

2016 Utah Santa Run – Provo Shops at Riverwoods



Runners & Fun Guide

December 3, 2016

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Dear Santa Claus Runners,

The 9th Annual Utah Santa Run is going to be great. This race brings in runners from all across the USA because it brings in family from all over the country. This race has many first time runners as well as long term racers. It also brings in some that only run the Utah Santa Run either that it is a tradition for them or that they love milk and cookies.

We are donating to 3 Charities or Causes in 2016 again. We are donating to Huntsman Cancer and collecting some toys for Toys for Tots. Much of the donations goes to support Ogden Christmas Village.

Spectators – We encourage spectators on the race. The best location for spectating is at the Start and finish which are the same location in the Shops at Riverwoods. The rest of the course is a paved trail with not a lot of room to cheer without getting in the way. Also the start and finish has the most fun and excitement. Going on the trail could put you or your spectator in danger.

This race is forecasted to have some snow days prior to the race. Day of is looking pretty good with only a 10% chance of snow. We do recommend runners to wear proper clothing like shoes with great traction and warm clothes under your Santa Suit. Last weeks race in Ogden had around 70 degrees. It is amazing what a difference a week can make. In 2012 we had a snow storm during the race. It is more important to have fun and be safe than to be fast.

Timing is done via timing chips. These chips are attached to the back of your bib numbers so do not remove them or fold them. As you finish the race please proceed to away from the finish line for at least 10 seconds. Timing Systems mark your last read as you finish until you leave the timing zone for 10 seconds. Runners who finish then stay in the zone will be disappointed in the time because it will not register until they are clear. If you want to cheer on a finisher behind you please finish walk ahead into the food area and then come back. This should give you chip the read it needs to register without the continuous reading. Age group awards are not given during this race but overall are recognized. Results will have age groups but we do not do awards for them.

Ho Ho Ho,

Santa Claus – Race Director On Hill Events (Joe Coles)

Sponsors

Other Sponsors



Race Agenda

Friday December 2, 2016

4-7PM - Packet Pickup at Blickenstaffs Toy Store at the Shops at Riverwoods 4801 N University Ave Provo Utah (If you would like to donate a toy please do for Toys for Tots.

Saturday December 3, 2016

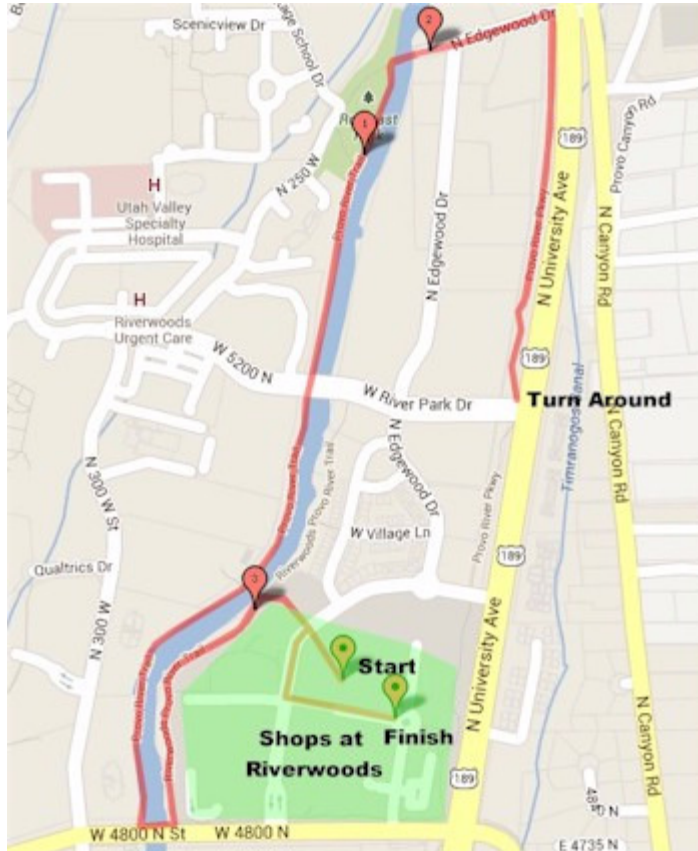
- **1:30PM to 3:00PM – Race Day Packet Pickup (Ends at 3:00PM so be there no later than 2:30PM) at the Shops at Riverwoods Pavilion 4801 N. University Ave Provo Utah. This is just East of Blickenstaffs and in the center of the Shops at Riverwoods**
- **3:30PM – Costume Contest (Wear it best)**
- **3:45PM – Santa’s Line up to Start and do Warm Ups**
- **4:00PM – Start the Santa Run**
- **5:00PM – Start to Sweep Course (Must be off by 5:15PM)**

Milk and Cookie Stops or Aid Stations

There are around 2 aid stations on this course with Santa’s Helpers out there to support them. Because the course is out and back you will have plenty of water, Milk and Cookies to aid your run.

Course Map – Ogden Santa Run

Provo Out and Back



Start at the Shops at Riverwoods near the Pavilion and head West towards the movie theater. At Edgewood Dr. head North then a quick Left to the trail. At the Provo River Trail head south and then North at the Bridge. At Edgewood Drive make a right turn to just prior to University Ave. At University Ave turn right South then turn around River Park Drive and head back to the start the same course you came from.

Parking

There is plenty of parking around the Shops at Riverwoods and all accessible to the runners.

Check out www.OnHillEvents.com for our 2017 Schedule of races. Some of 2017 is online and open for registration now however the complete 2017 will be posted no later than December 15, 2016. Many more Seasonal theme races like this Satna Run are coming like the Abominable Run 5K Jan 7, Candy Heart Run 5K Feb 11, Lucky 13 Half/5K Mar 18 or Eggs Legs Apr 15, 2017.

Here is a comparable list from our past 2016 calendar:

2016 On Hill Events:

Eggs Legs 5K (Easter) – March 26
Legacy Duathlon – April 9
50 CENT 50 Mile (4 Per Relay/Bike/Half Mar) – May 7
Mt Green Half Marathon/10K/5K - May 28
Drop13 Half Marathon/5K – June 11
Provo Midnight Run – Nighttime Glow Stick Half Marathon/10K/5K – June 24
Logan Triathlon – Spr/Oly – July 9
Legacy Midnight Run – Nighttime Glow Stick Half Marathon/10K/5K – July 15
Layton Triathlon – Spr/Mini/Kids - July 30
USAT Tiger Trout Triathlon – Aug. 13
East Canyon Marathon – 26.2/13.1/10K/5K – Aug. 27
USAT Bear Lake Brawl Tri – Spr/Oly - Sept. 10
USAT Bear Lake Brawl Tri – 70.3/140.6 - Sept. 19
Layton Marathon/Half/10K/5K – Oct. 10
USAT Powell3 Tri Challenge – Spr/Oly - Oct. 24
Frightmares Lagoon Half Marathon – 13.1/10K/5K -TBA
Utah Santa Run Series – Dress as Santa
SLC Santa Run 5K – Nov. 19
Ogden Santa Run 5K – Nov. 26
Provo Santa Run 5K – Dec. 3

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