

United Way of Tri-County

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Which company will be the first to finish?: United Way of Tri-County Announces Inaugural Corporate 5K

Framingham, MA—Companies and organizations of all sizes are invited to participate in United Way of Tri-County's inaugural MetroWest Corporate 5K run/walk on Thursday June 29, 2017. This corporate 5K promises to be a night filled with company camaraderie, exercise, community support and fun!

This after work event will start at 6:30 pm at 1 Nicholas Road, Framingham. Teams will race through the picturesque streets of Framingham. Hungry participants will be refueled with subs and sandwiches by Chick-fil-a Framingham and Jersey Mike's Subs. Exhibit 'A' Brewing Company will also be there, ready to pour frosty cold ones as you listen to music.

"We are excited to bring this competition to the Metrowest area. This event allows companies to come out, have fun and raise money to help improve the lives of people in our local community" said United Way of Tri-County President and CEO Paul Mina. Money raised will go to help feed the hungry, prepare kids for school, and offer suicide prevention/mental health support locally. Teams are able to select the program they would like to fund.

Teams of all sizes, ages, and skill levels are encouraged to compete. Individual runners and walkers are welcome, however, each participating company must have a minimum of 4 people in order to place for company awards.

The winning company will be awarded the highly coveted MW 5K Corporate Cup and bragging rights for a year! Awards will be given to the company with the highest number of participants, top male & female finishers, top male & female individual fundraisers, top company fundraiser and the most creative team shirt.

Be a part of an unforgettable team building experience and register today! Early registration fee is \$30 per team member due by May 17, 2017. After then the entry fee is \$50 per team member. Online registration is available at UWOTC.ORG/CORP5K

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Thank you to this event's title sponsor, Virgin Pulse; the event sponsor, Avidia Bank; and the many other sponsors, Liberty Mutual, Santander Bank, Chick-fil-a Framingham, Exhibit 'A' Brewing Company, and Jersey Mike's Subs. Sponsorships are still available. If interested in sponsorships or registering a team please contact Cristina Brennan at the United Way of Tri-County, CRISTINA.BRENNAN@UWOTC.ORG or 508-370-4826.

The United Way of Tri-County is a community building organization that brings people together to care for one another. We provide programs and services, connect volunteers, strengthen agencies, teach social responsibility, and meet the critical needs of the community with the help of people like you.

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Corporate Challenge – Brand new to the 2017 race, the Corporate Challenge lets businesses of all sizes bond over fitness, philanthropy and fun. Prizes will be given to the top-earning runners and teams of runners, including the Most Philanthropic Firm award, bestowed upon the businesses in each of 3 size categories who raise the most funds.