

We are pleased to announce the running of the 30th Annual Kutztown Fools Run presented by Service Electric Cablevision on Saturday, March 27, 2021.

The Bob Focht Memorial 10 Mile and Sally Miksiewicz Memorial 5K road runs are two of the most anticipated events on every runner's Spring calendar. Also this year, the Optimist Club 2 Mile Walk will be held. The proceeds from this event will support the Optimist Club of Kutztown and the Donald Peters Memorial Scholarship Fund.

This year marks the 15th year the Fools Run is run under the auspices of the Optimist Club of Kutztown. \$124,000 in scholarships have been distributed in our first 14 years.

With the support of our sponsors and the running community, the Optimist Club of Kutztown will continue to provide scholarship assistance to the most promising and deserving students in our service area to attend Kutztown University.

**The Fools Run will require masks to be worn everywhere on the Fairgrounds before and after the Run. Grab N Go bags will be ready for all runners with snacks and fruit after the Run. The Run will follow the guidelines of the CDC and the PA Dept. of Health for your safety. If you feel ill on the day of the Run, PLEASE STAY HOME.**

**Hotel accommodations contact Race Director at**  
**don6149@gmail.com**

The entire Fools Run family welcomes your participation in this year's event. We wish you the best as you prepare for and compete in one of the area's finest road races.

**Kutztown Fools Run**  
**C/O Optimist Club of Kutztown**  
**P.O. Box 196**  
**Kutztown, Pa. 19530**

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# The 30th Annual Kutztown Fools Run



**Presented by**  
**SERVICE ELECTRIC**  
**EST. 1948 CABLEVISION**

**March 27, 2021**  
**9:00AM**  
**CHIP TIMING**

**Bob Focht Memorial 10 Mile Run**  
**Sally Miksiewicz Memorial 5k Run**  
**Optimist Club 2 Mile Walk**

Through the countryside of Kutztown,  
Pennsylvania to benefit the  
Donald Peters Memorial Scholarship Fund  
Administered by the  
Optimist Club of Kutztown Foundation

Benefiting High School Seniors from the  
Brandywine Heights, Fleetwood Area  
Kutztown Area and Hamburg Area School  
Districts.

[www.kutztownfoolsrun.com](http://www.kutztownfoolsrun.com)

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## INFORMATION

- The races start and end on College Blvd. in front of the Kutztown Fairgrounds and Kutztown University Lot 1 parking area.
- The Bob Focht Memorial 10 Mile race starts at 9:00am and the Sally Miksiewicz Memorial 5K begins at 9:10am. The Optimist Club 2 Mile walk starts at 9:15 am.
- Race day registration is Saturday ,March 27th from 7:00am to 8:30am at Beltzner Hall on the Kutztown Fairgrounds.
- The races are run rain or shine. The race director will have the right and responsibility to cancel the day's events due to extreme and dangerous weather. In such instances, information will be available by calling 610-698-3826.
- There are no refunds in the event of cancellation.
- Visit [www.kutztownfoolsrun.com](http://www.kutztownfoolsrun.com).

## *The Courses*

- The Bob Focht Memorial 10 mile course is a scenic out and back road loop with time splits at the 5 mile mark. The course is mostly flat with an uphill climb at 1, 2, 8 and 9 miles, down hill at 3.3 miles.
- The Sally Miksiewicz Memorial 5K course is a mostly flat out and back course with an uphill climb at the beginning 8/10<sup>th</sup> mile and returning 2 mile mark of the run
- For the safety of all runners no scooters, in-line skates, headphones, animals, or jogging strollers are permitted on course.
- The 10 mile and 5K courses will close at 11:30am
- Water will be available on both courses - 1,3,5,7,9 mile markers for 10 miler— 1 & 2 mile marker for 5K

## ENTRY FEES

\$30.00 per runner (10M/5K) until March 24<sup>th</sup> or until **sold out**

\$15.00 per Walker until March 24th

With DRI-TECH SHORT SLEEVED SHIRT  
WHILE SUPPLIES LAST

## Only 225 entries per distance

Online entry at [www.pretzelcitysports.com](http://www.pretzelcitysports.com) until midnight March 24, 2021 or sellout

## AWARDS

- Gift Certificates to overall and master (over age 40) male and female winners of the 5K and 10 mile race.
- Medals will be awarded to the first, second, and third place finishers in the following age groups for both races : 17 & under, 18-24, 25-29, 30-34, 35-39, 40-44, 45-49, 50-54, 55-59, 60-64, 65-69, 70+, oldest and young- est finisher.

## DIRECTIONS

**From Allentown/NJ:** I78/U.S. 22 West to PA 737 South. Follow 737 five miles to first light. Right on Main Street. Right onto North Whiteoak Street.(2nd light). Proceed about 4 blocks. Left into Kutztown Fairgrounds parking area and follow signs on foot to Beltzner Hall.

**From Philadelphia:** I-476 (NE Extension of PA Turnpike) to Lehigh Valley exit (exit 56). Follow directions from Allentown/NJ. above.

**From Harrisburg:** I-81 North to I-78 East. Exit at PA 737 South. Follow directions from Allentown/NJ above.

**From Lancaster/Reading:** U.S.222 North to Kutztown Exit. Turn left on North Whiteoak Street (4th light) Proceed about 4 blocks. Left into Kutztown Fairgrounds. Follow parking signs.

## 2001 ENTRY FORM

Please print, detach, make check payable to **KUTZTOWN FOOLS RUN**, and mail to :

KUTZTOWN FOOLS RUN

P.O. Box 196, KUTZTOWN,PA. 19530

( Complete all Lines Please print legibly)

Select your event: 10 Mile(9am)\_\_\_\_\_

5K(9:10am)\_\_\_\_\_2Mile Walk\_\_\_\_\_

\*Last Name:\_\_\_\_\_

\*First Name:\_\_\_\_\_

\*Address:\_\_\_\_\_

\*City:\_\_\_\_\_

\*State:\_\_\_\_\_ \*Zip:\_\_\_\_\_

\*Phone: (\_\_\_\_\_)\_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

\*E-Mail\_\_\_\_\_

\*Age on Race Day:\_\_\_\_\_ DOB / \_ / \_

\*Gender: (circle) Male Female

\*T-shirt Size: S M L XL XXL

Emergency Contact \_\_\_\_\_ \*

Emergency Phone \_\_\_\_\_ \*

\* Must complete\*

**Release** (must be signed by all participants)  
In consideration of the acceptance of the entry, I hereby waive/release any and all rights or claims for damage or injuries against the spectators, officers, and members of the Optimist Club of Kutztown; race officials; the municipalities through which the 'Run' takes place; as well as any other person connected with the 'Run', their heirs, executors, administrators, successors, and families or for any and all injuries which I may suffer while taking part in the 'Run' or as a result thereof.

\*SIGNATURE (by parent or guardian if under 18)

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