, or cross train | Long interval workout | REST, easy run, or cross train | Short interval workout | REST, easy run, or cross train | Long run | Recovery Run |  |
| 3-Jul |  |  |  | 5 | 9 | 5 | 7.5 | 5 | 15 | 5 |  |
| 1 | 37 | 42 | 52 | 45-55 min easy with strides/ drills | 2M w/u; $4 \times 50 \mathrm{~m}, 2 \times 75 \mathrm{~m}$ uphill sprints; 4-5 Miles @ MP with two long uphill surges @ LT pace; 2M c/d | REST or 45-55 min easy with strides/ drills | 2M w/u; 3-5 x Mile @ LT pace (1:30 rest); 2M c/d | REST or up to 45 min easy with strides/ drills | $\begin{array}{\|l} \text { 2:10 to 2:20 @ } \\ \text { MP plus 45-60 } \\ \hline \end{array}$ | REST or 45-55 min easy with strides/ drills |  |
| 10-Jul |  |  |  | 5 | 8.5 | 5 | 8.5 | 5 | 16 | 5 |  |
| 2 | 38 | 43 | 53 | 45-55 min easy with strides/ drills | 2M w/u; $2 \times 50 \mathrm{~m}, 1 \times 75 \mathrm{~m}$, 1x100m uphill sprints; 23x2M @ HMP (3:00 rest); 2M c/d | REST or 45-55 min easy with strides/drills | 2M w/u; 2400 @ 15K pace, 1M @ 15-10K pace, 2x800 @ 10K pace (400 rest); 2M c/d | REST or up to 45 min easy with strides/ drills | $\begin{aligned} & \text { 2:15-2:25 @ MP } \\ & \text { plus 45-60 } \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | REST or 45-55 min easy with strides/ drills |  |
| 17-Jul |  |  |  | 5 | 8 | 5 | 9 | 5 | 17 | 5 |  |
| 3 | 39 | 44 | 54 | 45-55 min easy with strides/ drills | 2 M w/u; $2 \times 75 \mathrm{~m}, 1 \times 100 \mathrm{~m}$ uphill sprints; 3-4 x 800 uphill @ 15K pace (full recovery); 2M c/d | REST or 45-55 min easy with strides/ drills | 2M w/u; 3-5 x 400 (5K)/ $1200(10 \mathrm{~K})$ supersets (400m rest); 2M c/d | REST or up to 45 min easy with strides/ drills | $\begin{array}{\|l} \hline \text { 2:25-2:35 @ MP } \\ \text { plus 45-60; } \\ \text { NYRR Long } \\ \text { Training Run \#1 } \\ \hline \end{array}$ | REST or 45-55 min easy with strides/ drills | Note: NYRR Long Training Run \#1 is Saturday 7/22 |
| 24-Jul |  |  |  | 5 | 10 | 5 | 8.5 | 6 | 18 | 5 |  |
| 4 | 42 | 47 | 58 | 45-55 min easy with strides/ drills | 2 M w/u; $2 \times 75 \mathrm{~m}, 2 \times 100 \mathrm{~m}$ uphill sprints; 4-6M Lactate Alternation run (1/2 mile @ HMP minus $10 \mathrm{sec} /$ mile then $1 / 2$ mile @ HMP plus $15 \mathrm{sec} /$ mile); 2M c/d | REST or 45-55 min easy with strides/ drills | 2M w/u, 800, 1200, 1600, 1200, 800 @ 5M pace Teams Champs simulation (25\% interval-distance recovery); 2M c/d | REST or up to 50 min easy with strides/ drills | $\begin{array}{\|l} 2: 35 \text { to 2:45 @ } \\ \text { MP plus 45-60 } \\ \hline \end{array}$ | REST or 45-55 min easy with strides/ drills |  |
| 31-Jul |  |  |  | 5 | 11 | 6 | 7 | 6 | 9 | 5 |  |
| 5 | 32 | 37 | 49 | 45-55 min easy with strides/ drills | 2 M w/u; $2 \times 75 \mathrm{~m}, 2 \times 100 \mathrm{~m}$ uphill sprints; 5 mile tempo (first and last 2 miles @ 15K pace; middle 2 miles @ HMP); 2M c/d | REST or 50-60 min easy with strides/ drills | 60 min run - first and last 15 min @ easy pace; middle 30 @ MP | REST or up to 50 min easy with strides/ drills | Team Champs (Club Points) | REST or 45-55 min easy with strides/ drills |  |
| 7-Aug |  |  |  | 6 | 11 | 6 | 8.5 | 6 | 20 | 5 |  |
| 6 | 45 | 51 | 63 | 50-60 min easy with strides/ drills | $\begin{aligned} & \text { 2M w/u; } 7 \text { Miles @ MP; 2M } \\ & \text { c/d } \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | REST or 50-60 min easy with strides/ drills | 2M w/u; 6-8x1K @ 10K pace (2:00 rest); 2M c/d | REST or up to 50 min easy with strides/ drills | $\begin{array}{\|l} \text { 2:50 to } 3: 00 @ \\ \text { MP plus 45-60 } \\ \hline \end{array}$ | REST or 45-55 min easy with strides/ drills | Note: NYRR Long Training Run \#2 is Sunday $8 / 13$ |
