



## 7<sup>th</sup> Annual Mayor's 5K Run/Walk

This year's  
event benefiting: **Twisted Christmas**

**Saturday April 27, 2019 • 8:30 a.m.**

Thank you for your interest in the 7<sup>th</sup> Annual running of the Mayor's 5K Run/Walk with this year's proceeds benefiting the Rush County Twisted Christmas, a not-for-profit program, presented by Twisted Sisters Bar and Rush County Senior Citizens Services along with Ride Rush Public Transportation, with the mission of providing Christmas assistance for the less fortunate youth of Rush County through community sourced funding. In 2018, this outstanding program made Christmas a reality for over 265 children ranging from infants to high school seniors. And, with your participation, Rush County Twisted Christmas can continue to be even more impactful in 2019.

This event is a fast, scenic 5 Kilometer (3.1 mile) run/walk showcasing some of Rushville's most attractive landscapes. The event kicks off at Riverside Park Amphitheater, home to Rushville's *Live by the Levee* summer concert series, then travels north through Rushville's historic district on the way to North Veterans' Park and the Veterans' Memorial Bridge. Participants will enjoy the sights and sounds of spring as they wind their way through the park trails before heading back to Riverside Park Amphitheater where the race will conclude with the presentation of awards to Division winners and refreshments for all participants.

***The Mayor's 5K Run/Walk has expanded its features for the same low price as always! This year's 5K will offer multiple competitive running divisions for a total of 12 medaling divisions for men and women with age groups from 19 and Under, 20 to 29, 30 to 39, 40 to 49, 50 to 59, and 60 and Over. Walking divisions are no longer competitive events. It's a walk; take your time and enjoy the scenery! Walkers will not be eligible for medaling, but they will still have the option to be electronically timed as will all participants. As in 2018, electronic timing is now optional; it is your choice to make. Only runners wishing to participate competitively must participate in electronic timing.***

***The Mayor's 5K Run/Walk registration process has been streamlined as well! Participants are encouraged to pre-register for the 2019 event by April 15, 2019. After this date, any remaining participants will have to register on the morning of the race, April 27<sup>th</sup>, 2019 from 7:30 AM to 8:00 AM. This time period has been expanded from previous years to help accommodate those individuals wishing to register on race morning. Pre-registered participants will receive a t-shirt with their registration; race day registrants will receive a t-shirt on a first come, first serve basis; race day registrants are not guaranteed a t-shirt. Pre-registrants will be required to pick up their registration packet containing event t-shirt and electronic timing materials on Friday April 26<sup>th</sup>, 2019 at the Rushville Police Department between the hours of 8:00 AM and 6:00 PM. All of these modifications will insure our participants and support staff are ready for a smooth start to this year's event at 8:30 AM on Saturday April 27<sup>th</sup>, 2019.***

Thank you for your interest and support of this worthy cause. We look forward to seeing you at the starting line and thank you for helping support Rush County Twisted Christmas!



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**Important Race Information!**

- Location: Riverside Park Amphitheater, 100 Backstage Drive, Rushville, Indiana 46713
- Course: 5 Kilometers (3.1 Miles) through the City of Rushville Historic District and Parks System
- Registration: Pre-Registration is *very strongly* encouraged. Pre-registration will be available until April 15, 2019 at Noon. Race Day Registration will be available, but participants will not receive all amenities given to pre-registered participants. Race day registrants arriving after 8:00 AM may not be allowed to participate in the event.
- Schedule: 7:30 AM – Race Day Registration (ending at 8:00 AM)  
8:30 AM – START of RACE  
***\*Please note participants who intend to register on Race Day must be in line to register by 8:00 AM or they will not be allowed to register to participate in the event.***
- Timing: Once again, participants may opt out of electronic timing. The only participants who must be timed are those in running divisions wishing to compete for medals. You may make your timing selection on the Registration Form.

Individuals wishing to be electronically timed must follow all rules specified by the official timers, Stuart Road Racing, LLC. Specifically:

1. Race bibs must be worn on the participant's chest with the number clearly visible. Race bibs may not be worn on the participant's back.
2. Timing chips must be worn securely on the participant's shoe and must be surrendered at the finish line to timekeepers.
3. At the Starting Line, Runners will line up to the front, and walkers must stay to the back of the group. This will allow a clean start for competitors and minimize potential for injuries.
4. Participants should stay on the right side of the course as they walk/run.
5. Finishers should move through the finishing gate in an orderly, single file fashion to return their timing chips and have the tear tag removed from their race bib by race officials.
6. Participants competing for medals within their respective divisions must be present during the awards presentation or the medal will be forfeited.

**\* Have Fun!** This event is family friendly, and all are welcome to participate. The course will accommodate strollers so feel free to bring your children!

Questions: Contact Chief Craig M. Tucker, Rushville Police Department at 765-932-3907 or via email at [ctucker@cityofrushville.in.gov](mailto:ctucker@cityofrushville.in.gov)



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**Registration Form**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Walker \_\_\_\_\_ Runner \_\_\_\_\_ (Specify One)

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Sex: Male \_\_\_\_\_ Female \_\_\_\_\_ Electronic Chip/Bib Timing: Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

Shirt Size: Youth L \_\_\_\_\_ Adult S \_\_\_\_\_ Med \_\_\_\_\_ Lg \_\_\_\_\_ XL \_\_\_\_\_ 2XL \_\_\_\_\_ No T-Shirt \_\_\_\_\_

Entry Fee: \$15.00 – Adult (18 Years and Older) with T-Shirt  
 \$10.00 – Adult (18 Years and Older) without T-Shirt  
 \$10.00 – Children (17 Years and Under) T-Shirt included  
*\*Extra T-Shirts available for \$10.00*

