The Hometown Classic 10K: An Experience in Leadership

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Foreword

The day after the first annual Hometown Classic 10K was finished one of my fraternity brothers was looking over the leftover T-shirts (there were several) and kindly pointed out to me that the first year of an event is known as "inaugural" not "first annual." I felt that statement pretty much summed up my experience as a first time race director.

Looking back on the Hometown Classic 10K, there are many things I see that could have been improved upon. I think about the way I kept records, the number of T-shirts I ordered and several little tasks that could have been done to make the race more of a success. In the pages that follow, I hope to discuss the preparation which began months before the race, take you right up through race day itself, and then tie up all the loose ends. In addition, I will include several suggestions on how I could have done things better and difficulties others should try to avoid; it is sort of like saying "Take my advice; I'm not using it." It is my hope, however, that the Hometown Classic will continue as an "annual" event and that this thesis will help the future race directors avoid many of the problems I encountered.

Considering all that could have been improved upon, the race itself came off pretty well. I realize now that I gained a great deal of knowledge from this experience, hard knowledge, the kind of knowledge you only get from diving in head first without stopping first to check the water depth.

When the event was over and all the equipment had been cleaned up and put away or sent back to whomever it was borrowed from, I began sorting through all the files and stacks of receipts, entry forms, finishing results, sponsorship letters and agreements (there
were many more letters than agreements), logos and anything else I had deemed important
to save at the time. In doing so, I came across a few quotes and motivational readings
that had gotten mixed in with everything else. After taking a minute to read over a few of
them, I came across a poem by Earl Raum titled “A Wish for Leaders” (p. 6). The poem
refers to leadership and the triumphs and difficulties that go with it. I realized when
reading that poem that it applied very well to what I had just gone through.
A Wish for Leaders

I sincerely wish you will have the experience of thinking up a new idea, planning it, organizing it, and following it to completion, and then have it be magnificently successful. I also hope you’ll go through the same process and have something “bomb-out”.

I wish you could know how it feels "to run" with all your heart and lose..............horribly!

I wish that you could achieve some great good for mankind but have nobody know about it except you.

I wish you could find something so worthwhile that you deem it worthy of investing your life within it.

I hope you become frustrated and challenged enough to begin to push back the very barriers of your own personal limitations.

I hope you make a stupid mistake and get caught red-handed and are big enough to say those magic words: “I was wrong.”

I hope you give so much of yourself that some days you wonder if it’s worth all the effort.

I wish for you a magnificent obsession that will give you reason for living and purpose and direction and life.

I wish for you the worst kind of criticism for everything you do, because that makes you fight to achieve beyond what you normally would.

I wish for you the experience of leadership.

--Earl Raum
Acknowledgments

Often, when I open a book I find that I flip past the first few pages and dive right into the story. However, looking back on the race, I realize the importance of the prefix to this “story” because none of the following would have been possible without a great deal of help from some very special people. I would like to extend my sincere thanks to the following:

My parents, I wonder sometimes if they did more work than I to make it all possible; from the beginning planning stages all the way to getting up at 5:30 a.m. on race morning to help me mark the race course, then tear down after it was all over.

My brother (my racing mentor), without his mind for organizing I would have surely overlooked many necessities of the race.

My sister, who grabbed every person she knew and threatened their lives if they wouldn’t enter the race.

My Sigma Chi brothers, from designing the entry form and helping with sponsorship to getting everyone registered and working the water stops they were an essential part of the event.

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Pete Young, my thesis advisor who patiently waited through my many promises to have the thesis done any day now and for helping make sense out of my ramblings.
It Starts with a Plan

Four and a half months seemed like an appropriate amount of time in which to obtain sponsorship and organize a race. I thought so anyway when I started preparing checklists and making the initial plans for a 10K running race to be held on the Ball State campus. The time frame actually would have been fine, except that I spent most of my time trying to figure out what had to be done next. I took many of the steps I needed to, such as contacting sponsors and publicizing the event, but often by the time I figured out what to do for each it was too late for them to really be effective.

Checklists

The first step I took, in the middle of November to get organized, was to go through each phase of the process of putting on a race and make a checklist for it. I began with the entry form, looking over other races’ entry forms and seeing what I liked best about each, as well as making sure all the necessary information was included, such as date, time, place, etc. (it might seem a little trivial but I’ve seen race entry forms that didn’t list the race’s distance or start time; no small oversight). After much review and thought, I finally came up with The Entry Form Guidelines checklist (see Appendix A), to make sure that nothing was left off the Hometown Classic entry forms. In the end it was just missing one thing, but I’ll get to that later.

The next step was to consider all the places and different ways to publicize the event and create a checklist of Entry Form Distribution/Publicity Opportunities (see Appendix B). In doing this, I stopped to consider what my target market was, as far as what type of people would be doing the race and from where would they be coming. I knew that many people who would participate would be using the race as preparation for the Indianapolis Mini-Marathon. I had scheduled the race on March 30 for that very reason. Two weeks after the Hometown Classic was the Bricks to Bricks, a 10 mile race, and three weeks after that was the Indianapolis Mini-Marathon, 13.1 miles. With this in
mind, I targeted runners from Muncie, Anderson, and Indianapolis and distributed entry forms to health clubs, YMCAs, athletic stores, at other running races in the area and advertised in several newspapers, magazines and radio stations in those areas.

Next, the checklist for Sponsorship Procedures (see Appendix C) was developed, in which I tried to detail a series of steps to follow when dealing with a possible sponsor. I did this so my sponsorship committee would all follow the same procedures and deal with the sponsoring businesses professionally. It was a fine idea but my sponsorship committee never really came to be. In the end, it consisted of one person besides myself.

Also in the checklist for Sponsorship Procedures, I listed a number of businesses that might be good to hit up for money or products. One type of business I would focus more effort on if I had to do over again is Health Insurance Companies. Because the race promotes fitness and healthier living, most health insurance companies should be excited about the possibility to sponsor such an event. An example of this is the Indianapolis Mini-Marathon which has Indianapolis Life as a primary sponsor. Another business I would focus heavily on for future events is Wal-Mart, since they are a large supporter of the Children’s Miracle Network and the Hometown Classic 10K donates all profits to that organization.

Continuing on, I made a checklist for Registration (see Appendix D), detailing what to do for pre-registered entrants as well as for those who would register on race day. I also included a list of materials and necessities to have for race day registration, such as a cash box, pens, extra entry forms, signs telling people where to go and all the other common sense things that people usually forget in the rush.

