

THANKSGIVING
POINT

TULIP 5K

Saturday, April 27

Race starts at 7:30 am



Runner's Guide



WELCOME!

Welcome! On behalf of the race directors, and all of us at Thanksgiving Point, we would like to thank you for participating in our Tulip Festival 5k. We are confident you and your families will be safe during this event and wish you the very best on race day.

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Packet Pick-up

Packet pick-up will be a drive thru on Friday, April 26th at the East gatehouse at Electric Park. Packet pick-up hours will be 12 pm-8 pm

No day-of packet pickup is allowed.

You may pick up packets for other runners. Please have their full name and permission prior to doing so.

Each 5k registrant will receive:

- Tulip Festival Race T-Shirt
- Tulip Festival 2024 Finisher's Medal (at finish line)
- Tulip Festival 2024 Bib

** Amid capacity issues, we are not able to offer Tulip Festival tickets for the Tulip Festival 5k participants.*



Schedule of Events

SATURDAY, APRIL 27TH, 2024

Runners Arrival

6-7 am

Official 5k Start Time

7:30 am | Thanksgiving Point Ashton Gardens Visitor Center

Music & Festivities

6:45 am - 9 am

Awards Ceremony

8:45 am 5k main stage | Ashton Gardens



Additional Information

Parking

Garden Drive will close to any traffic access from 7:15 - 8 am.

Please arrive by 6:45 am to get warmed up and ready to run. This will help the race start on time and make sure all cars are parked. We are asking runners of the same household to please carpool.

Watch for parking attendants.

Aid Stations

We wish to thank our numerous volunteers for their time and efforts in providing the following aid stations. Please be courteous and express your appreciation to this wonderful group of volunteers.

In addition to the finish area, the 5k will have one aid station at the half-way point stocked with water and Powerade in cups spaced out on a table.

Restrooms will also be available at the aid station.

Spectators

Due to parking restrictions we do ask if spectators are attending that they carpool with the runners.



Racecourse Description

5k

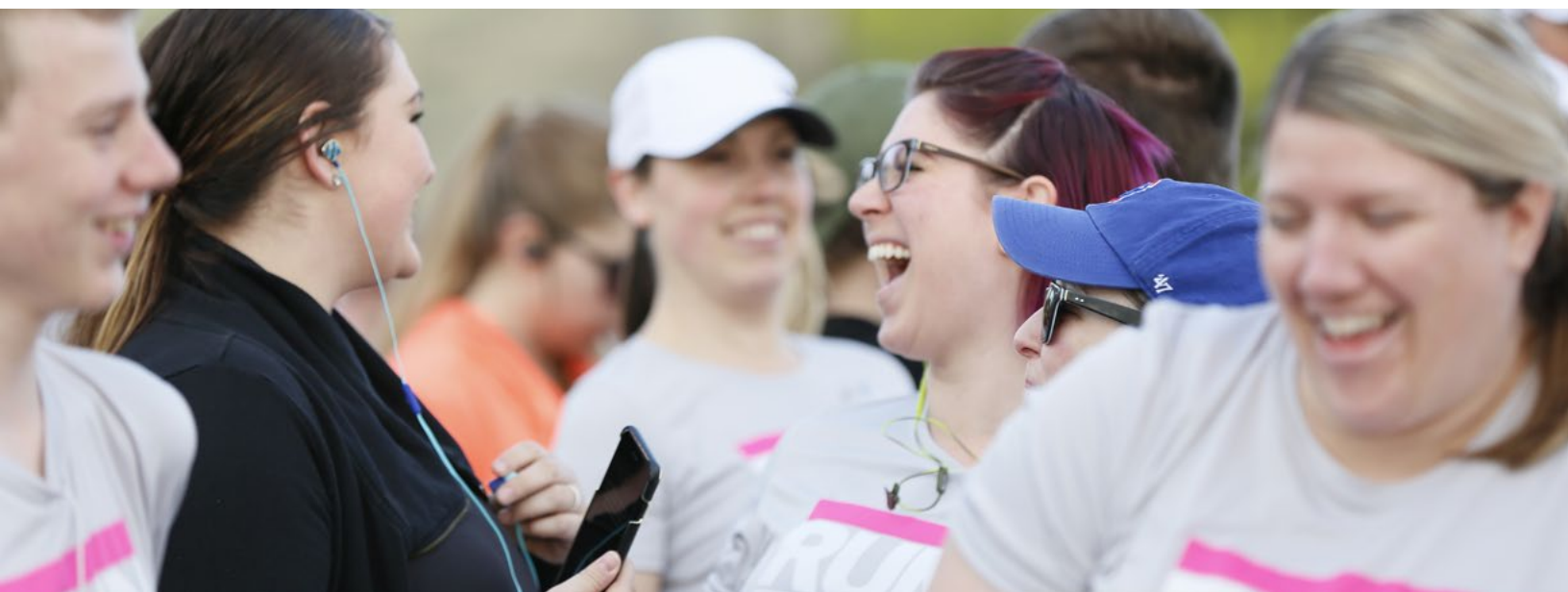
The 5k course starts and finishes at the Ashton Gardens Visitor Center. The course runs through the Ashton Gardens during our annual Tulip Festival.

*Strollers are allowed on the 5k course

Bikes, scooters, skateboards are **NOT allowed - participants must run/walk the course under their own power (excepting wheelchairs)

***Dogs are not allowed on the 5k course

The Tulip Festival 5k is a chip timed event.





Awards and Divisions

Note that the awards ceremony will only feature the winners in the Open Division, and all awards in each age division will be mailed to the division winners.

Open Division

1st Place Male/Female: Award + Thanksgiving Point Family Membership

2nd Place Male/Female: Award + Thanksgiving Point Family Membership

3rd Place Male/Female: Award + Thanksgiving Point Family Membership

* The first 3 places, Male & Female, will be determined by gun time.

ALL 5k finishers receive a custom finisher medal.

Age Divisions

11 & under	25-29	45-49	65-69
12-14	30-34	50-54	70+
15-19	35-39	55-59	
20-24	40-44	60-64	



Contact Us:

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and farm complex founded as a gathering place and gift to the community.*

***One hundred percent of race proceeds will benefit Thanksgiving Point's
mission and education programs. Thank you for your support.***