

RED ARROW CLUB FOR ENDURANCE, RUNNING AND WALKING SPORTS

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6th Annual RACERS SUPERHERO 5K SPONSORSHIP PROGRAM

The Red Arrow Club for Endurance, Running and walking Sports (RACERS), a local 501(c)3 non-profit club for runners and walkers in Southwest Michigan, is seeking sponsors to assist the club in its mission to help members stay active and healthy while supporting community events. In 2013, the club organized the **RACERS Superhero 5K Run and Walk** in the City of Benton Harbor. **Proceeds from the event will be used towards the purchase of bleachers for the Fetting Youth Clubhouse at the Boys & Girls Clubs of Benton Harbor.**

The 6th Annual event is **Saturday, April 14, 2018** with a race start of 10:00 am. The event starts and finishes at the Joel E. Smilow Teen Center of the Boys & Girls Clubs of Benton Harbor, with a majority of the route on Riverview Drive and Empire Avenue. Participants are encouraged to dress as their favorite superhero.

RACERS seeks sponsors to offset the cost of timing, awards, shirts, printing, and signage. Sponsors are also needed for door prizes, best costume prizes, and other post race food. **We hope you will consider becoming a sponsor of the RACERS Superhero 5K through either a monetary or In-Kind donation.** If you do decide to sponsor this event, **please complete and return the attached form** so your donation can be acknowledged. A RACERS member will make a follow-up phone call.

INCREDIBLE, AMAZING AND FANTASTIC SPONSORS SHOULD CONFIRM SPONSORSHIP BY FRIDAY, MARCH 2, 2018 FOR INCLUSION ON FLYER AND OR MEDIA SPOT AS DESCRIBED FOR EACH LEVEL.

ALL SPONSORS SHOULD CONFIRM SPONSORSHIP BY MONDAY, APRIL 2 FOR INCLUSION ON EVENT T-SHIRT.

INCREDIBLE (PRESENTING) SPONSOR - \$1000

Prominent Sponsor logo on front and back of shirt
Prominent sponsor logo on flyer
Official sponsor of chip timing
Sponsor mentioned in media spots & announcements
Sponsor logo and link on event website and Facebook
(6) Complimentary race entries

AMAZING SPONSOR - \$500 - \$999

Sponsor logo on flyer
Sponsor logo on back of shirt
Sponsor logo and link on event website and Facebook
(4) Complimentary race entries

FANTASTIC SPONSOR - \$250 - \$499

Sponsor name on flyer
Sponsor logo on lower back of shirt
Sponsor logo on event website & Facebook
(2) Complimentary race entries

SUPER SPONSOR - \$100 - \$249

Sponsor name on back of shirt
Sponsor name on event website and Facebook

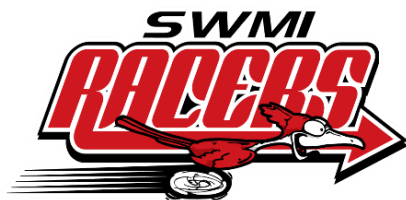
TERRIFIC SPONSOR – Under \$100 / In Kind Donations

Sponsor name on website and Facebook



Questions? Please email racers@swmiracers.org
or contact

RACERS President Marianne Groth at 269-876-0710



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RACERS SUPERHERO 5K SPONSORSHIP AGREEMENT

Yes, I would like to support RACERS in its mission to promote running and walking while supporting community events by sponsoring the RACERS Superhero 5K at the following level:

☐ INCREDIBLE SPONSOR \$1000

☐ SUPER SPONSOR \$100 - \$249

☐ AMAZING SPONSOR \$500 - \$999

☐ TERRIFIC SPONSOR Under \$100

☐ FANTASTIC SPONSOR \$250 - \$499

☐ IN-KIND DONATION**



****I WISH TO DONATE THE FOLLOWING ITEM(S) TO THE 6TH ANNUAL RACERS SUPERHERO 5K:**

_____ \$ value _____

_____ \$ value _____

☐ A charitable tax receipt issued to the company name below is required (if applicable)*

☐ A charitable tax receipt issued to the contact name below is required (if applicable)*

☐ A charitable tax receipt is not necessary

Donor / Company Name: _____

Street Address: _____

City / State / Zip: _____

Contact Phone Number: _____

Contact Email: _____

Printed Contact Name: _____

Contact Signature / Date: _____

DATE

To be included in promotional materials, please return both pages of this form by email or US Mail.

Please advise if a formal invoice is required. Submit payment by April 13, 2018.

Make checks payable to:

SWMI RACERS

PO Box 344

Saint Joseph MI 49085

A letter acknowledging the donation will be mailed upon receipt of payment. SWMI RACERS FEIN# 46-0840741

****Arrangements will be made to accept In-Kind Donations in advance of the RACERS Superhero 5K.**

NOTE: Through its affiliation with the Road Runners Club of America (RRCA), the Red Arrow Club for Endurance, Running and walking Sports (SWMI RACERS) has group exemption status through EIN 23-7283854 and Group Exemption #2702. As SWMI RACERS is included as a subordinate in a group exemption ruling, the club's EIN will not be included in the IRS online database of exempt organizations.

Promoting running and walking in Southwest Michigan as a means to stay active and healthy while supporting community events

AN AFFILIATE MEMBER OF THE RRCA AND THROUGH THE RRCA, A 501(c)3 NONPROFIT ORGANIZATION