

The Oberlin Mile



Mission Statement

To promote the sport,
lifestyle and benefits of running

To conduct a competitive 1-mile foot race
That is recognized as regionally significant
(eventually nationally significant)
and sets the standard for community-
organized mile races nation-wide.

To support the athletic and physical
education programs
of Northwest Kansas and
Southwest Nebraska schools,
as well as all other schools that registered
student runners and volunteers represent in
the annual event.

To economically benefit every Community,
every School that participates – *Directly.*

REGISTRATION IS AVAILABLE ON-LINE AT
THE WEBSITE

<http://oberlinmile.vpweb.com/>

OR

SEND REGISTRATION FORM
AND FULL PAYMENT TO

The Oberlin Mile
c/o The Bank
Race Registration
205 S Penn
Oberlin, KS 67749

QUESTIONS? - CONTACT

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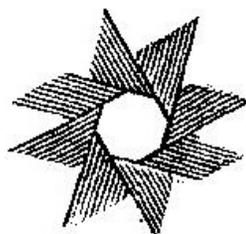
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Oberlin Mile Race Headquarters

306 East Commercial St
Oberlin, KS 67749
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Thanks to our Sponsors!



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FAR MORE THAN YOU EXPECT!



Decatur Area Chamber of Commerce
The Bank of Northwest Kansas
Oberlin Convention and Visitors Bureau
Gary and Janelle Walter
Bargain Box Plus
AdvoCare/Jennie Anderson

How Far Will You Go to Run a Mile?



Soon to be known on every planet . . .

. . . and then some.

Oberlin, Kansas
July 4, 2014

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This is the race to run. And Oberlin is the place to be.

How will it work?

Three separate events: Two seriously competitive and one seriously fun and family-orientated.

- * **The Competitive Men's Mile**
- * **The Competitive Women's Mile**
- * **The Family and Kid's Fun Run and Walk**

Age Divisions

9 & under	10-14	15-19	20-29
30-39	40-49	50-59	60 & Over

Teams

Teams may be organized by elementary, junior high/middle school, and high school, as well as non-school, independent teams - friends, running or civic clubs, etc. Official collegiate teams are not permitted.

When and Where?

Friday, July 4th, 2014, Oberlin, Kansas.

No, Really –When and Where?

In the heart of downtown
"On the Bricks" of Oberlin. The course is a rectangle, starting and finishing on Penn Avenue – the "main" street of Oberlin. **The T O M course is also certified by USA Track & Field.**

The starter's gun for the **Men's Race** will fire at approximately **8:00am**.

The starter's gun for the **Women's Race** will fire at approximately **8:20am**.



The starter's gun for the **Family Fun Run and Walk** will fire at approximately **8:40am**.

The coveted and legendary "Yellow Jersey" will be awarded to the over-all first-place finishers in the Men's and Women's categories. This unique top award is inspired by the world-famous bike race, the Tour de France.



Trophies or medals will also be awarded to the top three (3) over-all and medals to the top three (3) in each age group. Team awards are not presently planned. Any change to this plan will be announced prior start.

Packet Pick-up

6:45am – 7:45am, at Race Headquarters

Registration Fees

Competitive runners , including white T-shirt	\$30.00
No T-shirt:	\$20.00
Family Fun Run and Walk , including T-shirt	\$15.00
No T-shirt:	\$5.00

Scholarships

Student runners who would otherwise not be able to participate may indicate their need in the Scholarship area on the registration form. (Student runners, non-college only)

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE

"The Oberlin Mile"
Please include "Registration" in the Memo.

IMPORTANT! Students under 18: DO NOT submit this registration form WITHOUT your parent's permission!

Name: _____ Address: _____ City and School: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____ M or F

Phone: _____ E-Mail: _____ Age on July 4, 2014: _____ T-shirt size and quantity (optional). Circle all that apply and indicate quantity of each, if more than one. Example: Youth-Medium, quantity of 2: YMx2 (Y = Youth A = Adult)

Scholarship Need **Scholarship Need**

Race Application Waiver

I know running/walking a road race is a potentially hazardous activity. I should not enter unless I am medically able and properly trained. I agree to abide by any decision of a race official relative to my ability to safely complete the event. I assume all risks associated with this event including, but not limited to: falls, contact with other participants, effects of the weather, including high heat and/or humidity; traffic and the conditions of the road, all such risks being known and appreciated by me. Having read this waiver and knowing these facts, and in consideration of your accepting my entry, I, for myself and anyone entitled to act on my behalf, waive and release the Oberlin Mile organization, the City of Oberlin, the Decatur Area Development Foundation, and all volunteers, sponsors and professionals associated with this event from all claims or liabilities of any kind arising out of my participation in this event even though liability may arise out of my negligence or carelessness on the part of the persons named in this waiver.

Signature: _____ Parent's signature if under 18: _____ Date: _____