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SIENNA WELCOME

On behalf of Texas 10 Race Management we would like to welcome you back and thank you for supporting the Texas 10 Series. The information provided in this document is intended to help you have a safe and enjoyable race.

The 7th Annual Sienna 10 Miler presented by Houston Methodist Orthopedics and Sports Medicine race course is a two-loop five-mile USA Track and Field sanctioned course located in Missouri City. We would like to thank all of our sponsors, for their generous support of the event and Texas 10 Series. We encourage all of the participants to reference our website and like us on Facebook, Instagram and Twitter for up to the minute information.

Texas 10 Race Management & Staff

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

<u>Saturday, February 3, 2024– Fleet Feet Sports - Sugarland</u>

- 2:00pm Packet Pickup Begins
- 5:00pm Packet Pickup Closes

<u> Sunday, February 4, 2024– RACE DAY – RACE SITE</u>

- 6:00 a.m. Packet Pickup Begins
- 7:00 a.m. Packet Pickup Closes
- 7:24 a.m. Invocation
- 7:25 a.m. National Anthem
- 7:28 a.m. Closing PA Announcements from Event Organizers
- 7:30 a.m. **Start 10 mile & 5 mile**
- 7:35 a.m. **Start 5k**
- 8:00 a.m. Post Race Finish Festival begins
- 8:45 a.m. Award Ceremonies 5k
- 8:50 a.m. 2nd Loop Closes
- 9:15 a.m. Award Ceremonies 5 mile and 10 mile & Crazy Cash Give Away
- 10:15 a.m. Post Race Finish Festival ends







RACE PACKET PICKUP

All runners are required to pick up their race packet. Your race packet contains your race bib (timing device attached) and shirt.

BRING YOUR REGISTRATION CONFIRMATION PAGE AND I.D.

Note: Someone else may pickup your packet. They will need to present ID.

Saturday, Feb 3rd 2pm-5pm Fleet Feet Sports - Sugarland 15890 Southwest Freeway Sugarland Texas 77478 Sunday, Feb 4th 6am-7am RACE SITE Ridge Point HS 500 Waters Blvd Missouri City, Texas 77459

MAPS & COURSE INFO

COURSE DESCRIPTION – 10 Mile and 5 Mile

-Start at Ridge Point High School west most parking lot

- -Proceed out to Waters Lake Blvd and turn left
- -Proceed west to Sienna Parkway and turn left against traffic
- -Proceed thru round-a-bout staying on Sienna Parkway towards Waters Lake Blvd

-Turn right on Waters Lake Blvd moving to inside lane and head to turnaround

-Make turnaround and head back towards Ridge Point High School on inside lane -Turn left into school and proceed to finish line (5 milers) and 2nd Loop (10 milers)

COURSE DESCRIPTION - 5k

-Start at Ridge Point High School west most parking lot

-Proceed out to Waters Lake Blvd and turn right moving to inside lane

- -Proceed east to Sienna Parkway and proceed thru intersection.
- -Turn right on Waters Lake Blvd moving to inside lane and head to turnaround

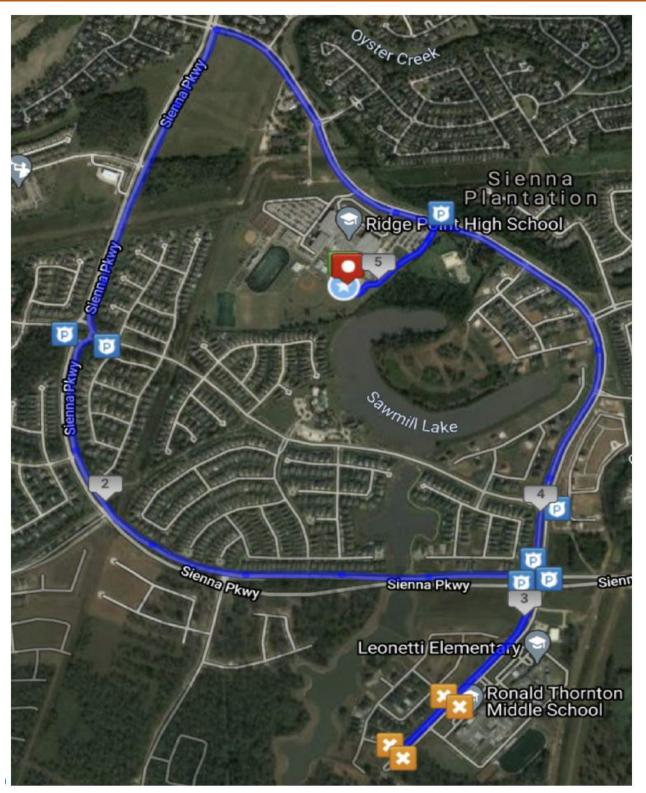
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-Turn left into school and proceed to finish line





