

March 2016

Dear Sponsor:

Hello from the Tri-Cities Family YMCA! While it may be cold outside, we are already thinking about summer 2016 and our annual Coast Guard Festival Run! This race has been an integral part of our communities' salute to the Coast Guard for many years. This event would not be possible without generous support from community sponsors. We want to invite you to join in the action this summer by committing to become a sponsor of this wonderful event.

We are grateful that North Ottawa Community Health System has committed to be the title sponsor for the Tri-Cities Family YMCA's Grand Haven Coast Guard Festival Run for the ninth year in a row. Your sponsorship helps provide activities for local families of all ages. Race day events include a 10K run, a 5K Run/Walk, a 1 mile Family Fun Run/Walk, and a free Tot Trot Obstacle Course. The race course begins and concludes near the Tri-Cities Family YMCA where the awards ceremony and additional activities will take place.

Our sponsors are very important to us. We recognize your generous assistance and want to provide as many opportunities to publically acknowledge your support of this Grand Haven Coast Guard Festival Run. As a sponsor, more than 2,000 participants will display your company's logo as they wear their shirts both as a race participant and many times in the years that follow. We hope that you will join us for the 2016 Grand Haven Coast Guard Festival Run.

Please fill out the following pledge form as a commitment to sponsor the Coast Guard race. Your payment for sponsorship will be due on July 1st.

Michelle Bailey-Mesler

CEO

Erica Phelps, R.D.

Fitness & Wellness Director



Event Specifics

Name: TRI-CITIES FAMILY YMCA Coast Guard Run

Date: Saturday, July 30, 2016 5K Run / Walk – 7:30 am 10K Run – 8:30 am

> 1 Mile Family Fun Run / Walk – 8:45 am Tot Trot Obstacle Course – 9:15 am

Awards ceremony immediately following the race results

Location: The race begins and ends near the Tri-Cities Family YMCA.

Participation: Approximately 1900 local and visiting runners come to participate, some are training and preparing for various races, and others are simply having fun. The participants range in age from 3 to 80+ years of age and encompass a variety of skill levels.

Volunteers: It takes more than 250 community volunteers to make this event a fun, safe experience for the entire family. Numerous organizations, local business groups, school children and local residents help with the event. Each volunteer receives a coveted Volunteer t-shirt and goodie bag.

EXCLUSIVE Sponsor Packages	Platinum	Diamond	Gold	Silver	Bronze	Supporting
	\$10,000	\$5,000	\$2,500	\$1,500	\$500	\$250
Name included in race title	•					
Included in all press releases as a sponsor	•					
Onstage award presentation participation	•					
Exclusive branding on volunteer t-shirts		•				
Exclusive branding on Tot Trot t-shirts			•			
Exclusive rights to your specific sponsorship	•	•	•			
Company banner displayed at registration and awards area	•	•	•	•		
Complementary race entries	•	•	•	•		
Logo on promotional posters (must return sponsor form by May 16, 2016)	•	•	•	•	•	
Recognition on postcards (must return sponsor form by May 16, 2016)	•	•	•	•	•	
Annual continued sponsorship opportunity	•	•	•	•	•	
Branding on runners t-shirts	•	•	•	•	•	•
Logo on finishing banner	•	•	•	•		
Recognition on TCFYMCA website	•	•	•	•	•	•
Opportunity to include items in goodie bags	•	•	•	•	•	•
Opportunity to exhibit items at display booth near awards ceremony	•	•	•	•	•	
Recognition on sponsor board	•	•	•	•	•	•







SPONSOR RESERVATION FORM

SOME SPONSOR LEVELS ARE EXCLUSIVE AND MAY BE UNAVAILABLE. COMMITMENT INVOICE WILL BE SENT IN MAY

Name			
Company Name			
Address			
City			
Phone	Ext	Fax	
Email Address			
Signature			

Please be sure your company's contact information is filled out above and sponsor level is indicated.

We will send an invoice for your sponsor level, with payment due July 1st.

Your company logo, in digital format and sponsor reservation form can be emailed to:

Molly Fletcher: molly.fletcher@tcfymca.org

Preferred file formats are .eps or jpeg for logo.

Resolution of 300 d.p.i or higher.

FILTED	Platinum (Title Sponsor)	\$10,000	Open to one company
	Diamond Sponsor	\$5,000	Open to one company
	Gold Sponsor	\$2,500	Open to one company
	Silver Sponsor	\$1,500	Open to multiple companies
	Bronze Sponsor	\$500	Open to multiple companies
	Supporting Sponsor	\$250	Open to multiple companies