

Center for Autism & Related Disabilities Department of Exceptional Student Education

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Dear Friend,

The Center for Autism & Related Disabilities at Florida Atlantic University (FAU CARD) is a free service for people with autism spectrum disorders, their family members, and the community. We provide home, school, and office consultations; training for families and professionals; and public education. With the addition of our new Community Mobile Clinic, we now provide free screenings to children suspected of having autism or a related disability. In order to sustain these services to families for free, we are asking that you help by participating in our fun and exciting 5K event this year.

Our 3rd Annual FAU Center for Autism Homecoming 5K Run/Walk will be held at 5:15 pm on Sunday, October 21, 2012. As we did last year, we will be partnering up with Campus Recreation here at FAU to highlight the new state-of-the-art facilities on campus, including the FAU Football Stadium! Last year's event brought over 1,200 runners and guests to FAU making it one of the most highly attended events on campus! This year we are trying to achieve several goals, including:

- · Providing a fun day for people with autism spectrum disorders and their families;
- · Providing public education and awareness of our services and partner agencies;
- Providing a competitive race for runners in our community; and
- Securing funding to support our Center.

Achieving these goals helps us accomplish our mission of supporting the families and community of people with autism spectrum disorder in the Palm Beach and the Treasure Coast Counties. We have three levels of sponsorships available including the Gold Medal Sponsor at \$5,000, (fulfilled) the Silver Medal Sponsor at \$2,500, the Bronze Medal Sponsor at \$1,500 and Super Spectator Sponsor at \$500. Each sponsorship level comes with a variety of benefits, and details are included in this packet for your review. We can also tailor a sponsorship to meet your needs.

I ask that you consider sponsoring our event, as it would greatly help us raise much needed funding to continue providing our services as well as get your name out to the FAU and broader community as a partner of our cause! Feel free to contact me anytime if you have questions, or want to learn more about our race and services. I thank you for your time and consideration.

Sincerely,

Ali Cunningham

Ali Cunningham, M.Ed., LMHC Assistant Director, FAU CARD



Sponsorship Opportunities

Gold Medal Sponsor - \$5,000

Limit of 2 (Fulfilled)

- Sponsor name and logo displayed prominently on welcome and finish line banner (Limited)
- Sponsor name and/or logo placed prominently on t-shirt (Limited)
- Sponsor name and/or logo placed prominently on FAU website, press and social media (Limited)
- Includes 10 race entries
- Sponsor to have space for tent and table for promotion
- Sponsor promotional material distributed to all participants (this materials to be provided by the sponsor)

Silver Medal Sponsor - \$2,500

- Sponsor name and logo on finish line banner
- Sponsor name and/or logo placed on top of the back of the race t-shirt
- Includes 8 race entries
- Sponsor to have space for tent and table for promotion
- Sponsor promotional material distributed to all participants (this materials to be provided by the sponsor)

Bronze Medal Sponsor - \$1,500

- Sponsor name and logo on finish line banner
- Sponsor name and/or logo placed on the back of the race t-shirt
- Includes 5 race entries
- Sponsor to have space for tent and table for promotion

Super Spectator Sponsor- \$500

- Sponsor name and logo on finish line banner
- Includes 2 race entries
- Sponsor to have space for tent and table for promotion

October 21, 2012

To become a sponsor you can register online at our FAU Center for Autism Homecoming 5K Run/Walk Campaign page <u>www.active.com/donate/faucard2012</u> or by contacting Ali Cunningham at <u>acunnin5@fau.edu</u> or 561-297-4247



Sponsorship Registration Form

Thank you for sponsoring the FAU Center for Autism Homecoming 5K Run/Walk. Your pledge helps organize a great race, and more importantly, raise funding to help people with autism and related disabilities right here in our community. Each sponsorship level comes with varying benefits; please see the reverse page for details.

Name of Organization:	
Name	of Contact within Organization:
Spons	orship Level and Donation Amount:
	Gold Medal Sponsor: \$5,000
	Silver Medal Sponsor: \$2,500
	Bronze Medal Sponsor: \$1,500
	Super Spectator Sponsor: \$500
Names	s of tent/table representatives:

All runners included in race entries need to complete the Race Entry Form on page 2 of the brochure and attach it to this form or send separately indicating the name of the sponsoring organization with which they are running.

Please complete this form and send with payment to the Florida Atlantic University Foundation CARD. Our mailing address is as follows:

Attn. Ali Cunningham Florida Atlantic University Center for Autism & Related Disabilities 777 Glades Road Boca Raton, FL 33431

FAU Foundation CARD Tax Identification Number is 59-0917284.

If you have any questions, please contact Ali Cunningham at <u>acunnin5@fau.edu</u>, call 561-297-4247 or feel free fax sponsorship form to 561-297-2507. Thanks again for your support and we look forward to seeing you at the race!

Visit <u>www.active.com/donate/faucard2012</u> for registration information and information about the event!