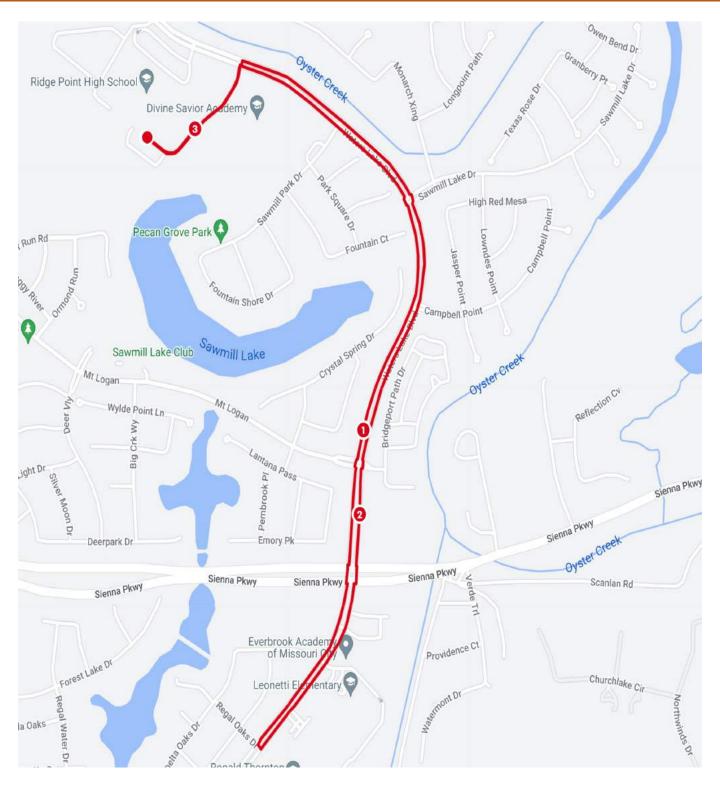
10 & 5 MILER COURSE MAP







5K COURSE MAP

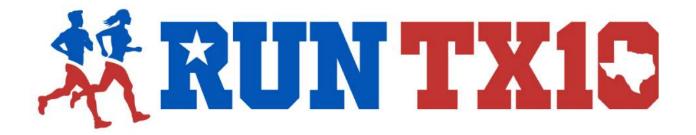






PARKING









PERRY HOMES FINISH FESTIVAL

All runners will be treated to a post race food line. Breakfast tacos, bananas, and granola bars are just some of the items included in our post race food. There will be water and soft drinks available courtesy of Texas 10 Race Management.

During the Finish Festival we will **give away five \$100 bills** to random 10mile finishers and **four \$50 bills** to random 5-mile finishers via a drawing. One 5ker will walk away with **one \$50 bill**. One club will walk away with **\$250** for the most runners in attendance.



WATER STOPS

There will be water stops at miles 1.5/6.5, 3/8, and 4.5/9.5 along the course. Each stop will provide Gatorade and Water.

Gatorade Endurance will be served in Gatorade cups and water in the white cups. Gatorade will be first at the water stop, followed by water.

We encourage all runners to maintain and practice proper hydration throughout their training and participation within the event.







RESULTS

Negative Split Productions is the "Official Timing Company" of the Texas 10 Series. If you have questions about specific event results please use the Contact Timer form on the event's official results page.