Realizing that most of my volunteers had never competed in a running race of any kind, I wanted to make sure those working the water stops knew what items they would need and how to set up their stations. So in the search for perfection, I produced the checklist for Water stops (see Appendix E). Looking back, I’d say those who were in charge of the water stops did a great job and there was definitely plenty of Gatorade.
A race can come off really well, but it's still lacking something if it doesn't have a good post race party. With this in mind, I wanted to make sure the Hometown Classic didn't fail simply because it lacked a good awards program. Out of this vision for success came the final of my semi-famous checklists, the Post-race Party checklist (see Appendix F).

Finally, the last list isn't really a checklist but instead a list of committee heads for me to keep straight who was in charge of what areas and what checklist went to whom (I'm getting confused just explaining it). I had originally planned to have a different person in charge of each area but as the semester grew closer to an end and assignments and projects began to dominate their time, there were fewer and fewer people wanting to be a committee head. As a result, the list of Director and Committee Heads (see Appendix G) began to fill up with my name next to more areas than I care to remember.

Seeing all my checklists now, I realize that many of the items I listed seem like common sense, but when race morning rolls around and your trying to remember every little detail and you have too many things on your mind to count, it isn't difficult to forget something. I made each one with the hope that the race would come off perfect, but having experienced what it's like to be in charge and direct everyone on race morning, I can say pretty confidently that never will a race come off perfect. There will always be a problem somewhere, whether it's just a slight mix up by one of the volunteers or a problem with one of the participants. The best advice is to just do the best you can to remember everything, communicate to everyone what it is that you need from them and pray that nothing major goes wrong because in the end, small problems usually seem to work themselves out.
The Leg Work

With the checklists finished, I had a framework on which to build the race. The work, however, was just beginning. Every subheading and bulleted item on my checklists required quite a bit of work to turn them from idea into reality. In this section, I will talk about all the steps I took to bring the plan to fruition.

Entry Forms

In theory, once the checklists were completed everything should have run smoothly. However, as I wrote earlier there was still one thing missing from the original entry forms (see Appendix H). I forgot to include a spot for participants to specify what size T-shirt they wanted. In the end, it proved not to matter much since there was an abundance of T-shirts.

Even though I did remember to include all the other important information, I gained quite a lesson in using desktop publishing software. Until this project, I had little experience with any similar software, but somehow we seem to get by when we must. Adam Moore was kind enough to do a great deal of design of the original entry form, including the graphic of the runners on the front. In an effort to draw more sponsorship, however, I made several changes to the entry form, often changing them right back after the sponsors declined to participate.

Sponsorship

The first changes I made in the entry form were to try and entice the people at American National Bank into coughing up $1,500. As much as I tried, they weren't in a coughing mood. I was able to get a meeting set up with their Director of Marketing, Tom Covach. I took him through a presentation of what all we would do for ANB if they choose to sponsor the event and left him a letter detailing what we would deliver (see Appendix I). In order to get a company to part with one and a half grand, you usually
have to offer them quite a bit, but then again. I wouldn't know because no one ever did sponsor us for anywhere near that amount of money.

For ANB, we were prepared to include their company's name in the title of the event. We were prepared to call the race the American National Bank Hometown Classic 10K and include their name on all of our promotions, including entry forms, banners, newspaper ads, radio commercials and anything else on which the race was promoted.

To show him that it would be done in a professional manner, I went ahead and made a sample entry form with the ANB logo on it so he could get an idea of how the finished product would look (see Appendix J). This is where I learned a valuable lesson about companies and their logos. Never, ever use a company’s logo in any other form than exactly how they use it. When I handed him the sample entry form, I was waiting for him to be a little impressed by all the hard work I’d done to make it look just right. However, I was quickly informed that the logo had been stretched when it was placed on the entry form and although it was virtually undetectable by the naked eye, he could without a doubt see what must have been stretch marks.

I remember that was the point when the sinking feeling started to set in to my stomach. It might have been all right if the sinking had stopped there. With this presentation, however, it didn’t just sink a little bit, it made like the Titanic and set a crash course for the ocean floor. I write this because following the lecture on the proper use of the ANB logo he proceeded to ask who was printing the T-shirts for the event. He was just curious because he happened to own a company that does screen printing. I realized that not only was ANB not buying into my sponsorship plans, but that Mr. Covach was trying to sell me on using his printing company. Nevertheless, I wasn’t buying either and I was kindly informed a week later that ANB would not be sponsoring the race.

One change I made happily to the entry form was adding Gatorade’s logo after I received confirmation that they would be sponsoring the event. I mailed them a letter in November (see Appendix K) asking if they would be willing to supply drinks for
participants. I began to get a little nervous when I hadn’t heard back from them for a few months. Then one afternoon, late in February, as I was walking out the door on my way to class, I received the call. I was swamped trying to plan the race, preparing for my fraternity’s rush, and getting ready for the upcoming Student Government election. I remember thinking to myself, as the phone was ringing, that I didn’t have time to answer it, but I just couldn’t leave it for the answering machine to get, so I picked it up hoping whomever was calling would make it quick. My mood changed in a hurry after I realized it wasn’t a prank. Gatorade really was going to provide drinks for all the participants. In fact, they supplied several boxes of drink mix, eight cooler tubs, hundreds of cups and a number of banners bearing their logo.

Another national sponsor I tried to entice was Power Food, Inc. I sent them a letter (see Appendix L) in November, requesting that they supply Power Bars to be included in each of the race packets. Unlike Gatorade, I didn’t get a phone call from them with good news, come to think of it, I didn’t get a letter either. I called them a number of times requesting only that they return my call regardless of whether they were planning on sponsoring the race. My effort was for naught, for it almost seemed as if they were giving me the run around, no pun intended.

One company with whom our effort paid off was Star Financial Bank. Gabe Greene, my sponsorship chair was able to talk them out of $100 (see Appendix M). In return, we placed the Star Financial Logo on the race T-shirts and included a credit card application in each of the race packets.

As the saying goes, you can’t win them all. The next attempt at sponsorship proved this once again. I sent a request to Bradburn Olds-Cadillac-Honda, Inc. (see Appendix N), and even though it was denied, I at least respect the fact that the Manager was kind enough to respond to it. I realize that businesses get several requests for sponsorship every year and that it is impossible for them to do them all. As a result, I have come up with the philosophy that I will never be upset with a company who refuses
to give sponsorship for an event, as long as they are willing to tell me. A company that won’t return phone calls and avoids talking to you, however, just so they don’t have to tell you they don’t want to sponsor an event, will never get my business.