| 14-Aug |  |  |  | 6 | 9 | 6 | 6 | 6 | 18 | 5 |  |
| 7 | 38 | 44 | 56 | 50-60 min easy with strides/ drills | 2M w/u; 5 Miles @ HMP; $2 \mathrm{M} \mathrm{c/d}$ | REST or 50-60 min easy with strides/ drills | 6-8 miles with middle 4 miles @ MP | REST or up to 50 min easy with strides/ drills | $\begin{array}{\|l} 2: 35 \text { to 2:45 @ } \\ \text { MP plus 45-60 } \\ \hline \end{array}$ | REST or 45-55 min easy with strides/ drills |  |
| 21-Aug |  |  |  | 6 | 13 | 6 | 11 | 6 | 20 | 5 |  |
| 8 | 49 | 55 | 67 | 50-60 min easy with strides/ drills | 2M w/u; 64 minutes on hilly course @ MP; 2M c/d | REST or 50-60 min easy with strides/ drills | $\begin{aligned} & \text { 2M w/u; 10-12 Canova Ks; } \\ & 2 \mathrm{M} \mathrm{c/d} \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | REST or up to 50 min easy with strides/ drills | $\begin{array}{\|l} \text { 2:50 to 3:00@ } \\ \text { MP plus 45-60 } \\ \hline \end{array}$ | REST or 45-55 min easy with strides/ drills |  |
| 28-Aug |  |  |  | 6 | 10 | 6 | 6 | 6 | 18 | 5 |  |
| 9 | 39 | 45 | 57 | 50-60 min easy with strides/ drills | $2 \mathrm{M} \mathrm{w/u;} 6$ Miles @ HMP; $2 \mathrm{M} \mathrm{c/d}$ | REST or 50-60 min easy with strides/ drills | 48-64 min with middle 24 minutes @ MP | REST or up to 50 min easy with strides/ drills | 18 miles @ 5\% slower than MP | REST or 45-55 min easy with strides/ drills |  |

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| Week | Min | Mid | Max | REST, easy run, or cross train | Long interval workout | REST, easy run, or cross train | Short interval workout | REST, easy run, or cross train | Long run | Recovery Run |  |
| 4-Sep |  |  |  | 6 | 12 | 6 | 12 | 6 | 20 | 5 |  |
| 10 | 49 | 55 | 67 | 50-60 min easy with strides/ drills | 2M w/u; 8 Miles @ MP; 2M c/d | REST or 50-60 min easy with strides/ drills | 2M w/u; 12-14 Canova Ks; 2M c/d | REST or up to 50 min easy with strides/ drills | 20-mile Progression run | REST or 45-55 min easy with strides/ drills |  |
| 11-Sep |  |  |  | 6 | 11 | 8 | 9.5 | 6 | 22 | 6 |  |
| 11 | 49 | 55 | 69 | 50-60 min easy with strides/ drills | 2M w/u; 3x2M @ HMP on hilly course (3:00 rest); 2M c/d | 70-90 min easy with strides/ drills | $\begin{aligned} & \text { 2M w/u; 5-6x1M @ LT pace } \\ & \text { (1:30 rest); 2M c/d } \end{aligned}$ | REST or up to 50 min easy with strides/ drills | 22 miles @ MP plus 45-60 plus 45-60 | NYRR <br> Marathon Tuneup or 50-60 min easy | Whippet Run on Saturday or NYRR Marathon Tune-Up on Sunday |
| 18-Sep |  |  |  | 6 | 14 | 6 | 11 | 6 | 20 | 5 |  |
| 12 | 50 | 56 | 68 | 50-60 min easy with strides/ drills | 2M w/u; 72-80 minutes @ MP; 2M c/d | REST or 50-60 min easy with strides/drills | $\begin{aligned} & \text { 2M w/u, 4x2K @ LT pace } \\ & \text { (2:00 rest), 2M c/d } \\ & \text { (Williamsburg Bridge) } \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | REST or up to 50 min easy with strides/ drills | $\begin{array}{\|l} \text { 2:50 to 3:00 @ } \\ \text { MP plus 45-60 } \\ \hline \end{array}$ | REST or 45-55 min easy with strides/ drills |  |
| 25-Sep |  |  |  | 4 | 10 | 4 | 3.5 |  | 12 | 4 |  |
| 13 | 30 | 34 | 38 | 35 min easy with strides/ drills | 85 min with middle 4 miles <br> @ MP | 35 min easy with strides/ drills | 30-40 min easy with strides/ drills | REST | 12 miles easy with last 2 miles @ MP | 35 min easy with strides/ drills |  |
| 2-Oct |  |  |  | 4 | 6 |  | 3.5 |  | 2 | 26.2 |  |
| 14 | 38 | 42 | 42 | 35 min easy with strides/ drills | 50-60 min easy with strides/ drills | REST | 30 min easy with strides/ drills | REST | REST or 10-20 min shakeout | Chicago Marathon |  |

