# Class of 2015 Tie-Dye Tiger 5K

# October 18, 2014 9:00am Fort Clark Springs Teen Center

#### What is it?

The Class of 2015 Tie-Dye Tiger Run is a 5K race in which the participants are doused from head to toe in all different colors at three different stations along the running route. Trust us, this is a fun 5k!

With only two rules, the idea is easy to follow:

- 1.Wear a white t-shirt
- 2. Finish plastered in color

#### When is it?

The race is Saturday, October 18<sup>th</sup> beginning at 9am from the Fort Clark Springs Teen Center. Race day registration will begin at 8:00am and run until 8:45am. We encourage you to register early to make our day "run" as smooth as possible!

#### Fees

\$15 registration fee per person, regardless of age. Fees can be paid by cash or check only. Make checks payable to Brackett ISD.

#### How do I register?

Contact any member of the Class of 2015 or Sponsor Lindsey Kunz (<u>lindsey.kunz@brackettisd.net</u> or 830-563-5003. Each participant will have to complete a waiver form to participate. This form may be emailed to you or completed on race day.

#### Race Route

Race route begins and ends at the Fort Clark Springs Teen Center.

#### Giving Back

The Class of 2015 Tie-Dye Tiger Run 5K proceeds will be used by the class for our Senior Trip, graduation and Senior gift back to Brackett ISD.

## FAQ

#### Do I need to be some super fast runner to do this?

NO. There are plenty of other great 5ks out there to test speed and performance. The Class of 2015 5K event is all about a color crazy day of working out with friends and family. You can run, walk, or crawl if you wish!

#### What is the inspiration behind the Class of 2015 5k Fun Run?

The Class of 2015 Tie-Dye Tiger Run 5K is the first paint race of its kind in Brackettville! We wanted to create a less stressful and untimed running environment that is more about health, happiness and FUN!

# Can I run with a jogging stroller and my kids?

On one condition...if you are prepared to be one of the coolest moms/dads in Brackettville!

# Is there an age limit for younger runners?

No age limits:) If they can cover (running, jogging, walking, strolling) the 3.2 miles of the 5K Fun Run course, they can absolutely participate! Remember though, all participants will need to register and pay the \$15 registration fee - except kids in strollers!

# Is there a packet pick up for the event? How does all that work?

No. Just check in on race day from 8:00am - 8:45am - at the Fort Clark Springs Teen Center.

#### How strict is the "white t-shirt dress code" for the start of the event?

We will have white t-shirt clothing police inspectors located throughout the event. You will be arrested and put in jail if more than 10% of your clothing is a hue other than white - Just Kidding! As long as runners wear shirts that are mostly white, you are totally good. It is really just more fun to run starting in white and ending, well doused in all different colors!

# How is the color administered? Will I be hurt, maimed, or killed?

No, it doesn't hurt at all. It is like getting into a powdered sugar food fight.

# Will the color ruin clothes or running shoes?

The "color" does mostly wash out after the event. As with anything dirty, the sooner you wash it the better. We suggest wearing items that you wouldn't mind getting colorful.

#### Do the Color Stations affect runner vision? Or breathing?

The color explosions are basically food grade cornstarch and are 100% natural and SAFE. As with any substance, you want to keep it out of your eyes and our color throwers will make sure to aim low as you pass by. You may opt to wear glasses for your eyes and use a bandana or dust mask for your mouths - but it is NOT necessary!

#### How does the color affect the inside of cars?

You might want to bring some towels for the insides of your car, just in case. It's like driving home from the swimming pool in your swimsuit:)

# Are cameras and phones safe to have in the color zones?

Cameras and phones are totally fine shooting from a medium distance (25-50 feet) - this is just a suggestion! If you want to get shots right in the midst of the color we recommend covering cameras/phones with plastic wrap. We are not responsible for damaged cameras:(

## Is the Class of 2015 5K Tie-Dye Tiger Run timed?

No. We suggest self-timing for anyone desiring a finish time.

# What if I have a super sweet question that isn't answered here?

Please email Lindsey.kunz@brackettisd.net or call 830-563-2491.