

Registration Form

Please print legibly !!

Name _____

Address _____

City _____

State _____ Zip _____

Daytime phone _____

E-mail _____

Age on race day _____

Male _____ Female _____

Circle event: 5k Run 5k Walk

1 Mile Run
(12 & under only)

Shirt type: T-shirt Tank top

Tank tops limited to first 225 requests-Adult
Size only.

Shirt size: YS YM YL S M L XL

I hereby certify that I am adequately trained and fit to participate in this race. In consideration of the acceptance of this entry, I, the undersigned, for myself, my personal representatives, beneficiaries, and heirs knowingly waive, release and forever discharge and all rights and claims which I may hereafter accrue to me or my estate against Baptist Health Systems, the Mississippi Sports Foundation, the race directors, and other sponsors of this race and assigns for any and all injuries or death suffered by me in this event. I knowingly assume all risks involved in this event. I will allow my picture to be use in telecasts, publications, etc. as a result of this event.

Signature _____
Parent or guardian must sign for walkers or runners under 18 yrs.

Date _____

MISSISSIPPI SPORTS HALL OF FAME AND MUSEUM
1110 Lakeland Drive
Jackson, MS 39216
Presented by
Mississippi Baptist Health Systems
4th Annual Watermelon Classic
July 14-15, 2007

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Watermelon Classic

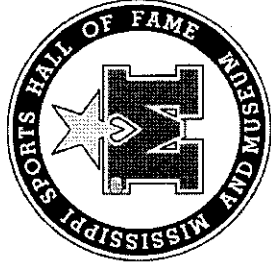
5k Run & Walk

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2007 Watermelon Classic

Mississippi Sports Hall of Fame & Museum
1152 Lakeland Drive
Jackson, MS 39216

Wednesday, July 4 7:30 a.m.

Site: MS Sports Hall of Fame & Museum
1152 Lakeland Dr.
Jackson, MS 39216

Times: Registration - 6:30 a.m. Race Day
5k Run start - 7:30 a.m.
5k Walk start - 7:35 a.m.

Fees: 5k events \$17 pre-registered
\$22 race day
Fun Run \$12 pre-registered
\$15 race day
Family Rate \$50*
(*Pre-registered only, immediate family - Limit 5)

Pre-registration ends on Tuesday, July 3 at 5:00 p.m. Hours of the Museum are 9-5 M-F; 10-4 on Saturdays.

Registration:

Mail or bring registration forms to:

MS Sports Hall of Fame & Museum
P. O. Box 16021 Jackson, MS 39236-6021

Or

1152 Lakeland Dr. - Jackson, MS 39216

Make Checks payable to

Mississippi Sports Foundation, Inc.

Or register on-line at active.com

Packets may be picked up beginning June 28th at the MS Sports Hall of Fame and Museum. Forms also available at www.msffame.com (special events), Fleet Feet Sports and local YMCA's.

Race management by MS Track Club
Certification Code MS02002RH

No Pets Please!

Shirts will be the property of Museum if not picked up within 3 weeks of the race. Past year's t-shirts will be on sale for \$3.

Corporate Teams

Team registration fee is \$60

Team members must be full-time employees or retirees of the same company!!!! Entries and fee should be submitted in a single envelope. Teams may have 3-5 members. Top 3 finishers for each team will be scored. Special corporate team awards will be given, including corporate with the most teams. Registration forms needed for each individual

Costume Contest:

Special prizes will be awarded to the best "4th" of July "Watermelon" outfit. The catch is, you must complete the entire 5k in your costume to be eligible for judging! Winners will be determined by audience selection at the awards ceremony.

Awards:

5k Run & Walk - 3 deep to Overall & Age Group places - Winners in Masters and Grandmasters. Standard age groups apply.

Blue Cross Blue Shield Fun Run - Only for ages 12 & under Overall winners and top 3 in each age group, 5 & under, 6-7, 8-9, 10-12.

Corporate Competition - 3 deep in 5k Run and Walk based on cumulative time of the teams 3 fastest members.

If you are the parent of an aspiring runner, you will want to have them toeing the line in the

Tot Trot for ages 3 & Under

NO FEES...NO T-SHIRT

NO REGISTRATION.

Just lots of running babies and some great photo ops!

Race will follow immediately after the 1-mile run.

Call 601-982-8264

for any additional information.

Bill Johnson

Memorial Plaque

In 2002, a group of local runners launched an effort to memorialize Bill Johnson, founder of the Watermelon Classic, owner of Phidippides running store for many years and a legend in Mississippi running.

If you would like to make a tax-deductible donation to keep this display ongoing, the **Friends of Bill Johnson Committee** ask that you make a separate donation and enclose with your registration. These funds will only be targeted for this display.

Special thanks to our sponsors!

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