There were two other sponsors we were successful in obtaining. One was Greene Inc., an accounting firm in Muncie. The fact that my sponsorship chairman’s father owns the business probably had something to do with them sponsoring us, but we’ll take it however we can get it. For Greene, we produced an invoice of sponsorship (see Appendix O). We used this type invoice with all our sponsors because most businesses must have a bill in order to write a check.

The other business that sponsored us was Campus Classics. They were kind enough to sell us the race T-shirts for $4.25 each, a very good price. In return, we put their logo on the shirts. Once we had exhausted the list of businesses we had hoped to get sponsorship from, I produced the final entry form (see Appendix P).

**Course Approval**

While scurrying around trying to find sponsors and get some money to put on the race, I was also trying to figure out a race course that would give the runners a somewhat scenic view of Ball State and it’s surrounding communities as well as keep them away from the heavily traveled roads and intersections. I was aware of the fact that my fraternity used to host a 10K race many years ago, but there was nothing in the house files to use.

I figured that they had to have filed a road closing form with the City Clerk so I decided to call and see if they had anything on file. It turned out they did have the form from when the race was held ten years before. That information turned out to be a big help. I drove the course and decided that even though the roads weren’t the greatest and it did cross some heavy intersections, it was probably the best alternative and it was fairly
scenic, at least as scenic as Muncie’s surroundings will permit, so I stuck with the same course.

I sent a letter to the Board of Works (see Appendix Q) which described what the race was and how the traffic and runners would be managed. I also included a description of the race course (see Appendix R) and the course map (see Appendix S). After a couple of nerve racking weeks, waiting to see if the course would be approved, I received the application (see Appendix T) back with the authorized signature in the approved column.

**Publicity**

The first way I attempted to publicize the event was by contacting Runner’s World and Indiana Runner magazines. I called both on January 11 and asked if they could include the race in their calendar of events. Runner’s World wasn’t able to because they were already working on the April issue of the magazine. Indiana Runner did include the event in their race calendar in the February and March issues. Next, I began distributing entry forms to athletic stores and fitness centers throughout Muncie and Indianapolis. I started this process on the first of February and continued it until I had hit most of the exercise related businesses.

In the early days of March, I sent a letter (see Appendix U) to the person in charge of the Entertainment Calendar for the Indianapolis Star. As a result the race appeared in the paper with a number of other races taking place in March and April under the heading “Run Around” (see Appendix V). I also contacted both Muncie papers (at the time of the race there were still two separate papers) and they advertised the event in both the Muncie Star and Evening Press (see Appendix W). The event was also advertised in a newsletter titled Weekly Splits, a publication of the Indy Runners running club (see Appendix X). On March 11, I faxed information sheets to many area radio stations, including WLBC (see Appendix Y), WMDH, WXXP, WCRD, WERK, 3WO and WBSU asking that they announce the event as part of their community events advertising.
One group that I failed to market the race to effectively was the students of Ball State. I placed entry forms in the Fitness Room in Irving Gym, but that was about the extent of my effort. I should have made banners to put up on the Student Center and the fly swatter, had the race information put on table tents in the Student Center Food Court, put signs up in the residence halls and visited fraternities and sororities to encourage their members to participate. I realize now that by not targeting the students I missed a large number of people who might have registered for the event.

Logos

The logo on the entry form, that Adam Moore designed, was very professional looking, however it wouldn't work very well on a T-shirt because it was wide and narrow. The logos that you put on a T-shirt are usually rectangular and take up the entire front of the shirt. Looking back I don't think it would have been so bad if I had used the logo from the entry form, it just would have broken away from the traditional style, which may have been a welcome change to many runners who have several T-shirts all of which look very similar. Nevertheless, I gave into peer pressure and went with the traditional look. The decision to do this, however, required additional work because it meant I needed to come up with another logo.

This is when Dave Treir came to the rescue. After I begged and pleaded, he graciously volunteered to help. He asked me what I wanted the logo to say and what I wanted it to look like. I realize I wasn't very helpful when I said that I wanted it to be running related and to have the general information about the race. Even with the lack of information I gave him, Dave was able to come through, as always. He designed the official logo of the Hometown Classic 10K (see Appendix Z) which was placed on the front of every T-shirt in royal blue and black. In addition to the race logo, we put all the sponsors logo’s (see Appendix AA) on the back of the T-shirt.
Race Numbers

The next step was to order the race numbers. I spoke with Charlotte Shepperd from the Alumni Office because I knew they had hosted a 5K in the past for homecoming. She gave me the address of Rainbow Racing System Inc., a company based in Seattle, Washington that designs race numbers for various events. I called Rainbow and asked that they send me some information.

After receiving the packet from Rainbow, I realized that much of the preliminary work I did making checklists was not necessary. My reason for doing the lists was based on my belief that there probably wasn’t a guide for race directors, or at least not one I could afford. After receiving the packet from Rainbow with the different types of numbers available, samples of what they would look like and a Guide for Race Directors, I realized I had figured wrong. Their Guide had many of the same checklists I had designed, only theirs were more complete.

Two and a half weeks before the event, I sent the form to them with all the logos I wished to be included on the numbers. They had the race numbers (see Appendix BB) back to me in plenty of time for the race and they also included a few items which proved very helpful in tracking finishers. They sent color coded stickers to distinguish the different age groups. The men’s stickers were rectangular and the women’s were oval. This made determining age group winners much easier.

Registration

I kept waiting for the rush of entry forms to come in. I knew that one day I would go to the mailbox and there would be several envelopes there all addressed to the Hometown Classic 10K. It never really worked out that way, but it was a nice thought. The flow of people who registered for the race was slow and steady, one or two almost every day. As the forms came in, I added each person’s name to the appropriate list of registered athletes of which there were four; Female Runners (see Appendix CC), Female
Walkers (see Appendix DD), Male Runners (see Appendix EE) and Male Walkers (see Appendix FF). In addition, I sent confirmation cards (see Appendix GG) to everyone who preregistered. There was one problem with the confirmation cards, though. In an effort to be as efficient as possible, I squeezed six confirmation cards out of each piece of paper. The problem is that the Post Office won't deliver anything smaller than 3” X 5”.

After many of the problems I had with other areas, it was welcome relief when race day registration went extremely well. I had separated the race packets into the three categories: male runners, female runners, and walkers. In each race packet I included their race number, a T-shirt, a map of the course, a credit card application from Star Financial Bank (one of our sponsors) and a welcome letter for the participants (see Appendix HH). I used the race numbers from the 100’s for the male runners, the 200’s for the female runners, and the 300’s for all the walkers. Being able to tell what category a person is in just by their race number was very helpful in tallying the results.

