



2026 Ice Breaker 5K

Final Runner Instructions

Welcome and Thank You

We are pleased to welcome you to the Ice Breaker 5K. Below are IMPORTANT details about the event. Please allow yourself PLENTY of time to get to the race site to park, get your bib, and stand in line for the porta potty!

Weekend Schedule

The weekend will start with PACKET PICKUP on Thursday, February 19th from 4:00pm to 7:00pm at Second Sole in Canton. THIS IS NOT THE RACE SITE!!! You will pick up your race bib, t-shirt, and assorted materials for the race. You may have a friend pick up your items for you! Race Morning pickup will begin at 7:30am at John's Bar & Grille at 2668 Easton St NE, Canton, OH 44721. This is the RACE SITE.

Race Day Schedule

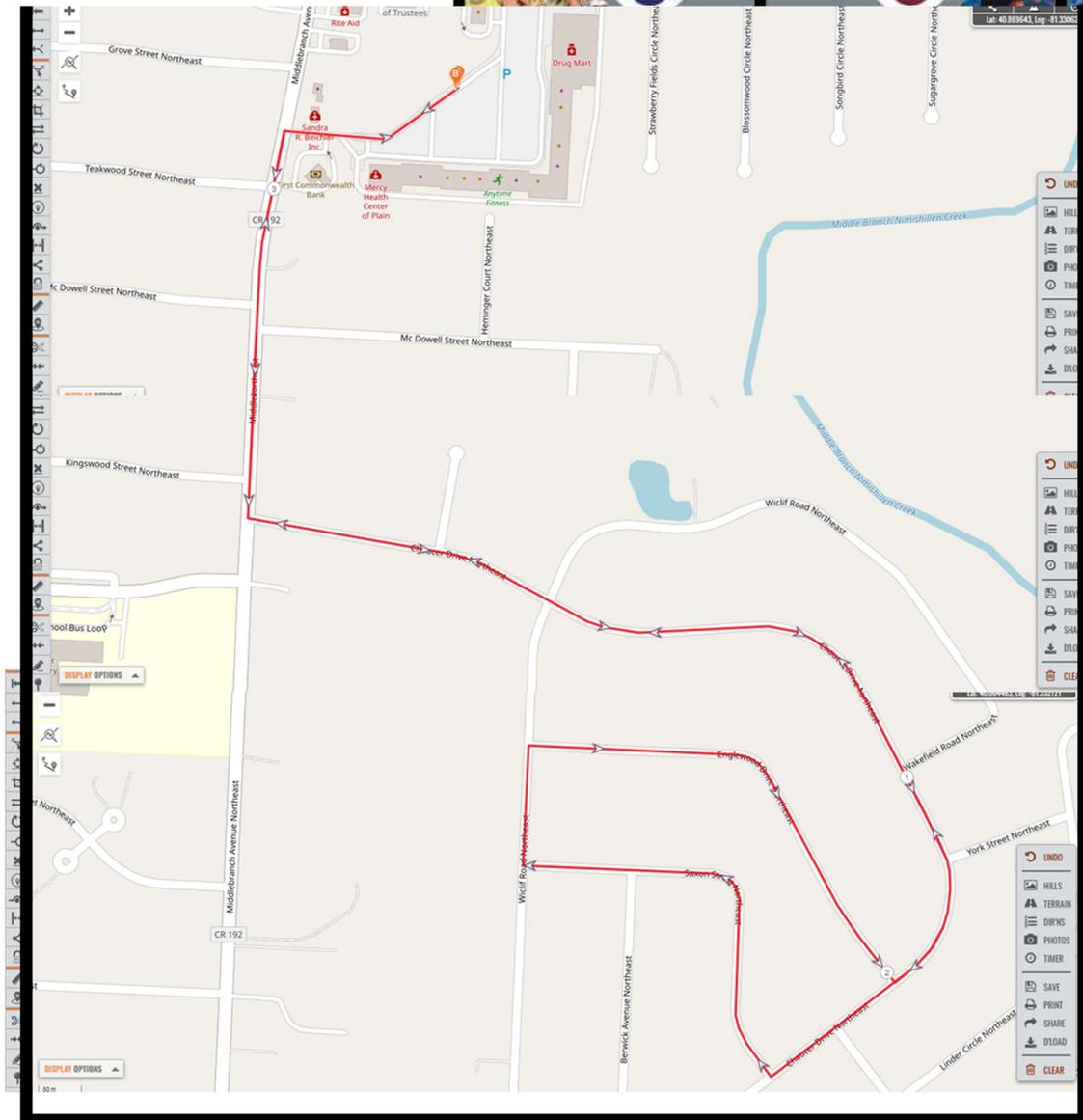
- 7:30am – Packet Pickup Starts at the Oakwood Square Race Site - 2668 Easton St NE, Canton, OH 44721. LOOK for the RED Tent.
- 8:50am – 5K Packet Pickup CLOSES
- 8:50am - Announcements
- 8:55am – National Anthem
- **9:00am – Start of the 5K**
- 9:16am – First Finisher
- 9:55am – Last Finisher
- 10:00am – Awards Ceremony – Overall Runners and Age Group Runners, Team Recognition

Getting Here / Parking

Parking – There is plenty of parking in Oakwood Plaza for you. Once you arrive, head to John's Bar & Grille. You will see the Red Registration Tent. The address is 2668 Easton St NE, Canton, OH 44721. Please use this as reference for your GPS.

Race Details

Start / Course / Finish - The race is loop course. You will have a single start / finish line and will travel through the streets of Plain Township. Mile markers will be placed along the route. Please LOOK for the Run to You Racing Turn Signs at every turn. This will keep you on the course. It is an OPEN COURSE, which means that we are NOT shutting down streets. Neighbors may / may not be leaving their homes during the race. Please take caution when running. We WILL manage traffic on Middlebranch Ave NE. There will be ONE water stop around Mile 1.5.



Finish Line – You will receive your Finisher Medal upon completion of the race. There are post-race drinks and snacks as well. You can redeem your FREE beverage inside John’s by using the ticket we give you at the finish line. Please bring MONEY to purchase additional drinks or food.

Awards – The Awards Ceremony will start promptly at 10:00am. Make sure you stick around. We are awarding the top 3 runners in each age groups 1-14, 15-19, 20-24, 25-29, 30-34, 35-39, 40-44, 45-49, 50-54, 55-59, 60-64, 65-69, 70-74, 75+, along with the Overall Men and Women. Top Teams will be recognized as well. Results will be posted continuously throughout the race and can be found at www.cantonruns.com. YOU MUST BE PRESENT TO COLLECT YOUR AWARD. WE WILL NOT MAIL OUT



AWARDS AFTER THE RACE. NO EXCEPTIONS. PLEASE STICK AROUND FOR THE FEW EXTRA MINUTES AFTER YOU RUN.

Race Photos – Free race photos will be available just after you finish the race! We would love it if you posted your photos on your social media channels over race weekend. You can view your photos on the Race Results link at www.cantonruns.com