



The race this year has very special meaning, as not only is it our fifth year, but the race is also Vicki's birthday! We have over 3,000 people signed up to join us for what is sure to be a great day! Please read the important race information below. We look forward to seeing everyone on November 4, 2017.

Bib Numbers

All registered participants will receive your assigned bib number in a separate email on Monday, October 30th. It is imperative to check for this email and know your bib number prior to arriving at packet pickup. If you are picking up for other individuals, please have their bib number and information available as well.

Packet Pickup

Save time on race day by picking up your packet in advance! Please have your bib number available prior to arriving. If you are picking up for a large group or for other individuals, please have all bib numbers ready. **WE URGE ALL PRE-REGISTERED RUNNERS TO PICK UP PACKETS IN ADVANCE!**

Packet Pickup Location:

Stanziale's Restaurant

595 Main Street – Stratford, CT

Wednesday, November 1st 4:00pm – 9:00pm

Thursday, November 2nd 4:00pm - 9:00pm

T-Shirts

The deadline to register and still be guaranteed a t-shirt has now past. If you registered before the October 19th deadline, you will receive the shirt size you selected with online registration. We cannot exchange any t-shirt sizes or guarantee shirts to anyone that missed the t-shirt deadline.

Day of Race Packet Pickup & Limited In-Person Registration

Packet pickup will start on race day at 7:00am. Please have your bib number ready. Limited in-person registration will be available at packet pickup and on race day for \$40. Kid's Fun Run is \$15. Please understand that while we would love to accommodate everyone, t-shirts are reserved for those who registered before the October 19th deadline.

Race Day Schedule

Packet Pickup	7:00am
Road Closures	9:00am
Kid's Fun Run	9:30am
Opening Ceremonies	9:55am
5K Run	10:00am
Post-Race Activities	10:30am
Awards	11:00am

*Please note times are estimated and may vary *

Race Day Parking

Parking attendants will guide you to parking, located in the lots next to 550 Main Street, please DO NOT park in the surrounding businesses lots. Please observe the sign trailers on Main Street and Access Road; they will direct you to parking. (The best address to enter into your GPS is: 550 Main Street – Stratford, CT.)

Race Course

Dogs are not permitted on the course. Strollers are allowed on the 5K course, however for the safety of all runners, we ask that those with strollers be mindful of your expected pace and line up accordingly in the back. The Race Committee reserves the right to alter the course for the safety of participants.

No Bags/Backpacks Permitted

For the safety and security of everyone attending the race, please do not bring any bags or backpacks to the event lot. We will not have a bag check, so please lock all your belongings inside your vehicle. We are not responsible for any lost or stolen items. Security staff reserves the right to search any bags prior to entering the race. Thank you for your consideration with this.

Pace Time

We ask that all runners/walkers line up at the start of the race according to their expected mile pace time. We will have large signs indicating the various different expected pace times. These signs will be at the start of the race along Main Street. PLEASE adhere to your anticipated pace time area to allow for easier participant flow at the start of the race. Please allow those runners who have faster pace times to line up at the front.

Timing

Timing will be provided by The Last Mile Racing LLC. There will be no runners/walkers allowed on the course without a bib. Please make sure your bib is pinned securely to your shirt and not covered in any way. The bib needs to be fully exposed so we can get your accurate time. THERE IS NO SWITCHING OF BIBS WITH ANYONE!

Post-Race Activities

Please join us after the race for food, beer and raffle prizes! Please bring your ID, as it is very important that we check prior to you being allowed in our beer tent.

Food/beer is available to all registered runners at no cost. If you are a spectator and wish to enjoy our post-race refreshments, there will be a \$10 donation charge.

Book Drive

Please bring a new or gently used children's book to donate to Miss Soto's Literacy Legacy. Books will be collected each day of packet pickup and on race day. These books will be used to support teachers, schools and classrooms in Stratford, CT.

5K Raffle

We have some incredible baskets to raffle off at the 5K this year! Tickets are \$10 for 12 tickets, \$20 for 25 tickets; winners need to be present to win. Drawings will take place during the 5K; winning numbers will be displayed on a board outside the raffle tent. Be sure to keep your ticket stubs! Tickets will be on sale at packet pickup at Stanziale's Restaurant and on race day up until 10:00am. Please remember to bring your money! There will be lots of other vendors selling merchandise on race day as well.

Kid's Tent Area

The Kid's Tent is hosted by Lordship Learning School teachers and staff and will have lots of games and activities for kids! If you would like to check your child into this tent, please see one of the Lordship Learning School teachers when you arrive.

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Thank you! We look forward to seeing you at the race!