When participants would come up to register on the morning of the race, we had them fill out an entry form. Then, we would grab a race packet from the appropriate category and place a sticker on their race number that corresponded with their age group. With everyone registered and ready to go all we had to do was wait for 9:00 a.m. and hope nothing went terribly wrong.
Sound of the Gun

As nine o’clock neared, I went outside and tested the starter pistol to make sure it was working properly. The practice shot make a sharp crack in the cool morning and assured me that all would turn out fine. When I went to fire the gun to start the race, however, it didn’t cooperate quite as well. So, as I shouted “go,” the first annual Hometown Classic 10K was underway.

Volunteers

Volunteers are one of the most important parts of the race for the simple reason that they are visible to all the participants. They are a huge help to a race director, yet, they can cause you another headache if you aren’t careful. Luckily, I was able to get help from a few of my fraternity brothers, whom I knew were responsible and would do a good job.

I grabbed about five of the people I trusted most and put each one in charge of an area. Gabe Greene was in charge of getting the volunteers to their proper place on the race course. That morning I drove him around the course and gave him a map, listing how many people we would need in each area. He was also responsible for making sure the volunteers knew which direction to send the runners, a small detail, but an important one.

Finish Line

Rick Feltman was the official timer. He was responsible for doing the challenging job of starting a stop watch (actually we started about five stop watches just to make sure) and yelling out the finishers’ times. Battling Rick for the toughest job of the day, were both Jon Grafflin and Marc Brewe, who were in charge of writing down each participant’s number and finishing time on a results worksheet (see Appendix II).
In a similarly stressful job, Grant Nesbit and I were busy pulling the finishers tags and keeping them in the right order on a set of stringers. Actually, we didn’t have a set of stringers with us, so we found that a couple stop watches work just as well. By sliding the tags on the string of the stop watches we were able to kill two birds with one stone. After we had a number of tags on one string we would hand them over to be tallied and start filling the string of a new watch.

This is where Marty Flemming came into play. He stepped up and took control of tallying the results. By using the color coded results sheets (see Appendix JJ), it was very easy to figure out who the award winners were. Marty simply flipped through the finishers tags and matched the stickers on the tags with the stickers on the color coded results sheet.

**Water Stops**

On the 6.2 mile course there were two waterstops that offered both Gatorade and water to participants. The first waterstop was at mile two and the second was just past the four mile mark. There was also a beverage table in the finishing area. Derek Dunbar and Ryan Hoover were each in charge of a waterstop, and made sure they were setup with all the necessities.

**Police**

Sergeant Gene Burton of the Ball State Police Department worked with me to help make all the arrangements for keeping the race course safe for the participants. We arranged to have seven officers work the course. One drove a car leading the way for the race leader. The others were stationed at the busy intersections to keep anyone from getting run over. Sgt. Burton was great to work with and by using as many on-duty officers as he had, helped keep the cost we had to pay for using the officers, as low as possible.
Awards

Once everyone had safely completed the course and the results were all tallied, we got to the fun part of the day, the awards ceremony. Kraig Schmottlach received the award for overall male winner and Autumn Sexton picked up the plaque for being the overall female winner. Each of the age group winners were given clear Plexiglas trophies (see Appendix KK, for pictures of the awards).

Results

As the Hometown Classic concluded, I realized that my work was not yet finished. After taking a few days to catch my breath, I began to dig through the results and prepare the official list of finishers (see Appendix LL). Once that was finished I called Indiana Runner magazine and the local papers (see Appendix MM), and gave them the names and times of the top finishers.
Evaluation

I realize that I made many mistakes and could have improved on several areas as a first time race director, but to be honest if I had to do it all over again, there are only a few things I would change. The first would be to involve others more. I believe we could have had twice as many participants and several more sponsors if I had done more to encourage others to take a more active role. It might have meant, me sitting down and taking my volunteers through a session that included everything from how to write a professional letter asking for sponsorship to what items to touch on when talking with the decision makers. During the process, I didn’t feel that I had time to do that. Looking back, I realize that a little time spent putting on such a session, would have actually saved me a great deal of time later on.

The second thing I would do differently is to not be so optimistic. I know that it is good to set lofty goals, but in doing so I didn’t act realistically. An example of this, is my ordering too many T-shirts. As a result we weren’t able to make any money on the race to donate to the Children’s Miracle Network. Actually, I ended up covering the loss out of my own pocket (that will teach you not to be too optimistic).

The last area I would change goes back again to involving the volunteers more, and working harder to promote the race. I reported in the Leg Work section about what ways this could have been done and had I sat down with a small committee and divided up different promotional duties to each person, then coached them on how to best go about doing them, the race would have drawn a much larger crowd.

Besides those areas, I was happy with how the actual race came off and I believe we were very well prepared on race morning. We probably would have been able to handle five times the number of athletes without any problems. But all that is in the past now. All in all, it was a great learning experience and I still feel Earl Raum’s poem does a great job of summarizing my experience with the event.
Recommendations

For the benefit of those who may decide to undertake this project in the future, I will take this opportunity to summarize my endless list of suggestions and try to put them into logical form, with the hope that will be of some benefit to future race directors.

Recommendation number one is definitely to start early. You may think that you have all the time in the world, but you'll be amazed at how fast the race will approach. When I say to start early I mean to do so in every category. Start by forming committees, brainstorm ideas then give everyone assignments to follow up on. Get the entry forms out early, approach sponsors early, and start publicizing early. If you do these things it will allow you to focus more on the specifics of the race as it draws near. It will also allow you to get more participants and sponsors.

Next, I would recommend to think through each phase of the race, from registration, to marking the course, to contacting the police, to tallying finishers. Assign an individual to each phase and make them responsible for that area. Try to get them to participate in a running race or at least volunteer or go watch one. They need to be aware of what the basic requirements of their job are, then allow them to expand on it and make it as eventful as they want.

Finally, make sure you have lots of volunteers. I made the event mandatory for all my fraternity brothers and they were fined if they didn't show up. Maybe that isn't the best way to go about it, but you need to make sure you have lots of good volunteers on race morning.

