

Join The Race For The Brighter Future.

Empowering Disadvantaged High School Seniors Through Our Run For Futures: No Grad Left Behind 5K Event Sponsorship Opportunities

Executive Summary

Celebrating One, a volunteer-driven nonprofit, is committed to alleviating the financial and emotional burdens faced by families in Columbus and its surrounding areas. Our No Grad Left Behind program offers essential academic support, mentorship, and well-being check-ins to high school seniors, ensuring they have the resources they need to graduate successfully. We invite you to join us in making a profound impact on these students' lives through our upcoming event, the Run For Futures: No Grad Left Behind 5K, which will be held on Saturday, June 21, 2025, at Creekside Park, Gahanna. Your sponsorship will not only support these students but also provide significant visibility and engagement opportunities for your business. This proposal outlines the importance of your involvement and how it directly contributes to the program's success.

Problem Statement

High school seniors from economically disadvantaged backgrounds face immense challenges that can prevent them from achieving their academic goals. They often lack the financial resources to cover expenses such as graduation gowns, senior pictures, and yearbooks. Emotional and academic support is also often lacking, which can diminish their motivation and ability to succeed.

Our Solution

Celebrating One's Approach

The two-generational approach offers extensive support for both students and their families. We facilitate workshops, mentoring, and incentives to help students achieve high school graduation while providing them with the knowledge and resources necessary for college or career options. At the same time, we evaluate family needs and supply resources and referrals to promote stability, understanding that family well-being is essential for student achievement.

Thank you for celebrating with us!

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Celebrating One has developed a unique and comprehensive approach to supporting high school seniors through our No Grad Left Behind program.

- **Technology**: We utilize platforms and tools to streamline communication and support, ensuring consistent and effective outreach to students.
- **Personalization**: Each student's journey is unique. Our program tailors mentorship and workshops to address individual needs.
- Incentives: Students who participate actively in workshops and mentoring programs can
 qualify for a diverse range of rewards that are both practical (such as \$500 scholarships,
 school fees, and ACT test fees) and enjoyable (including prom tickets and yearbooks).
 These incentives encourage students to stay engaged throughout the year, fostering a
 sense of connection to their school community while providing short-term boosts to
 keep them motivated.
- **Proven Results**: Our program has demonstrated success in increasing graduation rates and providing students with the skills they need to thrive in the future.

By sponsoring our event, you help directly fund these initiatives, ensuring no student is left behind due to financial constraints.

Case Study

Success Stories from Our No Grad Left Behind Program

Case Study 1:

- **Student Profile**: Anisa, a high school senior from a low-income family.
- Challenge: Financial constraints prevented her from affording graduation expenses.
- **Solution**: Through our program, Anisa received financial assistance for her cap and gown & school fees, mentorship, and academic support.
- **Results**: Anisa graduated with honors, walked on graduation with cap & gown to receive her high school diploma and received a scholarship to attend college.

Sponsorship Levels and Benefits

We offer several sponsorship levels, each designed to provide maximum exposure and engagement with our community:

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- **Encourager \$2,000**: Top sponsor recognition on our website and newsletter, social media presence, logo on race t-shirts, and more.
- **Motivator \$1,000**: Sponsor listing with website link in all our communications, logo on race t-shirts, and promotional materials included in race packets.
- **Inspirer \$500**: Sponsor listing in all our communications, logo on race t-shirts and promotional materials included in race packets.
- **Supporter \$250**: Sponsor listing on our website and newsletter, with company name on race t-shirts.

In-kind sponsorships are also welcome, providing opportunities for businesses to contribute goods or services such as event photography or refreshments.

Next Steps

We invite you to become a valued sponsor of the Run For Futures: No Grad Left Behind 5K. By partnering with us, you'll not only help high school seniors achieve their academic dreams but also demonstrate your commitment to community development and education.

Action Points:

- 1. **Review Sponsorship Levels**: Consider which sponsorship package aligns with your company's goals.
- 2. **Contact Us**: Reach out to Jurgita info@celebratingone.org with questions or to discuss sponsorship opportunities
- 3. **Submit Sponsorship Form**: Complete the sponsorship form to confirm your participation.
- 4. **Prepare Promotional Materials**: If applicable, prepare any promotional materials for inclusion in race packets.

Together, we can make a meaningful difference in our community. Join us in supporting the No Grad Left Behind program and ensuring every student has the opportunity to succeed.

Please fill out the form on the following page and return before May 1, 2025.

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Sponsorship Form

Celebrating One - Run For Futures: No Grad Left Behind 5K			
Event date -Saturday, June 21, 2025			
Name/Company			
(As it sl	hould appear in publication)		
Addres	s		
			_ Phone ()
Contac	t Person		
Title E-mail			
*Please email a .jpeg version of your company logo to Celebrating One at:			
info@celebratingone.org please include your social media handles and website link.			
Please indicate your sponsorship level:			
	Level		Will set up table
	☐ Encourager - \$2,000	☐ Yes	□ No
	☐ Motivator - \$1,000	☐ Yes	□ No
	☐ Inspirer - \$500	☐ Yes	□ No
	☐ Supporter - \$250	☐ Yes	□ No
Sponsor checks, logo and your promotional materials for race packet to be received by 05/01/2025 at info@celebratingone.org .			
CC for s	for check and your promo mater sponsorship Celebrating One Attn: 5k P.O. Box 123 New Albany, OH 43054	Committee	
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