Decorah Rotary's 9th Annual Loop de Loop

Youth 12 & under run for free! 5K, 10K and Half-Marathon Registration

<u>September 18, 2021 – Decorah, IA</u>

Date and Time:

The Loop de Loop 5K, 10K and half-marathon will be held Saturday, September 18, 2021. **The races will begin at 8:00am with staggered start times for each race.**

8:00am – half-marathon

8:30am – 10K

8:45am – 5K

NEW: The starting line will be located at the Decorah Community Prairie & Butterfly Garden. Parking is available on-street in the west side neighborhood of Decorah. Plan for a short walk to the start/finish line.

Registration:

Available online at <u>https://runsignup.com/Race/IA/Decorah/loopdeloop</u> Or return this paper form to: Decorah Rotary Loop de Loop, PO Box 442, Decorah, IA 52101

Pricing now through Monday, September 6:

- Half Marathon: \$45
- 10K: \$20
- 5K: \$20

Pricing Tuesday, September 7, through Saturday, September 18:

- Half Marathon: \$55
- 10K: \$25
- 5K: \$25

Youth Registration for all events (13-17 years old): \$15 Youth Registration for all events (0-12 years old): Free

Online registration will close at midnight, September 17, 2021. In-person registration is available during packet pick-up listed below. T-shirt not guaranteed after September 6.

Packet Pick-up: Racers may pick up their race packets at Decorah City Hall From 5:00 - 7:00 p.m. Friday, September 17, or the morning of the race on Saturday, September 18, from 6:30 - 7:45 a.m at the start/finish line area. The city hall is located at 400 Claiborne Drive, but you will enter the front of the building located on the Heivly Street side of the building.

Course: All courses will utilize portions of the Trout Run Trail that encompasses the city of Decorah. The start/finish line will be located the Decorah Community Prairie & Butterfly Garden. Please note the routes will utilize part of the dike system along the Upper Iowa River. Course maps are posted at on <u>www.decorahrotary.org.</u>

Courses will close and services discontinued after a 15 minute per mile pace for all races.

<u>Timing</u>: This race will be timed utilizing a disposable timing chip system. Timing chips will be on the back of the race numbers. Race numbers should be pinned on your front between waist and chest height. Race number should not be covered while crossing the finish line.

<u>Awards</u>: Medals will be presented to all half-marathon finishers. Specially commissioned awards provided to each male and female event winner. There are no age group awards.

<u>Aid stations and refreshments</u>: Aid/water stations will be located approximately every 2 miles along the route. Refreshments will be provided at the end of race. There will be restroom facilities provided at the start/finish line.

Questions or Concerns: Questions and concerns about the race may be directed to <u>decorahloopdeloop@gmail.com</u>.

Due to the charitable purposes of this event, we are unable to guarantee refunds of registration fees in the event the race is cancelled or rescheduled due to unforeseen circumstances.

Participant information:

Last Name:	First Name:
Sex: Age (Sept. 18, 2021):	Date of birth:Phone:
Address:	_Email:
Event: (check one) 5K 10K Half-Marathon	
Shirt Size: XS SM M LG XL	XXL XXXL
Total amount of registration fee enclosed: \$	

Waiver:

I fully understand that training for and participating in activities such as 5K/10K/half marathons may result in accidents, illness, or serious injury. I am voluntarily participating in Loop de Loop (hereinafter the "event") sponsored by the Decorah Rotary Club (hereinafter "the Rotary Club") with complete understanding of the risks associated with participation in the event.

I further acknowledge that this event requires participants to be in proper physical condition. By signing this Waiver and Release Form, I declare that I am medically able, properly trained, physically fit, and capable of participating in the event. In consideration for being allowed to participate in the event, I agree to release and hold harmless the premises owner and the event's sponsors, including the Rotary Club, its affiliates, agents, and employees, from all liability for any injuries and/or illnesses that may directly or indirectly result from my conduct or from the negligence of other participants in the event, and/or from the negligence of the premises owner or the negligence of the sponsors of the event, including the Rotary Club, its affiliates, agents, and employees. I also acknowledge full and sole responsibility for any and all medical expenses that I may incur as a result of any injury and/or illness related to my participation in the event.

I understand and agree that this Waiver and Release is binding. I hereby grant my consent and permission to the Rotary Club, its affiliates, agents and employees, to use my name, photograph, videotape, motion picture recording, voice, or likeness for Rotary purposes, including pre and post event publicity. I have carefully read this Waiver and Release and fully understand its contents. By my signature below, I consent and agree to the terms of this Waiver and Release.

X	
Signature of Participant	Date
X	
Signature of Parent or Guardian for minors (17 and under)	Date