Results can be found on

https://runsignup.com/Race/Results/58378#resultSetId-277446;perpage:25

PHOTOS

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FINISHER MEDALS & AWARDS

AWARDS CEREMONY

All finishers in the 10-mile, 5-mile and 5k will receive a finisher medal when they complete their race.

The 10-mile overall male and female winners will receive a cash prize of \$150 each and the fastest 5-mile split in the 10-mile (male and female) will receive \$75 each.

The first three finishers in the following age groups (see below) will be awarded prizes in the 10-mile, 5-mile and 5k races.

Each age group will receive the following prizes.

Overall Male & Female (10-mile, 5-mile & 5k) Masters Male & Female (10-mile only) <u>Top 3 Age Group Winners</u>

1st place - designated award **2nd place** - designated award **3rd place** - designated award

10 MILE AGE GROUPS						
14 & Under	15-19	20-24	25-29			
30-34	35-39	40-44	45-49			
50-54	55-59	60-64	65-69			
70 & Over						
5 MILE & 5K AGE GROUPS						
14 & Under	15-19	20-29	30-39			
40-49	50-59	60-69	70 & Over			

NOTE: No Awards will be mailed out after the event. All awards must be collected at the post race finish festival. The Awards Ceremony schedule has been set well in advance for scheduling purposes.





ARMADILLO CUP

The race for the Armadillo Cup continues at the Bridgeland 10 Miler. Bridgeland is a 17-point race and the 4th race in the Series and is run on a fast, wide-open two loop course. Each finisher in the 10-mile race will receive a minimum of eight (8) points.



2023-2024 ARMADILLO CUP SCORING – 10 MILES ONLY

FINISHING POINTS	lst	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th	All Others
Cypress	15	14	13	12	11	10	9	8	7	6
Katy	15	14	13	12	11	10	9	8	7	6
Conroe	16	15	14	13	12	11	10	9	8	7
Bridgeland	17	16	15	14	13	12	11	10	9	8
Sienna	18	17	16	15	14	13	12	11	10	9

QUALIFICATIONS & PAYOUTS

- To qualify for Armadillo Cup Prize Money, you must run 4 of 5 events in person.
- Runners will be scored on current age and transfer points at birthday.
- Elites and Masters will roll into their age groups. 1st place points will be awarded to those finishers.
- RUNNERS MUST ATTTEND CUP CHAMPIONSHIP TO RECEIVE PAYOUT, NO EXCEPTIONS.

TIEBREAKERS

• most races~average finishing time~rock, paper, scissors

Place	Cash Prize	Total Female Prize	Total Male Prize
		Purse	Purse
1 st Place	\$175 per age group	\$2,275	\$2,275
2 nd Place	\$125 per age group	\$1,625	\$1,625
3 rd Place	\$75 per age group	\$975	\$975
Total Prize Purse		\$4,875	\$4,875





TEN GALLON CLUB CUP

The Ten Gallon Club Cup is a competition encouraging running clubs; groups or organizations to participate in the Texas 10 Series run distances. The overall total for all runners in the club, group or organization in the 10 mile, 5 mile and 5k will be figured based on total number of finishers.

TEN GALLON CUP POINTS PER RACE			
EACH RACE VENUE	POINTS AWARDED		
1 ST PLACE	12		
2 ND PLACE	11		
3 RD PLACE	10		
4 TH PLACE	9		
5 TH PLACE	8		
ALL OTHER CLUBS	7		



CASH PRIZE				
1ST Place \$750				
2 nd Place	\$500			
3 rd Place	\$350			
4 th Place	\$200			
5 th Place	\$150			

NOTE: If teams are tied in runners at an event, then they will get the same amount of points (i.e., 5 teams tied for second place will receive 11 points and everyone after will receive 7 points)

WIN \$250 at Bridgeland 10 Miler The RUNNING CLUB, GROUP, ORGANIZATION that has the most runners signed up and run the event wins \$250.







Q: Can I run with a baby jogger, skateboard, bike or dog?

A: No and Yes, in consideration for the safety of all participants; baby joggers, skateboards, bikes and animals are prohibited on the 5 mile and 10 mile course. A baby jogger will be allowed on the Kid's 1-mile race.

Q: Can I run with headphones?

