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## **EPCC, in Association with the El Paso Sports Commission, Hosts the NJCAA National Half Marathon Championships**

The El Paso Community College (EPCC), as part of its 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary celebration, will host the National Junior College Athletic Association Half Marathon Championships. The race is sponsored by The El Paso Sports Commission and the County of El Paso.

- What:** *19<sup>th</sup> Annual NJCAA Half Marathon Championships*
- When:** Saturday, November 23, 2019  
9:00 a.m.
- Where:** Ascarate Park Pavilion  
6900 Delta Dr.
- Visuals:** Participants, Fans, Race Activities, Award Ceremonies

Over 120 of the nation’s best long-distance runners will complete the 13.1 mile course that crosses Ascarate Park and the Playa Drain Trail. The race will include athletes from 16 colleges nationwide.

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EPCC serves more than 28,500 students and offers 145 degree and certificate programs. Throughout its 50-year history, the college has remained focused on engaging students, growing community partnerships and fostering excellence. By creating a college-going culture and implementing innovative student success initiatives, EPCC is transforming the pathway to higher education and developing a better prepared workforce for our region.

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