



Exeter Elementary PTO

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Exeter PTO's Get Fit in May 5K Runs its 26th Anniversary Race on May 18

The largest annual community fundraiser to benefit Exeter public elementary schools, the Get Fit in May 5K, will once again depart from Lincoln Street School, in Exeter, NH, on May 18, with a kids fun run at 8:30 a.m. and the traditional 5K beginning at 9:30 a.m. This year marks the 26th anniversary of an event that annually draws hundreds of walkers and runners and dozens of volunteers and sponsors — all in support of the Exeter Elementary PTO.

Registration and race details can be found at www.getfitinmay.com.

All race proceeds benefit Exeter's Developmental Preschool, Main Street School, and Lincoln Street School. The revenue provides critical funding outside of the schools' budgets for programs and initiatives that impact every enrolled student, including: classroom technology, field trip subsidy and transportation, teacher classroom supplies, flexible seating for children in the classrooms, the Student Council, playground equipment, staff appreciation events, grade-specific educational events, and more.

The Get Fit in May 5K truly is a community event made possible each year by the generous support of area business and organizations. Please see the Get Fit in May 5K page on Race Roster for a list of our excellent 2024 sponsors!

"We are very excited to have a new course this year, and to be re-introducing a cash winner's prize in each gender division, as well as age-group awards," says Race Director Sarah Slocum. The race committee is grateful for the community-wide effort involved in creating such a memorable event for Exeter area families for the past 26 years, one that provides such impactful resources for the area's public elementary school children and teachers.

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