

**47TH ANNUAL** 

## TURKEY DAY RUN

& GOBBLE WOBBLE 5K

**CHARLESTON, SOUTH CAROLINA** 







The Turkey Day Run & Gobble Wobble is a premiere charity event that has a direct and meaningful impact in the lives of families throughout the Charleston metropolitan area. A family tradition for 47 years, The Turkey Day Race brings together the community in a safe and family fun atmosphere. The event welcomes all people to participate as an athlete, volunteer, or spectator.





The Turkey Day Run & Gobble Wobble is a sanctioned 5K race in South Carolina. Organized by the Knights of Columbus, Rev. P.N. Lynch Council #704, the annual run/walk takes place on Thanksgiving morning in downtown Charleston. The event attracted over 8,000 participants and thousands of onlookers in 2023, making it the largest 5K in Charleston and the 9th largest timed 5K in the United States.

Proceeds of the race support more than two dozen Charleston Charities including Alzheimers Association, One Eighty Place, Pet Helpers, Special Olympics, Fields to Families, Habitat for Humanity, American Cancer Society, Water Missions International, Respite Care Charleston, Windwood Family Services, Home Works of America, HALOS, MUSC Children's Hospital, The Charleston Miracle League, His Way Ministry, East Cooper Meals on Wheels, Boy Scouts of America, Without Walls Ministry, and South Carolina Advocates for Epilepsy.

The Knights of Columbus is an international Catholic fraternal organization that was formed to render aid to the local community. The first council in the Carolinas, the Rev. P.N. Lynch Council #704 was chartered on October 26, 1902, and they finished construction on their Hall on Calhoun Street in 1910. What began with 55 members is now comprised of more than 400 members today.

The Turkey Day Run is a Thanksgiving tradition in the Lowcountry. Sponsoring this annual event is a perfect way for your business to reach thousands of potential customers while supporting a quality run that strengthens the Lowcountry Community. Our large participant size and diverse market audience creates numerous branding opportunities for your company.

CONTACT

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## **OFFICERS**



TURKEY DAY RUN & GOBBLE WOBBLE CORE COMMITTEE

Grand Knight
Dep. Grand Knight
Chancellor
Financial Secretary
Warden
Treasurer
Advocate
Recorder
Inside Guard
Spiritual Adviser
1 Year Trustee
2 Year Trustee

Race Director
Race Trustee
Volunteer Coordinator
Sponsorship Director
Charity Liaison
Treasurer

Tom Fressilli
SK Brian Borry, PGK
Steven Thompson
Paul Setti, DD, PGK
Richard Aristegui
Dan Metzler
Pete Marchewka
Mark Lester
Hendrick Kampert
Paul Rosenblum
Christian LeBlanc
Joe Mulé

Patrick Tivnan
Joe Mulé
Abigail Doud
Rachel Haynie
Pete Marchewka
Dan Metzler





REACH

thousands of patrons at Expo and on Race Day

MARKET

your products at the Expo and on Race Day

ENHANCE

product credibility though association with a growing charitable event

PARTICIPATE

in the largest 5K run/walk in South Carolina

We attract a variety of Sponsors and volunteers to host a 2 day event in gorgeous downtown Charleston including:

- 1 Day Pre-Race Exposition
- Kids Fun Run more than 500 participants
- Race Day After Party

#### **HIGH ROI**

With more than 20,000 attendees expected on Expo and Race Day, sponsorship reaches potential customers for just pennies per person.

#### **PRINTED MATERIALS**

Sponsors of Turkey Day Run & Gobble Wobble receive credit on printed and advertising materials, corresponding to the level of sponsorship. Advertising materials include posters, t-shirts, postcards, signage and Save the Date cards.

#### **ONLINE PRESENCE**

Sponsors have their company logos displayed on the Turkey Day Run website for a full year, and on the registration platform. Sponsors are individually recognized on the Turkey Day Run's social platforms like Facebook, Twitter, and Instagram. Digital Race Bag Ad included in all sponsorship levels.

#### **ONSITE PROMOTION**

The Turkey Day Run offers sponsors two opportunities to exhibit and display their product at the 1 Day Exposition on November 27th and on Race Day November 28th.

Possible On Site Promotional Ideas
 Sales | Signs & Banners | Merchandise Giveaways
 Product Sampling





#### **EXPECTED ATTENDANCE**

20,000 runners, walkers, friends and family

#### PARTICIPANT DEMOGRAPHICS

56% Female 44% Male

#### **AVERAGE AGE**

20-39

#### **ATTENDEE DEMOGRAPHICS** BY STATE

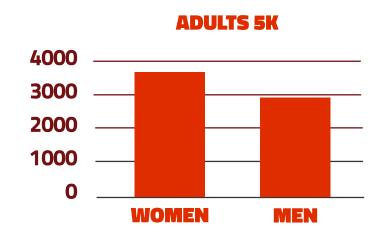
South Carolina 69%

6% North Carolina

Georgia 3.5%

Florida 2.5%

All other States 19%



FAST FACTS • The largest 5K in South Carolina

- Turkey Day Run originally founded in 1914, became a 5K in 1978.
- 9th largest time 5K in the U.S.