A: Headphones are not prohibited but are strongly discouraged. Participants who wear headphones must remain aware of safety vehicles, race officials, traffic and other runners. Any participant who fails to follow directions from race officials is subject to being removed from the racecourse, for their own safety and the safety of other participants.

Q:What is the time limit for a Texas 10 Series race?

A: All streets must be reopened to traffic by 10:30 AM, and all participants must be able to cross the Finish Line by 10:15 AM to be recorded as an official finisher. No refunds will be given for registered participants who are directed off the course due to pace - no exceptions. Support and Gear (SAG) Wagons and equipment trucks will follow the last participants to move slower runners to the side of road, and reopen the streets as necessary. These participants will not be able to finish the race or receive their medal.

Q: Do I need a qualifying time to participate?

A: No, there is no qualifying time to participate in Texas 10 Series events.

Q: Can I walk?

A: Yes, if you are able to finish by 10:15AM.







FAQs cont.

Q: How many water stations will you have?

A: There will be three (3) Water Stations along the course.

Q: When will Armadillo and Ten Gallon Cup receive their cash award payments?

A: Texas 10 Race Management will issue award checks 6 to 8 weeks after the event at the Cup Championship Party.

Q:What do I do if I am injured on the course?

A: There will be ambulance service providing medical support along the course to attend to injuries. Runners will have access to medical support at each Water Station.

Q:Will there be food at the finish line?

A: Yes, there will be food at the finish line provided by the event producer.

Q: Is the course closed to traffic?

A: Yes, one lane will be closed for runners. Lanes will be coned off throughout the race for runners' safety.

Q: Is the course USA Track and Field Certified?

A: No. The event is USA Track and Field Sanctioned.

We encourage all participants to reference our website and like us on Facebook.

http://www.texas10series.com

https://www.facebook.com/pages/Texas-10-Series/410322682353520



Your Guide to Getting Ready on RACE DAY

Information provided by Houston Methodist Wellness Services Team

Don't try anything new on race day! Stick with the following tried-and-true tips:

Have your gear ready to go

- Race day is not the time to experiment. Stick to dry-fit clothing and socks (no cotton!) and wear the proper running shoes.
- Since you're running longer than one hour, pack carbohydrates for energy and a hand-held water containing electrolytes.

Know what to eat and drink (and when)

Morning of your race:

Two to three hours before the race, eat a light meal of carbs and protein.

• **Examples:** whole-grain waffle with yogurt and fruit, bagel with peanut butter, fruit smoothie with Greek yogurt

About an hour before your race, top off your energy stores with simple carbs.

• **Examples:** banana, energy chews, granola bar, sports drink

During the race:

- Every 15 to 30 minutes, drink six to 12 ounces of fluid + electrolytes (especially sodium). Aim to get 300 to 500 mg of sodium per hour.
- Consume carbohydrate every 15 to 30 minutes, aiming for a total of 30 to 60 grams per hour.
 - Examples: energy chews or gels, pretzels, dates

After the race: HYDRATE AND REFUEL!

Be sure to sip on plenty of water. In addition, a quality sports drink can help you rehydrate and replenish your electrolytes.

Refuel by eating foods that contain carbohydrates, protein and antioxidants.

• **Examples:** fruit smoothie with Greek yogurt, chocolate milk and a banana, toast with eggs, avocado and a side of fruit

Pro tip: Save the celebratory beer until after you refuel!

Set aside time to warm up and cool down

Prepare your body before the race:

Dynamic stretching, which is different from static stretching, involves movements that replicate the motions of your workout.

• **Examples:** arm swings, jogging in place and side lunges

Help your body recover after the race:

After your run, gradually return your heart rate to normal by completing five minutes of walking, dynamic stretching and light static stretching.









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ORGANIZATION DONATIONS:

Various groups may qualify for donations back to their organization or group by volunteering for the event. Below is a detailed breakdown of the amounts a group/organization may receive for their support. Please contact the Volunteer Coordinator to see if you may qualify and the process for your organization.

25 volunteer positions = \$250 donation 50 volunteer positions = \$500 donation 75 volunteer positions = \$750 donation







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