Follow these three bits of advice and encourage your committee members to be as creative as possible and everything will work out fine in the end. All that matters is that you give it your best effort and learn from your mistakes. If you do that, the race will be a success no matter what happens.
Entry Form Guidelines Checklist

Deadline: have forms distributed by the first of January

The part of the entry form they keep must include:

Date of Race: Saturday, March 30, 1996
Event Start Time: 9:00am
Registration Time: From 7:45 To 8:45.
Pre-race meeting Time: 8:45
Age Divisions: 19 & under, 20-29, 30-39, 40-49, 50-59, 60 & over,
            Wheelchair division, Walking division

Prizes for:
  Overall winners
  Top campus finisher
  Division winners
  First Entrant

Map to race
Price of pre-race registration and race-day registration.
Proceeds go to Children's Miracle Network
Phone Number of Race Director: Jim Fields 282-8052

The part of entry form to be returned must include:

Name
Age, Date of Birth
Address
Phone
Sex
Runner or Walker?
Ball State Student?
t-shirt Size
Sponsor's Logos: Major sponsors only
Send Entry to:
Make Checks Payable to:
Liability waiver
Entrant's Signature

Note: Before distributing entry forms have someone fill one out and prepare
to send it in. This will help you see if the form has all the necessary
information included.
Entry Form Distribution / Publicity Opportunities Checklist

Send Entry forms to:

YMCA: all Muncie, Anderson, Indianapolis, and Fort Wayne locations
Health Clubs
Fitness Apparel Stores (Sporting Goods Stores)
Fitness Equipment Stores
High School cross country and track coaches
Businesses with Wellness Directors or Programs
Ball Hospital: Wellness Director and other Departments
PEFWL Instructors
BSU Athletic Departments
Fraternities and Sororities: Social, Service, Business, Honorary, etc.
All campus organizations
Campus Bookstores
Natatorium in Indianapolis

Publicize Event in:

Runner's World (610) 967-8758, Karen Jennings
Indiana Runner (317) 398-0194 or (317) 392-1195
Muncie Papers: Muncie Star, Muncie Press
Indianapolis Papers: Indianapolis News, Indianapolis Star
Daily News 285-1202
Radio Stations:

WLBC 288-0429
WWWO 289-9640
WERK 286-3493
WCRD 288-9278
WBST 285-6397
WXXP 644-1775
WMDH 529-1688

Weekly Spits (317) 849-4490 ext. 1211 or E-mail: kmdoctor@aol.com

Additional Publicity:

Flyers across campus
Reserve Bookstore windows for display
Reserve Sign at Jerry's Stadium Marathon
Table tents in Student Center Food Court
Sponsorship Procedures Checklist

Procedure Checklist:
- Send letter requesting sponsorship
- Call within one week of sending letter
- Set up time to meet with manager or talk to him over the phone
- Explain benefits to business and draft contract with agreed upon criteria
- Meet with manager, get contract signed (give him a copy, keep a copy)
- Pick up donation or arrange time to get donation

Possible Sponsors:
- Health Insurance companies
- Wal-Mart
- Banks
- Gatorade- drink mix, drink containers, cups, banners
- Fitness Apparel Stores- Gift Certificates, Merchandise
- Kammerer- bottled water
- Power Bar- (1-800-444-5154) or (510) 649-4300 ext. 313, Julie Carr
- Ball Corporation- money
- Campus Bookstores: CBX, TIS, BSU Book Store- merchandise,
- Vitachlore- merchandise
- Discount Den
- Karma
- Restaurant to headline event-
  - Applebee's
  - Dill Street
  - Fazoli's
  - Headliners
  - Mancino's
  - Pizza Places
- Stoops Buick
- Johnny Morris Chevrolet
- Polo Jeep Eagle
- Sam Pierce Chevrolet
- Marsh Supermarket
- Ross Supermarket
- Wise Supermarket
Registration Checklist

Pre-race registration
  send confirmation cards to all entrants
  deposit entry money in race account
  assign race #’s to entrants as they are received
  add entrants name to alphabetical list

Race day registration
  tables:
    1 table for male runners
    1 table for female runners
    1 table for male walkers
    1 table for female walkers

    lists of pre-registered participants for each pickup station
    pens
    race packets
    signs showing where to go to pick up packet
    list of packet #’s ready for name to be filled in
    race day entry forms
    cash box with petty cash
    signs showing where to do day of registration
    signs
    parking
    toilets
    large scale course map with mile markers and water stops noted
    house stereo and DJ with microphone
Water Stop Checklist

Each water stop needs to have:

2 Tables
First Aid kit
cups (2 x # of entrants)
containers with water
containers with Gatorade
extra 5 gallon containers of water
towels (two dozen)
stereo playing music
signs stating "Gatorade - First Table, Water - Second Table"
Post-race Party Checklist

Make sure to have:
- list of finishers and times
- list of division winners and times
- list of other award winners
- awards
- miscellaneous prizes
- house stereo and DJ with microphone
- drink and cups
Director and Committee Heads

Race Director: Jim Fields

**COMMITTEE HEADS**

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LAST NAME

ADDRESS

CITY STATE ZIP CODE

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PHONE - DAY PHONE - EVENING

SEX  M     F    AGE

DATE OF BIRTH   -   -

ARE YOU A BALL STATE STUDENT? Y  N

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO:
HOMETOWN CLASSIC 10K

SEND ENTRY FORMS TO:
HOMETOWN CLASSIC 10K
704 DICKS STREET
MUNCIE, IN 47303

THIS FORM MAY BE DUPLICATED

Waiver of Responsibility: In consideration of the acceptance of the entry to the Hometown Classic 10K, I waive all claims for myself, my heirs, and assigns, against the race sponsors or promoters for injury or illness which may result from my participation. I further state I am in proper physical condition to compete in this race and am an amateur runner.

Athlete's Signature or Parent Signature (if under 18)

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MUNCIE, INDIANA

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Ample parking will be available in close proximity to registration and the start/finish of the race.

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AWARDS
Awards will be presented to the male and female:
- Overall Winners
- Top Campus Finisher
- Division Winners
- Youngest Participants
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- First Entrant

Each participant will receive a race t-shirt. There will be water stops on the run and refreshments available at the conclusion of the race.

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Race day registration and number pickup will begin at 8:00 am inside Irving Gymnasium on the South Balcony.

HOSTED BY:
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For further information contact
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February 13, 1996

Tom Covach
American National Bank and Trust
110 East Main Street
Muncie, IN 47305

Mr. Covach:

I am writing requesting sponsorship for the Hometown Classic 10K Run / Walk on March 30, 1996. The event will traverse the Ball State University campus and surrounding neighborhoods and all proceeds will go to benefit the Children's Miracle Network, more specifically Riley's Children's Hospital of Indianapolis.

We are hoping to draw 500 runners from across the state to participate in this event as it will be an outstanding preparatory race for the Indianapolis Mini-Marathon. The majority of runners will most likely be from Muncie and the nearby cities (Anderson and Indianapolis). I am hoping American National Bank will be the primary race sponsor.