# SPONSOR EXPOSURE & STATISTICS





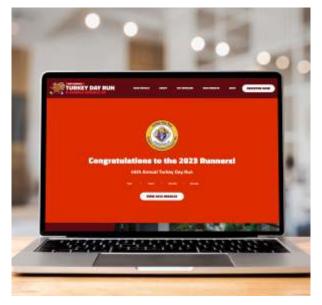














#### **Email Newsletter**

**+20k** subscribers **75-80%** open rate

#### Facebook

3.4k followers138.k people reached

#### Instagram

**659** followers **20.9k** people reached

#### Website

28,876 unique website visitors

#### Expo + Race Day Signage

Over 8.7k race participants
+12k attendees on Race Day
Est. 10k attendees at Vendor Expo

As an esteemed sponsor of the Turkey Day Run, we invite you to collaborate with us in enhancing brand awareness and engaging a broader audience. Feel free to contact us with any inquiries; we are eager to tailor a coverage schedule for your team.



## **SPONSORSHIP PACKAGES**

## PRESENTING - \$25,000

- 30 Race Registrations
- Company logo on official Race t-shirt as Presenting Sponsor
- Company name added under Turkey Day Run logo as Presenting Sponsor
- One (1) single room the night prior to race (occupancy for two (2) at a Race Sponsor's hotel
- Company announced as Presenting Sponsor throughout Expo and Race Day announcements
- Company included in all radio and TV advertising as Presenting Sponsor
- Company logo on all postcards mailed to over 10,000 past participants
- Company advertised on roadside billboard for 30 days prior to race day in a prominent location in Metro Charleston
- Company advertised on Sponsorship "Thank You" Billboard at Expo

- Company logo on all Volunteer t-shirts
- Company banner displayed at Expo Tent, Start and Finish Lines
- Additional banners displayed along race route
- Company name included on all Press Releases and Public Service Announcement
- Company logo on all publications
- Option to participate in Race Day Gun Start, and the Race Day Awards Ceremony
- Before and after event photo opportunities
- Two (2) complimentary booths at Pre-Race Expo and Race Day After Party
- Prominent placement on Race website and Registration website
- Logo and link featured on e-blast sent to over 20,000 emails
- Company logo on over 9,000 race bib numbers

### **GOLD - \$10,000**

- 15 Race registrations
- Included in Pre-Race and Awards Ceremony reads
- Company advertised on Sponsorship "Thank You" Billboard at Expo
- Mentions on Social Media platforms
- Company advertised on a prominent roadside billboard for 30 days prior to Race Day
- Prominent placement of company logo on Race website and Registration website
- Pre-Race and Post-Race photo opportunities
- Company provided banner displayed at Pre-Race Expo and Start/Finish Line
- 10x10 booth at Pre-Race Expo in Vendor Village

- Prominent placement of sponsor name/logo on back of the official Race t-shirt
- Company representative to start one wave for beginning of Race
- Prominent placement in both radio and TV advertising
- Opportunity to create Digital Race Bag Ad to promote company's goods and services
- Company logo on all postcards mailed to over 10,000 past participants
- One (1) single room the night prior to Race (occupancy for two (2) at a Race Sponsor's hotel
- Company logo on over 9,000 race bib numbers



## **SPONSORSHIP PACKAGES**

## START/FINISH LINE - \$5,000

- 10 Race registrations
- Included in Pre-Race and Awards Ceremony reads
- Company advertised on Sponsorship "Thank You" Billboard at Expo
- Mentions on Social Media platforms
- Prominent placement of company logo on Race website and Registration website
- Pre-Race and Post-Race photo opportunities
- Company provided banner displayed at Pre-Race Expo and Start/Finish Line
- Sponsor name/logo on back of the official Race t-shirt

- 10x10 booth at Pre-Race Expo in Vendor Village
- Company representative to start one wave for beginning of Race
- Opportunity to create Digital Race Bag Ad to promote company's goods and services
- Complimentary placement in Charleston's St. Patrick's Day Parade
- Included in raffle for one (1) single room the night prior to race (occupancy for two (2) at a Race Sponsor's hotel)

### CHILDREN'S FUN RUN - \$3,000

- 5 Race registrations
- Included in Pre-Race and awards ceremony reads
- Company advertised on Sponsored "Thank You" Billboard at Expo
- Mentions on social media platforms
- Prominent placement of company logo on Race website
- Pre-Race and Post-Race photo opportunities
- Company provided banner displayed at Children's Fun Run

- Sponsor name/logo on back of the official race t-shirt
- 10x10 booth Pre-Race Expo in Vendor Village
- Company logo printed on 500 Children's Fun Run race numbers
- Company representatives to start race for each age group
- Ad opportunity to create digital Race Bag Ad to promote company's goods and services
- Included in raffle for one (1) single room the night prior to race (occupancy for two (2) at a Race Sponsor's hotel)

