

Register Today for the Town of Yucca Valley Runfest 5K Run

Runners and fitness enthusiasts from throughout the desert area are invited to participate in the Runfest 5K Run to be held in Yucca Valley on Saturday, August 10th, 2019 in conjunction with the Town of Yucca Valley Summer Music Festival Series. The Runfest is open to novice and experienced athletes of all ages. The flat and fast loop course starts and finishes at the Yucca Valley Community Center Soccer Field, located at 57090 Twentynine Palms Highway, winding comfortably through residential areas between the Community Center and Brehm Park. A race brochure featuring information and a course map can be viewed online at www.yucca-valley.org and copies are available at the Community Center. The 5K event will start at 7:00 p.m. to the sounds of Desperado, an Eagles Tribute band as the evening concert begins. After the run, participants are welcome to enjoy the music and light refreshments in a reserved runners lounge area. Awards will be presented to overall male and female winners. Commemorative participation medals will be presented to all finishers.

Those interested in entering the run are encouraged to register in advance at the Community Services Office in the Community Center or online at www.yucca-valley.org. Early Bird participants who register on or before July 31 will enjoy a discounted entry fee of \$20 per person, express check-in at the race, a souvenir race t-shirt and gift, and will be automatically entered in a drawing for a variety of fun door prizes. Regular registration will begin on August 1 at \$25 per person with on-site registration also being accepted on race day from 6:00 to 6:45 p.m. Please note that souvenir shirts and gifts are guaranteed to Early Bird registrations only.

The event is organized and conducted by the Recreation Division of the Town of Yucca Valley with the support of media sponsors Hi-Desert Publishing Company and Z107.7 FM Radio. Timing services are provided by Coach Jay Stepp and the Yucca Valley High School Cross Country Team. For more information, contact the Community Services office Monday through Thursday, 12:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. at 760-369-7211.