As the primary sponsor your logo will be incorporated in the name of the event (The American National Bank Hometown Classic 10K), and will appear that way on all race promotions. The Race will be promoted through: entry forms, flyers, Indiana Runner Magazine, the Daily News, and the Muncie Star and Press.

In order to become the primary sponsor we are requesting one thousand five hundred dollars which will be approximately half of the cost of T-shirts to be given to participants, the break down of which is listed below.

Approximate price of race T-shirt: $6.00
Estimated number of participants: X 500
Total: $3000

Thank you for your time. I hope we can work something out to benefit both our organizations.

Sincerely,

James D. Fields
HOMETOWN CLASSIC 10K
ENTRY FORM

(Please print clearly)

LAST NAME

FIRST NAME M.I.

ADDRESS

CITY STATE ZIP CODE

SEX: M __ F __

PHONE NUMBER

AGE GROUP AGE (as of race day): ___
(circle one):
under 19 20-29 30-39 40-49 50-59 60 & over
(circle one)

REGISTER ME AS A: RUNNER WALKER

DATE OF BIRTH ___-____-____

ARE YOU A BALL STATE STUDENT? Y __ N __

T-SHIRT SIZE (circle one): XXL XL L M S

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November 21, 1995

Quaker Oats
c/o Sports Marketing
6815 East 34th Street
Indianapolis, IN 46226

Dear Decision Maker,

I am writing to request sponsorship for the Hometown Classic 10K, a running race taking place on March 30, 1996. The event will traverse the Ball State University campus and all proceeds will go to benefit the Children's Miracle Network, more specifically Riley's Children's Hospital of Indianapolis.

We are hoping to draw up to 500 runners from across the state to participate in this event as it will be an outstanding preparatory race for the Indianapolis Mini-Marathon. I am hoping Gatorade will be able to donate drink mix and coolers for the water stops and post race party. With your help we will be able to make this a big success and donate a large sum of money to a very worthy cause.

In return for your support we will include the Gatorade logo on all race promotions, on a banner at the race, and on the race memento given to all participants. I am hopeful we will be able to work together on this event to benefit both our organizations.

Thank you for your time. Please contact me at (317) 282-8052. I will look forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely,

James D. Fields,
Race Director
November 21, 1995

Power Food Inc.
Attn: Marketing Department
2448 6th Street
Berkley, CA 94710

Dear Decision Maker,

I am writing to request sponsorship for the Hometown Classic 10K, a running race taking place on March 30, 1996. The event will transverse the Ball State University campus and all proceeds will go to benefit the Children's Miracle Network, more specifically Riley's Children's Hospital of Indianapolis.

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In return for your support we will include your business's logo on all race promotions, on a banner at the race, and on the race memento given to all participants. I am hopeful we will be able to work together on this event to benefit both our organizations.

Thank you for you time. If you have any questions feel free to call me at (317) 282-8052.

Sincerely,

James D. Fields,
Race Director
February 19, 1996

Kelly Dowling
Assistant Vice President - Retail Services
Star Financial Bank
P.O. Box 2928
400 North High, Suite 100
Muncie, IN 47307-0928

Dear Ms. Dowling:

I am writing per your discussion with the Hometown Classic 10K Run/Walk Sponsorship Chair, Gabe Greene. Gabe informed me that you would be interested in sponsoring the race. The event will take place on March 30 and we are hoping to draw 500 participants.

All proceeds from the race will go to benefit the Children's Miracle Network, which is an alliance of over 160 Children's hospitals that treat children with various afflictions, regardless of the family's ability to pay. All donations to the Children's Miracle Network go directly to the nearest affiliated Hospital, more specifically Riley's Children's Hospital of Indianapolis.

In return for your sponsorship I will use you company's logo on the race T-shirts, on banners at the race and in the race results sheet sent to all participants. In addition, I would be more than happy to include any brochures or information you would like, in the race packets participants will pick-up on the morning of the event.

Thank you a great deal for your contribution. Enclosed you will find a bill for the amount Gabe specified you are interested in sponsoring.

Sincerely,

James D. Fields,
Race Director

closure
February 22, 1996

Mark Mason
Bradburn Olds-Cadillac-Honda Inc.
4901 W. McGalliard
Muncie, IN 47304

Dear Mr. Mason:

I am writing to request sponsorship for the Hometown Classic 10K, a running race taking place on March 30, 1996. The event will transverse the Ball State University campus and all proceeds will go to benefit the Children's Miracle Network (CMN), more specifically Riley's Children's Hospital of Indianapolis. We are hoping to draw up to 500 runners from across the state to participate in this event as it will be an outstanding preparatory race for the Indianapolis Mini-Marathon.

I would like Bradburn Olds-Cadillac-Honda Inc. to donate $500.00 to cover the cost of hiring the Ball State Police Department to work intersections and monitor traffic. The more race expenses we can get paid for by sponsors, the more money we will be able to give to the CMN. With your help we will be able to make this a big success and donate a large sum of money to a very worth cause.

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Thank you for you time. If you have any questions feel free to call me at (317) 282-8052.

Sincerely,

James D. Fields,
Race Director
Hometown Classic 10K
Run/Walk
704 Dicks Street
Muncie, IN 47303

Sponsoring Company: Greene Inc.
Contact Person: Mr. Greene
Greene Inc.
122 North Mulberry
Muncie, IN 47303

Phone: 
Fax: 
Amount due: $50.00

Please make check payable to: Hometown Classic 10K

Terms of Sponsorship: In return for your sponsorship the Greene Inc. logo will be used on the race T-shirts, on banners at the race and in the race results sheet sent to all participants. In addition, Hometown Classic will include any brochures or information, within reason, Greene should desire, in the race packets participants pick-up on the morning of the event.

James D. Fields, Race Director
HOMETOWN CLASSIC 10K
ENTRY FORM
(PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY)

LAST NAME

FIRST NAME  M.I.

ADDRESS

CITY  STATE  ZIP CODE

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PHONE NUMBER

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DATE OF BIRTH  __  __  __

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T-SHIRT SIZE (circle one):  XXL  XL  L  M  S

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HOSTED BY:
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For further information contact
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January 22, 1996

Board of Works:

The Hometown Classic 10K is scheduled for March 30, 1996. We are hoping to draw over 500 runners to compete in this year's event and raise over two thousand dollars for the Children's Miracle Network, more specifically Riley's Children's Hospital in Indianapolis.

We will have over 100 people on the race course acting as race officials. These officials will be wearing identifiable clothing and be using "Race in Progress" signs to aid in traffic management. We are also hoping to use the services of the Ball State and Muncie Police. In all there will be three race officials at all intersections with as many as five at busy intersections with additional police help.