**Make checks payable to: City of Rushville**

**\*\*Write "Mayor's Walk" on the Memo Line**

Awards: Medals for Top 3 Finishers in Each Division

Male Runner 19 and Under	Male Runner 20 to 29	Male Runner 30 to 39
Male Runner 40 to 49	Male Runner 50 to 59	Male Runner 60 and Over
Female Runner 19 and Under	Female Runner 20 to 29	Female Runner 30 to 39
Female Runner 40 to 49	Female Runner 50 to 59	Female Runner 60 and Over

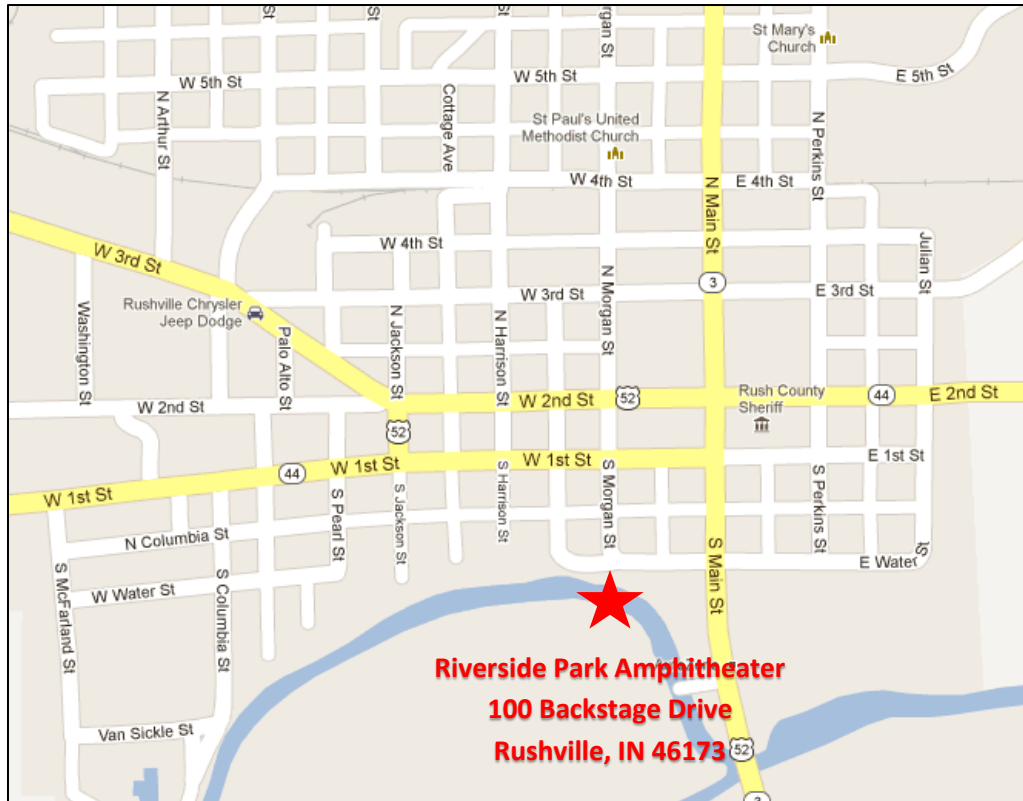
**Waiver: I hereby waive and release sponsors and officials of the Mayor's 5K Run/Walk from any responsibility with respect to any damages or claims arising from this event. I attest that I am physically fit and have trained to run or walk this race. Furthermore, I have read and agree to the race material pertaining to timing and medaling.**

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
*(If participant is under 18, a parent/guardian must sign entry form.)*

Parent/Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Mail or drop off registration to:  
 Rushville Mayor's Office, c/o Mayor's 5K Run/Walk, 133 W 1<sup>st</sup> Street, Rushville, IN 46173

## Directions to Riverside Park Amphitheater



### From I-74 and State Road 44:

Travel eastbound from I-74 on State Road 44 to Rushville City Limits. State Road 44 becomes West 1<sup>st</sup> Street. Travel eastbound on West 1<sup>st</sup> Street to South Morgan Street. Turn south on South Morgan Street, and travel two blocks. The entrance to the park will be immediately in front of you. Parking is available at the top of the hill as well as at the bottom of the hill near the amphitheater.

### From I-465 and US Highway 52:

Travel eastbound from I-465 on US Highway 52 (Brookville Road) to the Rushville City Limits. US Highway 52 becomes West 3<sup>rd</sup> Street. Travel eastbound on West 3<sup>rd</sup> Street to North Morgan Street. Turn south on North Morgan Street, and travel three blocks. The entrance to the park will be immediately in front of you. Parking is available at the top of the hill as well as at the bottom of the hill near the amphitheater.

### From I-74 and State Road 3:

Travel northbound from I-74 on State Road 3 to the Rushville City Limits. State Road 3 becomes South Main Street. Travel northbound on South Main Street to West Water Street. Turn west on West Water Street, and travel one block. The entrance to the park will be to the south (left). The entrance to the park will be immediately in front of you. Parking is available at the top of the hill as well as at the bottom of the hill near the amphitheater.

### From I-70 and State Road 3:

Travel southbound from I-70 on State Road 3 to the Rushville City Limits. State Road 3 becomes North Main Street. Travel southbound on North Main Street to West Water Street. Turn west on West Water Street, and travel one block. The entrance to the park will be to the south (left). The entrance to the park will be immediately in front of you. Parking is available at the top of the hill as well as at the bottom of the hill near the amphitheater.