



2021 COVID-19 POLICY

Please know that the Palm Harbor University High School ClubMEDICAL Booster Club is committed to planning a successful **in-person** 2021 Glam Run 5K and 1 Mile Fun Run on Saturday, February 13, 2021.

Due to the current COVID-19 situation, the Booster Club's goal is to be completely transparent and plan for any and all possible contingencies. 2021 Glam Run Registration will open on October 4, 2020. *However, before we accept your registration payment, we want you to be fully aware of any potential outcomes due to possible future COVID-19 outbreaks or restrictions.*

If cancellation of the 2021 Glam Run is deemed necessary, you can trust it will be done with great sadness and with the knowledge that the Palm Harbor University High School ClubMEDICAL Booster Club has a responsibility to deliver the best Virtual Run event possible. *Postponement of the run or the refunding of registration fees will not be an option.*

• **Is postponing the 2021 Glam Run an option?**

The Glam Run requires tremendous event sponsor support and critical resources provided by Palm Harbor University High School ClubMEDICAL Booster Club. Logistically it is not possible to reallocate these necessary event sponsors and community resources to a later date.

After considering all the variables involved in the year-long process of planning the 2021 Glam Run, it became clear that postponement would not be an option.

• **Are you able to offer refunds?**

In 2014, the Glam Run 5K was created with the intention to raise funds to support the Center for Medical Wellness Professions at Palm Harbor University High School. Currently, 7 runs later, the Glam Run 5K has evolved and grown. The Booster's mission, however, remains the same. Since its inception, \$80,000 has been donated to the Center for Medical Wellness Professions at Palm Harbor University High School and several additional charitable organizations. The Palm Harbor University High School ClubMEDICAL Booster Club is a 501 (c)(3) non-profit organization that places a great deal of emphasis on keeping registration fees at a manageable amount for all that choose to participate. It ensures, from beginning to end, that our participants' experience is top notch and enjoyable. The Palm Harbor University High School ClubMEDICAL Booster Club relies heavily on income generated from registration and event sponsorships to fulfill our mission. For this reason, we are not offering registration refunds.

• **Can I defer my race entry to 2022?**

Unfortunately, no. The funds received from registration are used to fund expenditures needed to host the Glam Run for the current year (in-person or virtual) and to assist in the mission of our organization. Offering deferments to next year's race would mean we would not be able to cover the expenditures required to host the 2022 Glam Run and raise funds for the Center for Medical Wellness Professions at Palm Harbor University High

School and several additional charitable organizations in the local area. There will be no deferring or transferring of race registrations in any manner.

- **What is the process for decision making?**

We will follow local ordinances. The safety of our runners and volunteers is our greatest concern. Should the need arise, the collective decision to cancel the in-person 2021 Glam Run will be made with the intent of being transparent and forthcoming as to what our participants can expect. Our current situation with COVID-19 has created an air of uncertainty as to where our community will be in February 2021. To accept your 2021 Glam Run registration dollars without advising you of a potential outcome would be unreasonable and irresponsible. The decision to provide a virtual run will be a decision made by the Palm Harbor University High School ClubMEDICAL Booster Club members.

- **What can I expect with a virtual 2021 Glam Run 5K and 1 Mile Fun run?**

We are currently addressing the best way to convert to a virtual if necessary. You can count on the following:

- A virtual event that will be FUN.
- Virtual results platform will be offered to upload your run results. Instructions to upload and/or share your photos with us will
- Once the decision is made to go virtual, every registered participant will receive an email to provide explicit instructions as to the details of receiving their awesome technical t-shirt, amazing goody bag and Glamorous Medal. *Nothing will be mailed.* You may choose to arrange for someone else to pick-up your Glam Run Swag. Whether you decide to run or not you are still eligible to receive your registered participant goodies!

- **Will awards be mailed (overall, age group)?**

Unfortunately, no. With a virtual event, there is no way for us to confirm the results reported. Should the 2021 Glam run go virtual, then we are all winners (we are all winners no matter what!) Nothing will be mailed. You may choose to arrange for someone else to pick-up your Glam Run Swag.

- **I purchased registration fee coverage when I registered online. If the race is cancelled due to a pandemic, may I submit a claim and receive a refund?**

Palm Harbor University High School ClubMEDICAL Booster Club **cannot be responsible for the policies of Active.com. Please be aware of the cancellation policy prior to purchasing registration fee coverage.**

- **Can I run my 2021 Glam Run 5K and 1 Mile Fun Run virtual race on the official 2021 Glam Run 5K and 1 Mile Fun Run racecourse?**

Absolutely, positively and 100% YES! The Pinellas Trail is a beautiful and safe place to run and/or walk. Please dress in your best Glamorous Glam Run and send your pictures to us!!

In closing, we are aware that there will be additional questions and concerns. If you have a question, please feel free to send them via email to PHUHSMM5K@gmail.com.