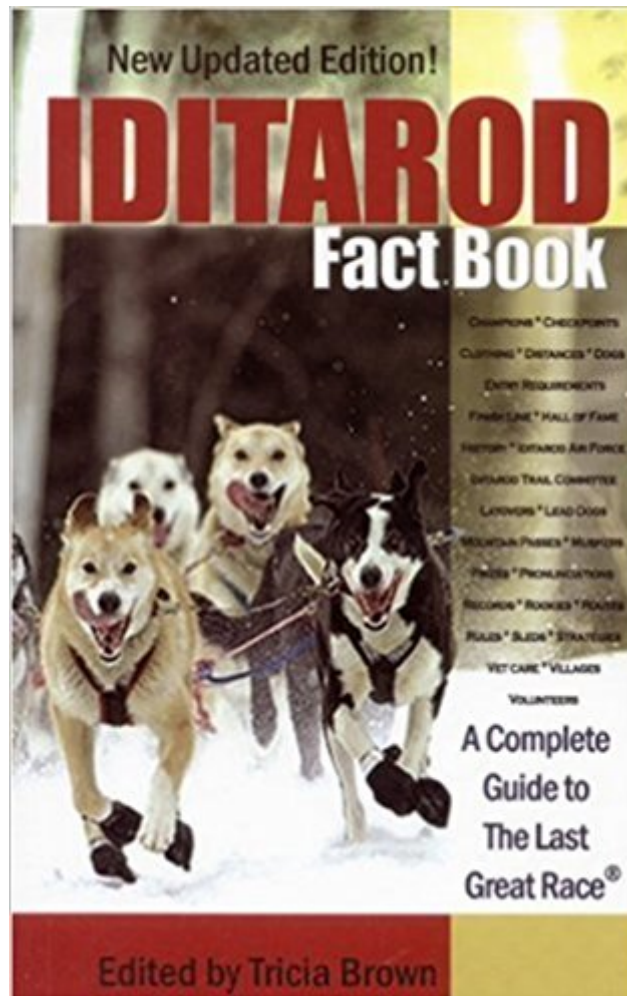




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# Iditarod Fact Book: A Complete Guide To The Last Great Race



## Synopsis

The Iditarod Fact Book is jam-packed with fascinating facts and figures about the Iditarod Trail Sled Dog Race. Updated following the 2006 race, this handy guide includes facts on race champions, volunteers, sleds and gear, checkpoints, mushers' clothing, the expense of running the race, inherent dangers on the trail, entry requirements, food for the dogs and drivers, race history, pronunciations, mandatory layovers, love for the dogs, mountain passes and weather, strategies, vet care, full text of the official rules, and more. Included are 20 b&w photos by official Iditarod photographer Jeff Schultz and many illustrations by official Iditarod artist Jon Van Zyle, a member of the Iditarod Hall of Fame.

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TRICIA BROWN is the author of several books for adults and children, including SLED DOG WISDOM, THE WORLD-FAMOUS ALASKA HIGHWAY, ITCHY LITTLE MUSK OX, and GROUCHO'S EYEBROWS.

This is an excellent little volume packed with facts. While it may not go into great depth, there is a trove of information in its pages. Anyone interested in the sport of dog racing (mushing) and the athletes, both human and canine, who achieve in it, will find this a great resource and an argument settler as well!

The Iditarod fact book is very informative about who, what, where, when, and how it all started and

continues. As someone who enjoys facts, I learned a lot about mushing, Alaska, and what it takes to run a race.

If you're a facts junkie this is the book for you. Every race, every racer. Great reference or bet settler. Greg

This book is good for beginners, but don't be fooled it is packed with history a good information.

The book is in an orderly format. Easy to read & is good for just skipping around & reading the facts at a glance then you can go back & read it in order if that is your style. There is no 'story' just titled and accurate facts interesting enough for the veteran Iditarod fan or the newcomer. I wished I'd purchased this book years ago.

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