A detailed course map is enclosed and there will be medical staff at the race in the event of an injury. If you have any questions regarding the course or the race in general feel free to give me a call at 282-8052.

Sincerely,

James D. Fields,
Race Director

enclosure
Hometown Classic 10K

704 Dicks Street • Munice, IN 47303 • (317) 282-8052

HOMETOWN CLASSIC 10K, RACE COURSE

The race will start in front of Irving gym and the runners will travel west onto Petty -- south on Briar -- west on Riverside -- south on Bittersweet -- east on University -- south on Riley -- east on Main -- north on Cole -- east on Gilbert -- south on Celia -- east, northeast on White River Boulevard -- northwest on Washington -- north on Reserve -- west on Riverside -- north on New York -- west on Neely to the finish in front of Irving Gym.

Water Stops will be located at Monkey Island on University Avenue at approximately the 2 mile point of the run and at about the 4 mile point on the shoulder of White River Boulevard.

Insurance is covered by the Sigma Chi Fraternity International Risk Management Foundation.
APPLICATION FOR STREET CLOSINGS

NAME OF ORGANIZATION  SIGMA CHI FRATERNITY
PERSON REQUESTING PERMIT  JAMES FIELDS  PHONE #  282-8052
DATE OF STREET CLOSING  MARCH 30, 1996
TIME OF STREET CLOSING  9:00am - 11:00am
DURATION TIME FOR CLOSING  TWO HOURS

TYPE OF POLICE UNITS REQUESTED: (Circle one below)

POLICE VEHICLES  MOTORCYCLES  HORSE PATROL

STREET(s) TO BE CLOSED  SEE NEXT PAGE

REASON FOR STREET CLOSING  HOMETOWN CLASSIC 10K, Running Race

APPLICANT'S SIGNATURE:  
DATED:  _1_  ___________________ , 19 96

BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS AND SAFETY
DATE APPROVED BY THE BOARD  Feb 28  , 19 96  BY:  
DATE DISAPPROVED BY THE BOARD  , 19  BY:  
March 7, 1996

Terry Dawson  
Arts & Entertainment Calendar  
Indianapolis Star  
PO Box 145  
Indianapolis, IN 46206-0145

Dear Terry:

Below is the information for an event I would like to have included in The Indianapolis Star's Events Calendar.

Name: Hometown Classic 10K Run/Walk  
Time: Registration is 7:30 to 8:45 and the race starts at 9:00am  
Date: March 30, 1996  
Place: Ball State University Campus in Muncie, IN  
Admission: Preregistered - $10  Race day - $12  
Contact Person: Jim Fields (317) 282-8052

If you need any more information feel free to give me a call.

Sincerely,

James D. Fields  
Race Director
Runners and walkers are revving up for spring. Here's a list of upcoming events; an entry fee is charged at most events.

**March 9:** USA Track & Field Youth Clinic (7 a.m. to 9:45 a.m.); RCA Dome, Indianapolis. Norris Insurance Amboy 5K run and walk (9 a.m.); Amboy. (317) 395-7761. Entry fee includes pancake breakfast.

**March 16:** The Finish Line Shamrock Run and Walk, 4-mile run and 5K walk (9:30 a.m.); Indianapolis Athletic Club, Indianapolis. (317) 632-8812.

**March 16:** Citizens USI 5K and 15K (10 a.m.); University of Southern Indiana, Evansville. Information: (812) 464-1710.

**March 17:** St. Patrick's Day Fun Run; 5K and 10K runs; 5K fun walk (1 p.m.); Lions Delaware County Fairgrounds, Muncie. (317) 287-1799. Muncie Endurance International 5K/10K Series.

Nutra-Run 10K and 5K runs, 2-mile pledge walk (1:30 p.m.): Battell Center, Mishawaka. (219) 258-1667.

**March 23:** Old Ben 5K Run and Walk (9 a.m.); Triple Crown Running Series; Highland Park, Kokomo. (317) 455-9203.

**March 24:** Sam Costa Half-Marathon, 13.1-mile (1 p.m.); Clay Junior High School, Carmel. (317) 290-7867.

**March 30:** Hometown Classic 10K run and walk (9 a.m.); Irving Gymnasium, Ball State University, Muncie. (317) 282-8052.

**March 30:** Governor's Cup Series 8K run and race walk, 5K walk (10 a.m.); McCormick's Creek State Park, Spencer. (317) 328-1632.

**April 6:** Indianapolis Zoo Pride Stride, 15K run, 5K walk (8:30 a.m.); fitness fair, kids' events; Indianapolis Zoo (317) 632-8812.

**April 13:** Maple Grove Elementary Race Chase. 10K run and 5K run/walk (8 a.m.); children's 1.6K run (7:30 a.m.); Center Grove High School, Greenwood. (317) 881-0561.

Healthy Kids Day, 5K family run and family walk (11 a.m.); Fort Harrison fitness center, Indianapolis. (317) 685-9705.

Spring Running Festival, 5K run (8:30 a.m.); 10K run (9:30 a.m.); kids' fun run and walk (11 a.m.); Monroe County YMCA, Bloomington. (812) 332-5555.

Governor's Cup Series, 8K run and race walk, 5K walk (9 a.m.); Mounds State Park, Anderson. (317) 328-1632.

Kokomo Symphony 5K Run and Walk (9 a.m.); Highland Park, Kokomo. Triple Crown Running Series. (317) 455-1659.

**April 14:** St. Francis Hospital Bricks to Bricks 10-Miler, run and walk (7:30 a.m.); Franklin Central High School, Indianapolis. (317) 632-8812.

MS Super Cities Walk, 15K recreational walk (8 a.m.); Glendale Center, Indianapolis. (800) 762-1209.
It was Groninger’s fifth semi-state assignment.

The Hometown Classic 10K is scheduled for March 30.

The race will begin and end at Irving Gym on the campus of Ball State University.

Registration is $10 in advance or $12 on the day of the event. For information, call Jim Fields at 282-8052.

Announcements

Softball notes

Softball umpires planning to work at the YMCA Sports Center this season are urged to attend a meeting at 2 p.m. Sunday at the sports center.

Teams are needed for the BSU wins pool

GREENVILLE, N.C. — With victories over Bucknell and East Carolina, Ball State finished a sweep of its pool at the East Carolina Lady Pirate Classic Saturday in Greenville, N.C.

The Cardinals (10-6) defeated Bucknell 4-0 a complete-game three-hitter by pitcher Brandy Brennan. Then Ball State knocked off the host Pirates 7-3 as three players combined for seven hits.

