

Tips for a Fun Racing to Read 5k Run and Walk

Nearly 1,000 people will be in downtown Covington on Saturday, June 12 for the Kenton County Public Library's Racing to Read 5k Run and Walk, presented by U.S. Bank. Volunteers, runners and friends and family will gather in support of the Library. The race begins at 9 a.m. at the Mary Ann Mongan Library in Covington on Scott Boulevard. Participants will enjoy a great course, awards and a free breakfast after the race provided by First Watch in the Library's parking lot! There will also be a Kids' area and Fun Run. Here are a few tips to remember to make sure your run or walk is enjoyable:

- Race day registration and packet pick-up begins at 7:30 a.m.;
- Surrounding streets will close at 8:45 a.m., so make sure to arrive early;
- The Kenton County Public Library's parking lot will be closed on race day. Free parking will be available in the parking garages on Fifth and Scott and the City Center parking garage on Seventh and Pike;
- No pets will be permitted on the course or in the Library's parking lot for safety reasons;
- Race day registration is \$25 for individuals or \$85 for family teams;
- Secure your personal belongings;
- Bring the entire family for face painting, the Kids' Fun Run, the 5K Run and Walk, pancakes and more.