



## 2025 River City Runners and Walkers Club

### River City Race Series

**ENTRY IS FREE FOR MEMBERS!!!**

**WHAT IS THE RUNNING AND WALKING SERIES?** The RIVER CITY RUNNERS AND WALKERS CLUB proudly presents the 2025 River City Race Series. The series is designed to provide runners and walkers a chance to compete for a series championship involving races in Wood, Wirt, Pleasants and Ritchie Co. WV and Washington Co. Ohio. (Participating races in the series are listed on the back of this flyer.) Races will be scored using the system explained below, with awards being presented at the RCRWC Banquet at the end of the season. Entry to the series is FREE. All you have to do is sign up, complete the required number of races (8) and be a member of the RCRWC.

**ELIGIBILITY RULES:** Entry applications must be submitted by **May 5th**. Participants must be **12 years old or older** to enter the series. In 2025, to be eligible for awards and a series shirt, participants must **complete a total of 8 of the scheduled series races and be a River City Runners & Walkers Club member**. Participants' score will be based on their top **8** race scores, although racers are welcomed to compete in as many races as they would like. Race scoring **starts at the participant's date of entry into the series**. The participant's age group will be maintained throughout the series based on their age on April 1. The division a participant signs up for i.e. runner/walker will be maintained throughout the series. Entry into the Series can either be as a Runner or Walker, not both or a combination of both. You can still participate in other Series Events in the other division, but only those races you complete per your registration as a Runner or Walker will count toward the Series.

**SCORING SYSTEM:** In 2025 a participant's score will be determined by his/her percentile place of finish in that race. A win will score an individual 100 points and a participant who finishes in the middle of the pack will score 50 points. Every finisher will score at least 1 point. To calculate how a race will be scored, take the number of finishers and add 1 to that total. From that total, subtract your place of finish. Next, divide that number by the total number of finishers and then multiply by 100. Bonus points will be given for each race. For each race you will receive one point for each mile of the race, unless otherwise noted. Please note: if the race director allows a virtual race it will still count for the series, but scoring will be a flat 50 points (no bonus participation points and no points for rankings).

**POINT STANDINGS:** The standings for everyone who officially enters the Running and Walking Series will be available on the webpage at [www.rivercityrunnersandwalkers.com](http://www.rivercityrunnersandwalkers.com). Standings will be updated within 3 days of the race.

**AWARDS:** **Runner and Walker Divisions** (No duplications of awards). **Open:** Overall awards will go to top 3 male and female finishers of the series. Age group awards will be at the discretion of the series director and dependent upon total participants. Everyone who completes the number of qualifying races will receive a consultation award.

**Dates and times are subject to change. Please check before attending.**

2025 Dates	Location	Run Distance	Walk Distance	Race Name	Participation Points	Starting Time
March 15	Marietta	5K	5K	Leprechaun Dash and Bash	3.1	10:00 AM
April 19	Beverly, OH	5K	5K	Beverly Bunny Hop 5K*	3.1	8:30 AM
April 26	Parkersburg	5K	5K	Walk & Roll 5K	3.1	
May 3	Belpre, OH	5K	5K	Mother's Day 5K*	3.1	9:00 AM
May 4	Parkersburg	2 Mile	2 Mile	Slip Slap Slop 2 Mile *	2	9:00 AM
May 24	Marietta	5K	5K	Sternwheel 5K*	3.1	8:00 AM
June 14	Ravenswood River Front	5K	5K	Dash for Diabetes 5K	3.1	8:30 AM
June 21	Parkersburg	10K	2 Mile	Chick-Fil-A 10K *	6.2/2	8:00 AM
June 28	Parkersburg	5K	5K	Freedom Fun Run	3.1	8:00 AM
July 5	Elizabeth	5K	5K	Firecracker 5K	3.1	8:00 AM
July 19	Parkersburg	5K	5K	Kicks 4 Kids	3.1	9:00 PM
August 2	Harrisville	5K	5K	Stepping on Hunger 5K *	3.1	8:00 AM
August 16	Parkersburg	13.1 mile	13.1 mile	News & Sentinel Half Marathon	13.1	8:00 AM
August 16	Parkersburg	2 mile	2 mile	News & Sentinel 2 Mile	2	8:10 AM
October 26	Marietta	5K	5K	Heart & Hands 4 Paws 5k	3.1	2:30 PM
November 2	Marietta	5K	5K	Fallback 5K	3.1	2:00 PM
December 21	St. Mary's, WV	5K	5K	Mistletoe 5K	3.1	2:30 PM

\*Denotes Kids Race

**HOW TO ENTER:** 1. Complete the form clearly and mail to: River City Runners and Walkers Club, P.O. Box 4496, Parkersburg, WV 26104 or 2. E-mail the same information to [scottctburnham@gmail.com](mailto:scottctburnham@gmail.com) or 3. Send the same information to Scott Burnham on Facebook.

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Application also available online

[www.rivercityrunnersandwalkers.com](http://www.rivercityrunnersandwalkers.com)

----- I would like to participate in the FREE 2020 RCRWC Running and Walking Series\_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Male:\_\_\_ Female:\_\_\_

Address:\_\_\_\_\_

e-mail\_\_\_\_\_

Age:\_\_\_\_\_ Shirt size: Adult XS\_\_\_\_\_S\_\_\_M\_\_\_L\_\_\_XL\_\_\_XXL\_\_\_

Runner:\_\_\_\_\_Walker:\_\_\_\_\_

Signature:\_\_\_\_\_Date:\_\_\_\_\_