Against Bucknell, Stacey Jones

Shondell said. “We’ve been working hard all week in practice, and tonight it showed. We started out a little slow in game one, but we cut our service errors down in the second game and did a lot of things well as the match went on. Overall this was a solid performance.”

Ball State travels to Quincy today for a doubleheader.

at University Arena (full-aces-digs)

BALL STATE (13-3) — Eduardo Ferraz 3-0-4, Jason Fahr 15-2-1, Dowd 8k 3-0-1, Stefan Trienen 2-1-3, German Sendna 4-1-0, Phil Estherton 10-1-2, Robert Pulzio 0-1-0, Ivan Dolgov 0-0-1, Jeff Husgen 1-0-2, Adam Hovacs 4-1-0, Warren McCrea 2-0-1, Jason Panezau 1-0-0, Dennis Madison 6-0-7, Mitch Sadowa 0-0-0, Eric Sullivan 5-0-1, Totala — 58-7-23.

Blocks (solo-assist): Ferraz 0-1, Fahr 0-3, 8k 0-3, Trienen 0-1, Estherton 1-1, McCrea 0-1, Madison 0-1, Sullivan 0-1, Total team blocks: 7.

Assists: 22 (Ferraz 15, Pulzio 5, Sendna 2). GRACELAND (28-9) — Eric Majors 3-0-4, Tim Wallace 4-0-1, Scott Crabbs 3-0-0, Mike Dauenhauer 10-0-2, Mike Sadowa 12-1-2, Nathan Ahuna 1-3-4, Josh ivans 0-0-3, Jason Ward 2-0-1, Totala — 58-7-23.

Blocks (solo-assist): Majors 0-1, Wallace 0-4, Crabbs 0-3, Dauenhauer 0-1, Sadowa 0-1, Total team blocks: 5. Assists: 29 (Ahuna 14, ivans 11).
Inside this Newsletter

Meetings
Next General Membership meeting: April 3, following the Training Program run (about 7:30). RESCO, Race Tips Seminar and social. Next Board meeting: Wednesday, April 10, 6:30pm, Gold Building, Suite 2025.

UPCOMING EVENTS
(*Indicates an Indy Runners Grand Prix event)

March 23:

Mountain Goat Runs & Walk, 10am, Kickapoo State Park, Danville, IL. Contact Kennekeuk Road Runners, Marc (217) 431-4243 or Susan (217) 733-2403.

March 24:

*Sam Costa Half Marathon, 1pm, Carmel Clay Jr High, Carmel, IN. Contact Terry Townsend, Indy Runners, 222 E. 71st St., Indianapolis, IN 46220 (317) 451-7058.

March 30:

Governor's Cup Series- McCormicks Creek State Park, 10am, 8k run, 8k race walk, 5k fitness walk, McCormick's Creek State Park, Spencer, IN. Contact: Tuxedo Brothers, 4314 Matrea More Ct., Indianapolis, IN 46254 (317) 328-1632.

16th Annual Nutri-Runs and Walk, 20K & 5mi runs, 2 mi walk, Kids Runs, 2pm, Woodside Middle School, Ft. Wayne, IN. Contact Mike McAvoy, 7230 Engle Rd., Suite 210, Ft. Wayne, IN 46804 (219) 436-9710

Hometown Classic 10K, 9am, Irving Gymnasium, Ball State University, Muncie, IN. Contact Jim Fields (317) 282-8052.

April 6:


Indianapolis Zoo Pride Stride, 15K run, 5K walk, fitness fair, kid's events. Contact Ken Long & Assoc. (317) 632-8812

Covered Bridge 4 mile Road & Trail Run, 8am, Fairfield High School, Goshen, IN. Contact Clair Hostetler, 67339 CR21, Goshen, IN 46526 (219) 831-41

April 13:

Governor's Cup Series-Mounds State Park, 9am, 8K run, 8K race walk, 5K fitness walk. Mounds State Park, Anderson, IN. Contact Tuxedo Brothers, 4314 Matrea More
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Hometown Classic 10K

704 Dicks Street • Muncie, IN 47303 • (317) 282-8052

Attention: WLBC

NAME: HOMETOWN CLASSIC 10K RUN/WALK

ENTRY FEE: $10 Pre-registered $12 Day of

PLACE: Start/Finish @ Irving Gym on Ball State Univ. Campus

PROCEEDS BENEFIT: Children's Miracle Network

CONTACT PERSON: Jim Fields
Race Director
704 N. Dicks St.
Muncie, IN 47303
(317) 282-8052

Date: March 30, 1996

Time: 9:00 am
First Annual Classic 10K Run/Walk

Hometown Classic 10K Run/Walk

March 30, 1996
Ball State University, Muncie, IN
HOMETOWN CLASSIC 10K  
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Dear Participant:

Welcome to the Hometown Classic 10K Run/Walk. The members of the Sigma Chi Fraternity hope you enjoy this years event as they have worked hard and are very proud to bring it to you.

Firstly, we need to extend a special thanks to all our sponsors for making this years event possible: Gatorade, Campus Classics, Star Financial Bank, Greene Inc. Accountants and Consultants.

The proceeds generated from the event will be donated to the Children’s Miracle Network, an alliance of more than 160 hospitals and health care facilities across the U.S. and Canada. C.M.N. directs all contributions to the facility nearest the donor, in this case Riley’s Children’s Hospital in Indianapolis. Affiliated hospitals treat children with all types of afflictions regardless of the family’s ability to pay.

If you have any suggestions about how we can improve the race for next year, please call Jim Fields at (317) 282-8052.

Sincerely,

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APRIL 14, 1996

THE MUNCIE STAR, SUNDAY,
> Running

Hometown Classic

Muncie's Kraig Schmottlach and New Castle's Autumn Sexton were the male and female winners of The Hometown Classic 10k run at Ball State on March 30.
Schmottlach finished with a time of 34:56 and he was followed by Carmel's Mark Irwin (36:00) and Mike Moran.
Sexton's time of 44:14 was followed by Indianapolis' Cathy Rainbolt, with a time of 45:41 and Stephanie Morris, 45:45.
Top male in the 10k walk was Muncie's Ronald Jones; top female was Muncie's Jennifer Fields.

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SCHMOTTLACH WINS: Kraig Schmottlach was the overall winner of the Hometown Classic 10K run recently held on the Ball State campus. Schmottlach, of Muncie, was timed in 34:56. Mark Erwin was second and Mike Moran third.
Autumn Sexton of New Castle was the top women's finisher in 44:14. Cathy Rainbolt was second and Stephanie Morris third.