## STAGE/MUSIC - \$2,500

#### Only 2 available

- 4 Race registrations
- Included in Pre-Race and Awards ceremony reads
- Company advertised on Sponsorship "Thank You" Billboard at Expo
- Mentions on social media platforms
- Prominent placement of company logo on Race website
- Pre Race and Post-Race photo opportunities

- Company provided banner displayed on stage for Race Day Awards Ceremony
- Sponsor name/logo on back of the official Race t-shirt
- 10x10 booth at Pre-Race Expo in Vendor Village
- Opportunity to create Digital Rage Bag Ad to promote company's goods and services
- Included in raffle for one (1) single room the night prior to race (occupancy for two (2) at a Race Sponsor's hotel)



## **SPONSORSHIP PACKAGES**

## **SILVER - \$2,000**

- 3 Race registrations
- Included in Pre-Race and Awards Ceremony reads
- Company advertised on Sponsorship "Thank You" Billboard at Expo
- Mentions on social media platforms
- Prominent placement of company logo on Race website
- Pre-Race and Post-Race photo opportunities
- Company provided banner displayed at Pre-Race Expo
- Sponsor name/logo on back of the official Race t-shirt
- 10x10 booth at Pre-Race Expo in Vendor Village
- Opportunity to create Digital Race Bag Ad to promote company's good and services

### **WATER STOP - \$1,500**

Only 4 available.

- 2 Race registrations
- Included in Pre-Race and Awards Ceremony reads
- Company advertised on Sponsorship "Thank You" Billboard at Expo
- Mentions on social media platforms
- Company logo on Race website
- Company provided banner displayed on Race course
- Sponsor name/logo on back of the official Race t-shirt
- 10x10 booth at Pre-Race Expo in Vendor Village
- Opportunity to create Digital Race Bag Ad to promote company's good and services

## **BILLBOARD - \$1,500**

- 2 Race registrations
- Company logo on 14'x48' vinyl billboard location in prominent location in Charleston for 30 days prior to Race
- Company advertised on Sponsorship "Thank You" Billboard at Expo
- Mentions on social media platforms
- Company logo on Race website
- Sponsor name/logo on back of the official Race t-shirt
- Opportunity to create Digital Race Bag Ad to promote company's good and services

## **EXPO - \$1,000**

- 2 Race registrations
- 10x10 booth at Pre-Race Expo in Vendor Village'
- Included in Pre-Race and Awards Ceremony reads
- Company advertised on Sponsorship "Thank You" Billboard at Expo
- Mentions on social media platforms
- Company logo on Race website
- Opportunity to create Digital Race Bag Ad to promote company's good and services

## **BRONZE - \$750**

- 2 Race registrations
- Company advertised on Sponsorship "Thank You" Billboard at Expo
- Mentions on social media platforms
- Company logo on Race website

#### PATRON - \$500

- 2 Race registrations
- Company advertised on Sponsorship "Thank You" Billboard at Expo
- Mentions on social media platforms
- Company logo on Race website



## **SPONSORSHIP CONTRACT**

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The Turkey Day Run a sponsorship prospec		ide the following services and privi	leges to the sponsor as out	tlined in the					
<ul><li>□ PRESENTING SPONSOR</li><li>□ GOLD</li><li>□ START/FINISH LINE</li></ul>		<ul><li>□ VENDOR VILLAGE</li><li>□ CHILDREN'S FUN RUN</li><li>□ STAGE/MUSIC</li></ul>	<ul><li>□ SILVER</li><li>□ WATER STOP</li><li>□ BILLBOARD</li></ul>	<ul><li>□ EXPO</li><li>□ BRONZE</li><li>□ PATRON</li></ul>					
					Other terms mutually	agreed upon	(if none, so state):		
					 The name of the Spor	nsor will be lis	ted as:		
Sponsor shall pay to	the Turkey Da	y Run the sum of \$							
Which sum is due and	d payable with	nin 15 days of this contract or by	2024						
FORCE MAJEURE:	In the event that the Knights of Columbus are unable to hold the 2024 Race due to a Force Majeure event(s), this contract along with all terms, conditions and consideration paid to date, shall be transferred to the 2025 Race Date.								
DEADLINES:	Oct. 1st Nov. 2nd	Logo in High Resolution Company supplied banner, desi	gn of Digital Race Bag and I	Prize items					
PRIZE DONATIONS:	If you would like to donate merchandise for the participant prizes or giveaways at the Packet Pickup Party, please list the item(s) and value below:								
воотн ат ехро:	If my Sponsorship includes it, I would like to have a 10x10 booth at the Packet Pickup Party on Nov. 27th.  YES NO (Please note, booths must be staffed 9am - 6pm.)								
	An Expo Bo	oth includes a covered 10x10 space	, an 8ft table and 2 chairs						
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For the Turkey Day Run:		For the Spo	For the Sponsor:						
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Signature:		Signature:	Signature:						
Address: P.O. Box 21534 Charleston, SC 29413		Address: -	Address:						
Telephone:		Telephone	Telephone:						
E-mail:		F-mail:	F-mail:						