

Finish Line Food Team 101—FRIDAY (5K)

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Task: You get to “make the day” of the finishing runners as you provide them with refreshing and replenishing FOOD! Runners enjoy good finish line food just as much as their medals sometimes!! 😊 So smile and ask how their race went and where they are from.

5K Finish Line Food Team—Friday, April 21

- Report to Great West Hall by 6:30 pm
- We will be serving food out of 4 concession stands (aka “Bays”) in the Great West Hall.
- Volunteers will be divided into Teams and each team will work in a bay their whole shift. Each person in the team will have a specific job and runners will come through to get food like an “assembly line.”
- When you arrive, at first you will be helping us finish stocking all of the food in the concession bays and setting up the counters so runners can grab items quickly.
- 5K Race begins at 7:30pm.
- As the runners come and grab food items, we will continuously be restocking the counters.
- Our rush will hit at approx. 8:00-8:20pm.
- As the crowd dies down, we will begin closing bays and cleaning to prepare for the next day’s races.
- We will be serving Jimmy John’s Sandwiches at the 5K, plus dry food and bananas. There will be limits on some items that we hand out in order to assure we save enough for the races the next day.
- Once we’ve cleaned and restocked for the next day, you will be dismissed (9:45p at the latest!). Please check in with one of the coordinators before you go to be sure all the jobs are done!

5K Crowd Control - Finish Line Food Team—Friday, April 21

- Report to Great West Hall by 6:45 pm
- Volunteers will be divided into Teams and each team will work in a bay their whole shift.
- 5K Race begins at 7:30pm.
- Your job will be to greet the runners as they enter the Great West Hall from the field and direct them to the shortest food line. Also tell runners that all lines have the SAME FOOD! Think of it like when you are at Best Buy around Christmas and there is someone there who directs you to the cash register to keep all the lines even and keep any from getting too long.
- Your job is also to keep any non-runners out of the Great West Hall. Our space is very limited and if we let in family and spectators we will reach capacity and nobody will be able to move around.
- You will be done by 9:30pm at the latest. Please check in with one of the coordinators before you go to be sure all the jobs are done!

If all positions get filled, each Bay Team will consist of

- 3 Food Team members to serve food
- 2 Crowd Control members to direct runners

THANK YOU FOR VOLUNTEERING! WE COULDN'T DO THIS WITHOUT YOU!