

Pretzel City Sports presents the 10th annual

“HumBug Bustle 5k”

Sat, Dec 18, 2021 10 AM

Trooper Thorn's Irish Beef House, Rt. 10, Reading, PA

"Pretzel City's holiday present to those that love to race every weekend"

Online registration only due to the possible need to close registration immediately if limits are placed on the race by the state, due to Covid. Raceday entry probable but not guaranteed so enter early.

Ever try to find a race on the weekend RIGHT before Xmas AND in a year STILL impacted by Covid?? Well, you MAY be looking at the only one in North America! It's our last chance this year to get together at Trooper Thorns and wish our fellow runners Happy Holiday while quaffing a free select brew! Join us for the weekend before Santa comes & gives us loads of presents, peace on earth & HUGE amounts of credit card debt.

LOCATION: Trooper Thorn's Irish Beef House, 451 Morgantown Rd. (Rt 10), Reading, (1/2 mile off Lancaster Ave exit of the Rt. 422 Reading Bypass-take an immediate left after leaving the Reading ByPass). Registration opens at 9 AM. Race is on Thun RailTrail behind Troopers, almost road-like. Clock at finish, light snacks, instant results, great meals for purchase, loads of street parking, etc. **1 FREE SELECT BEER WITH EACH ENTRY!** Walkers welcome. NOTE: Registration & awards may be outside if the Covid situation warrants it. Masks MAY be mandatory at the race, except while racing, for the same reason!

AWARDS: 1st M & F + top 3 Males & Females in the following: 0-14 15-19 20-29 30-39 40-49 50-59 60-67 68-74 (68+ is top women's age group) and 75+ (2 M) Clydesdales: Top 4 M and F Clydes regardless of age.

Qualifying Weight: Men: minimum of 210 lbs or 185 if 5 ft, 9 inches tall or less. Women: minimum of 160 lbs, 140 if 5 ft, 4 inches tall or less.

SPECIAL AWARDS: prizes to be given for the males, females & groups most displaying their Holiday spirit thru their attire. Need to register in your outfit, may remove some of it right before the race, if running in it is a pain.

ENTRY: \$25 if entered by Sat, 12/4/20 includes unisex long sleeved tech shirt (tend to run a shade big) & a free beer with entry. After that, \$30 up to and including raceday while shirts last, \$23 afterwards. Held rain, shine, snow or snow on ground. No refunds, mailed shirts or awards. Insurance by R. R. C. A. Limited number of extra shirts ordered so PREREGISTER! Note: shirt type may be changed if availability problems exist with tech shirts. Shirt sizes available: S M L XL & 2X.

SNOW DATE IF POSTPONED DUE TO WEATHER-SUN, JAN 2, 202. Alternate road course may be used on EITHER date if the Thun Trail is covered with deep snow.

Online Registration on www.pretzelcitysports.com until midnight, the Wed of race week (nominal service charge applies)

Check out WWW.THEGIFTEDRUNNERS for great running-related Christmas gifts

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