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Jingle Rush 5K fun, healthy way to support local youth

Free race will be run virtually on Saturday, Dec. 5 to ensure safe social distancing

In an unprecedented year that's forced the cancellation of many favorite get-togethers, fun traditions that can take place safely are more important than ever.

With this in mind, the folks at Run CG Run — a Cottage Grove-based group of running/walking enthusiasts that organizes events that showcase their community — plan to again host the Jingle Rush 5K Run/Walk this year on Saturday, Dec. 5.

Participation will be free, and the race will be held virtually throughout the day to ensure safe social distancing.

For over a decade, area runners and walkers have kicked off their holiday season with the Jingle Rush, and while health restrictions and precautions will give the race a new feel this year, the opportunity to take part in a bit of healthy holiday fun remains.

Participants are encouraged to work some of their COVID stress out in a way that will benefit participants (exercise reduces stress, after all) while helping others; all proceeds directly benefit the local Tree of Joy effort — which helps area shoppers purchase Christmas gifts for local kids.

To comply with restrictions aimed to curb the coronavirus pandemic, this year's Jingle Rush will begin on "R" Street just behind the Cottage Grove High School soccer field.

Participants will be asked to stagger their participation out on the course, which will be well marked with directions and holiday fun and can be walked or run anytime between 9 a.m. and 7 p.m. that day.

The course offers a loop of mostly paved roadways in surrounding neighborhoods, and Run CG Run would love for participants to tag the group and post times and photos on Facebook and Instagram. All proceeds from the Rush will benefit Tree of Joy.

More information is available at runcgrun.com.

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all help out with in some way or another," said Bridgens.

Around eight to 10 families also participate in a matching process, Bridgens explained, in which the donating family is anonymously paired with a receiving family structured similarly to their own, enhancing the personalization of the gifts.

The list of students in need is generated based on teacher referrals and other information families share with the school. Situations under consideration include food insecurity, unstable housing, help needed with basic necessities, students in foster care or those living in houses with multiple families.

"We do a lot of work in identifying Bohemia families who are good candidates for this gift-giving program," said Bridgens.

Even so, the list is not written in stone and families can still contact a students' teacher directly or the school's office to initiate a conversation about the program, she said.

Bridgens added that the environment of online distance learning has actually presented a unique opportunity for educator-to-family connection and thus insight into families' needs.

"I think that we are communicating with families at a level at which we've not communicated with families ever before," she said. "We have a partnership with families to do school in an absolutely unprecedented way."

In light of COVID restrictions this year, the program is operating a little differently. Cash donations and unwrapped toys are preferred and staff are asking for drop-offs in front of the school or at the main office where staff will greet visitors at the door.

Walgreens has also partnered with the program and established a drop-off section at the Cottage Grove store.

In order to safely sequester gifts without being handled, the deadline for donations is Friday, Dec. 11 at 4 p.m.

Staff will then commit a full day the following week to gift wrapping, labeling and preparation for delivery to families, before which gifts are again left untouched for several days.

During the wrapping day, staff are instructed to remain masked, stay six-feet apart, wash hands, use hand sanitizer and wear gloves.

Though a largely volunteer effort, community members aren't being asked to help with wrapping.

"I think any other year we would absolutely welcome the help, but because of COVID, this is a year where we're being so careful about contact and the system we're putting in place," Bridgens said. "So I think families can feel really safe in knowing that we're taking every precaution to know their families feel safe and have great, happy holiday season."

For more information, call Bohemia Elementary School at 541-942-3313. Donations can be dropped off at the school at 721 S R St.

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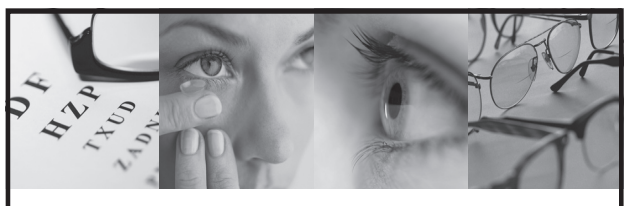

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