

2009 NEARI 5K Run

“Setting the Pace for Public Education”



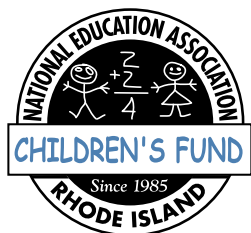
**4th Annual 5K RUN/1 Mile WALK
to benefit
The NEARI Children's Fund**

**Saturday, November 7, 2009
10:00 am**

**Goddard Memorial Park
Warwick, Rhode Island**

**Registration: 8:00 – 10:00 am
Start time: 10:00 am**

EVENT INFORMATION



Registration:

8:00-10:00 am Picnic Shelter, Goddard Memorial Park

Entrance Fee:

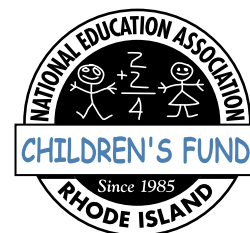
Pre-registration/online by midnight Nov. 5 \$18.00

www.needtorace.com

Pre-registration/mail in (received by Nov. 2) \$18.00

Registration/day of race \$20.00

Checks are made payable to **NEARI, 99 Bald Hill Road, Cranston, RI 02920**



Categories and Awards

Top Overall Male and Female - \$100.00 each

1st, 2nd and 3rd place finishers in all categories will receive an award.

Junior (18 and under) • Open (19 – 29) • Sub-masters (30 – 39), • Masters (40 – 49)
Seniors (50 – 59), • Veterans (60 – 69) • Grand Veteran (70+)

Race Features:

Raffle prizes, refreshments, live music & T-shirts (to the first 250 entrants).

The NEA Rhode Island Children's Fund

The fourth annual NEARI 5k Run/1 Mile Walk will benefit the NEA Rhode Island Children's Fund.

Fund Description: Education professionals spend their lives with children, stimulating their minds, freeing their spirits, serving their needs – reaching out to children in a million ways, day-to-day, year-by-year. Often these professionals are the first to see special situations, when students may need a hot meal, a winter coat, or funds to participate in a class trip.

The National Education Association Rhode Island Executive Committee established the Children's Fund in 1985 to answer these needs. Any member of the organization may apply for anonymous financial assistance to help students in those special situations.

Thousands of children are embraced by the fund each year. The Children's Fund is unique in that 100% of the donations go directly to the children. Not one penny is used for salaries or administrative costs! Thank you for helping with your participation in the 5k Run.

COURSE INFORMATION

- The 5k certified course is located in Goddard Memorial Park, Ives Road, Warwick. The start and finish lines are located at the beach.
- No strollers or baby joggers are allowed on the course due to insurance.
- Timing and scoring is managed by **+Organization Plus+ Road Race Management Services.**

Directions:

From the North – Take I-95 South to Rt. 4 South. Take first exit – Exit 8 – to East Greenwich. Turn right onto Division Street (Rte. 401). Proceed two miles, then turn right on Rt. 1 South / Main Street. After one mile, turn left at the sign for "Goddard Memorial Park." Bear left for one mile to park entrance on left. Proceed pass Park Office and bear right to beach.

From the South – Take I-95 North to Exit 8A South. At first signal, take a left onto Division Street (Rt. 401). Follow for 2 miles to Rt. 1 South (see above).

From South County – Take Rt. 4 North to Exit 8B, Division Street (Rt. 401). Follow for 2 miles to Rt. 1 South (see above).

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REGISTRATION FORM

Name: _____ Age: _____ Gender: _____
 Address: _____ Telephone: _____
 City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____ NEARI local _____
 Volunteer only: _____ Donation only: _____ Email Address _____

Make your check payable to: **NEARI** (all checks are non-refundable)

Please send your check with entry form to: **NEARI 5k Run/1 Mile Walk, 99 Bald Hill Road, Cranston, RI 02920**

I hereby release The NEARI Children's Fund Run/Walk and the organizers and sponsors of this event from any claim of damage or injury resulting from my participation in or traveling to and from the aforementioned race.

Signature (*Parent signature required if runner is less than 18 years of age)

Date