



Triathlon Over Cancer Announces Start of Non-Profit Organization

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Hobe Sound, FL - Triathlon Over Cancer has started as a non-profit 501(c)(3) organization established to assist cancer survivors aspiring to compete in the sport of triathlon. Our coaching service is free, the race kit is complimentary, and race entry fees are reimbursed for completed races. If an athlete decides to continue on their triathlon journey the coaching will continue to be provided at no charge. The website can be viewed at www.triathlonovercancer.org. Our logo, designed by Wojtek W. Woźniak, based in Poland, is a modern vision of a triathlon with a runner, drop of water, and a wheel. And our colors represent the what every triathlete sees at the beginning of a race, an orange sky and blue water.

The founder of the non-profit organization is Dirk M. Van Doren. Dirk is a cancer survivor (2016), a certified USA Triathlon coach, and an avid age-group triathlete. His statement about the organization is as follows, "I have enjoyed training and racing for most of my life and after managing through the cancer spectrum I wanted to engage cancer survivors to enjoy the triathlon lifestyle. We hope to create a fun and relaxed learning atmosphere where individuals can challenge themselves. We are here to help any cancer survivor, the experienced triathlete or the novice, to embrace the journey. See you at the finish line."

We anticipate that most of the training will be virtual so there are no limitations on your location. We will help you every step of the way to determine your best course of action in order to get involved. The only qualification is you must be a cancer survivor. If you are interested, please reach out to us via our website.