



PYRAMID CHALLENGE

SATURDAY, October 19, 2019

Washington Irving Middle School

Registration Deadline: October 1, 2019!

WHAT IS THE PYRAMID CHALLENGE?

A running race started ten years ago by Bob Briggs and Peter Steinberg to introduce cross country running and encourage community involvement among the elementary schools of the West Springfield Pyramid. Grades K-3 will run one-half mile and grades 4-6 will run one mile. The courses are a combination of flat land and hills, all grass and cinder track. Two trophies will be awarded to schools with highest participation and fastest runners.

WHO PARTICIPATES?

Students of Cardinal Forest, Hunt Valley, Keene Mill, Orange Hunt, Rolling Valley, Sangster and West Springfield Elementary Schools are invited to participate. Each school is assigned a different color race t-shirt. Race shirts can be picked up on race day.

IS THERE AN ENTRY FEE? No, but we ask that you bring **4 cans of food** to benefit ECHO, a local food bank.

QUESTIONS? Please contact: - Sarah Rivera pyramid@orangehuntpta.org

RACE SCHEDULE

10:00: 1/2 mile - Kindergarten (boys and girls)
10:15: 1/2 mile - First Grade (boys and girls)
10:30: 1/2 mile - Second Grade (boys and girls)
10:45: 1/2 mile - Third Grade (boys and girls)
11:00: School Mascot Race (weather permitting)
11:20: One mile - Fourth, fifth, sixth grade girls
11:40: One mile - Fourth, fifth, and sixth boys

Arrive 1 hour prior to your race time start to pick up shirt and bib! Event is rain or shine

PRE-REGISTER DEADLINE: SUNDAY, OCTOBER 1ST ONLINE REGISTRATION NOW AVAILABLE!

<https://potomac.enmotive.com/events/register/2019-pyramid-challenge>

Register Once: Please only register once. Both online and paper are valid registration this year. Please do not do both, either alone will register your student(s).

After registering Online, check your *INBOX* for an email confirmation. If you do NOT receive an email confirmation, you are NOT registered. Online registration questions can be forwarded to Chris.S.Dean@gmail.com

Donations: This is a free event to students. However, there is a cost for the local PTA's. The amount each school pays is largely dependent upon donations. Please consider donating to help cover the costs that are above and beyond the sponsorship.

Volunteers Needed! When you register, please consider volunteering - this is a PTA led event so we are in need of volunteers! We are especially in need of parents who are able to help out from 8am - 12:00 on race day. We need help managing the race course, scoring the event, signing in volunteers and bake sale donation. Please contact Sarah Rivera at pyramid@orangehuntpta.org if you are able to help.



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